

October 8, 2023

# CORNERSTONE

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*"The stone that the  
builders rejected has  
become the cornerstone."*  
MATTHEW 21:42AB

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meaning and purpose in life.

## Lord's Day Masses

Saturday 4:30 pm  
Sunday 8:15 and 10:30 a.m.

## Weekday Masses in the Historic Chapel

Wednesdays & Fridays at 8:00 a.m.

## Individual Reconciliation

Reconciliation Room: Saturdays 3:45-4:15 pm

## Eucharistic Adoration in the Historic Chapel

Tuesdays, 8:30 am—4:00 pm  
Holy Hour & Rosary 4:00 pm—5:00 pm  
Also, Saturday from 7 am-8 am



# Saint James

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## OUTREACH

### Sussex Food Pantry

N64 W23760 Main Street 262 246-9860

Mondays 5:30 to 7:00 pm

Wednesdays 1:00 to 2:30 pm


Saturdays 10:00 to 12:00 pm

Donations can be dropped off Mon—Fri between 10 & Noon

St. Vincent de Paul 262-251-3944

ERAs Senior Network - Waukesha 262-549-3348

## St. James

*In Deepest Sympathy*  
 We would like to express our sympathy to the family of **Eleanor Durica**. May she find peace and happiness with our Lord Jesus in heaven.

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

#### Wednesday, October 11

8:00 am † Ray Schoedl (Schoedl Family)

#### Friday, October 13

8:00 am St. James Parishioners

#### Saturday, October 14

4:30 pm † Ed & Julie Kolinski (Kim Kolinski)

#### Sunday, October 15

8:15 am † Stanley Polczynski (Ruth Ann Stevens)

† Norm Bruseth (Therese Bruseth)

† Rick Davey (Karen, Kim, Tim & Family)

10:30 am † Pat Gorski (Family)

† Marlene Herbst (Family)

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### Stewardship

#### Weekend of October 1, 2023

Stewardship:	\$	5,882.00
Offertory:	\$	814.62
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	1.13
Line of Credit:	\$	210.00

**Total** \$ **6,907.75**

*Thank you for your support of St. James!*



**BANNS OF MARRIAGE II**  
Zachary Pavloski & Brianna Lalk

### THANK YOU!

The last Reverse Collection for 2023 was a tremendous success. Donations for the food pantry included 61 boxes (1,695.5 lbs.) of items and \$70. This was the largest collection for the entire year. The Sussex food pantry was so grateful and our SVDP conference cannot thank you enough for your continuous support of this program.

The first Reverse Collection for 2024 will be in January. In the meantime, the food pantry continues to need donations. Donations can be dropped off at the food pantry, Monday through Friday between 10:00 AM and noon, or can be left in the barrels at Piggly Wiggly and Pick N Save.

Again, thank you for your generosity to those in need.



### REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR

### S.O.A.L. -St. James Older Adult Learning

S.O.A. L. Registrations are being accepted, classes fill on a first come, first serve basis. Classes run for 5 weeks beginning October 20. Lunch is included with your registration fee. If you have any questions, please call 262-251-0897.



## Menomonee Falls, WI

### PASTORAL HEALTH CARE CORNER

#### ANOINTING OF THE SICK-NEXT WEEKEND

The Anointing of the Sick is a sacrament of healing appropriate not only for those in immediate danger of death but also for those suffering from chronic illness or preparing for surgery. The individual receives from the Holy Spirit the graces of "strengthening, peace, and courage to overcome the difficulties that go with the condition of serious illness or frailty of old age." CCC 1520

Anointing of the Sick will take place at St. James immediately following all Masses during the weekend of October 14th and 15th. Parishioners will be invited to remain in their seats following Mass if they wish to be anointed.

If you are unable to attend on October 14th or 15th and wish to receive the sacrament, please contact the parish office.

#### Blood Pressure Screening Next Weekend



The American Heart Association reports that nearly half of all Americans over age twenty have high blood pressure, which increases their risk of heart attack, stroke, and other health threats. High blood pressure usually has no symptoms, so it is important to have your blood pressure checked regularly.

Blood Pressure Ministry volunteers will be available in the Great Room to check your blood pressure following all Masses next weekend, October 14th and 15th.

#### Bereavement Companion Ministry - News

The Bereavement Companion Ministry invites you to attend our November remembrance event:

#### *"Handling the Holidays After Loss" Presentation*

Please join us on Wednesday, November 1<sup>st</sup> in the St. James Community Center following either the 8AM or the 6PM Solemnity of All Saints Masses. The presentation and a light reception will be offered immediately following both Masses. We will share ways to prepare for the holidays while grieving the loss of a loved one.

RVSP is appreciated but not required. To RSVP, please contact Kristen Winter at 262-250-2663 or [kwinter@stjames-parish.com](mailto:kwinter@stjames-parish.com).

**Join Our Ministry**.....Have you ever reached out to a friend or relative when they experienced the loss of a loved one? Would you be interested in doing that for one of your fellow parishioners? We are looking for caring individuals who are willing to walk with someone who has lost a loved one. This ministry is probably what you are already doing: listening, holding a hand, sending a card, and giving a hug. If you are at all interested, please give Kristen Winter, Pastoral Health Care Coordinator, a call at 262-250-2663. Kristen can talk to you more about this wonderful ministry of outreach to fellow parishioners. A short training and materials are given.



The Bereavement Companion Ministry members hope you will join us in serving St. James parish through this important ministry!

Marge Schumann, Marge Goggins Filo, Carol Milkie, Bernie Milkie, Louise Birschbach, Lois Severson, Ruth Ann Stevens

 **Holly Days**  
Silent Auction Items  
Needed 

We are already beginning to think about this year's Holly Days event. Holly Days is not only a fundraiser for our parish, but a time for us to come together as a community to enjoy fellowship. The event has a Saturday supper, Sunday pancake breakfast, HUGE bake sale, Santa's workshop for kids to shop for gifts for their family members, used book sale as well as a silent auction and the ever popular theme basket raffle. If you have not been to Holly Days before, we invite you to put it on your calendar for this year - Dec. 2nd and 3rd.

Our Silent Auction is in need of a few unique donations this year. Do you have a special skill you can offer as an auction item (quilting, cooking, woodworking, photography, etc)? Something you can make? Packers or Bucks tickets you can't use? A cabin or condo up North or down South you can donate for a week or weekend? Something from your work to donate? Let's talk! E-mail Denise Walker at: [dwalker7800@gmail.com](mailto:dwalker7800@gmail.com)

 **Fall Art & Environment Committee**  
We need help adding color, pumpkins and gourds to the fall décor on Saturday, October 28 at 8:30 a.m. in Church. This is a good way to meet new people. No experience necessary. ALL ARE WELCOME!

**One Percent Challenge to Know Jesus Better**


We are entering week two of the 1% Challenge. If you don't have a card, here are the steps and Scripture Passages.

Steps of the Challenge:

**Prepare (1 minute)** Breathe and become aware of Jesus  
**Recognize (2 minutes)** Acknowledge your thoughts, feelings...  
**Relate (1 minute)** Talk to Jesus about how you are doing.  
**Receive (4 minutes)** Be still and listen for His response.  
 Ask the Holy Spirit to speak to you through scripture.

**Daily Scripture Passages:**  
 Day 8: Mark 4:35-41  
 Day 9: Mark 5:25-34                      Day 12: Mark 9:30-37  
 Day 10: Mark 6:30-44                    Day 13: Mark 10:17-27  
 Day 11: Matthew 14:22-23              Day 14: John 10:7-18

**Respond-Talk it Over (3 minutes)** Talk to Jesus from your heart about what in the Scripture stands out to you.  
**Rest - Just be With God (3 minutes)** Simply relax in God's presence.  
**Resolve (1 minute)** Thank God for all he has done for you this day and pray for any prayer intentions.

 **PRAYER NETWORK -**  
 If you have a prayer request, please send an email to Terri Grimmer at: [tmg1123@yahoo.com](mailto:tmg1123@yahoo.com)  
 If you would like to help us in praying for these requests please contact Terri so she can add you to her email list.

Gay & Straight in Christ will meet on October 8, at 7PM in the Mary Magdala Chapel of Good Shepherd Church Menomonee Falls, Please join us.

**“Wounded Families:  
The Church’s Response to Abusive Behaviors”**

*“The Catholic Church teaches that violence against another person in any form fails to treat that person as someone worthy of love. - excerpt from the USCCB’s “When I Call for Help”*

**“Wounded Families” Presentation**  
 Thursday, Oct. 19, 7-8 p.m.  
 St. Mary Mother of God Parish, Menomonee Falls

Featuring talks by Deacon Lance Tappa and professional counselor Monika Wiese, the evening will focus on the Catholic Church’s teachings related to abuses in marriage, a discussion on the long-term adverse mental health effects on family members, and mental health resources to begin the healing process.

The evening will conclude with Adoration and silent prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. All are welcome but the content is appropriate for ages 13 and older. Please register for this free event at: <https://tinyurl.com/WoundedFamilies>

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

**Sunday, October 8** **Mass at 8:15 & 10:30 am**  
 K3-K5 CF Classes | 8:15 am  
 Gr 1-5 CF Classes | 9:30 am  
 Blessing for the Engaged | 10:30 am  
 Confirmation Class | 11:30 am  
 Baptism Prep Classes | 11:45 am  
 Gr 6-11 CF Classes | 4:30 pm & 6:00 pm

**Monday, October 9**  
 Music Ministry Rehearsal | 6:30 pm  
 Men’s Group Gospel of John | 7:00 pm

**Tuesday, October 10**  
 Day of Adoration | 8:30-4 | Holy Hour 4:00-5:00 pm  
 Scripture Reflection | 9:00 am  
 CF Staff Meeting | 1:00 pm  
 Gr 1-11 CF Classes | 6:00 pm  
 Finance Council Meeting | 6:00 pm  
 Pastoral Council Meeting | 7:00 pm  
 Knights of Columbus Officers Meeting | 7:30 pm

**Wednesday, October 11** **Mass at 8:00 am**  
 Staff Meeting | 9:30 am  
 Pack 175 Committee Meeting | 6:30 pm

**Thursday, October 12**  
 Community Banquet | 5:30 pm  
 Scripture Reflection | 6:30 pm  
 Webelos 1 Den Meeting | 7:00 pm

**Friday, October 13** **Mass at 8:00 am**

**Saturday, October 14** **Mass at 4:30 pm**  
 Adoration | 7:00 am  
 Individual Reconciliation | 3:45 pm  
 Anointing of the Sick | 5:30 pm  
 Blood Pressure Screening | 5:30 pm

**Sunday, October 15** **Mass at 8:15 & 10:30 am**  
 K3-K5 CF Classes | 8:15 am  
 Gr 1-5 CF Classes | 9:30 am  
 Confirmation Candidate/Sponsor Day of Reflection | 9:30 am  
 Anointing of the Sick after Mass | 9:15 am & 11:30 am  
 Blood Pressure Screening after Mass | 9:15 am & 11:30 am  
 Gr 6-10 CF Classes | 4:30 pm & 6:00 pm

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