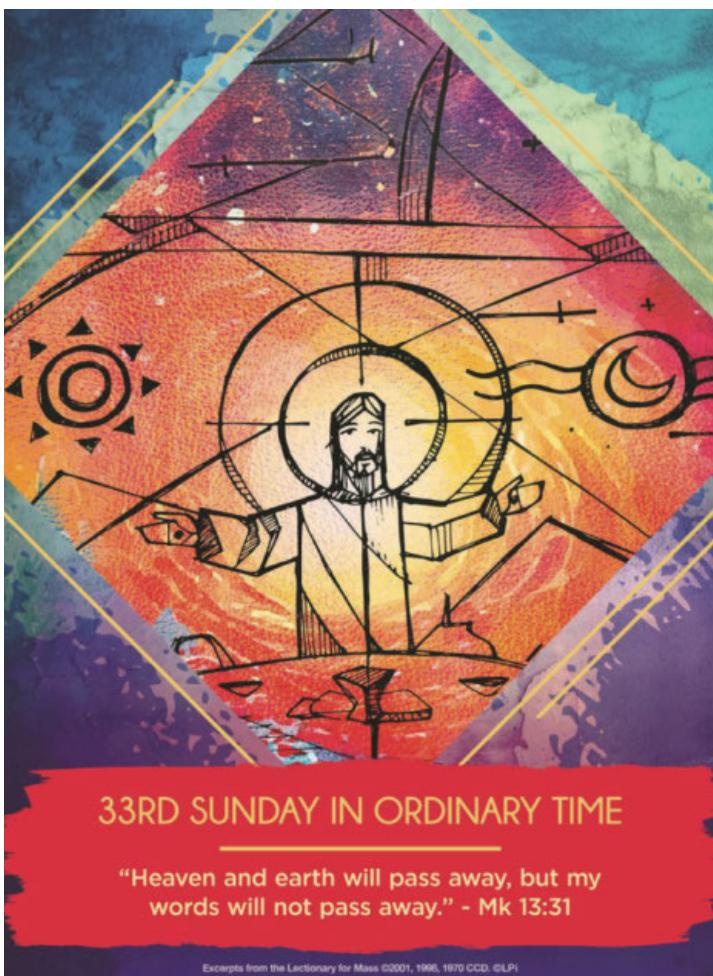


November 17, 2024



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### Lord's Day Masses

Saturday 4:30 pm  
Sunday 8:15 & 10:30 am

### 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 on Tuesdays  
Also, Saturday from 7 am-8 am



# Saint James Parish

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### **Parish Staff Directory**

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**St. Vincent de Paul** 262-251-3944

**ERAs Senior Network - Waukesha** 262-549-3348



We would like to express our sympathy to the families of **Kathy Shimek-Hahn** and **Stan Kasprzak**. May they find peace and happiness with our Lord Jesus in heaven.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK****Wednesday, November 20**

8:00 am †Deceased Family & Friends of the Griebs Family  
(Family)

**Friday, November 22**

8:00 am Parishioners of St. James

**Saturday, November 23**

4:30 pm †Derek & Andrew Doro (Jim & Kay Doro)

**Sunday, November 24**

8:15 am †Ray Gross (Family)

†Deryll Weber (Family)

10:30 am Parishioners of St. James

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 17, 2024**

**Sunday:** Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1)/Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32

**Monday:** Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 18:35-43

**Tuesday:** Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/Lk 19:1-10

**Wednesday:** Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 19:11-28

**Thursday:** Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Lk 19:41-44

**Friday:** Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131/

Lk 19:45-48

**Saturday:** Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Lk 20:27-40

**Next Sunday:** Dn 7:13-14/Ps 91:1, 1-2, 5 (1a)/

Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37

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**Stewardship: Weekend of Sunday, November 10**

Stewardship:	\$	12,802.00
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Prior Year Assessment	\$	15.00
Line of Credit	\$	125.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>16,150.90</b>

To make an online contribution: Text: 73256 Message is: STJMF

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

**Art & Environment**

We will need many extra hands the next two weekends to transform our worship space from Fall to Advent.

**Sunday November 24** After the 10:30 Mass we will be taking down the fall decorations and storing them.

**Saturday, November 30** Beginning at 9:00 am we will be decorating the worship space for Advent.

**Please consider giving the gift of your time to help.**

The pictures on the Jacob's ladder can be picked up in the gathering space next weekend November 23 & 24

**Adoration****There will be No Adoration on Saturday, November 23.**

Adoration will take place in the chapel as scheduled on Tuesday, November 26 from 8:30 am - 5:00 pm. Adoration will close with praying the Rosary from 4:00 - 5:00 pm.

**PEACE & ALL GOOD SOAPS & LOTIONS SALE****November 23rd & 24th**

On November 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>, the Franciscan Peacemakers 'Peace and All Good' products will be for sale after each mass. This is a great opportunity to pick up special products i.e. candles, lotions, soaps and more for that special person and consequently helping Franciscan Peacemakers provide job opportunities to those who have been trafficked.

**The Christmas Giving Tree 2024**

Starting  
Saturday,  
November 16,

the St. James Christmas Giving Tree will be set-up in the Gathering Space. All donations will need to be returned to the Giving Tree space by December 8.

We are excited to be able to return to collecting BOTH gifts and gift cards for our recipients and organizations. Please consider supporting the following organizations by selecting a card off the tree.

**Sussex Outreach Services:** The Sussex Outreach Services organization holds an annual Christmas Gift program, where area parents of children in need are allowed to select one gift of their choice. Your donation of an unwrapped toy, game, or clothing item will ensure that all children connected with the SOS program will be able to receive a gift.

**St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. James:** This St James Parish based group responds to parish needs in many ways, but most frequently in emergency situations that include power shut offs or imminent evictions. Please donate Cash (checks payable to St. Vincent de Paul Society), gift cards to Pick 'n Save or Gas Station gift cards, which are especially needed. These donations will assist individuals or families in our parish area who have come upon extremely difficult times.

**ERAS:** This faith-based Waukesha County non-profit organization runs a Holiday Gift Program which provides a gift envelope of items to low-income homebound seniors and adults with disabilities. A \$10 gift card to either Walgreens or Pick 'n Save, a \$5 gift card from McDonald's or a book of stamps are the donations of choice for ERAS to include in their gifts.

**Hebron House:** This non-profit organization provides emergency housing and related services to people in transition with the basic needs of shelter, food and personal support. Please donate specific gifts as listed on the gift tag. These are gifts that will be given to a current resident at Hebron House.

Thank you for  
helping to brighten  
the holiday season  
for so many in  
our community!

**What Catholics Believe & OCIA...**

Would you like to learn more about what Catholics believe? Discuss your faith? Come to the **Great room** to hear some different parishioners share their wisdom on different Catholic topics. We will meet between the 2 Sunday Masses from **9:20 – 10:20 am**. Here are the dates and topics through December.



Nov 24 - Prayer (Catholic prayer forms)

Dec 15 - Advent & the Nativity Stories

More topics and dates to come in the new year. Contact Sue at [sdevine-simon@stjames-parish.com](mailto:sdevine-simon@stjames-parish.com) or call 262-253-2904.

**Holly Days**

Saturday, December 7, 4:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Sunday, December 8, 8:00 am - noon

**Volunteers for Holly Days: It takes a Parish!**

We need a lot of volunteers to help with set-up, clean up, decorating, baking, in addition to working the event. Various time slots are available. Sign-up sheets will be in the Gathering Area throughout November, scan the QR code below or sign up online using this link: <https://tinyurl.com/volunteerhollydays2024>



**Calling all Bakers!** It's time to dig out your favorite recipes for the St. James Holly Days' Bake Sale. If you bake it, we will take it! We are in need of donations of bakery for Saturday and Sunday. Bakery can be dropped off anytime on Saturday, Dec. 7th starting at 9:00am. We are looking for all types of bakery from simple Chex Mix to cookie platters, candy, cakes and pies. \*\*Please specify whether or not your donation contains nuts.

**HOLY DAYS DONATION BOXES**

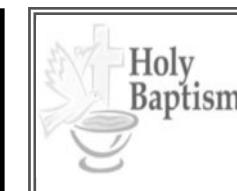
will be out throughout November

The following items are needed:

**Secret Santa Workshop:** New items for men, women, teens & children. We also need tissue and gift bags. Santa's Workshop gives children the joy of choosing their own special gifts for parents and family members.

**Used Books:** Books, CDs, DVDs and videos. Please no encyclopedias or magazines.

**Theme Basket Donations:** We need large, sturdy baskets, colored paper shred and large and jumbo size CLEAR basket gift bags to create the Theme Baskets this year in addition to donations to fill the baskets. Here are some theme basket ideas: Beer Lovers/Wine/Liquor ~ Games ~ Coffee/Tea ~ Golf/Sports ~ Movie Night ~ Kid's Crafts ~ Spa ~ Candy/Chocolate ~ Home Improvement ~ Reading/Bookworm ~ Tailgating ~ Baking ~ Princess ~ Superhero ~ Date Night ~ Fitness ~ Italian ~ Mexican ~ Rainy Day Fun ~ Baby's 1<sup>st</sup> Christmas ~ Dog/Cat lovers. \*\*If you are donating alcohol or a complete basket, please deliver it to the Parish Office.



Please welcome the following children who are being baptized this month at St James:  
**Elise**, daughter of Ryan and Jenni  
**Ivan**, son of Christopher and Brianne  
**Jack**, son of Andy and Susie



**THANK YOU** to those who participated in our Parish Grounds Clean Up!!! We appreciate all who took the time to help. You were all outstanding!!!  
**We couldn't have done it without you!!**

**St. Ben's Meal Program**

Consider donating food to the St. Ben's Community Meal this coming **Wednesday, November 20**. We need parishioners to bring salads (**No Lettuce**), fruits, vegetables, or meat or seafood casseroles/pastas. **Please write on foil/wrap whether it is salad, vegetable, or casserole.**

You do not have to sign up to be a part of this ministry and can **drop your donations off any time between 7:30 am and 3:30 pm** at St. James in the upstairs kitchen.

**Our driver leaves promptly at 3:45.** If you have questions call Lynn at 262-227-9862. We suggest using throw away dishes.

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE****Sunday, November 17**

**Mass at 8:15 & 10:30 am**

CF K3/K4/K5 | 8:15 am

CF Gr. 1-5 | 9:30 am

OCIA | 9:15 am

Confirmation Class | 4:30 pm & 6:00 pm

CF Gr. 6-10 | 4:30 & 6:00 pm

**Monday, November 18**

Redeemer UCC Cookie Bake | 9:00 am

**Tuesday, November 19**

Scripture Reflection | 9:00 am

CF Staff Meeting | 1:00 pm

CF Classes Gr. 1-10 | 6:00 pm

Confirmation Classes | 6:00 pm

**Wednesday, November 20**

**Mass at 8:00 am**

Staff Meeting | 9:30 am

Funeral Visitation & Mass | 10:00 am

Funeral Mass | 2:00 pm

St. Vincent de Paul Meeting | 6:30 pm

Cub Scout Pack Meeting | 6:30 pm

**Thursday, November 21**

Wood Carving Club | 9:00 am

Pack 175 Committee Meeting | 5:30 pm

Knights of Columbus Member Meeting | 7:00 pm

**Friday, November 22**

**Mass at 8:00am**

St James Older Adult Learning (SOAL) | 9:00 am

**Saturday, November 23**

**Mass at 4:30 pm**

Adoration | 7:00 am

Reconciliation | 3:45 pm

Soap Sales after Mass | 5:15 pm

**Sunday, November 24**

**Mass at 8:15 & 10:30 am**

CF K3/K4/K5 | 8:15 am

CF Gr. 1-5 | 9:30 am

Soap Sales after Mass | 9:15 am & 11:30 am

Art & Environment take down | 11:30 am

Confirmation Class | 4:30 pm & 6:00 pm

CF Gr. 6-10 | 4:30 & 6:00 pm

**St. James website has the current calendar for the entire year.**

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