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Weekend Masses (Live on YouTube)

.....**4pm only**

Saturday..... 4:00pm

Sunday 8:00am & 10:00am

Weekday Masses

Monday6pm

Friday8am

Sacramental Life

Reconciliation-Saturday 3:00pm-3:30pm

Baptism-Sacrament offered on 3rd Sundays of the month. Dates on website.

Marriage-requires priest to be notified **6 months** prior. Call the office.

Ministries & organizations on website

ST JAMES

CATHOLIC CHURCH

St James Mission Statement:

...revealing the Kingdom of God through our commitment to the Lord and to each other.



2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." - Jn 2:1-3

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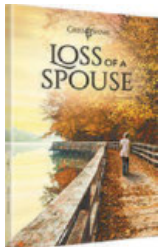
News from Fr. Loyola

Hello Everyone,

I hope you had a happy, healthy celebration of Christmas and New year. Recently, Archbishop ListECKI addressed the issue of the significant increase in COVID cases. At St James our COVID protocols include a designated section by the crying room for social distancing, conveniently located automated holy water dispensers and sanitizing of the church. Wearing of a mask for parishioners is optional. While there has been no reported outbreak of COVID-19 from Mass attendance, we were all asked by Archbishop to exercise personal responsibility. Those who feel sick, or who are especially at risk of health complications, should stay home and watch Sunday worship live-streamed on the St James YouTube Channel, (**Search St James Mukwonago**) until you feel comfortable returning to in-person Mass. If you are ill, taking care of someone who is sick, or is at risk of serious illness due to exposure, your Sunday Mass attendance is excused.

I will be gone for my sabbatical studies January 10 through April 22, 2022. If you have any emergencies please contact the parish office during the day time and for off work hours please contact Deacon Anton at 262.210.6694. Once I return to my base in April I will serve you for three months and I will be retiring on July 31, 2022. Meantime the Placement Board of the Archdiocese will meet with the Pastoral Councils and the staff of both parishes in February 2022 for consultation to plan for my successor. It has been a privilege working with you. I thank all of you for your support and cooperation, particularly, the trustees, PC and FC chairs and members, the staff and committees and volunteers. Deacon Anton will start as the Temporary Administrator of the parish starting on January 10, 2022. So long for now.

Fr. Loyola Amalraj; Shared Pastor; St James & St Theresa



GriefShare-Loss of a Spouse

Grieving the death of a spouse? Or do you know someone who is? Your life has changed forever. The daily emotions and challenges can seem too hard to bear. GriefShare seminars and support groups are led by people who understand what you are going through and want to help. You'll gain access to valuable GriefShare resources to help you recover from your loss and look forward to rebuilding your life. Find help at St

James next **Loss of a Spouse** seminar on **Tuesday, January 18 from 6:30-8:30pm in Room 9** of the St James Parish Center. Online registration at <https://www.griefshare.org/loss/events/4022> or email Renee Hitt at hittr@stjmuk.org; 262-363-7615 X125.

Baptism

Please join us in welcoming *Aria Joan-Marie Beck*, daughter of Austin & Celina Beck, who joined our Christian Community through the waters of baptism on January 2. Planning to have a baby baptized this year? Baptism Preparation Class is required if you are having your first child baptized or if you have not attended a baptism class in the past 5 years. Contact Renée Hitt at hittr@stjmuk.org to register for a baptism prep class, held on the first Thursday of the month at 6:30 PM in the Parish Center and contact René Ranic in the Parish Office to sign up for a baptism Sunday, 262-363-7615.



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Sacraments

Reconciliation- Saturday 3:00-3:30pm.
No confessions on Holy Saturday.

Baptism

The Sacrament of Baptism is offered on the 3rd Sundays of the month after 10am Mass. Prior registration is required. For information, please contact the Parish Office 262-363-7615 X100.

Marriage

Marriage Preparation requires the priest be notified **6 months** prior to anticipated wedding date. One of the parties must be a registered practicing Catholic member of our Parish.

New Members

We warmly welcome new members to our Parish! Contact the parish office.

Communion for Sick & Home Visits

Contact Parish Office at 363-7615 x100

Council of Catholic Women

Call Kathy Peters 262-470-1786.

Elizabeth Ministry

Call (262) 363-7615 X145.

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday 6:30pm. Pete or Sharon Giersch 262-492-5900

Knights of Columbus

Call Pat Hitt 262-470-3940

Linden Grove Ministry

Contact Arlene Spiegelhoff 363-7061.

Prayer Network

Requests for the Prayer Network are confidential. For prayer request call Arlene 363-7061.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Call (262) 363-7615 X150.

Hearing Assistance

Devices are available in the sacristy before Mass.

Youth Retreat - Save the Date!

A retreat for 7th-10th grade students is planned for Saturday, January 29, 2022. Please see the times below for specific age groups.

9th/10th Retreat: 2-5pm.

This will include 4pm Mass at St. James.

7th/8th Retreat: 4-7:30 pm.

This will include 4pm Mass and a pizza dinner.

MASST INTENTIONS

St T - St. Theresa, Eagle

St J - St. James, Mukwonago

Saturday, January 15

4:00 pm (St J) † Nancy Gallo

(Live streamed on YouTube)

4:30 pm (St T) † Donald Ledrowski

Sunday, January 16 (Second Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:00 am (St J) Intentions of Catholic Women

9:00 am (St T) Parishioners

10:00 am (St J) † Jane Bochat

Monday, January 17 (St. Anthony, Abbot)

6:00 pm (St J) † Lee Fiegel

Tuesday, January 18, No Mass

Wednesday, January 19

8:00 am (St T) † Barbara Brusewitz

Thursday, January 20 (St. Fabian, St. Sebastian)

8:00 am (St T) † Michael & Beatrice Delany

Friday, January 21 (St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr)

8:00 am (St J) † Patricia Lee Jones

Saturday, January 22

(Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children)

4:00 pm (St J) Parishioners

(Live streamed on YouTube)

4:30 pm (St T) † Jeffrey Billert

Sunday, January 23 (Third Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:00 am (St J) † Krystal Zylke & John Ebl

9:00 am (St T) † Nick Beres

10:00 am (St J) † Tim Titus

Lenten Mission: Journey to Joy



Lent 2021 we will continue the Journey to Joy with presentations of the Beatitudes and stories from Luke with Emmy award winning actor Frank Runyeon on March 6 & 7.

Mark your calendars!

Who is Frank Runyeon?

Frank has starred in over 1,000 TV episodes and movies. He is best known for starring opposite Meg Ryan on CBS. He was nominated for a Daytime EMMY in 2016. He left Hollywood in the 90's to attend the seminary. He is Catholic, and graduated from Seminary in '94 with honors (M.A.) He also studied at Princeton University (B.A.) and Yale Divinity (Media Studies). For 25 years, Frank has helped audiences of all ages rediscover the power of the central stories of Scripture.

And...He came highly recommended by our Child Formation Coordinator, Mary Kravchuk, who hosted Frank at her previous parish. Frank will be presenting his program to our parishes on **March 6 & 7**. (Be sure to mark your calendars now!) Frank will present *The Sermon on the Mount*, *Stories on the Road with Luke*, and *Hollywood vs Faith*.

We are seeking sponsorship angels to help us offset the cost of this mission. If you can sponsor this program with a gift of \$50, you will receive priority seating for this event. Please contact Renee Hitt at hittr@stjmuk.org with any questions. PLEASE make check payable to the parish with a notation of Lenten Mission.

Elizabeth Ministry

Children's Liturgy

The 10AM Mass provides children ages 4-12 the opportunity to take part in Children's Liturgy of the Word. These children will hear the liturgy and learn about it at their level. They also will take home an activity to remind them of the weekly gospel message. We are in need of parents and grandparents to accompany the children and we are in need of team leaders. Call 262-363-7615 X145



St. James Fish Fry Results

Our Fish Fry on January 7th served 331 dinners. We sold 174 Fried Cod, 102 Baked Cod, 38 Shrimp Dinners and 17 Kids Meals. Thank you to all of our volunteers and the Knights of Columbus who helped with set-up, serving, worked in the kitchen and clean-up. Our fish fry's would

not be possible without all of you! All proceeds benefit St. James Parish and the Knights of Columbus.

Readings for the Week of Jan 16

<https://www.stjamesmukwonago.org/Readings>

Life's Connection
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www.lifesconnection.info

You're Invited!
February 12, 2022

Calendar Raffle Winners

Jan 4: Joe Spak: \$50

Jan 7: John Kelley: \$250

Jan 11: Tom & Mary Huppertz: \$50

Winners listed the same day on the St James website.

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