

MISSION STATEMENT

St. James is a vibrant, welcoming Catholic Community journeying towards the fullness of the Kingdom of God through worship, formation and service.

April 24, 2022

Second Sunday of Easter



St. James is here to help all people experience meaning and purpose in life.

Lord's Day Masses

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

Weekday Masses in the Historic Chapel

Wednesdays & Fridays at 8:00 a.m.

Funerals take precedence.

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



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Web-site: stjames-parish.com

Parish Staff Directory

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Tuesday, April 25

8:30 am Mass at Good Shepherd

Wednesday, April 26

8:00 am Jim Cook (Cathy Roskopf)

Friday, April 28

8:00 am St. James Parishioners

Saturday, April 29

4:30 pm † Dennis & Gerald Kudronowicz
(Mary Ann Kudronowicz)

Sunday, April 30

8:15 am St. James Parishioners

10:30 am St. James Parishioners

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that you can access online.

Pastoral Council - Call for New Members

As we look to the future, this is an exciting time to serve on the St. James Pastoral Council. As a consultative body, a pastoral council has **three principal purposes**:

- To serve as a vehicle for fulfilling the pastoral mission of Jesus and the Church.
- To strive to build a community of disciples who recognize their baptismal calls to lives of holiness, witness, and service.
- To engage in a continuous process of planning which takes into account the needs and priorities of St. James' parishioners and their place in the Archdiocese, and the broader community.

Time Commitment. Members serve 3-year terms, with the option to serve a second 3-year term. Members have the obligation to participate in council work in variety of ways. Duties and the approximate time commitment are as follows:

Pastoral Council Meetings – Monthly, Great Room, 7PM. Approximately 60-90 minutes.

Commission Meetings – Monthly. Approximately 60-90 minutes. Each council member serves as a liaison to either Prayer and Worship, Formation, Stewardship, Human Concerns or Finance Council.

Annual Town Hall meeting. Once per year. Approximately 60-90 minutes.

Retreats. Staff/council retreats are held in the fall and spring. Dates and time commitment for 2022-2023 TBA.

Strategic Plan Implementation. Council members will work with our pastor, staff, and other members of the parish as we roll-out our Strategic Missionary Plan. The plan focuses on: 1.) Enhancing our parish culture of invitation and welcome. 2.) Enhancing opportunities for spiritual growth.

Qualifications. To be eligible to serve, an individual must be:

A baptized, practicing Catholic

At least 18 years of age

A registered member of our parish

A participant in parish life, especially Mass and the sacraments

Note: *Parish employees and their family members are ineligible to serve. Husbands and wives, siblings, or parent and child may not serve together on councils.*

To Learn More About the Council and the Selection

Process: Contact Pastoral Council Chair, Terry Brecklin at tbrecklin@gmail.com by **May 4.**



We would like to express our sympathy to the family of **Elizabeth "Betty" Guis.** May she find peace and happiness with our Lord Jesus in heaven.

Stewardship

Weekend of April 17, 2022—Easter Weekend

Stewardship:	\$ 13,060.00
Offertory:	\$ 3,755.19
Line of Credit:	\$ 430.00
Catholic Education	\$ 95.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 100.00
Total:	\$ 17,440.19

Thank you for your continued support of St. James!

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

REQUEST FROM CEMETERY CREW

Please remove any Christmas wreaths or décor at both St. James & Rosehill Cemeteries **before May 15th.** Any Christmas items left after that will need to be discarded.

We're Back! St James Annual Thrift Sale June 9th, 10th, and 11th, 2022

It seems hard to believe but it has been nearly three years since St James conducted their last, unbelievably popular Thrift Sale. As we have done in the past, we will be asking members and friends of the parish to help in this very important activity – many hands will make the work easy for all!

Please remember to set aside your unused and unwanted items for this sale. We need and will accept almost everything. However, there are a few exceptions:

NO computer equipment, TVs (except flat screen), or large appliances. No magazines, cassette tapes, encyclopedias, baby cribs, car seats or mattresses. No exercising equipment, or skis. No entertainment centers.

We welcome all **clean, useable** items including furniture – big and small, indoor and outdoor; lamps, pictures, sporting goods, housewares, bedding, linens, seasonal decorations, toys and tools. **Clean, gently used** clothing, jewelry, antiques, craft items, records, CDs, DVDs, etc. & books are also accepted. We will start collecting these items on **Wednesday, May 25th.**

This year, we also need help in several areas:

- 1) The following departments still need someone to step up and lead the effort: Indoor Furniture, Bakery Sale, Food, and Publicity;
- 2) Able-bodied people needed for pickup and delivery of heavier items during collection dates and sale itself. Anyone interested in helping out in any of these areas, please call either the church office or Gene Neyhart at 262-255-2164.

Deacon Sandy Sites will be leaving St. James as Parish Director as of June 20th.

A member of the archdiocese Priest Placement Board has met with the parish staff and leadership to discern the appointment of a new pastor/parish director, who will be assigned to St. James as of June 21st. We ask God's blessings for Deacon Sandy, our soon to be appointed pastor/parish director, and for the community of St. James during this time of transition.

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH

VBS (Vacation Bible School) Registration is OPEN!

Monumental VBS will take place August 1-5

Open to children entering 3K-5th grade in the fall of 2022. Kids will have an amazing week full of faith discoveries, memorable music, new games, awesome science experiments, fun crafts and epic adventures that help them encounter God's power and love.

Go to our website: stjames-parish.com to register now!

Volunteers, both youth (Gr. 6 and up) and adults are needed. Please go to the website to sign up now or call 251-0897 with questions.



SIGN UP Now FOR M25 (Matthew 25) 2022!

All current 5th-12th graders are encouraged to register! Join us on **Monday, June 20th-Friday, June 24th**. You get to sleep in your own bed each night but experience a work camp where you serve, pray and have a lot of fun with friends.

It runs from 8:00am-4:30pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday. On Wednesday we go from 12:00pm-8:30pm. Even if you can't attend everyday or need to be picked up early on occasion, we can still make it work. Bring friends from other churches or no church at all! All are welcome to attend too. Please call our Christian Formation Office at 251-0897 if you have any questions.



St. James Exchange

St. James Exchange was started many years ago to connect people in the congregation.
 ~ It is a resource to offer goods and services for free or in exchange for other goods or services within our community. Items may be offered for sale at the discretion of the editor.
 ~ It cannot be used by business establishments or individuals to solicit goods or services for profit.
 ~ St. James cannot be held responsible for transactions, goods or services exchanged. No items are to be left at St. James for drop off or pick up.

CHILDCARE NEEDED

... For an adorable 18 month old little boy, so the Grandparents who are raising him can have a little respite. At this time we are looking for childcare once a week at your home. We can be flexible and are willing to pay \$10-\$12 an hour. Contact Cathy at 262-271-7799.

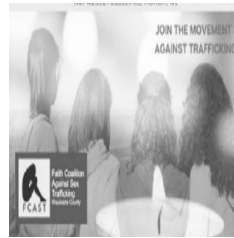
Deadline for May 15th is Tuesday, May 10th by 9 am
Call or email Diana
 (262) 253-2235
dwyszkowski@stjames-parish.com

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS



Gifts for the Journey soaps, bath bombs, lotions, and more, will be on sale in the gathering space the weekend of April 30th & May 1st. Give a beautiful gift to someone else or yourself, while supporting the fight against human trafficking. All products are made by, and proceeds support, the Franciscan Peacemakers' Clare Community.

Next Anti-Trafficking Meeting: **May 4th @ 6 p.m. at St. James**
 Next Sandwich making opportunity for Franciscan Peacemakers - **April 29th** (A sign up genius is available to access, if interested or if you have any questions regarding the anti-trafficking committee, please contact Deb Schneider at djschneider86@gmail.com)



PRAYER SERVICE
For Victims & Survivors of Trafficking and for the Support of Frontline Advocates

Wednesday, April 27 | 6:30 pm
St. Johns UCC in Merton
N67W28321 Sussex Road, Merton, WI

ST. JAMES COMMUNITY GARDENS

St. James annual plant sale will be on Saturday, May 14th, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and Sunday, 8:00 a.m. to noon. The sale will provide you with all the vegetables, herbs, and flowers you'll need this spring. New this year: hummingbird and butterfly native plants. Please come & shop! Questions: text or call (414) 587-1202 or email: pschneider@wi.rr.com. Thank you!



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 24 **Masses at 8:15 & 10:30**
 Pinewood Derby | 12 pm
 Boy Scouts | 6 pm

Monday, April 25

Tuesday, April 26 **Mass 8:30 am at Good Shepherd**
 Day of Adoration in Chapel 8:30-4 | Holy Hour 4-5 pm

Wednesday, April 27 **Mass at 8:00 am**
 Common Threads Quilting Guild | 9 am
 Staff Meeting | 9:30 am
 St. Vincent de Paul Meeting | 6:30 pm

Thursday, April 28
 Woodcarving 9 am | Set up for Youth Mission Day—9 am
 Community Banquet 5:30 pm
 Confirmation Rehearsal 7 pm

Friday, April 29 **Mass at 8:00 am**
 Men's Group 6 am
 S.O.A.L. Program 9 am | Set up for Youth Mission Day 9 am
 Confirmation Celebration 7 pm

Saturday, April 30 **Mass at 4:30 pm**
NO Adoration in the Chapel today
 Lector Prep | 8:00 am
 Youth Mission Day | 8 am—1:30 pm
 Individual Reconciliation 3:45-4:15
 1st Eucharist Celebration at 4:30 Mass

Sunday, April 24 **Masses 8:15 & 10:30 am**
 1st Eucharist Celebrations at both Masses
 Boy Scouts | 6 pm

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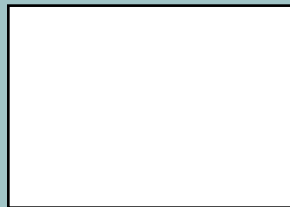
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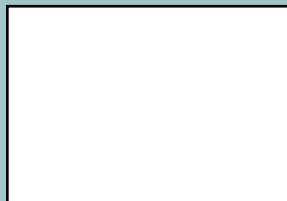
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