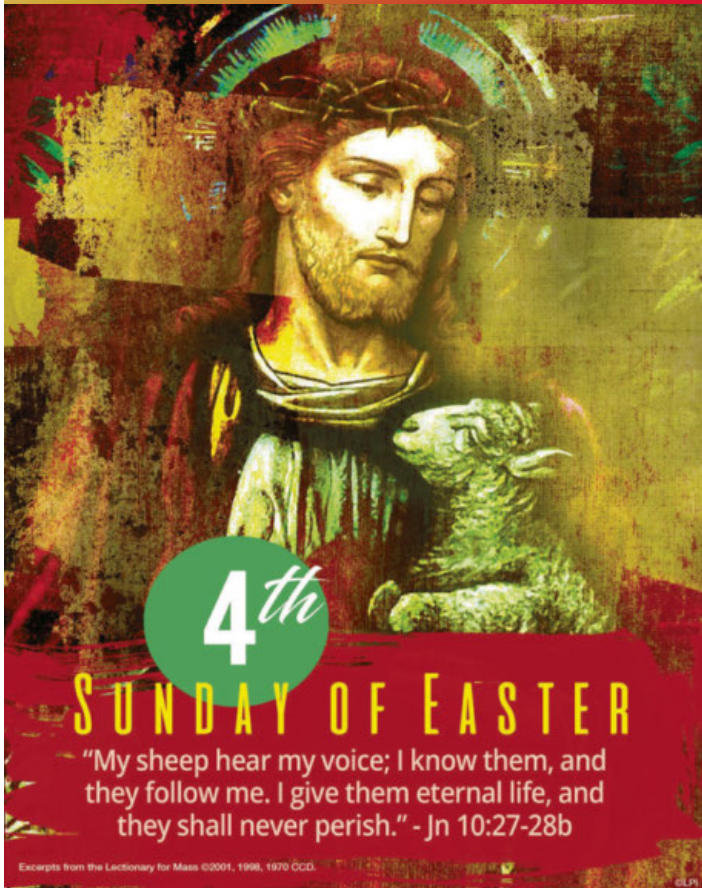


## MISSION STATEMENT

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

May 8, 2022

Fourth 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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Greetings one and all.

It is with a sense of great joy that I write to announce to you the next pastor for St. James Parish, Fr. John Hemsing. His appointment by the archbishop will be effective Tuesday June 21, 2022. The specifics of his schedule at the parish will be worked out over the coming weeks. Please join me in welcoming Fr. John!



Here is a bit of background on Fr. John: He earned his Master of Divinity from Saint Francis de Sales Seminary and a Doctorate of Ministry degree from Graduate Theological Foundation, South Bend, Ind. He was ordained to the priesthood May 20, 1988. He currently serves as rector of St. Francis De Sales Seminary in Milwaukee where he has served from October 1, 2011 until the present time. Prior to his current assignment,

he served as pastor of Lumen Christi Parish, Mequon, and was pastor at St. Clare Parish, Wind Lake, from 1996-2008. Fr. John's first appointment as an associate pastor was at St. Mary Parish, Waukesha, 1993-1996. He also served as a pastoral team member at Immaculate Conception Parish, Milwaukee, from 1988-1993. Fr. Hemsing has also served the archdiocese as a member of the Archdiocesan College of Consultors, since 2005, as well as a dean, District three, from 2002-2008.

This is an exciting time in St. James Parish history. Under Fr. John's spiritual and temporal care, and with the Grace of God and guidance of the Holy Spirit, this 174 year old parish has some great years ahead!

Easter blessings –  
**Deacon Sandy Sites – Parish Director**



We would like to express our sympathy to the families of **Patricia Dreckmann, Rose Meyers, and Richard Frantl**. May they find peace and happiness with our Lord Jesus in heaven.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK**

- Tuesday, May 10**  
8:30 am Mass at Good Shepherd
- Wednesday, May 11**  
8:00 am † Michael McConnell (Russ & Delores Naragon)
- Friday, May 13**  
8:00 am † Jack Klein (Emelie Klein)
- Saturday, May 14**  
4:30 pm † Norman Dreweck (Frank & Ellen Fura)
- Sunday, May 15**  
8:15 am † St. James Parishioners  
10:30 am † Richard & Ross Kurylo (Family)

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**Stewardship  
Weekend of May 1, 2022**

Stewardship:	\$ 6,547.00
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Total:	\$ 7,964.27

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

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

**NEXT WEEKEND!**

**ST. JAMES COMMUNITY GARDENS**



**Tomatoes are red  
Some peppers are too,  
There will soon be a garden sale,  
Coming near you!**

**(Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm  
Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 am until 1:00 pm)  
Please come and shop for plants.**

To view a listing of the plants that will be available go to: [www.sjcommunitygarden.org](http://www.sjcommunitygarden.org) Questions: text or call (414) 598-1202 or email: [pschneider@wi.rr.com](mailto:pschneider@wi.rr.com) Please support our community gardens and the CCOS food pantry.

**Volunteer Opportunity!**

St James Parish has always had an active Building & Grounds (B&G) Committee. Due to the Pandemic, the B&G Committee was unable to meet and address the physical needs of the parish property. As a result, we would like to reestablish the St. James B&G Committee and we are seeking 3-4 parishioners with experience and expertise in the building trades, maintenance management or project management to serve on our new Building & Grounds Committee.

The B&G Committee is a sub-committee of the Finance Council and reports directly to the Finance Council. The committee is involved in the physical conditions of the parish property and its maintenance. They will also provide guidance on property management and long-term planning initiatives.

If interested or for more information, please contact Jose Gonzalez at: [jlgonzo.712@gmail.com](mailto:jlgonzo.712@gmail.com).

We'd love to hear from you! Thank you for your prayerful consideration of this very important opportunity to serve St. James Parish.  
Jose Gonzalez  
Finance Council Chairperson  
Parish Trustee

**UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS**

**WELCOME ST. JAMES VETERANS**

A short Memorial Day Service will be held in our  
**ST. JAMES' CEMETERY**  
**Monday, May 30th at 9 am**

W220 N6588 Town Line Road  
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A remembrance for all veterans, both  
living and deceased.

*(In the event it rains we will move  
into the Historic Chapel.)*



*Swanee*

**We're Back! St James Annual Thrift Sale**  
**June 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, and 11<sup>th</sup>, 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 at 262-251-3944, or Gene Neyhart at 262-255-2164.

**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](http://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.

**GAY & STRAIGHT IN CHRIST**

Will meet on the 3rd Sunday, **May 15th at 7 pm** in the Mary Magdala Chapel of **Good Shepherd Church**, Menomonee Falls. Please join us! Reach us at **[gasic.goodshepstjames@gmail.com](mailto:gasic.goodshepstjames@gmail.com)**

**Bereavement Ministry Outreach**

St. James Parish family has organized a Bereavement Companions Ministry outreach to our members who have lost a loved one. The ministers are available to walk with you through the days and weeks ahead.

Several weeks after the funeral we will reach out to family members in several ways. Our ministers will be available for a phone call or home visit. We will also send a series of small booklets on grief throughout the year.

If there are family members that you think would benefit from a contact, please let us know. We have resources for children and teens as well. Our intent is to listen, offer support and encouragement. If a parishioner suffers a loss in another parish or out of town, we would be willing to offer support to that person as well.

We are in need of more volunteers. If you would like to join this ministry, please contact the parish office for more information at 262-251-3944.



**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.

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

- |  |                                      |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| <b>Sunday, May 8</b>   | <b>Masses at 8:15 &amp; 10:30</b>    |
| 1st Eucharist Celebrations at both Masses                    |                                      |
| Boy Scouts   6 pm  |                                      |
| <b>Monday, May 9</b>   |                                      |
| Funeral visitation at 11:00 followed by Mass at Noon         |                                      |
| <b>Tuesday, May 10</b>                                       | <b>Mass 8:30 am at Good Shepherd</b> |
| Day of Adoration in Chapel 8:30-4   Holy Hour 4-5 pm         |                                      |
| Catechist Recognition 5 pm                                   |                                      |
| <b>Wednesday, May 11</b>                                     | <b>Mass at 8:00 am</b>               |
| Strong Bodies   9 am   |                                      |
| Staff Meeting   9:30 am                                      |                                      |
| <b>Parish Office Closed from 9:30 am—2 pm</b>                |                                      |
| Scout Parent Committee Mtg & Baptismal Prep Class   6 pm     |                                      |
| St. Vincent de Paul Mtg & Music Ministry Rehearsal   6:30 pm |                                      |
| Parish Council Meeting   7 pm                                |                                      |
| <b>Thursday, May 12</b>                                      |                                      |
| Woodcarving 9 am   |                                      |
| Community Banquet   5:30 pm                                  |                                      |
| <b>Friday, May 13</b>  | <b>Mass at 8:00 am</b>               |
| Men's Group 6 am   |                                      |
| Strong Bodies   9 am   |                                      |
| <b>Saturday, May 14</b>                                      | <b>Mass at 4:30 pm</b>               |
| Adoration in the Chapel today   7 am                         |                                      |
| <b>Community Garden Plant Sale   9 am—1 pm</b>               |                                      |
| Individual Reconciliation 3:45-4:15                          |                                      |
| <b>Sunday, May 15</b>  | <b>Masses 8:15 &amp; 10:30 am</b>    |
| <b>Community Garden Plant Sale   8 am—1 pm</b>               |                                      |
| Boy Scouts   6 pm  |                                      |

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