

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 15, 2022
Fifth Sunday of Easter



5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another." - Jn 13:34

Excerpt from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD

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



Saint James

W220 N6588 Town Line Road,
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Web-site: stjames-parish.com

Parish Staff Directory

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Enter NW side door of Church

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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 9 & Noon

Interfaith 549-3348

St. Vincent de Paul 251-3944



We would like to express our sympathy to the family of **Ruth Polyak & Sophie Kokta**. May they find peace and happiness with our Lord Jesus in heaven.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Tuesday, May 17

8:30 am Mass at Good Shepherd

Wednesday, May 18

8:00 am † Jim Cook (Cathy Roskopf)

Friday, May 20

8:00 am † Mary McCluskey (Kim)

Saturday, May 21

4:30 pm † Robert & Lorraine Orgas (Family)
 † Harold & Lorraine Schroeder (Family)
 † Ray Schoedl (Family)

Sunday, May 22

8:15 am † Stanley Zagorski (Family)
 † Adelaide Vos & Ann Behen (John & Louise)
 10:30 am † Jerry Callen (Mary Ann Callen)

Stewardship

Weekend of May 15, 2022

Stewardship:	\$ 9,630.00
Offertory:	\$ 1,334.50
Line of Credit:	\$ 475.00
Prior Year	\$ 75.00
Garden	\$ 10.00
<u>Catholic Education</u>	<u>\$ 55.00</u>
Total:	\$ 11,579.50

Thank you for your continued support of St. James!

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

Pope Francis Wants Your Opinion!

All Catholics are being asked to participate in a Synod on Synodality to offer feedback to Pope Francis, the USCCB, and our archdiocese, offering their opinion on the state our Church. To participate, visit the parish website or Facebook page for details. For those not online, blank survey forms are available in the Gathering Area. We will offer survey support for those who need it after all Masses on March 14th and 15th with computers setup in the Great Room.

TODAY!

ST. JAMES COMMUNITY GARDENS



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

**Sunday, May 15th from 8:00 am until Noon!
 Please come and shop for plants.**

Please support our community gardens and the CCOS food pantry.

<https://bible.usccb.org>

Provides Daily Readings, Reflections & Podcasts that you can access online.

Volunteer Opportunities!

CONSIDER BEING A PART OF BUILDING & GROUNDS

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.

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

**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 at 262-251-3944, or Gene Neyhart at 262-255-2164.

WAYS TO SERVE

ST. BEN'S MEAL PROGRAM

Consider donating food to the St. Ben's Community Meal this coming **Wednesday, May 18th**. We need parishioners to bring salads, fruits & vegetables of any kind, & meat or seafood casseroles/pastas. 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 262-227-9862. We suggest using throw away dishes.

YES I CAN DO THAT!

Our St. James Parish Family is looking for an **EXPERIENCED, TECH SAVVY** individual to help run the livestream of our weekend Eucharist. We have all of the equipment – just need the talent!



Are you out there? Just call the Parish Office at 251-3944.

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 pm-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 AND GOOD SHEPHERD ANTI-TRAFFICKING COMMITTEE

TIPS ON HOW TO TALK TO YOUR KIDS ABOUT ONLINE INTERACTIONS

Let's face it, there are some conversations that are just going to be uncomfortable to have with your child. When you open the door to talk with your child or teen about online interactions, start with, "I remember being a kid. But I've never been a parent of a kid your age before. So please recognize that I just want to keep you safe in every way possible. That's why I wanted to talk about-----for a minute. Are you ok with that?"

Use everyday experiences as prompts for conversations. Let's say your child tells you about a decision another kid made online that got him into trouble. You can respond with "Remember when we talked about choosing how we react to situations?" This is a good example of how you can decide what **you'll** do when that kind of thing happens to you. What do you think he or she could have done to make this turn out better?" *From Shared Hope International / sharedhope.org* If you need more help with your child/teen about this topic, want to be on the committee, or learn more in general, please reach out to our committee by emailing, Deb Schneider: djschneider86@gmail.com

Date for next Sandwich making: May 27th, 2022 - Contact Deb to learn more. The sandwich sign up is done through a sign-up genius link sent to your email and donated to Franciscan Peacemakers Street Ministry. A collection date to deliver your donation is scheduled (usually a drop-off at St. James or Good Shepherd) and someone from the committee delivers to Franciscan Peacemakers.

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, Menomonee Falls
A remembrance for all veterans, both living and deceased.
(In the event it rains we will move into the Historic Chapel.)
Swanee



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.

HELP NEEDED

... to turn over garden, help plant flower bed and with weeding. Located in Sussex 5 minutes from St. James. Pay is negotiable. Please call Dee at 246-7190.

FOR SALE

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Deadline for May 29th is Tuesday, May 23rd by 9 am
Call or email Diana
(262) 253-2235
dwyszkowski@stjames-parish.com

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- Sunday, May 15** **Masses at 8:15 & 10:30**
Community Garden Plant Sale 8-Noon
Boy Scouts | 6 pm
- Monday, May 16**
Red Hat Club | 11:30 am
Funeral visitation at 3:30 followed by Mass at 5:30
- Tuesday, May 17** **Mass 8:30 am at Good Shepherd**
Day of Adoration in Chapel 8:30-4 | Holy Hour 4-5 pm
- Wednesday, May 18** **Mass at 8:00 am**
St. Ben's (Drop off items) Driver leaves at 3:45 pm
Strong Bodies | 9 am
Staff Meeting | 9:30 am
Music Ministry Rehearsal | 6:30 pm
- Thursday, May 19**
Woodcarving 9 am
Bereavement Companion Ministers Mtg | 1 pm
Pack 175 Crossover | 6 pm
- Friday, May 20** **Mass at 8:00 am**
Men's Group 6 am
Strong Bodies | 9 am
- Saturday, May 21** **Mass at 4:30 pm**
Adoration in the Chapel today | 7 am
Individual Reconciliation 3:45-4:15
Baptisms
- Sunday, May 22** **Masses 8:15 & 10:30 am**
Baptisms
Boy Scouts | 6 pm

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