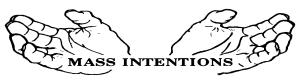


# St. James & St. Mary Mt. Carmel





8:15 am Daily Mass Schedule
Tuesday Oct 30<sup>th</sup> 8:15 AM at SJ
(William Dombrowski)
Wednesday Oct 31<sup>st</sup> 8:15 AM at SM

(Herman & Bernadette Przekurat and deceased family member) Thursday Nov 1<sup>st</sup> 8:15 AM at SM (Deceased family of Iwanski family) Thursday Nov 1<sup>st</sup> 7:00 PM at SJ Special Intention of Fr. Hackel

Special Intention of Fr. Hackel Friday Nov 2<sup>nd</sup> 8:15 AM at SJ (Deceased members of the Przekurat Family)

Weekend Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>
Saturday Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> 5:00 PM at SM
(Julius & Regina Rzentkowski)
Sunday Nov 4<sup>th</sup> 8:30 AM at SJ
(Evelyn Pionkowski)
Sunday Nov 4<sup>th</sup> 10:30 AM at SM
Parishioners of our two parishes

Rules & Information for the SMMC cemetery are available at all cemetery entrances in the brochure box attached to the sign.

## Fr. Daniel Hackel, Pastor

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## Confession Schedule

St. James Saturday 9:00 am

St. Mary Saturday 4:00 pm-4:45 pm

Any time by appointment

#### **Eucharistic Adoration:**

St. James, after Mass on first Fridays of the month.
St Peter, Stevens Point every Wed Starting at 8:00 AM to 8:00 AM Thurs

### **Pastoral Council**

Borski, Cindi SM
Griggs, Lauren SJ
Juris, Michael SJ
Kwiatkowski, Randy SJ
Lea, Shawn SM
Lorsung, Pat SJ
Piesik, Steve SM
Prater, Jacob SJ
Shulfer, Michelle SJ
Spierings, Don SJ
Zinda, Judy SM

#### **Finance Council**

Patoka, Gilbert SM Stratton, Sharon SJ Stuczynski, Dave SM Trzebiatowski, Sandy SJ

October 28, 2018
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## **A Prayer for Priests**

"The priesthood is the love of the heart of Jesus." - St. Jean Vianney

Jesus Christ, Great High Priest,

You are able to sympathize with our human weakness.

Strengthen your priests for the work of ministry. You healed, proclaimed, and taught.

Renew your priests in their concern for the poor, zeal for the Gospel, and personal witness to virtue.

You instituted the sacraments as signs of heavenly grace.

Make holy your priests for this sacred service. You bore our sufferings and sins upon yourself. May your priests remain close to the brokenhearted.

Jesus Christ, Great High Priest, bring your priests ever closer to your Sacred Heart.

Amen.

## All Saints Day

**Holy day of Obligation)** 

Nov 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday 8:15 AM at St Mary Nov 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday 7:00 PM at St James

Thanksgiving Day

Nov 22<sup>nd</sup> Thursday 9:00 AM at St James

Offices will be closed Nov 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>



## **SJ Contributions**

Total Contributions October 21, 2018 \$1,080.04 Total \$815.00 Envelopes \$145.04 Offertory

We Share On-Line Contributions \$120.00

## **SMMC Contributions**

Total Contributions October 21, 2018 \$2,696.00 Total \$2,265.00 Envelopes \$391.00 Offertory

We Share On-Line Contributions \$40.00

## St. James and St. Mary Cemeteries:

In consultation of the Finance Councils of both parishes the cost of cemetery plots for St. James and St. Mary parishioners will increase to \$500 on Jan 1, 2019.

## SCRIP NEWS

## SJ SCRIP Update:

Total Sales: \$2,220; Total parish earned: \$109.05 Local sales: \$75 With the cold weather upon us, now is a good time to refill LP tanks. Support your parish by using gift cards on a purchase you would have made anyway. Every little bit helps your parish.

## **ISMMC SCRIP Update:**

Last weekend we sold \$6,075 in gift cards and made \$244 for our Parish. Thank I you to everyone who participated! Our next sale will be on November 3rd & 4th.

# Parish News...

At masses this weekend you heard about the mission of the Social Concerns Committee for St. Mary's & St. James to meet various needs of members of our community. We hope you considered how you can help with our local outreach project by completing and submitting the form found in the church pews. We will be following up soon with a phone call to connect you with persons in need. Together we can make a difference for our community as we are called to be GENEROUS Dynamic Catholics. "Grant me the courage to get involved in our parishes so I feel a greater sense of community". If you attended mass elsewhere this weekend, please contact Cindi to learn more this project: 715-570-0755.

#### **Dynamic Catholic - Find Your Greatness!**

A heartfelt thank you to all of the committee members who worked to promote and organize the *Find Your Greatness* event. Thank you to everyone who volunteered to work and /or brought in baked goods, snacks, or beverages. The Dynamic Catholic team commented on how they could feel the genuine warmth and hospitality of our parishes. We certainly are a community journeying together into a deeper relationship with Christ. What a pleasure to work with so many wonderful

<u>Find Your Greatness</u> Over 220 people listened to Dynamic Catholic speaker Dominick Albano and musician Paul Vogrinc last Sunday at St. Mary's. Dominick talked about the four habits of those who have a deep relationship with Christ.

- #1 A dedicated time, place, and routine for daily prayer. These individuals see prayer as essential to their well-being, as an obligation and as a gift from God. This habit creates a space for silence which is necessary to hear God's voice.
- #2 **Study**. In order to cultivate a deeper relationship with Christ we have to read good Catholic materials/books and watch quality programming, etc. to conform to the messages of God, not the messages of the world.
- #3 **Generosity**. Those who are grateful have a tendency to be generous of their time, talents, and treasure. Take a moment to list 3 ministries or charities you are most passionate about and set a specific achievable goal to become more generous. For example, increase your charitable giving by 1% this next year, get involved in one parish ministry/activity, or introduce yourself & learn the name of one person you don't know at Mass.
- #4 **Evangelization**. Become aware of those who are hurting in your family or community and say to them, "How can I help?" This simple act is evangelization in action. You can make a difference in someone's life!

The Blue Army will meet at St. Mary's to recite the rosary on Fri, Oct 19 at 6:00 pm and also on Tues, Oct 30 at 6:00 pm. Everyone is welcome. Questions, contact Judy Kizewski at 715-592-4410.

**SMMC & SJ** are looking for money counters to help for about an hour or so on Tuesday mornings. Counters are placed in groups of three & are scheduled to count every fifth week. If interested in joining the teams, please call Barb at 715-824-3649 or Yvette at 715-824-3455. Thank you to all who have helped in the past & to those who continue to help. May God bless you for faithfully giving of your time.

**NEEDED:** Parishioners to help out at SMMC Let's keep the ministries for Greeter's, Monthly Socials & Rosary before Mass active in our parish. We welcome individuals or families to take part in these ministries. Check out our sign-up board in the back of Church. If you have questions, please call Julie at 715-340-0004 for Ministers of Hospitality (Greeters) Barb at 715-824-3649 for the Monthly Social or leading the Rosary before Mass.

<u>All parish women</u> are invited to attend the fall SMMC Parish of Catholic Women meeting after the 8:15am mass on November 8th. Our meeting will be held in the St Joseph's room. Breakfast will be served.

#### **Healing Mass November 10th at 10:00 AM at St James:**

A Catholic healing Mass is a special celebration of the Mass that aims at helping people fine healing in whatever areas they may require it. Although according to the Catholic Church the Mass itself has certain healing properties, a healing Mass focuses participants on the specific them of healing.

<u>Grief Share support group</u> will meet on Tuesdays from 6:30-8:00 pm at the Jensen Center. This is a 12 week non-denominational program. If you or someone you know is struggling by the death of a loved one, consider attending. If you have questions, call Shawn Lea @ 715-570-5082 or Cindi Borski @ 715-570-0755. God Bless!

**ST. JAMES PCCW** will met on Mon, **Nov 12**th at 7pm. Rosary at 6:45 pm. All ladies are invited to attend. The Craft Bake sale in December will not be held unless some Women come forward and volunteer to handle the event. Holiday Basket and plans for 2019 will also be discussed. Come join us and let your voice be heard. Any Questions Call Karen Jastromski 715-824-2475.

# Diocesan News...

Women of all ages Welcome to the Women's Advent Retreat Dec. 6-9, 2018 Jesuit Retreat House....Oshkosh Welcome to a weekend of peace, prayer, rest, and a time for heartfelt communication with God. Sr. Susan Kusz, SND, Associate Director of Jesuit Retreat House, as retreat Director for the weekend, will help us to find the Spiritual gifts of this season, and their meaning for us in the coming year. Consider giving yourself a spiritual Christmas gift, one that can strengthen us for whatever God brings us in the New Year. Call Jesuit Retreat House 920-231-9060 or toll-free 1-800-962-7330 or e-mail office@jesuitretreathouse.org Coordinators: Marcie - 920-923-2446 Jane - 414-288-6851 Web: www.jesuitretreathouse.org

## **CCD Schedule:**

Grades 1-5 for both St. James and St. Mary students: 3:30 p.m. -5:00 p.m. at St. James

Grades 6 - 11 for both St. James and St. Mary students: 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at St. James

## A Little Something For the Parishioners:

Are you interested in passing on our Catholic Devotionals and/or sharing your faith experiences to our youth? Examples include: Adoration, Benediction, Divine Mercy Chaplet, All Souls Day, Stations of the Cross, Triduum, etc. Please consider instructing our middle school students from 7:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday evenings at St. James. You may come forward as an individual parishioner or as a team of parishioners who would like to present a given devotion and give witness to your faith life.

Dates: Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>, Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>, Nov. 28<sup>th</sup>, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup>, Jan. 9<sup>th</sup>, Jan. 16<sup>th</sup>, Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>, Jan. 30<sup>th</sup>, Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>, Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>, Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>, Feb. 27<sup>th</sup>, Mar. 13<sup>th</sup>, Apr. 3<sup>rd</sup>, Apr. 10<sup>th</sup>.

If you are interested or have questions, please contact Ann Hemmy (715) 316-7056.

Please know all are welcome to attend that have a desire to learn more and practice these beautiful devotions.

#### Confirmation

Please keep our Confirmation students from St. James and St. Mary of Mount Carmel as they enter into their final weeks preparing for the sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation is at St. Bronislava on Sunday, November 4, 2018 at 1:00 p.m.

#### **Fall Youth Rally**

The Fall Youth Rally for the Stevens Point Deanery will take place on November  $7^{th}$  at St. Bronislava, Plover. The keynote speaker is Matt Fradd. St. James and St. Mary CCD students in grades 6-10 will be attending. The bus will load 5:30 p.m. at St. James parking lot. Permission slips have been sent home with each student.

## **Grade 9 Student/Parent/Sponsor Dinner**

The parents and sponsors of St. James and St. Mary CCD students that have begun the Confirmation program have been invited to attend a dinner and information session on Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> 6:30 p.m. St. James gathering space.

Adult Faith Formation...

More details to follow.....



St Point Deanery Open Assembly at St Michael Parish in Junction City. All women from our two parishes are invited to attend. Registration starts at 6:00pm with meeting and refreshments to follow. And questions please call Karen Jastromski (St James PCCW President) at 715-824-2475, or Dorothy Shaver (St Mary of Mt Carmel PCCW President) at 715-445-4623. St Mary's ladies will meet at church by 5:30pm that evening to car pool to Junction City.

Trunk or Treat Wed, Oct 31<sup>st</sup> from 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. for our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Trunk or Treat at the St. Ladislaus Church parking lot. In the event of inclement weather, it will be held in the church basement. What is Trunk or Treat? It is a central location where children come, wearing costumes and go trick-or-treating from vehicle to vehicle. Businesses/parishioners/non-parishioners bring a car/truck/van, decorate the inside. of the truck and pass out candy from the truck of the vehicle in a well-lite parking lot. To those of you who intrested in sponsoring a trunk, please contact the St. Ladislaus Rectory at 715-446-3060.

<u>St. Francis Xavier Knowlton</u> will have our annual Rib & Sauerkraut Dinner on Sun, **Nov 4th** from 10:00am till 1:00pm.

ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST THE CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS OF ST PHILIP CATHOLIC CHURCH Court #475 Wagner Hall, Rudolph Sun, Nov 4th, 8:00am-12:00pm. All proceeds and matching funds will go to the parking lot fund.

Mark your calendars for another amazing Youth Rally sponsored by your Deanery! Fradd will be coming for two dates this fall. Wednesday, Nov 7<sup>th</sup> he will be at Saint Bronislava 's for the Youth Rally and the following night Thurs, Nov 8<sup>th</sup> he will also be at Saint Bronislava 's, but this time a special event for Adults – Parenting the Internet Generation. There is no cost for the parent night, we are asking for a \$2 per person donation for the Youth Rally. Register groups of 10 or more through Julie Studinski at Saint Bronislava's.

St.Casimir's Annual Potato & Buttermilk Pancake
Breakfast Sunday, Nov 11, 2018, serving from 8:30
a.m - Noon. Adults \$7.50, 6-12 years \$3.00 Pre-School Free.

<u>St Mary's Annual Holiday Fair</u> Sun Nov 11th 9-2. 209 S 2nd Street, Colby.