# St. James Cooperstown

# St. Joseph



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## Mass Times



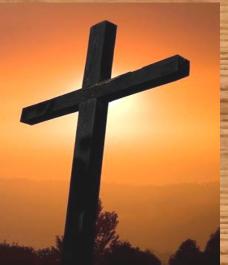
## Mass Intentions

4:00 pm Mar. 9 St. Joseph Church + Jack Ebert and all Ebert Deceased Mar. 9 St. James Church + Carol Kittell Sat. 7:30pm Sun. Mar. 10 8:00 am St. James Church + Susan Mary Dewane Sun. Mar. 10 10:00 am St. Joseph Church + Living & Deceased of the Peterson Family Tue. Mar. 12 8:00 am St. James Church + Eugene & Elaine Ramesh Tue Mar. 12 St. Joseph Church Adoration Ipm-6pm Wed, Mar. 13 8:15 am St. Joseph Church + Joyce Fogeltanz Sat. Mar. 16 4:00 pm St. Joseph Church + Schleis, Dirkman, Sleger & Sauer Families

Sat. Mar. 16 St. James Church + Mike Haske 7:30 pm

Sun. Mar. 17 8:00 am St. James Church + Janice, Gilbert & Debbie Zima Sun. Mar. 17 10:00 am St. Joseph Church + Floyd, Geraldine, Dan & Dave Thelen

And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever BELIEVES in Him should not perish but have eternal life. John 3:14



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## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Fourth Sunday of Lent In the Gospel of John 3:14-21, we are presented with the truths about God's love, salvation, and the light that came into the world through Jesus Christ. This passage, offers a compelling reflection for Lent, particularly as we seek to deepen our appreciation for the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist.

Jesus' words to Nicodemus under the cover of night reveal the heart of the Gospel: "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life." This declaration is not just a testament to God's love

but also a profound insight into the mystery of the Eucharist. In the Eucharist, this incredible gift of love is made present to us, offering us a share in eternal life through the real presence of Jesus.

As we reflect on Jesus being lifted up, both on the cross and in the glory of the Resurrection, we are invited to see the Eucharist as the living memorial of this saving mystery. Jesus, truly present in the Eucharist, invites us into an intimate encounter with Him. This Lent, let us approach the Eucharist with renewed faith and awe, recognizing it as the supreme gift of God's love, where heaven touches earth and where we are united with Christ and each other.

John 3:14-21 challenges us to come into the light, to live by truth, and to participate fully in the life that lesus offers. The

life of darkness, offer

Eucharist calls us out of darkness, offering us the light of Christ Himself. As we receive Him, let us be transformed, becoming bearers of this light in a world that often dwells in shadows.

May this Lent be a time when our faith in the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist deepens. Let us acknowledge this profound mystery with hearts full of gratitude, allowing it to draw us closer to the heart of Christ and motivate us to live as children of light.

## GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP Sun. March 10 Noon to 2pm

This Sunday the Grief Group will meet at St. James Parish Hall. Tom Bekkers will facilitate the session titled: "Continuing to Care for Yourself While Grieving the Loss of a Loved One." Sessions are held in person and through Zoom. For information contact Tom at (920) 660-8066.

## **LENTEN LUNCH**

Held on Wed. March 13, starting at noon at Our Savior's Lutheran Church. All are invited. Free will offering will be taken.

#### DENMARK KC'S BOOYAH SALE

Sunday March 17 after mass. Proceeds will help seminarians from the GB Diocese.

## ST. JAMES SPRING BAKE SALE

Sunday March 17– Bake sale will be held after the 8am Mass in the church hall.

#### **DONNA CORI GIBSON CONCERT**

Sunday March 17-3pm Catholic recording artist sings spiritually uplifting music, scripture, stories and prayer. Free admission. Holy Cross Catholic Church, Mishicot

## DRIVE -THRU HAM DINNER

March 24 Served 10:30am-2 or until gone St. Mary's Clarks Mills \$12.00

## ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Preview Day - Thur. April 3, 2024 RSVP by **March 20** at (920)863-2449 or email: asedn\_office@allsainsschool.net

**GB** Diocesan Council of Catholic Women Saturday April 20 8am-2:30pm Held at Immaculate Conception (St. Mary's) in Luxemburg. Registrations due April 10th.



## **EASTER FLOWERS**

Both St. James and St. Joseph Parishes are now taking donations for Easter Flowers and decorations. If you would like to

have a flower donated in someone's memory, please put your donation in an envelope and clearly mark who you want the donation in memory of. Drop the donation off in our collection baskets during any mass or mail to your parish office. Please have all donations in by Friday March 22.

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS & CONFESSION TIMES

## St. James

Stations are held during Lent on Sundays at 7:25am before the 8am Mass. Confessions held Saturdays: 6-7pm & Sundays: 7-7:30am.

#### St. Joseph

Stations and Confessions are held every Sunday during Lent after the 10am Mass.

## HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SCHEDULE

## March 28 Holy Thursday

5:00pm Mass at St. Joseph's 7:30pm Mass at St. James

## March 29 Good Friday

3:00pm Service at St. Joseph's 6:00pm Service at St. James

## March 30 Holy Saturday

8:00pm Mass at St. James 8:00pm Mass at St. Joseph's

## March 31 Easter Sunday

8:00am Mass at St. James 10:00am Mass at St. Joseph's

## **READINGS - MAR. 17, 2024**

Jeremiah 31:31-34 (35B) Hebrews 5:7-9 John 12:20-33

## WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP ENDING FEB. 25, 2024

## St. James Parish

Sacrificial Giving \$2,155.50
Online Giving \$30.00
Loose \$316.00
Bishops Appeal \$12,230.00
Bishops Appeal Goal \$35,090.00

## St. Joseph Parish

Sacrificial Giving \$627.00 Loose \$263.00 Bishops Appeal \$4,215.00 Bishops Appeal Goal \$14,473.00

## **WORLDS POOR Collection**

March 9 & 10

"Whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me" ~Matthew 25:40

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stjamesandstjoseph.org

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## St. James Church

## **FAITH FORMATION** Wednesday, March 13 Grades I-6 from 6pm-7:15pm

Grades 7-10 from 7:30pm-8:45pm

## **First Communion Retreat**

Saturday March 16 - 8am-11:30am (for 2nd grade students and parents.

## Confirmation Mass & Agape Meal

Sunday March 17 - 4pm. (for confirmand's and parents)

## **All Faith Formation Families**

Wednesday March 20 - 6:30pm Mass of Thanksgiving at St. Joseph's

#### **CHURCHTIME**

Meets every Sunday in March during the 8:00am Mass.

#### WALK FOR LIFE

Join us at the Oneida St. location on Fridays from 4-5pm. You can also walk and pray at any time that is convenient for you. For information call Traci (920)418-1933.

#### DINNER AND DANCE

Thank you once again to all of the donors, and the adult and youth volunteers who helped make our 4th annual Dinner and Dance a success. Thank you also to all of our parishioners and guests who attended the event. It was a wonderful evening!

#### WEBSITE UPDATES

Check out our parish website for news that doesn't always get in the bulletin or on our Facebook page. You will find some new photos that were recently added of people having a good time at the Dinner and Dance that was held Feb. 24. If you did not receive a copy of our recent newsletter, "Under the Steeple" you can also find that on our website: ww.stjamesandstjoseph.org.

## THROUGH THE WATERS OF **BAPTISM PLEASE WELCOME**

## **Everett Phillip Bradley**

Son of Phillip & Kailey Bradley Saturday March 9, 2024

## **DELICIOUS BAKERY!**

Next Sunday March 17th is our Spring Bake Sale. The sale will be held after the 8am Mass in the church

hall. If you have bakery to donate, please package on plates of 6 or 12. A table will be set up by the southwest church basement door to drop off your donated bakery before Mass.

#### **ANNIVERSARY PRAYER BOOKLET**

"Voices of Faith: A Collection of Prayers from St. James Parish Community" All parishioners will be asked to contribute to a collection of prayers for a booklet that will be printed for the parish's 175th anniversary. The booklet is intended to be a keepsake that will be treasured and passed down to future generations. Start thinking now about what your prayer will be about. Information about types of prayers and how to write one will be forthcoming.

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## ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

## **FAITH FORMATION**

Wed. March 13

End of Year Pizza Party 6:30pm Sat. March 16

1st Communion Retreat 8am-11:30am

## **CHURCH TIME** March 10, 17 & 24

Held during the 10:00am Mass

## MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

Sat & Sun March 9 & 10

#### **ADORATION**

Tuesday March 12 1-6pm

## FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday March 12 - 6:30pm

## PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Thursday March 14 - 6pm

## **CLEANING TEAMS**

Team Stadler March 16

## **SENIOR BINGO**

Tue. March 12 - 9am. Whitelaw Hall

## St. Joseph's Day Celebration

Please join us Sunday March 17 as we worship and celebrate our patron saint at the 10am Mass. Our celebration will include special prayers, music and an offering of gifts for the Haven of Manitowoc County. Refreshments and fellowship will be held in the parish hall after Mass.

## **PALM SUNDAY PROCESSION**

We invite all children of the parish (18 and under) to join us in our Palm Sunday Procession at the 10am Mass on Sunday March 24. Parents are welcome to join with their little ones. Please meet in the back of the church before Mass

begins to receive your Palm and be a part of the opening procession as we walk around church and sing Hosanna to the king of David.

#### **SANCTUARY LIGHT & HOSTS & WINE**

Week of March 10, 2024 Schleis, Dirkman, Sleger & Sauer Families

## **LENTEN FISH FRY** Friday March 22, 2024

4:00pm-8:00pm

Cod, Pike or Smelt (hand breaded) or Baked Cod & Grilled Cheese option Dine-In or Carry Out (920)732-3770 Phone orders start at 4pm.

**Bucket Raffle.** 50/50 Raffle & Refreshments

Help us make it a success.

- 1)Tell your family and friends and take a poster from the back of church to help us advertise.
- 2) Donations of ingredients are needed. Please see sign-up sheets in back of church. Monetary donations are needed to help offset cost. Please send them directly to the office or place in drop box in back of church.
- 3) Bucket raffle items can be taken to the parish hall. Be sure to attach your name so we know who donated it.

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