

St. James the Less Catholic Church

1032 Caledonia Street, La Crosse, WI 54603

Weekend Masses

Saturday, 4:30 p.m.; Sunday, 7:30 & 10:00 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday, 3:30 p.m.; Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

Pastor

Rev. Roger J. Scheckel 782-7557

Associate Pastor

Rev. Anandan Rajendran (Fr. Rajen) 782-7557

Parish Staff

Secretary - Lynne Ostervich 782-7557

Parish Fax Number 796-0086

Coord. of Religious Ed. - Donna Walz 782-1022

Parish Custodian - John Koelbl 782-7557

Senior Choir Director - Benedict Nguyen 779-5702

Parish Music Director - Dawn Pierce 787-5575

Consultative Bodies

Pastoral Council - Chair - Vacant

Sacred Worship Comm. - Chair - Dawn Pierce 787-5575

Family Life Comm. - Chair - Milt Tyler 784-3576

Education Comm. - Vacant

Representative to Coulee Catholic Schools -
Margaret Flottmeyer 781-1779

Representative to Aquinas PTO - Kathy Banasik 781-7799

Social Justice Comm. - Chair - Al Mathews 782-0589

Finance Council - Chair - Elaine Bonsack 783-1791

Buildings and Grounds - Vacant

Parish Organizations

Parish Council of Catholic Women (PCCW) -
President - Jane Schwabenbauer 783-1986

Holy Name Society - President - Vacant

Weekday Masses

During the School Year

Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m.; Saturday, 7:30 a.m.

During the Summer Months

Monday - Saturday, 7:30 a.m.

Baptisms

Call the rectory for an appointment.

Marriages

Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding. Call for an appointment.

Parish Library Hours

Tuesday - Friday, regular rectory business hours

Parish Website

www.saintjameschurch.net

July 30 - August 5, 2007

Weekly Schedule

Mon. July 30

7:30 a.m. - Mass for Kathleen Coady

8:00 a.m. - Public recitation of the rosary

Tues. July 31

7:30 a.m. - Mass for James Sullivan

8:00 a.m. - Public recitation of the rosary

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

Wed. August 1

7:30 a.m. - Mass for Mary Rigdon

8:00 a.m. - Public recitation of the rosary

Thurs. August 2

7:30 a.m. - Mass for Special Intention of the
Brennan Family

8:00 a.m. - Public recitation of the rosary

10:00 a.m. - Finance Council

Fri. August 3 - First Friday

7:30 a.m. - Mass for Dick and Karen Wing

8:00 a.m. - All Night Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament

8:00 a.m. - Public recitation of the rosary

Sat. August 4 - First Saturday - St. John Vianney

Please Note Mass Time Change

6:30 a.m. - Benediction

6:45 a.m. - Mass for Bernard Shuda

Celebrant: Archbishop Raymond L. Burke

8:00 a.m. - Public recitation of the rosary

1:30 p.m. - Faeth/Ward Nuptials

3:30 p.m. - Confessions

4:30 p.m. - Vigil Mass for Ardelle Pavela

Sun. August 5 - Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. - Mass for Living & Deceased Members of the
Pavela Family

9:00 a.m. - Confessions

10:00 a.m. - Mass for St. James Parishioners

Fr. Scheckel returns from Marian Catechist Retreat

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULES

READERS - COMMENTATORS SERVERS - USHERS

Saturday, August 4 - 4:30 p.m.

READER: P. Harnisch-Smith
COMMENTATOR: J. Schwabenbauer
MINISTERS: T. Duffrin/C. Patterson
USHERS: R. Bjorkman/K. Boswell
SERVERS: Matt Bornheimer

Sunday, August 5 - 7:30 a.m.

READER: B. Sullivan/D. Pavela
COMMENTATOR: E. Addis
MINISTERS: J. Nelson
USHERS: R. Allen/J. Flottmeyer
M. Tyler/J. Fuchsel
SERVERS: Charles Fuchsel
Chris Ganrude

Sunday, August 5 - 10:00 a.m.

READER: A. Marshall/ R. Rusch
COMMENTATOR:
MINISTERS: V. Brauer
USHERS: J. Koelbl/G. Brauer
F. Benesh/O. Sagen
SERVERS: Andrew & Stephen
Reischl

Church Cleaning Schedule

August 4 - J. Schwabenbauer/M. Schelfhout
August 11 - D. Crater & Anna/J. Marshall & Mandy
August 18 - R. Brauer/C. Guanella/T. Bornheimer

CHURCH COLLECTION

Envelopes/Plate	\$4965.25
Votive Candles	73.00
Youth Envelopes	13.40
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$5.051.65

Please pray for family members or friends who are being activated for military duty overseas especially remembering Shane Deback, Greg Schumacher, and Shane Trussoni.

Upcoming Holy Day of Obligation - August 15th,
The Assumption of Our Blessed Mother
Masses: 14th - 5:20 p.m.
15th - 7:30 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 5:20 p.m.

ST. JAMES

CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNERS

7/23	Guy McLees	\$20
7/24	Bernard Buchner	\$20
7/25	Estero Schrabek	\$20
7/26	Tom Dolle	\$20
7/27	Tony Kaiser	\$40

Congratulations to the winners of our July Jamboree Raffle

1st Prize: \$1,000 Shopping Spree at WESCO of Sparta
Jim & LaVonne Nelson
2nd Prize: \$500 Cash
Mrs. Esther Hadley
3rd Prize: \$200 Savings Bond
Paul Merfeld
4th Prize: \$50 Cash
Denise Burns
5th Prize: \$50 Cash
Tom & Mary Dolle

Thank you to all who participated in the raffle

Thank you...

The Family of Irma Weise wishes to thank the organist and choir for the funeral music. Thanks to the ladies who served the luncheon.

Adoration for Vocations

Please join us on Monday evening, August 6th, to pray for holy vocations to the priesthood, consecrated life, and marriage. Adoration will be held in the Crypt Chapel of Holy Cross Diocesan center from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. All ages are welcome to adoration, followed by ice cream.

CAN YOU NOT WATCH WITH ME ONE HOUR?

FRIDAYS-WEEKLY EXPOSITION
OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
With Benediction at 2:40 p.m.

FIRST FRIDAYS - ALL-NIGHT EXPOSITION

Closing with Benediction at 7:15 a.m. Saturday morning
Please Note: August 4th Benediction will be held at 6:30 a.m. with Mass celebrated at 6:45 a.m.

Visit The Holy Cross Seminary House of
Formation website:
www.houseofformation.com

Bookstore Hours Change

The Marian Catechist Bookstore located in the lower level of the rectory will only be open for business on the second Tuesday of each month.

Do you like to drive? Do you like to help others? Bethany Lutheran Homes is now recruiting drivers for the Volunteer Driver Escort program, funded by the La Crosse County Aging Unit. Drivers will drive in La Crosse County, with the possibility of longer trips, and are reimbursed for mileage. For more information or to sign up, call 775-9990.

*Please remember to turn out the lights after you use the restrooms in Murphy Hall. Also if you turned on any lights to get to the restroom, please turn them off as well.
Thank you.*

FAMILY FUN FEST

St. Peter's Parish - Middle Ridge, Wisconsin

Sunday - July 29, 2007 - 11:30 to 5:00

Rummage Sale and Silent Auction

Games for All Ages

(softball, volleyball, tug a war, saw dust pile & more)

Beverage & Food Tents

(pork chops, brats, wieners, choice of potato, macaroni salad, watermelon and hand-dipped ice cream)

Horse-Drawn Wagon Rides & Live Music

3rd Grade Family Picnic

There will be a picnic for all families who have children entering 3rd grade at CCS - Blessed Sacrament School this fall. The picnic will be at Myrick Park Main Shelter on August 13th from 5:00 - 7:30 p.m. Bring a dish to pass. Hotdogs, chips, beverages, tableware are provided. Games and activities for kids. Are you considering registration for 3rd grade? Please come! Call Mrs. Mari Erickson at 498-2796 with number attending and any questions.

From the Catechism of the Catholic Church, this week's term used in our Catholic Faith is:

ADORATION: The acknowledgment of God as God, Creator and Savior, the Lord and Master of everything that exists. Through worship and prayer, the Church and individual persons give to God the adoration which is the first act of the virtue of religion. The first commandment of the law obliges us to adore God.

Weekly Readings

July 30 - August 5

Monday - Ex 32: 15-24, 30-34; Mt 13: 31-35

Tuesday - Ex 33: 7-11; 34: 5b-9, 28; Mt 13: 36-43

Wednesday - Ex 34: 29-35; Mt 13: 44-46

Thursday - Ex 40: 16-21, 34-38; Mt 13: 47-53

Friday - Lv 23: 1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Mt 13: 54-58

Saturday - Lv 25: 1, 8-17; Mt 14: 1-12

Sunday - Eccl 1: 2: 21-23; Col 3: 1-5, 9-11; Lk 12: 13-21

KINDERGARTEN

If you have a child who is entering kindergarten in the fall, it's time to enroll him/her into religious education classes. We have openings for K4 and K5. Please call Donna at 782-1022 and a registration form will be sent to you. Thank you.

To raise money to see Pope Benedict at World Youth Day in July 2008 in Sydney, Australia, St. Patrick Youth Group in Onalaska is sponsoring

... Vacation Bible School

the week of August 6-10. Cost is \$20. Ages 4-10. If you are interested in signing your child up or helping out, please contact Cathie Steinhoff, Youth Minister, at 783-5535 ext. 8 or cathie@stpatz.com.

... A Pig Roast

on Sunday, August 19, from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Pre-tickets are \$7.50 and \$8.00 the day of the roast. Meal includes choice of three different meat sandwiches and two of either coleslaw, hobo fries or beans. Plans are to have a Christian band and inflatables. This will be a family friendly event so mark your calendars. Please contact Cathie Steinhoff at 783-5535 ext. 8 or Barb at the parish office 783-5535.

... Homemade Strawberry Jam

from fresh picked strawberries. Cost is \$5 for four ounces and \$8 for eight ounces. It's delicious! If you are interested, please contact Cathie Steinhoff at 783-5535 ext. 8 or cathie@stpatz.com.

Visit our parish website at www.saintjameschurch.net to get a close up view of our stained glass windows.