

St. James Episcopal Church
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Frankie Aliota, Kevin Carsner,
Teddy Igiehon, Daryl Laatsch,
Mary McCann, Sue Opelt, Jim
Scott.

Our Beliefs

We believe there is one God who creates all things, redeems us from sin and death and renews us as the Children of God.

As Episcopalians we promise to follow Jesus Christ as our Savior and Lord. We believe the mission of our church is to restore all people to unity with God and each other in Christ.

As you continue your journey, please remember us as a place of rest, restoration and reunion. If you are searching for a place to worship God regularly, we welcome you and hope you will consider becoming a part of our Christian Family.

May God's blessings be upon you today and always.

The clergy and parishioners of St James Church, West Bend.

Announcements

For Our Visitors

Please complete a *Welcome to St James* card (located in the pews) and place in the collection basket or give it to an usher. Also, please join us for refreshments and fellowship in the Common Room following today's service.

Quarterly Giving Statements Ready

Please pick up your quarterly giving statement from the table in the narthex. Thank you for your faithful support of God's mission.

Miriam Baumann's New Address

Miriam Baumann has moved to Cedar Ridge. Her new address is 107 Cedar Ridge Dr. Apt. N321 West Bend, WI 53095. Her new phone is 262-429-1712.

Book Study

The entire Diocese of Milwaukee has been invited to read the book *Just Mercy* by Bryan Stevenson. St. James will be doing a book study on *Just Mercy*. Please let Mother Mindy know if you'd like to participate and if you need a copy of the book.

Evening Bible Study

Please let Mother Mindy know if you're interested in an evening Bible study. We will pick the night depending on the availability of those interested.

Feast Day Eucharist and Potluck

We will be having a Eucharist and Potluck to celebrate the Feast of St. James next Sunday, July 23 at 5:00 PM in the common room.

Special Collection on July 23

On July 23 the loose cash offering in the collection plate will be split between the Haiti project and support for Frankie A. Aliota and Carl Harris' mission trip to Virginia. Checks can be made to St. James with Haiti/Mission in the memo line.

This Week's Prayers for Church & Home

For home use during the week of July 16, 2017

Let us pray for:

Our Clergy: Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, Presiding Bishop; Steven, our Bishop; Mindy, our Priest

In the Diocesan cycle of prayer: St. Christopher's in River Hills

In the Anglican Cycle of prayer: for the diocese of Ontario, The Rt. Rev. George Lindsey Russell Bruce, bishop and The Rt. Rev. Michael Oulton, Coadjutor Bishop

St James Outreach Programs: Harvest House, The Food Pantry, and The Haiti Project

This Week's Thanksgivings

Birthdays: (17) Ron Branta (17) Izenosa Igieon (19) Jim Noren

Anniversaries: none

Saint James Episcopal Church



An Episcopal Church
in the city of West Bend
& Diocese of Milwaukee

Worship Resources:

The Book of Common Prayer
(listed as BCP)

Hymnal 1982

Lift Every Voice and Sing
(listed as LEVAS)

Today's Celebrant:

The Reverend
Mindy Valentine Davis

Organist:

Deanna Gibeau

This week - July 16, 2017
10:15 AM Rite II

Chalice: Carl Harris

2nd Chalice: Ron Kegley

Acolytes: Chloe Kegley & Ron
Kegley

Readers: Mike Richter & Loretta
Laatsch

Ushers: Don Rabe & Frankie A.
Aliota

Counter: Julie Harris

Altar Guild: Joan Noren & Patti
Pitrof

Eucharistic Visitor: Mary Miller

Goodies: Kevin Carsner

Clean-up: Kevin Carsner & Mike
Richter



THE SIXTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST
Holy Eucharist Rite II
July 16, 2017
10:15 AM

The Word of God

Please stand at the entrance of the Processional Cross.

Prelude

Processional Hymn "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" Hymnal 493

Opening Acclamation BCP 355

Collect for Purity BCP 355

Gloria Hymnal S280

Collect of the Day Insert

A brief period of silent reflection follows the lessons and sermon.

First Lesson Genesis 25:19-34 Insert

Psalm Psalm 119:105-112 Insert

Second Lesson Romans 8:1-11 Insert

Gradual Hymn "Blessed Jesus, at Thy Word" Hymnal 440

The Gospel Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23 Insert

The Sermon The Reverend Mindy Valentine Davis

The Nicene Creed BCP 358

The Prayers of the People

Leader: Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
All: ***That we all may be one.***

Leader: Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
All: ***That your Name may be glorified by all people.***

Leader: We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
All: ***That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.***

Leader: We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
All: ***That there may be justice and peace on the earth.***

**Next week - July 23, 2017
10:15 a.m.**

Chalice: Betty Jo Kiefert

2nd Chalice: Ethan Tarvin

Acolytes: Vicki Knaak & Ron Kegley

Readers: Mary McCann & Miriam Baumann

Ushers: Bill Schulze & Roger Grosz

Counter: Pam Rose

Altar Guild: Pam Sheppard & Geri Kelly

Eucharistic Visitor: Mother Mindy

Goodies: Mary McCann & Pam Sheppard

Clean-up: Bill Schulze & Mary McCann

Our Sacramental Life

Holy Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated on Sunday during the celebration of the Eucharist, being especially appropriate to celebrate at the Easter Vigil, Pentecost Sunday, All Saints' Day and on the Feast of the Baptism of our Lord. Contact the rector to make specific arrangements

Holy Communion

Sundays at 8:00 & 10:15 a.m.
* Weekdays as published seasonally.

The Celebration and Blessing of a Marriage

Contact the rector at least six months prior to the anticipated date of marriage.

The Reconciliation of a Penitent (Confession)

By appointment

Leader: Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
All: *That our works may find favor in your sight.*

Leader: Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
All: *That they may be delivered from their distress.*

Leader: Give to all the departed eternal rest.
All: *Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

Leader: We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
All: *May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.*

Leader: Let us pray for our own needs and those of others. *Silence*

Leader: Let us pray for the sick, and all in need of God's healing grace, especially:

Lu, Gail, Pat, Joan, Betty, Ruth, Carol, Terry, Beth, Chad, Len, Amy, Ray, Beth, Analyse, Libby, Maria, Seth, Kim, Bennie, Wade, Vickie, Leland, Paul, Ed, Joe, Betty Jo, Audrey, Sandy, Audie, Fred, Bernie, Margarite & family, Patricia, Joseph, Edith, the Garrity family, Sarah, Danika, Kathy, Linda, Dorothy, Jon, Agnes, Heidi, Barb, Kay, Ruth, Paisley, Mary, David, Nancy, Howey, Jane, Tony, Lisa, Robbie

Leader: Are there others?

Leader: Let us pray for those seeking the care and guidance of the Holy Spirit, especially:

Kim, Joe, Lori, Arthur, Carrie, Nik, Regan, Vicki, Jerry and Anita & family, the Canada family, Helen, Steve & Kathy, Linda, Jon, Dan

Leader: Are there others?

Leader: For what else and whom else should we pray? *The prayer leader is silent while the congregation offers up their petitions, intercessions, and thanksgivings.*

Celebrant: Almighty God, to whom our needs are known before we ask: Help us to ask only what accords with your will; and those good things which we dare not, or in our blindness cannot ask, grant us for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*

Confession of Sin BCP 360

The Peace BCP 360
Please exchange a gesture of God's peace with one another.

The Blessing of Birthdays and Anniversaries

Offertory Hymn "Be Thou My Vision" Hymnal 488

Doxology Hymnal 380 vs. 3
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

All people are welcome at the Lord's Table.

If you are not baptized, you may come forward for a blessing.

Cross your hands over your chest when at the communion rail and the priest will know to bless you.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive holy communion.

In our church, you may receive both the bread and the wine or the bread alone. Kneel or stand at the altar rail, open your hands, and the priest will put the bread in your palm.

The second chalice bearer carries the cup for intinction (dipping the bread into the wine), if you prefer not to drink from the common cup. If you do not wish to receive the wine, cross your arms after consuming the bread.

Please tell the usher if you are unable to come to the altar rail. The sacrament can be brought to you at your pew.

We are the Body of Christ and we are not alone!

St. James' Episcopal Church is a parish in the Episcopal Diocese of Milwaukee. Our diocese is lead by our bishop, the Right Reverend Steven A. Miller, the 11th bishop of Milwaukee.

Through the Episcopal Church we are a member of the world-wide Anglican Communion. The Archbishop of Canterbury is the spiritual head of the Anglican Communion. There are 38 "provinces" in the Communion, each being autonomous in governance.

The Anglican Communion is the third largest branch of the Christian Church. The two larger being the Roman Catholic and the Eastern Orthodox Churches.

The Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving

Sursum Corda Hymnal S120

Eucharistic Prayer B BCP 367

Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy) Hymnal S130

Memorial Acclamation BCP 368

The Lord's Prayer BCP 364

Breaking of the Bread BCP 364

Fraction Anthem Hymnal S164

Reception of Communion

Communion Hymns "One Bread, One Body" LEVAS 151
"O How I Love Jesus" LEVAS 95

Post-Communion Prayer BCP 366

Welcome & Parish Announcements

Sending Forth of the Eucharistic Visitor

Celebrant In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these gifts of consecrated bread and wine, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

People: May you carry the prayers of all of us, as you take this Sacrament of Christ's presence.

The Blessing

Dismissal BCP 366

Recessional Hymn "Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing" Hymnal 344

All are welcome to join the fellowship in the Common Room after the service.

This Week's Events

Wednesday, July 19 10:30 Rite I Eucharist at the Lighthouse	Saturday, July 22 11:30 AM Harvest House
Friday, July 21 9:00 AM Men's Breakfast at the Copper Penny 9:30 AM Morning Prayer at church	Sunday, July 23 8:00 AM Rite I Said Service 10:15 AM Rite II Sung Service 5:00 Eucharist with potluck following

The flowers on the altar today were given to the Glory of God by Peggy Rogers