



### St. James Weekly for July 1 - 7, 2018

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The Rev. Diane M. Murray, Rector 920-860-5152 (cell)

Amma Diane is typically in Manitowoc Wednesday afternoon and Sundays or by appointment at other times.

#### Sunday 7/1

9AM KinderChurch  
10:00AM Worship  
Greeters/Ushers: 1st Sunday Team  
Acolyte/Crucifer: Geri Walker  
Eucharistic Ministers: Sudi Johnson,  
Dianne Wilson  
Readers: Glenn Davidowich, Cole  
Thorne  
11:15AM Fellowship - Saints  
11:30AM Christian Book Circle

#### Monday 7/2

5PM KAN Board Mtg

#### Tuesday 7/3

#### Wednesday 7/4

#### Independence Day

4PM Worship

#### Thursday 7/5

5PM PFLAG

#### Friday 7/6

6:30AM Morning Prayer  
10:30AM Watch General Convention -  
Radical Reconciliation - in Fellowship  
Hall

#### Saturday 7/7

2:30PM Watch General Convention -  
Evangelism - in Fellowship Hall

#### Sunday 7/8

9AM KinderChurch  
10:00AM Worship  
Greeters/Ushers: 2nd Sun.Team  
Acolyte: Kim Kaufmann  
Eucharistic Ministers: Richard Hall,  
Murray Sim  
Readers: Chris Eggert-Rosenthal,  
Dianne Wilson  
11:15AM Fellowship - Saints  
7PM Movie "Wonder" in Fellowship  
Hall

#### Milestones

#### July Anniversaries

9 Mary & James Green  
13 Tammy & Kevin McVeigh

#### July Birthdays

#### The Book Circle meets July 1 after 10AM service

Come and see what contemporary Christian literature St James friends are reading or listening to - swap ideas, titles and books.

In June, Amy had brought us some books to share --they are on the book shelf upstairs in the back of the church or in the library. A few of her titles were: Jesus Revealed- a 40 day Journey. Convictions- How I learned What Matters Most- Marcus Borg. Listening for God: Collection by Paula Carlson and Peter Hawkins. Art and Fear- David Bayles, Ted Orland.

Other titles we shared: The Gospel of Mary Magdalene by Jean- Yves Leloup. Two titles by Episcopalians: Liturgy of the Ordinary- Theology for the Everyday by Tish Harrison Warren. (This was a Christianity Today Book of the Year- Thanks Karleen for the title. ) Broken, by Fa Ryan Casey Waller. The Color Monster - a Pop up book being used for Diocesan Camp's theme of 'being different'. )

Sudi stumbled upon a podcast - hosted by Jen Hatmaker (a newer voice to Sudi) who was interviewing Barbara Brown Taylor (An Altar to the World, Learning to Walk in the Dark and other books). The last question that was asked of Ms Taylor intrigued Sudi- maybe you too? The question was - What are you reading , Barbara? Here is her response: Jonathan Sacks, Ivo Patel, Howard Thurman, Kate Bowler, and Elizabeth Dias. And last but not least- a high school friend sent me a clipping of an interview with Jane Fonda. Ms Fonda says, " What I found in my life-and it's one of the things that's kind of made me a person of faith-is that every time I'm in need of something, someone gives me a book that speaks exactly to the need.... And then somebody gave me Traveling Mercies (also by Anne Lamotte), which taught me to live in the present moment and find miracles in small, everyday things." Happy Summer Reading, friends!

#### General Convention of the Episcopal Church, July 5-13 Austin, Texas

The general Convention is held every three years. Deputies are elected at our Diocesan Convention in the Fall. Those attending this year for the Diocese of Fond du Lac include: Bishop Matt Gunter and his wife Leslie and our deputies; Dave Annis, Cheryl Dobrzynski, Amy Heimerl, Rev. Jane Johnson, Rev. Erin Kirby, Rev. Sandy Muinde, Anne Peterson, and Rev. Ralph Osborne. Please pray for the whole convention.

#### General Convention Conversations - July 6, July 7 and July 10

Members of St. James are invited to watch three live sessions of the General Convention of the Episcopal Church in July. The convention deputies will meet to hear information and discuss **Racial Reconciliation** on July 6 from 10:30 am to noon, **Evangelism** on July 7 from 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm, and **Care of Creation** on July 10 from 10:30 am to noon. These sessions will be streamed live and we are able to view and listen to the speakers our own Fellowship Hall. If you are interested in watching any of these sessions with other St. James members, please talk to Anne Schuette or Amy Healey.

- 1 Mary Green
- 1 Kurt Hall
- 1 Sheryl Paszkiewicz
- 1 Robert Turnbull
- 11 Tony karl
- 12 Amy Healey
- 13 Leonard Coombs
- 14 Judy Lavicka
- 20 Bob Owaski
- 22 Dave Haefke
- 24 Murray Sim
- 25 Gary Alsteen
- 25 Liz Gordon
- 30 Germaine Hall
- 30 Alison Hunner

**Is your date missing? Please tell  
Amma Diane**

**Quick Links...**

- [E-Mail St James](#)
- [E-mail Pastor Diane](#)
- [Our Website](#)
- [Diocese of Fond du Lac website](#)
- [The Episcopal Church website](#)
- [Diocesan & Anglican Cycles of Prayer](#)

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Shop at Office Max?

Use the Max Perks #331931799 and help buy school supplies for the *KAN Cool for School* program

**To submit info for the weekly announcements, please contact Amma Diane Murray BEFORE 3PM on Thursday**

[dianemarie.murray@gmail.com](mailto:dianemarie.murray@gmail.com)  
920-860-5152

**Sunday Worship Ministries:**

Greeters/Ushers, Crucifer/Acolyte, Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, Fellowship Hosts

[May 27 - Aug 12 2018  
Ministry Schedule](#)

**Greeter/Usher Teams**

\* Head Usher

**1<sup>st</sup> Sunday:** Skip & Karleen Cole, Donna Franz

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday:** Dave Haefke, Anne Schuette, Mary Green

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday:** Murray Sim, Bob & Ellen Feller, Michael Laughrin

**The Saturday Morning Women's Group will meet at 9:30AM July 14**

We meet at PKs Beans N Cream at the corner of New York Ave and N. 8th St. at 9:30 Saturday, July 14 for fellowship, conversation, coffee and 'goodies'. Sudi will not be there-she will be on her way home from a 6 month post surgery appointment in California. Have Fun!

**July 15-21 is St. James' Week to help at Hope House.**

We share the week with Lakeshore United Methodist Church. There are a variety of ways to volunteer. Talk to one of the volunteers: Dan Hornung, Mark & Sally Hunner, Sudi Johnson, Amma Diane, Mary Green, Kim Kaufmann to learn more.

**St. James Book Group Summer Reading Plans**

The St. James Book Group will meet during the summer at PK's Beans and Cream, on the corner of New York Avenue and N. 8th St. Our meetings are on Wednesdays and start at 7 PM so we have time to sample both literature and ice cream. Summer dates and book selections are:

July 18 - The Maximum-Security Book Club by Mikita Brottman

August 22 - The Day the World Came to Town by Jim DeFede

We are also planning to view the movie Wonder on Sunday evening, July 8, at 7pm in the St. James Fellowship Hall. All are welcome to attend our meetings, even if you haven't read the book. Copies of the books are loaned by the Manitowoc Public Library and are available in the lower level cloakroom. Sign out a copy and return it on the date of our meeting. Please contact Anne Schuette (242-2819) or Marie Hawkins (683-9032) with any questions.

**St. James Picnic in Union Park - Wed, July 25**

Save the date - Wednesday, July 25 - for a church picnic in Union Park. Plan on worship at 4:00 pm, followed by hot dogs, brats and a pot luck picnic starting at 5:00. Finish up the evening by walking or driving to the downtown Manitowoc "Night Market" to listen to live music -- located along the river, just across from the Manitowoc Public Library. Bring a lawn chair and a dish to pass, or a snack to share. All are welcome to attend, and the "Market" activities are family friendly. Talk to Anne Schuette or Eleanor Agnew with any questions.

**August 6-10 is St. James' week to deliver Meals On Wheels. Talk to Anne Schuette or Judy Lavicka to learn how you can help!**

**Saint James Prayers of the People**

Let us each keep those in need in our prayers this week:

**For healing, comfort and strength, we lift up . . .**

Steve and Mary Beth, Susie and Dave, Bill, Steven, Mike and Laura, Karen, Matthew, Karen and Bob, Bonnie, Ray, Joan, Johnny and Sally, Audrey, Virginia, Judy, Marty, Don and Beth, Tiger, Dan and Maria, Billy, Melissa, Ben and Gail, Mary, Brenden, Cherity, Debbie, Susan, Silas, Bonnie, Andrew, Simon, Richard, Candace, Grayson James, Vanessa, Tara, Baby Jack and Heather, Bob, Mary and Vince, Faith, Mary Jean, Peggy, Jane, Emily, Karleen

**For guidance and discernment we lift up. . .**

**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday:** Steve Thuss\*, Liz & Jim Gordon

Please talk to anyone on the teams to become involved in this ministry.

### **Fellowship Hour Teams**

#### **\*Team Coordinators**

#### **Saints Team** (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday)

Eleanor Agnew\*, Chris Eggert-Rosenthal, Ron Hansen, Amy Healey, Dan Hornung, Anne ,Schuette\*, Bob & Peggy Turnbull, Geri Walker.

#### **Disciples Team** (3<sup>rd</sup>& 4<sup>th</sup> Sun.)

Dave Haefke, Judy Lavicka\*, Steve Thuss, Ruby Gunderson, Murray Sim

If there is a 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in a month plan on potluck or a special event.

All are welcome to add to the Fellowship Hour table or help set up or clean up on any Sunday!

Please speak to one of the coordinators to become involved in this ministry.

### **Scrip Order Dates for 2018**

July 8  
August 12  
September 9  
October 7  
November 11  
December 2 & 9

Scrip is a way for you to purchase store gift cards for your own use or to give as gifts. The card user gets full value for the amount and St. James receives a percent (varies with retailer). The money St. James receives is going into our Outreach Fund. Order forms are available at the info center at the back of church

Orders and payment for the orders can be given to Mike Laughrin or Tammy McVeigh at any time during the month, no later than the date above for that month. The order will

Those serving in the military: Kyle Kurschner, Zach Truett, Jordon Rosenthal, Brady Cook, Shannon, Logan, Daniel  
We also pray for: Tim, Guy and Mary, Kurt, Lisann, Ronald, Alison, Scott, Margaret

#### **Additional prayers we offer include...**

Peace in our world...The people of Ukraine, Israel, Gaza, Sudan and missionary families. In the Diocesan cycle of prayer, we pray for General Convention of the Episcopal Church. In the Anglican cycle of prayer we pray for The Church of North India (United). People living with mental illness. Hope House families. The men of the Haven. We pray for those working in government in our cities, state, country and the world. We pray for our neighborhood.

#### **We offer thanks for...**

Diane our Rector, Dan and Tammy, our Wardens, our Vestry and other ministry leaders, staff, and every person in this congregation. Bishop Matthew Gunter, his wife Leslie and family. Presiding Bishop Michael Curry and his wife Sharon. Arch Bishop of Canterbury Justin Welby. For our companion Diocese of Masvingo in Zimbabwe and their bishop The Right Reverend Godfrey.

#### **We remember the departed...**

Paul, Tom, Joe, Myrna, Cindy, Dale, Bill, Mary, Randy, Clayton, Pat

If you would like prayers to be offered as part of The Prayers of the People, please fill out the written Prayer Request Form and place it in the PRAYER BOX. All are located at the back of the church. Prayers will remain on our active prayer list for one month and can be extended by filling out a new request form.

Thanks and praises to the Lord for answers are most welcome also!

### **Looking Ahead:**

Sunday Adult Formation at 8:45AM check calendar  
Sunday KinderChurch at 9AM; Main Service 10AM  
Wednesday Worship 4PM  
Wednesday Cursillo Grouping - follows worship  
Fridays Morning Prayer 6:30AM  
July 1 Christian Book Circle 11:30AM  
July 2 KAN Board Mtg 5PM  
July 4 Worship 4PM  
July 5 PFLAG 7PM  
July 5-13 General Convention Austin, TX  
July 6 Watch some General Convention 10:20AM  
July 7 Watch some General Convention 2PM  
July 8 SCRIP orders due  
July 8 The movie "Wonder" at St. James 7PM  
July 10 Watch some General Convention 10:30AM  
July 10 Rainbow Acts Crafting 1PM  
July 14 Men's Breakfast 8AM Lighthouse Inn  
July 14 Women's Gathering 9:30AM PKs Beans n Cream  
July 15-21 St. James Volunteers at Hope House  
July 17 RUTH Mtg 8:30AM  
July 17 Miracle League Mtg 6PM  
July 18 Discover & Grow Mtg 5:15PM  
July 18 St. James Book Club 7PM PKs Beans n Cream  
July 19 Ordinations of Bobbi Kraft & Isaiah Brokenleg to the order of priest, Fond du Lac Cathedral  
July 25 Worship at Union Park 4PM followed by sandwich picnic at 5PM (Feast of St. James)  
Aug 6-10 St. James Delivers Meals On Wheels

be sent in on the 15th of the month with the gift cards being available one to two Sundays later depending on what day of the week the 15th falls.

### **Opportunities to Help Each Other**

#### Green Bay Airport Transportation for Chris Rosenthal and puppy Abby

Chris's employment in Little Rock, AK may be extended further than she anticipated. Please consider taking a turn- either picking her up on a Thursday/Friday (typically 1 pm) or returning her on a Monday am (departing Two Rivers around 7:45 am).

We will try again, the Meal Train Plus 'on line' calendaring system (which seemed to work well for Sudi's medical appointments.) Sign up with your email address. You will then be invited to the Meal Train website to sign up for a Thursday/Friday or a Monday time slot. Chris is happy to pay you for your time/gas. Or In lieu of payment, Chris is making donations to St James per your request (ie. outreach, Amma Diane's discretionary fund etc)

#### Rides to Church

Occasionally members of St. James need a ride to church. Right now we are seeking St. James members to give Geri Walker a ride to church on Sunday mornings. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of church. Please call Donna Franz 973-3017 if you have questions.

#### Share One of Your Talents/Gifts

If you are able to share something you can do such as offering a ride, mowing grass, cleaning the house, caring for a pet, etc. Please contact Donna Franz at 973-3017 and let her know what you can do. Donna links those in need of some help with those who are able to offer the help!

For a full calendar visit our website [www.stjamesmanitowoc.com](http://www.stjamesmanitowoc.com)

### **Vestry Updates:**

Approved Vestry Minutes, Financial Statements and Agendas for our meetings can be found on the bulletin board across from the office on the lower level.

Vestry Members: Sr. Warden - Dan Hornung; Jr. Warden - Tammy McVeigh; Vestry - Chris Eggert-Rosenthal, Jim Gordon, Ron Hansen, Sally Hunner, Mike Laughrin; Treasurer - Mary Jean Reckelberg, Assistant Treas. Kim Kaufmann; Clerk - Tony Karl