



St. James Weekly for Dec 30, 2018 - Jan 6, 2019

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

Sunday 12/30

9AM KinderChurch

10:00AM Worship

Greeters/Ushers: 3rd Sunday Team

Acolyte/Crucifer: Kim Kaufmann

Eucharistic Ministers: Murray Sim & Dianne Wilson

Readers: Chris Eggert-Rosenthal, Jane Robinson

11:15AM Fellowship - Pot Luck

Monday 12/31

Tuesday 1/1

New Year's Day

Wednesday 1/2

4PM Service with Healing Prayer

Thursday 1/3

7PM PFLAG

Friday 1/4

6:30AM Morning Prayer

Saturday 1/5

Sunday 1/6

The Epiphany

8:45AM NO Study Group

9AM KinderChurch

10:00AM Worship

Greeters/Ushers: 1st Sunday Team

Acolyte/Crucifer: Geri Walker Eucharistic Ministers Glenn Davidowich, Richard Hall

Readers: Eleanor Agnew, Bob Feller

11:15AM Fellowship - Saints

Milestones

December Anniversaries

13 Randy & Cindy Hronek

December Birthdays

2 Todd Reckelberg

4 Chris Couris

5 Bill Schultz

11 Geri Walker

14 Grace Valli

15 Kelly Schultz

20 Nancy Sim

25 Sharon Meany

27 Patrick Byrd

Is your date missing? Please tell

Amma Diane

CHRISTMAS HYMN SING: 10AM Worship on Sunday 12/30 will continue the celebration of Christ's birth with a Christmas hymn sing. Be ready to request your favorite Christmas songs from our blue Hymnal 1982 books.

Date for our Annual Meeting - January 27, 2019

The Vestry is planning to hold our annual parish meeting on Sunday January 27 following the 10AM service. In case of severe weather on January 27 we will hold our meeting the following Sunday, February 3. The Coffee Hour will be a potluck and will take place as the start of our meeting. There will be short biographies of people nominated for various position published in early January. The option to become a member of St. James is unavailable for the 2 weeks prior to the annual meeting, per our bi-laws. Nominations also close two weeks before the annual meeting although nominations can be made during the meeting. See a member of the Vestry or Amma Diane if you have questions.

Nominations are now open

Nominations are open for Vestry, Endowment Trustees, and Delegates and Alternates for our 2019 Diocesan Convention. See nominations forms at the back of the Sanctuary for details. Elections will take place at our Annual Meeting in early 2019. People may be nominated for more than one position. Nomination close two weeks before our Annual Meeting, which will be in early 2019. Nominations received so far: Senior Warden (1 position) - Tammy McVeigh Junior Warden (1 position) - Chris Eggert-Rosenthal Vestry Member (2 positions) - Kim Kaufmann & Richard Hall Endowment Trustee (1 positions) - none Convention Delegate (3 positions) - none Convention Alternate (3 positions) - none

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, Bill, Steven, Mike and Laura, Matthew, Karen and Bob, Bonnie, Ray, Joan, Audrey, Virginia, Judy, Marty, Don and Beth, Tiger, Billy, Ben and Gail, Mary, Brenden, Cherity, Silas, Bonnie, Andrew, Bob, Mary and Vince, Faith, Mary Jean, Peggy Jane, Emily, Carol, Maggie, Joe Mike

For guidance and discernment we lift up. . .

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, Ronald, Alison, Scott, Margaret, Frankie

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 all the people of our Diocese as we begin a new year. In the Anglican cycle of prayer we pray for Kyushu (Japan). 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-

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](#)

[Join Our Mailing List!](#)

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
920-860-5152

Sunday Worship Ministries:

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

[Nov 11 2018 - Jan 27 2019](#)

[Ministry Schedule](#)

Greeter/Usher Teams

* **Head Usher**

1st Sunday: Skip & Karleen Cole, Donna Franz

2nd Sunday: Dave Haefke, Anne Schuette, Mary Green

3rd Sunday: Murray Sim, Bob & Ellen Feller, Michael Laughrin

4th 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 (1st & 2nd Sunday)

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

Disciples Team (3rd & 4th Sun.)

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

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, Audrey, John Hunner

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. Thanksgivings 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
Dec 30 Christmas Hymn Sing during 10AM Service
Jan 3 PFLAG 7PM
Jan 6 Christian Book Circle Following 10AM Service
Jan 6 Remove decorations in the Church 11:30AM
Jan 8 Rainbow Acts Crafting 1PM
Jan 9 Choir rehearsal 5PM
Jan 10 Vestry 5:30PM
Jan 10 Girl Scouts 6PM
Jan 12 Men's Breakfast Lighthouse Inn 8AM
Jan 12 Women's Breakfast St. James 9AM
Jan 12 Diocesan Youth Ministry Leaders - Waupaca
Jan 27 Annual Meeting following 10AM Service

For a full calendar visit our website 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 - Peggy Turnbull; Clerk - Tony Karl

Scrip Order Dates for 2019

TBD

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 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.

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!

If there is a 5th 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.

St. James Church Building Contacts

If you are aware of anything inside or outside our building that needs attention or maintenance, please call or e-mail one of our building contacts. Please try Dave first and work your way down the list. Thanks!

Dave Haefke 920-860-4127
dhaefke@gmail.com

Steve Thuss 920-323-6595
schnidrr@tm.net

Murray Sim 414-617-9291
murray.sim@cenallc.com

If there is an emergency, please call 911

Opportunities to Help Each Other

Green Bay Airport Transportation for Chris Rosenthal and dog Abby

Chris's employment in Little Rock, AK. 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.

