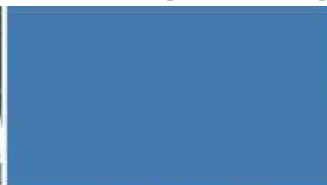
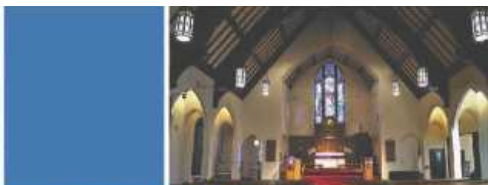
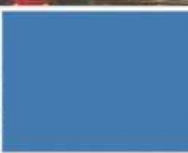


February 7, 2021

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany



**St James Lutheran
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JOB 7
BASED ON

But in the midst of it all today
I could pray for the first time.
It was the strength I needed and I rejoice
for the battle has already been won.
I am healed. I am healed.
I call for health. I call for healing.

JESUS HAS WON
BY HIS STRIPES I AM HEALED

WORSHIP SERVICES

Traditional Style

Saturday 5:30 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM

Contemporary Celebration (Gym)

Sunday 10:30 AM

Online Service 9:00 AM
Facebook & YouTube

Radio Broadcast 9:00 AM
WTCH960 AM / WTCH96.1 FM

Senior Service
1st & 3rd Wednesday 11:00 AM

**DIVINE SERVICE #4, LSB 203
HOLY COMMUNION**

Liturgist: Rev. Steve Schauder
Preacher: Rev. Mark Drengler

**TRADITIONAL SERVICE
SERVICE HYMNS**

Opening #790(st.1,2,4)
Sermon #715
Distribution #725 & 716
Closing #818

Music By:.....Sue Moede

CELEBRATION SERVICE
Music By:.....Praise Team

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WE WELCOME all our visitors to St. James and pray your worship with us is uplifting and enriching. If there is anything we can do for you, please ask one of the ushers or the volunteer in the Connection Center and they will be happy to assist you.

FELLOWSHIP: Refreshments will not be available until further notice.

HOLY COMMUNION is celebrated during all Worship Services on the first and third weekends of the month, and at all Senior Services.

GLUTEN-FREE COMMUNION WAFERS are available at all services during communion weekends for those in need of them. Please see a Lay Minister before the service to let them know of your request.

PARENTS WITH CHILDREN: Children are always welcome to worship with us. Children's bulletins are available. There is a Mother's Room with a changing table located by the restrooms in the narthex.

SENIOR SERVICE: Designed for our senior members and at-risk individuals, but anyone may attend. Every first and third Wednesday at 11:00 AM with Holy Communion.

WE ARE HERE FOR YOU

Prayers have to be prayed to be answered! The church office is open Monday-Friday from 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM. You may also place a call to the office by phone at 715-524-4815. Our pastors are here for you! Contact Pastor Mark at 715-851-0089, or Pastor Steve at 715-853-2566.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

THIS WEEK'S SERMON THEME

"Hanging by a Thread"
by Rev. Mark Drengler

WEEKEND READINGS

Old Testament: Job 7:1-8 (NIV)
Holy Gospel: Mark 1:29-39

SERMON TEXT: JOB 7:1-8(NIV)

- ¹ "Do not mortals have hard service on earth?
Are not their days like those of hired laborers?
- ² Like a slave longing for the evening shadows,
or a hired laborer waiting to be paid,
- ³ so I have been allotted months of futility,
and nights of misery have been assigned to me.
- ⁴ When I lie down I think, 'How long before I get up?'
The night drags on, and I toss and turn until dawn.
- ⁵ My body is clothed with worms and scabs,
my skin is broken and festering.
- ⁶ "My days are swifter than a weaver's shuttle,
and they come to an end without hope.
- ⁷ Remember, O God, that my life is but a breath;
my eyes will never see happiness again.
- ⁸ The eye that now sees me will see me no longer;
you will look for me, but I will be no more.

NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS

Old Testament: Exodus 34:29-25
Epistle: 2 Corinthians 3:12-13
Holy Gospel: Mark 9:2-9

LENTEN WORSHIP SERIES

We will kick off this year's Lenten Journey on Ash Wednesday, with a new series entitled, "God's Love is Shown." This worship series delves into the rich and diverse aspects of our Lord's love for us, shown most specifically in Jesus and His work on our behalf. [Join us for in-person worship on Ash Wednesday, February 17th at 11:00 AM and 6:30 PM.](#)

- Ash Wednesday: "Redemptive Love"
- Week 1: "Compassionate Love"
- Week 2: "Steadfast Love"
- Week 3: "Enriching Love"
- Week 4: "Living Love"
- Week 5: "Holy Love"
- Palm Sunday: "Saving Love"
- Holy Week: "Selfless; Sacrificial, and Joyous Love"

MIDWEEK LENTEN CELEBRATION

In the Gospel according to Mark, he devotes one-third of his writing to the last week of Jesus' life. During those seven days we call Holy Week, we hear different cries from different people. This year in Lent we are exploring those different cries. These "Cries of the Passion" will be presented in a Bible Study format, with hymns, and prayers interspersed throughout. Instead of in-person worship services, these studies will be offered on Wednesdays at 3:30 PM on our social platforms, or on WTCH radio at 6:30 PM. By spending some devoted time and study in this week of Jesus' life, we will be better prepared to celebrate the life-saving events of Holy Week and Easter.

CELEBRATION SERVICE

PRESERVICE PRAISE

“God So Loved” as sung by We the Kingdom
“My Hope is in You” as sung by Aaron Shust

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING SONG

“The Way” as sung by Pat Barrett

SCRIPTURE ON SIN, CONFESSION, AND REPENTANCE

SILENT CONFRONTATION OF SIN

SCRIPTURE ON FORGIVENESS

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

TIME FOR PRAYER

LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

WE PRAISE GOD

“Stand In Your Love” as sung by Josh Baldwin

SCRIPTURE OF THE DAY

Job 7:1-8 (NIV)

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

MESSAGE

“Hanging by a Thread” by Rev. Mark Drenkler

EXPLANATION OF COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

DISTRIBUTION

DISTRIBUTION SONG

“The Answer” as sung by Jeremy Camp

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.
G Amen.

CLOSING SONG

“You Never Let Go” as sung by Matt Redman

BIBLE STUDIES & CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

'A GOOD LOOK AT JESUS' BIBLE STUDY

This is a Sunday Morning Bible Study at 9:15 AM
February 7th through May 2nd

Location: Room 112 (Lower level of church)

Through Scripture, art work, video clips and other medium we will explore the Life and Work of Jesus from Nazareth. We will search how we are loved by Jesus, so that learning from Jesus, we will continue to live for Jesus, helping join together in leading all to Jesus.

- His Birth
- His Early Ministry
- His Teaching
- His Miracles
- His Final Week
- His Resurrection

'PEOPLE OF THE FAITH' BIBLE STUDY

Thurs. @ 9 AM & 6:30 PM starting Feb. 11th

Location: Room 112 (Lower level of church)

We will explore how the lives of different people intersected with the Work of God. There are outspoken, incredible, and quiet people of the faith. People like: Simon Peter, Stephen, Docas, Isaiah, the Woman at the Well, John, Mark, Jeremiah, and Job. We will examine how they fit in the biblical story and ask what it means for us to walk with the Lord in faith.

LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

"If your boyfriend or girlfriend won't go to church with you while you are dating, he or she probably won't when you're married either. How long can you keep your faith life going if your spouse thinks praying, Bible reading, and churchgoing are stupid wastes of time? Abraham went to great lengths to find a believing wife for Isaac." Pastor Mark Jeske, Time of Grace – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org

LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES

"Stories Around the Table"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

Dr. Michael Zeigler shares a story about people who had more in common than they thought. (Mark 6-8)

Tune into Sunday morning's message at 7:30AM on WTCH/960 AM and also at 10:00AM on WRVM/102.7 FM on your radio.

QUILTING MATERIALS

The ladies are always in need of sheets for quilt backs, lightweight blankets, and mattress pads for using as fillers in the quilts they make. Please drop off in the quilters box by the elevator. Thank you!

VOTER'S MEETING

As a body of Christ, we will gather for our Voter's meeting on Sunday, February 21st @ 11:45 AM, located in the sanctuary. Agenda will include the following topics:

- Peaceful Release of Call for Pastor Steve's Retirement
- Calling of Associate Pastor Recommendations
- Transition of Call for Jean Umland
- Financial Report

P.A.C.K.

The Board of Christian Outreach encourages our members to participate in P.A.C.K (Planned Acts of Christian Kindness). What acts of Christian kindness will we be spreading in this February (HEART) month? The

February challenge: PRAY SUPPORT GIVE to an organization of your choice. Ask God to impact insight into others' needs so you can speak a word in due season or bring a gift at the right time. God reaches the world through hands and HEARTS of His people. Respond to where your HEART strings pull you. *"Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God". (Hebrews 13:16)*

THANK YOU

Praise God for the generosity of St. James members and their donations for 2020 Holiday Baskets. Your Board of Christian Service was humbly delighted to distribute \$1,600 in gift cards to 47 individuals, families, and shut-ins before Thanksgiving. In addition, Christmas gift cards totaling \$1,850 was distributed to 25 individuals and family units as well as our mission field of Bowler Elementary School for eight children in their Bowler Angels program. Financial donations received after our distribution date in December are saved as seed money for 2021 and totals \$261. From the contacts we have witnessed, the recipients are genuinely thankful during this difficult time of COVID-19. Your Board of Christian Service is also thankful.

In HIS service,

Daniel Braun, Director, Board of Christian Service.

RADIO MINISTRY

St. James has been broadcasting its' worship services on WTCH for many years. The cost to sponsor a broadcast is \$135. If you would like to reserve a date to sponsor a radio broadcast in 2021, please contact the church office at 715-524-4815. Thank you to all our sponsors and listeners!

CHURCH & COMMUNITY

YOUTH MINISTRY MINUTE

- **'THE CAFE'** (the room across from The Landing) is beginning to take shape! Thanks to a St. James' member making a generous donation, we now have 2 cafe tables and 8 stools! Thanks so much!!
- **REGISTER FOR OUR GATHERING** which takes place on Saturday, February 27 from 11 am-5 pm in the gym at St. James! Registration forms are on the church website under the youth tab, on the St. James Youth Facebook site, in the church office and outside The Landing. Cost is \$50. Join us for Fun, Friends, Food, Games, Escape Room, Worship, Speakers, the band, 'Bread of Stone' and more!
- **ADULT AND STUDENT LEADERSHIP MEETING: Sunday, February 7, 12-1:30 pm.** Lunch provided. We will be done well before kick-off. Bring your paperwork-please and thank you. Let Mrs. D know if you are unable to attend.

SCRIP

Want an easy way to help earn money for St. James School and add to your hot lunch, tuition, or youth account? Scrip is a smart and fast way to do both! Scrip is available in the church office and orders will be placed the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month (exception for holidays). Order forms are available outside the offices OR download and print it from the St. James website under the SCHOOL tab.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

- Feb. 8 SCRIP ORDERS DUE
- Feb. 10 8:10 AM Chapel—Baptism Birthdays
- Feb. 12 BB Tournament @ Trinity
- Feb. 13 BA Tournament @ Trinity
- Feb. 17 Ash Wednesday
8:10 AM Chapel
- Feb. 19 NO SCHOOL

EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA

Save the Date! The Board of Family Life is excited to be able to offer the Easter Eggstravaganza this year... with a twist. This year's event, for children ages 0-9, will be a drive-thru only, located in the parking lot at St. James on March 27th, from 10AM—12PM. Please continue to watch the bulletin, and other communications, for further information. If you are interested in helping out with donations for this community event, you may drop off candy or a monetary donation in any amount, at the church office. Thank you for your support!

FOOD PANTRY

If you or someone you know is in need of food, please stop in at Shawano's food pantry (**SAFPARC**) located at 218 E. Richmond Street. Use the driveway by the east entrance & drive behind the building towards the front. One person may enter the building at a time and face coverings are required. SAFPARC is open M-F, from 9-11AM. Any questions, please call 715-524-5863.

FEBRUARY 7TH—FEBRUARY 14TH

SUN	MON	TUES	WED
7 8:00 Worship (HC) 9:00 Radio/Online Service 10:30 Celebration (Gym) (HC)	8 SCRIP ORDERS DUE 5:45 Praise Team 5:45 Bell Choir	9 9:00 Quilters 9:00 Ministry Staff 4:30 ECC 5:50 ECC Staff 6:30 Directors	10 8:10 Chapel 6:00 Confirmation
THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
11 9:00 Bible Study (112) 6:00 Kindergarten Registration 6:30 Bible Study (112)	12 12:00 Bulletin Deadline for Feb. 21st	13 5:30 Worship	14 8:00 Worship 9:00 Radio/Online Service 10:30 Celebration (Gym) 5:00 4-H

SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROTOCOLS

THE FOLLOWING ARE PRACTICES THAT WILL BE FOLLOWED IN ORDER TO PROVIDE THE SAFEST ENVIRONMENT FOR PEOPLE TO GATHER FOR WORSHIP. PLEASE READ THEM CAREFULLY:

- Minimize entrance and exit points for attendees. Access for services in the sanctuary will be limited to the Andrews Street entrance and the East Side Parking Lot entrance. Access for the Celebration service will be limited to the East Side Gym/School entrance. Weather permitting entrance/exit doors will be propped open.
- Post signs at all entrances reminding worshipers to practice social distancing, utilize hand sanitizers, and follow any other guidelines that will be established.
- Bulletins will NOT be handed out, but made available for individuals to pick up. Please take them with you when you leave.
- Offering plates will NOT be passed, but plates will be at the exits of the sanctuary/gym.
- No coffee, beverages or refreshments will be served.
- In the Sanctuary, people will be seated in every other pew. Appropriate signage will be in place to guide the seating. Families may sit together, but also allow 6 feet on either side of the family unit. Individuals must practice the *6-foot rule*. If attending with a friend sitting together is allowed, however 6 feet must be allowed on either side.
- For the Celebration service in the Gym, the same protocols will be observed. In addition, the bleachers will remain closed. The chairs and tables will be arranged to provide for social distancing.
- The use of masks is up to the discretion of the individual worshiper. Masks will NOT be provided. If an individual chooses to wear a mask, they must bring their own.
- Children will be invited forward for the Children's Message, however they will be asked to sit in designated places to provide for social distancing. Siblings may sit together.
- When celebrating the Lord's Supper, the Pastors and Lay Ministers will sanitize their hands immediately before serving. The Pastors will place the bread into the open hand of the individual being careful not to allow for hand to hand contact. The Common Cup will NOT be used during this time. The Lay Ministers will offer the individual cup. Trays will be set up to provide space between the cups so individuals will touch only the cup they are taking. Directions for coming forward and returning to seats will be given each time the Lord's Supper is celebrated.
- Individuals will be encouraged to leave the worship space and/or building following worship and avoid congregating in the narthex or halls. All worship spaces will be sanitized following worship. This includes all handrails, door handles, and any items touched in the normal course of entering and exiting the worship space.

In the joyful service of Jesus,
Pastor Mark & Pastor Steve

SPONSORSHIPS & CONTRIBUTIONS

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The Radio Broadcast has been sponsored in loving memory of Ronald Kupper, by Karen Kupper.

SPECIAL GIFTS

\$120 has been given to the Radio Broadcast Fund in loving memory of Mike Kast, by family and friends.

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Contributions can be debited automatically from your checking or savings account or processed using your credit or debit card. To set up your electronic donation on our website, go to www.stjames-shawano.org, and click on the GIVINGS link on the far right side.

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Sign up for St. James Lutheran Ministries digital news, which arrives in your inbox every Friday afternoon! Go to our website: www.stjames-shawano.org, and subscribe under the WELCOME tab. Also follow St. James on social media.

WIL KLEINSCHMIDT SCHOLARSHIP FUND

We know all of you understand the benefit of a Lutheran education. For some families, it is a financial struggle to attend St. James Lutheran School. After you have prayed about your own situation, we ask that you think about helping out fellow brothers and sisters in Christ. If the Spirit leads you to give with a cheerful heart, please send your gift to the school office marked Scholarship Fund. We appreciate your financial and more importantly, your prayerful support at St. James Lutheran.

ATTENDANCE & ESTIMATED VIEWS 01/30—01/31

Saturday Traditional	5:30 PM	72
Sunday Traditional	8:00 AM	74
Sunday Online: YouTube	9:00 AM	224
Facebook	9:00 AM	270
Sunday Celebration	10:30 AM	77

CONTRIBUTIONS

01/31/21

MTD

Home Envelopes	15,375	67,640
Cash/Plate	39	592
Thrivent Choice	0	0
School Tuition	1,686	20,296
Alumni	0	330
ECC	10,078	55,423
Preschool	90	1,840
JANUARY COLLECTIONS	27,268	146,121
Missions	485	2,240
Adopt-a-Student	0	0
Sound System	0	0
Good Samaritan Fund	0	562

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

2020 statements have been mailed out. If you did not receive yours in the mail, please contact the church office Monday—Friday 7:30AM—4:00PM by calling 715-524-4815 or send an email to secretary@stjamesshawano.org.

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