

THINGS TO PAINT IN JEFFERSON WISCONSIN

As of May 10, 2021

Jelli's Market – N5648 S Farmington, Helenville – A farm market that original started as a strawberry field and now also grows blueberries, raspberries, asparagus, sweet corn, apples and more. The week of the Plein Air should be the peak of strawberry picking season so they will be very busy with customers.

Terri Tinsley Dog Park – W5098 Canine Dr, Johnson Creek – On the northern boundary is this 109-acre park that is well utilized by dogs and their humans.

Brickhaus Café – 126 E Milwaukee St
Old world charm, hometown warmth. The Café is housed in a beautifully restored storefront.

Rotary Park – 301 S Gardner St
Rotary Park runs along the Rock River with entrances at Gardner and Milwaukee Streets.

Woolen Mills at Jefferson Area Business Center – 222 S Wisconsin Dr
Large facility on the Rock River with historic roots to woolen mills. This facility is where the gallery and sale will be on June 26th and 27th.

Rock Bottom Saloon and Eatery – 123 W Milwaukee St
The Rock Bottom is housed in a historic train depot next to Rotary Park.

Stable Rock Winery and Distillery – 123 W Milwaukee St
Newly renovated winery and distillery (and great food) in a historic building overlooking the Rock River.

River's Edge Nature Preserve – 843 S Whitewater Ave
This preserve was founded in honor of Scott Fischer, a loyal and hardworking member of the community of Jefferson on the site of his former business (now located on Main St). This park is also home to a Monarch waystation.

Pedestrian bridge across the Rock River at Milwaukee St – this iconic bridge connects the east and west sides of the Rock River downtown, next to Rotary Park.

Heron's Landing – 200 W Milwaukee St
This restaurant is in a building that was originally built in 1898 and sits on the banks of the Rock River overlooking Rotary Park. It was beautifully restored in 2008.

Fort Community Credit Union – 100 N Main St
Jefferson was once a hub for breweries with five operating in the community around 1870. This was once the home of Breunig Brewery. One of the old tunnels can still be seen at this location.

St John the Baptist Catholic Church – 324 E North St

St John's Lutheran Church – 232 E Church St

Immanuel United Methodist Church – 201 E Racine St |

St Mark's Lutheran Church – 324 S Sanborn Ave |

Christberg Church – Hwy 18 and Christberg Rd (East of Jefferson)

St Lawrence Catholic Church – W4926 Hwy 18 – *There is a group home south of the church. We have been requested to not go on their property for parking or painting near that group home for privacy purposes.*

St Coletta of Wisconsin – N4637 Co Rd Y

St. Coletta of Wisconsin is a provider of support services for adults with developmental disabilities and other challenges throughout their lifespan. Rose Kennedy lived here for many years. Beautifully maintained buildings and grounds from the early 1900's.

Jefferson Marsh Wildlife Area - To find the wildlife area travel east of Jefferson on US Hwy 18 about one mile and watch for a parking lot on the south side of the road. Another option is to head east of Jefferson on US Hwy 18 and turn south on county Hwy Y. Continue approximately 2.5 miles southeast on Highway Y to 3 different parking lots centrally located within the property.

Fidelity Land Title Ltd – 309 S Main St

The title company is housed in the former St Mary's Episcopal Church and the Historic Andrew Carnegie City Library. The two buildings are connected by a two-story glass atrium.

Riverfront Park – 589-729 S Wisconsin Dr

Community park on the Crawfish River. The park features 3 baseball diamonds, 2 lighted basketball courts, 2 lighted hard surface tennis courts, Skate Park Central (skateboard park) and the Playland of Dreams.

Wedl's Hamburger & Ice Cream Parlor – 200 E Racine St

This hometown establishment has been serving hamburgers with a secret recipe since 1916

Bon-Ton Bakery – 115 E Racine St

Celebrating its 100th year in business, this 5th generation bakery uses old world skills and the best ingredients and makes everything from scratch.

Wine and Roses – 215 S Center St – Renovated home now housing a floral shop that also sells wine and wine and beer making supplies.

Olsen-Gibson Funeral Home – 221 S Center St – A historic building in Jefferson that has been a funeral home for many years.

K-9 Memorial – Jefferson County Courthouse, 311 S Center St – K-9 memorial established in 2016 in memory of K-9's who have served the communities of Jefferson County.

Old Jefferson Firehouse – 148 E Milwaukee St

Originally this was the site of blacksmith shops in the 1850's and 60's. The Village of Jefferson bought the site in 1869 for a town hall and fire engine garage. The building was built in 1872 and has had additions over the years. It is currently the offices of FOCUS Co-working and Lawton & Cates.

Rock River Landing Park – 424 N Elizabeth Ave

Newly developed park on the Rock River. Includes restroom facilities and easy parking.

Tensfelt Park – South Tensfelt Ave

The southerly portion of the park, located along South Tensfeldt Avenue. The north side of the park is along East Riverview Drive and provides a self pay boat launching facility, restrooms and a parking lot for vehicles and trailers.

Rock River Community Garden – 200 W Riverview Dr

Check out the community garden as it also has views of the Rock River.

Crawfish River Park – Hwy 18 east of the Hwy 26 bypass

A group of individuals formed the Friends of Crawfish River Park to raise money and develop this new park. Parking is limited right on Hwy 18 (Racine St) but if you want a secluded piece of nature this is the ticket.

Glacial Drumlin Trail – 52 miles of trail between Cottage Grove and Waukesha

This trail goes through Jefferson. A map showing parking and information can be found at www.glacialdrumlin.com and <https://www.traillink.com/trail/glacial-drumlin-state-trail/>.