

Buttermilk Pancakes & French Toast

- One cake* 5.99 (Pancakes available until 11)
- Two cakes* 7.59
- Two cakes, sausage or bacon, two eggs, & potatoes* 14.99
- Two cakes, sausage or bacon, & two eggs* 11.99
- Two cakes or Two french toast & sausage or bacon* 10.99
- Three cakes & sausage or bacon* 12.99
- Chocolate chip pancake*- One 6.29 Two 8.99
- Thick homemade french toast* 6.99

Omelettes Comes with Toast

- "Our most famous" Farmers* 12.99**
Bursting with hashbrowns, sauteed onions, sausage, & american cheese
- The Philly* 11.99**
Steak, sauteed onions, green pepper, & swiss
- The Ham & Cheese* 10.99**
Heaping with ham & american cheese
- The Everything* 11.99**
Ham, onions, green peppers, tomatoes, & american cheese
- The Denver* 11.99**
Green pepper, onion, ham, & american cheese
- The Veggie* 8.99**
Sauteed onions, green peppers, tomatoes, & cheese

Morning Favorites

- ½ Lb ham steak, two eggs, potatoes & toast* 12.99
- Two eggs, potatoes, & toast* 7.99
- Two eggs, sausage or bacon, & toast* 8.99
- Two eggs, sausage or bacon, potatoes, & toast* 10.99
- Breakfast sandwich* 5.99

Sides

- Hash browns 2.99 Sausage or bacon 4.59
- Hash browns & cheese & onions 3.59
- Fresh bakery items daily



Appetizers

- Homemade french fries 3.59
- Loaded fries 5.59
A pile of homemade fries with ranch, & bacon
- "Slap Ya Mama" cajun fries 4.59
- White cheddar cheese curds 5.49
- Onion rings 5.49

Beverages

- Coffee- 100% columbian
- Pepsi Products
- Hot tea Juice Milk Iced Tea Lemonade
- Cappuccino Hot chocolate
- Old Fashioned Root Beer Float
- Old Fashioned Malt
- Iced coffee-French Vanilla or Hazelnut
- Mimosas, Bloody Mary's, Beer, Wine & Whiteclaw

Hand-Pattied Burgers & Sandwiches

- The Heart Stopper* 13.99**
"This baby is loaded" Two ½ Lb burgers covered with swiss & american cheese, fried onions, mushrooms, mayo, topped off with bacon..
- The Bet Big* 13.99**
Two ½ Lb cheese burgers with ham, & bacon on each level!!!
- The Jay-Jay* 8.99**
½ Lb cheese burger, lettuce, onions, tomato, & american cheese
- The Baconator* 8.99**
½ Lb burger & thick bacon & american cheese
- The Derby* 8.99**
½ Lb burger with swiss cheese, fried onions, & horsey sauce
- The Grilled Ham & Swiss* 8.99**
Tender sliced ham, & swiss cheese, on grilled bread
- The Darn Denver* 9.99**
Two scrambled eggs, green pepper, onion, & ham on toast
- The Jacked-Up Grilled Cheese* 8.99**
American, swiss, bacon, & tomato
- Bacon, Lettuce, & Tomato* 8.99**
- The Frisco* 10.99**
½ Lb burger, bacon, swiss & tomatoes, on grilled sourdough
- The Holey Cow* 8.99**
½ Lb burger smothered with mushrooms, & swiss
- The Sadie-O* 8.99**
½ Lb burger & swiss, fried onions, on grilled bread
- The Philly* 10.99**
Shredded steak, fried onions, green peppers, & swiss on a french roll
- Cordon Bleu* 10.99**
Grilled herbed chicken breast, ham, & swiss
- The Ranchero* 10.99**
Grilled herbed chicken breast, bacon, swiss, & ranch
- The Simpleton* 9.99**
Fried or grilled herbed chicken breast, lettuce, & tomato
- The Ace 8.99**
Ham, swiss, lettuce, tomato, & mayo on homemade bread
- The Wisconsinite* 6.99**
½ Lb burger & cheese

Dinners, Salads, & Baskets

- ½ Lb Hamburger Steak* 13.99
- Country Fried Chicken & milk gravy* 13.99
- Country Fried Steak & milk gravy* 13.99
- Liver n' Onions* 13.99
- Chicken Strip basket* 10.99
- Shrimp basket* 12.99
- The Chef Salad***
Onions, tomato, cheese, egg & your choice of meat on a bed of lettuce- Ham 10.99 Chicken 11.99
- The Chicken BLT* 11.99**
Herb grilled chicken, tomato, & bacon, on a bed of lettuce

*Wisconsin Friday Fish Fry**



Almost 60 years ago my mom, Ann, who was widowed, needed a job to support her three children at home, Judy, Joe, and Storm. The only thing she knew was cooking. She had previously managed a cafe in Stevens Point, The Congress Club. Somehow she stumbled upon The Crystal Cafe here in Iola, my mom loved this little town! It was unheard of for a woman to buy a business at this time. However, she managed to get a loan from the bank in the amount of \$13,000 to purchase The Crystal Cafe. The Cafe originally had only 13 coffee cups and place settings for 12. The daily special was roast beef (only a 4 Lb roast). All of the old-timers would speak Norwegian while enjoying their coffee, cookies, and good conversation. Business was slow in the beginning, but all of the townspeople soon started to gather here and it became the social center of Iola. Mom would work almost every day. "It was just Mom and I on the weekends, 5 am until 8 pm." On a great day we would make about \$80 during a fifteen hour shift. "We did not have much, much of nothin!" Mom would always say. We did not have guest checks, I would have to call orders back and Mom would make it all from scratch. In between customers both Mom and I would take turns doing dishes all by hand! As time passed by, the business grew and we were able to afford to remodel the building. So, as The Crystal Cafe went on I found myself always at the restaurant helping out Mom. She worked a lot, her expertise being PIES. She always thought that anything homemade is always better. So, her big secret about making her pies, "It's all about the feel of the dough." Mom believed in working hard, very hard, making everything from scratch, and serving quality food.

Mom retired at the age of 82 and I took over holding true to her philosophy. Now my daughter Jennifer manages and runs the kitchen as well as makes all of our award winning pies, just like her grandmother!

You will also see the 4th generation of girls, Sadie and Olivia, both of which are in college. Sadie also helps to manage the cafe as well as waitresses on the weekends.

Almost 60 years later and we have once again remodeled and added on. We have named our new addition, The Family Room! What could be more perfect in keeping mom's dream alive!

I hope you'll enjoy your visit, because here, we treat you like family!

Love, Judy

**For your catering
needs**

Call us!

Book our event space

"The Family Room"

715-445-9227

~Wedding pies

~picnics

~parties & more



~Judy, Jennifer, Sadie, & Olivia

*Best known for our award
winning "Pies 2 Die 4" Made
all from scratch, never any
preservatives*

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**Our
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Kids Menu 8.99

All kid's meals include a soda, & a cookie

Two chicken fingers & fries*

Grilled cheese & fries*

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