

# ST. GEORGE CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup> - SEPTEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup>

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY

OF ORDINARY TIME

**SHARING OUR TREASURE**

**WEEKLY COLLECTION**

**August 25<sup>th</sup> – August 31<sup>st</sup>**

**\$4,493.00**

**BUDGETED WEEKLY GOAL**

**\$5,500.00**

**BUILDING FUND CAMPAIGN**

**AUGUST TOTAL: \$5,838.50**

**2025 YTD: \$29,168.50**

**Our 2025 goal is \$50,000.**

**\*\* We are currently \$2,831.50 behind  
our monthly budget. \*\***

## **SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS**

PRAYER LINE - PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Wilma Aguinaga; Linda Antons; Sargeant Tyler Bailey; Rita Barrett; Maria Blanchette; Sandy Blanchette; Shawn Bradbury; Scott Brassea; Frankie Brazel; Michelle Cull; Sandy Donley; Pierson Eaker; Chuck Fisher; Carter Fortin; Cooper Freeland; Sharon Ferguson; Carol Gannon; Paul Hannig; Chuck Heckler; Becky Heitz; Chris Kaul; Lianne Kerr; Tom Kerr; Kaz Konik; Phoebe Koorhorn; Mary Kurylo; Willie Lawrence; Deacon Milt Leppert; George Mannos; Bobby & Earnestine McRath; Stephen Meredith; Barbara Miller; Cindy Nichols; Lisa Nieland; Nancy Oster Family; Joann Oswald; David Pericak; Harlan Petkunas; John Rohlwing; Mary Smith; Zoe Swanson; Gary Thompson; Jeanette Waaso; Jimmy Wasser Jr.; Cam Weber Family; Ron Whitman; Jeff Wilken; Cathy Wonitias and Family; Cheryl Woolenzine; Lana Zimmer; Dave Zivo; Special Intentions

**--REMINDER:** To add OR remove a loved one to the Prayer Line please contact the Parish Office:

**815-939-1851 or [stgeorge@stgeorgeil.com](mailto:stgeorge@stgeorgeil.com)**

## **UPCOMING MASS INTENTIONS**

**Wednesday, September 10<sup>th</sup>**

**8am:** \* Jim Kegg (Pam Saindon)

**Friday, September 12<sup>th</sup>**

**8am:** \* The Repose of the Souls of the Stringer Family  
(The Richard H. & Alice R. McMurry Fund)

**Saturday, September 13<sup>th</sup>**

**5pm:** \* Larry & Rita Walsh (Mark Walsh Family)

\* Paul Walsh (Mark Walsh Family)

\* Dennis Boudreau (Carol & Stephan Meredith)

**Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup>**

**8am:** \* Thomas Lambert (Paula & Tom Wasser)

\* James Raymond (James Raymond Family)

**10:15am:** \* Paul Hannig (Pam Cuchiara)

\* Parishioners of St. George

## **WEEKLY MINISTER SCHEDULE**

**September 13 - 14**

**5:00 PM Saturday, September 13**

**READER:** Denise Dillard

**USHER:** Merle Raymond

**GREETER:** Myra Swanson

**SACRISTAN:** John Mroz

**L/EM:** Marty Knight

**EM CHOIR:** Lynn Nevills

**EM CUP L:** Krista Sommer

**EM CUP RT:** Tom Nevills

**8:00 AM Sunday, September 14**

**READER:** Jessica Heldt

**USHER:** Joe Verrill

**GREETER:** Karen Verrill

**SACRISTAN:** Terri Henderson

**L/EM:** Patty Page

**EM CHOIR:** Terri Henderson

**EM CUP L:** Genny Bertalmio

**EM CUP RT:** Anthony Michals

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Lillian Rush,  
Elodie Ekhooff

**10:15 AM Sunday, September 14**

**READER:** Julie Lampley

**USHER:** Bobby Lampley

**GREETER:** Buzas Siblings

**SACRISTAN:** Mary Ann Kingsnorth

**L/EM:** Dave Glaeser

**EM CHOIR:** Stephanie DeCarlo

**EM CUP L:** Janet Fogarty

**EM CUP RT:** Donna Schmidt

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Kate & Johnny  
Sikma, Nate Absher



*God's blessings to our new parishioners:*

*Benji, Rosie & Emily Vasquez*

*Welcome to the St. George Church Family!*



*"But from everlasting to everlasting the LORD's love is with those who fear him, and his righteousness with their children's children..."  
~ Psalms 103:17*

Wishing a blessed Grandparent's Day to all Grandparents and lovingly remembering those who are no longer with us.

## **RECONCILIATION**

*Saturdays from 4:15 - 4:45 or by appointment.*

## YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSAL

Join us and share your voice!

**MONDAY, SEPT. 22<sup>ND</sup> 6:30 – 8:00pm**  
**CHURCH CHOIR LOFT**

(Children must be 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade or older.)

Youth choir sings the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of every month beginning October 5<sup>th</sup>. For more information, please contact **Luke Johnson at 815-953-3907**.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Parish Picnic –

### Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup>

Hosted by St. George Parish Council.

Picnic will kick off at the OUTDOOR 10:15am Mass and ends at 2:00pm. Parish will provide main meal. Parishioners are asked to bring a side and/or dessert to share.

- Free Event!

- Door Prizes!

- Fun games/activities with prizes for all ages!

**PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN LAWNCHAIRS AND LIBATION/BEVERAGE COOLERS.**

### “BOUND BY FAITH” BOOK CLUB

St. George Church invites women (ages 21 & older) to join us as we discuss the book “Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World” by Joanna Weaver.

FIRST MEETING:

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23RD

6:30 pm - 7:30 pm PARISH HALL

**\*REGISTRATION REQUIRED BY 9/25/25.\***

**TO REGISTER:** visit the following link-

<https://forms.gle/d6sxtVo8Dx5Fth3K6>

### VIATORIAN YOUTH MINISTRY BONFIRE

Youth (GRADES 6 - 12) are invited to come out for an evening of fun and fellowship!

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH**

**6:00 - 8:00 PM**

**ST. GEORGE CHURCH FIREPIT**

Dinner, s'mores and drinks will be provided.

Drop-off/park in the lot behind the Parish Hall.

*Please contact Amanda Fierce at 815-933-8285 ex. 335 or [afierce@mbvm.org](mailto:afierce@mbvm.org) with any questions.*

### ALPHA - BEGINS SEPT. 8TH!

Join us for a series of interactive sessions that freely explore the meaning of life & the basics of Christian faith.

*Mondays: 9/8 - 11/24 6:30pm – 8:30pm*

*Maternity BVM Parish Center*

**TO REGISTER:**

Visit [mbvmchurch.org](http://mbvmchurch.org) /call 815-933-8285

## SUPPORT OUR LOCAL MINISTRIES



### Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry

KCFP (part of JPPII) is reaching out to area communities for their support in helping families in need of food. The pantry shelves are almost bare. Your continued support of the pantry is greatly appreciated. *The need is greater than ever as we now serve close to 200 families in Kankakee County each week.* Please help KCFP meet the needs of these families by donating nonperishable food items. Please place donated items in the green bin marked KCFP in the Church Narthex.

### Pregnancy Resource Center

Thank you to all who have donated to this worthy organization! We appreciate your support. PRC needs baby wash, wipes and diapers infant to size 6.

### Deacon Milt's Ministry

Monetary donations are greatly appreciated and can be placed in any collection basket. These donations will help purchase snacks/supplies for nursing home residents.



## 34<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL GOOD SHEPHERD

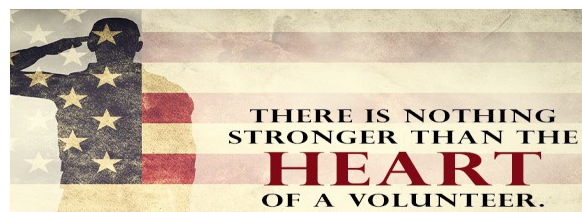
### MANOR FALL FESTIVAL

**Saturday, Sept.13, 2025 10:00am – 4:00pm**

**FREE admission & parking!**

Bake Sale, Mums, Family Crafts, Games, Bingo, Cash Raffle, Music, Food, Beer & GOOD TIMES!

*Proceeds benefit men with intellectual and developmental disabilities that Good Shepherd*



## ★ LET'S HELP OUR VETS ★

Manteno Veteran's home is in desperate need of volunteers to help take Veterans to the indoor chapel for Catholic Mass.

**Tuesdays, 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm**

Applications will be available in the back of the church.

Please contact Janet Fogerty at (779) 361-1734 for more information.