



ST. GEORGE CHURCH



JUNE 27th – 28th, 2026
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Readings: 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a, Romans 6:3-4, 8-11 *Gospel:* Matthew 10::37-42

SHARING OUR TREASURE

WEEKLY COLLECTION

June 15th – June 21st

\$5,466.00

BUDGETED WEEKLY GOAL

\$5,500.00

BUILDING FUND CAMPAIGN

JUNE: \$3,547.00

2026 YTD: \$23,192.00

Our 2026 goal is: \$50,000.00



PRAYER LINE ~ PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Sergeant Tyler Bailey; Rita Barrett; Sandy Blanchette; Dan Boudreau; Shaun Bradburry; Frankie Brazel; Michelle Cull; Angela Davault; Pierson Eaker; Carl Erickson; Sharon Ferguson; Chuck Fisher; Carter Fortin; Rachel Gezich; Mary Lu Gillian; Jim Gillooley; Travis Grant; Herve Gomichon; Paul Hannig; Sara Hart; Becky Heitz; Ken Johnson; Chris Kaul; Kaz Konik; Phoebe Korhorn; Danielle Korte; Tim Lacken; Cypress Lawler; Joanne Line; Winnie Markham; Amanda Martin; Kristi Martin; Kelly Matthais; Bobby & Ernestine McGrath; Harlan Petkunas; Domitila Pinedo; Michelle Marcotte Ramsey; Mike Sicinski; Barry Spevack; Danita Swanson; Zoe Swanson; Gary Thompson; Jimmy Wasser Jr.; Cam Weber Family; Jenny West; Drew Whitlow; Therese Zandy; Annette Zimbleman; 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



Wednesday, July 1st

8am: * **The Repose of the Souls of the Stringer Fmly**
(The Richard & Alice McMurry Fund)

Friday, July 3rd

8am: * **Euclid & Freda Bouchard** (MaryAnn Kingsnorth)

Saturday, July 4th

5pm: * **Rich Bergan** (Nancy Kurtz)
* **Alice Wilber** (The Giroux Family)

Sunday, July 5th

8am: * **Millie Blanchette** (Larry & Betty Blanchette)
* **Ed & Marie Kaminski** (The Kizior Family)

10:15am: * **Parishioners of St. George**
* **Carole Giroux** (The Giroux Family)



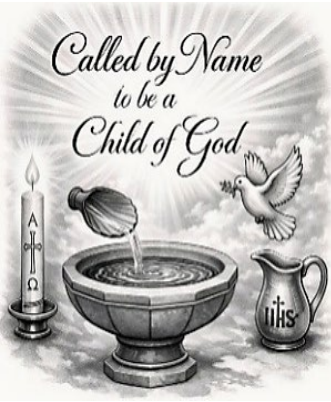
A Prayer For The Week...



Heavenly Father,
we thank You for the many blessings You pour into our lives and for the gift of gathering in faith this weekend. Open our hearts to hear Your Word, deepen our trust in Your loving care, and help us grow as faithful disciples of Your Son. Lord Jesus, teach us to love as You love, to show compassion to those who are suffering, and to be instruments of Your peace in our homes, workplaces, schools, and communities. Give us the courage to stand for what is right, the wisdom to seek Your will, and the generosity to share our gifts with those in need. Holy Spirit, guide us throughout the coming week. Renew our faith, strengthen our hope, and fill us with charity so that all we do may give glory to God.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

~ Amen



Congrats & God's Blessings to
Lenox Alester Switalski,
Asa Evander Switalski
 &
Cooper Lewis Sulkin
 who were baptized on 6/21/26.

LITURGY MINISTRY SCHEDULE

July 4-5

5:00 PM Saturday, July 4
READER: Marianne Gezich
USHER: Merle Raymond
USHER: Mike Voss
GREETER: Renee Knickrehm
SACRISTAN: John Mroz
L/EM: Linda Mancuso
EM CHOIR: Krista Sommer
EM CUP L: Stephen Knickrehm
EM CUP RT: Katie Gersch



8:00 AM Sunday, July 5
READER: Lou Hagemaster
USHER: Jeff Berns
USHER: Bede Bertalmio
GREETER: Jim/Barb Masse
SACRISTAN: Terri Henderson
L/EM: Genny Bertalmio
EM CHOIR: Tom Hagemaster
EM CUP L: Terri Henderson
EM CUP RT: Lisa Conrad
ALTAR SERVERS: Elodie Ekhoﬀ,
 Carson/Noah Provost

10:15 AM July 5
READER: Lisa Berg
USHER: Jake Krisko
USHER: Mike Krisko
GREETER: Angela Buzas
SACRISTAN: Lisa Berg
L/EM: Shari Fritz
EM CHOIR: Mary Beth Krisko
EM CUP L: Mike Blanchette
EM CUP RT: Donna Schmidt
ALTAR SERVERS: Kate/Johnny Sikma,
 Andrew Poremba

Youth Ministry
BONFIRE
SATURDAY, JULY 11TH
7:00-9:00PM BONFIRE
 St. George Parish Firepit/Gazebo
 5272 E 5000N Rd in Bourbonnais
 (drop off/park behind Parish Hall)

dinner, smores & drinks provided

Grades 6-12

No registration or cost. Questions? Amanda Fierce
 afierce@mbvm.org; 815-933-8285 x335



Fifteen high school students from St. George, Maternity BVM, St. Patrick Parish, and several local schools participated in Kairos 1, the first retreat in the newly restarted Kairos program through the shared Viatorian Youth Ministry of St. George and Maternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Kairos is a four-day retreat experience centered on prayer, reflection, small-group discussion, journaling, the Sacraments, and building meaningful friendships. Through talks, worship, activities, and time away from daily distractions, participants were invited to deepen their relationship with God and one another.



The retreat was coordinated by Amanda Fierce of Maternity BVM, and Amy McCrary of St. George, with the support of dedicated adult volunteers, Patty Baily, Bobby Lampley and Heather Johnson student leaders, Bria McCrary, Anna Sikma, Cooper Austin, Allie Trudeau, Jackson Kirchner, Nick Antognoli, Hailey Neill. Despite being nervous and not knowing what to expect on the first day, the response from retreatants exceeded all expectations. New friendships were formed, faith was strengthened, and a strong foundation was laid for future retreats. As one participant shared, the retreat provided a place to feel welcomed, supported, and closer to God. We are grateful to Fr. Pat, Fr. Jason, and Fr. Moses for their support and presence throughout the retreat, and we look forward to continuing this ministry through Fourth Day gatherings and future Kairos retreats. Special thanks to all who helped provide hospitality, meals, prayer, and encouragement throughout the retreat. Please keep these young people and the future of our youth ministry in your prayers as we continue to build opportunities for teens to encounter Christ and grow in faith. Stay tuned for Summer 2027 Viatorian Kairos 2!