

**ST. GEORGE CHURCH**  
**JANUARY 21<sup>st</sup> - JANUARY 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
**THIRD SUNDAY IN**  
**ORDINARY TIME**

**SHARING OUR TREASURE**

**-- WEEKLY COLLECTION**

**January 9<sup>th</sup> - January 15<sup>th</sup>**

**\$5048**

**--BUILDING FUND CAMPAIGN**

**January:**

**YTD:**

**Our 2023 goal is \$60,000.**

**SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS**

**--PRAYER LINE - PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Baby A.; Tyler Bailey; Rita Barrett; Ken Bertrand; Brian Bohlmann; Scott Brassea; Claire Bunnell; Karla Butler; Carter Fortin; Antoinette Granger; Marie Grotto; Ken & Chris Kaul; Judy Kinder; Brian King; David Krueger; Deacon Milt Leppert; Niki Marquie; Sandy Mayer; Stephen Meredith; Brandi Neal; Katie Neal; Patrick O'Leary; Dave Raiche; Tracy Redman; Cliff Rusk; Sandy & Mel Sadnick; Jim Saindon; Makenna Seimer; Gloria Stryczek; Zoe Swanson; Jereme Trezise; Carl Tosi; Rita Wakerlin;  
Kathy Wagner; Jim Wasser; Dave Zivo; Special Intention

**--REMINDER** To add OR remove a loved one to the Prayer Line please call the Parish Office: 815-939-1851 or email [stgeorge@stgeorgeil.com](mailto:stgeorge@stgeorgeil.com)

**UPCOMING MASS INTENTIONS**

**Wednesday, January 25<sup>th</sup>**

**8AM \* Jim Regnier** (Francis & Jean Smith)

**Friday, January 27<sup>th</sup>**

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

**Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup>**

**5:00 PM \*Norma Faford** (Larry & Betty Blanchette)

**Sunday, January 20<sup>th</sup>**

**8AM \*Ken Kuntz** (Family & Friends)

**10:15 AM \*Ezra & Lorena Marquie**

**\*Parishioners of St. George**

**WEEKLY MINISTER SCHEDULE**

**Saturday 5:00 pm January 28**

**READER:** Denise Dillard

**USHER:** Marty Knight

**GREETER:** Mary Knight

**SACRISTAN:** John Mroz

**L/EM:** Michelle Walsh

**EM Choir:** Carol Wasser

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Derrico Sisters

**Sunday 8:00 am January 29**

**READER:** Megan Nims

**USHER:** Phil Romanowski

**GREETER:** Karen Verrill

**SACRISTAN:** Rosa Carroll

**L/EM:** Tina Romanowski

**EM Choir:** Pat Blanchette

**ALTAR SERVER:** Nims siblings/

**Sunday 10:15 am January 29**

**READER:** Jean Beck

**USHER:** Don Lemonnier

**GREETER:** Mary Beth Krisko

**SACRISTAN:** Mary Ann Kingsnorth

**L/EM:** Mike Blanchette

**EM Choir:** Russ Absher

**ALTAR SERVER:** Jedlicka Brothers, Kate Worsham

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**January 29<sup>th</sup>-** Hospitality Sunday

**February 5<sup>th</sup>-** Children's Liturgy at 10:15

**February 11<sup>th</sup>-** Pre Superbowl-Party & Chili Cook-Off

**February 25<sup>th</sup>-** 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Trivia Night

**FAMILY FAITH FORMATION**

**January Schedule**

**January 29<sup>th</sup> -** Classes for K-7 @ 9:00 AM

**February Schedule**

**February 5<sup>th</sup>-** 9:00AM Family Gathering K-2  
Class 3<sup>rd</sup> -7<sup>th</sup>

Confirmation Class/Mass

**February 12<sup>th</sup> -** 9:00 AM Family Gathering 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>  
Class K-2<sup>nd</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup>

**2022 TAX LETTERS**

If you need a 2022 tax letter, please email Amy in the parish office at [bookkeeperstgeorgeil.com](mailto:bookkeeperstgeorgeil.com) or call 815-939-1851. Amy will email your tax letter to you unless you request it to be mailed to you.

## **PRE-SUPERBOWL PARTY & CHILI COOK-OFF**

The place to be on Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 is St. George Parish Hall. Bring a crock pot of your award-winning chili with a serving utensil for a “who has the best tasting chili” contest. The “fixins” for chili and lemonade will be provided. Bring your dollar bills to vote for your favorite chili. The person who collects the most money for their awesome chili will win a special prize. Bring your own libations. All proceeds from this event will benefit Family Ministry. Even if you are not a chili chef please come and enjoy some chili and vote for your favorite!!

## **SPIRITUAL RETREATS**

St. George Church Parishioners are invited to join Father Dan as he walks the road of “St. George” unraveling various topics such as Prayer, Men’s Spirituality, and the Passion.

- † Prayer Retreat: Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup> 8:30-10:30 AM. Cost is \$20.00
- † “Men’s” Retreat: Thursday, March 16<sup>th</sup> 6:30-8:00 PM. Cost is \$20.00.
- † “Passion of Christ Bible Study” Retreat: Thursday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> 6:30-8:00 PM. Cost is \$10.00.

Only 15 spaces available for each retreat. Payment secures your reservation (s). Food will be provided. To make reservations and for payment instructions please contact the Parish Office at 815-939-1851.

## **5<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL TRIVIA NIGHT** **Get your teams together!**

Martha & Mary Ministry is hosting Trivia Night on Saturday, February 25<sup>th</sup> in the Parish Hall. Doors open at 6:00PM (the first round begins at 7:00.) Tickets will be sold before & after each Mass on the weekends of February 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> and February 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup>. Tickets are \$25.00 per person. All proceeds benefit the various ministries of St. George Parish. If you have questions, please contact Denise Mikrut at 815-258-4824 or [djmike43@sbcglobal.com](mailto:djmike43@sbcglobal.com)

## **EASTER LAWN CROSS SALE**

Lawn Crosses will be sold in the church narthex before and after Masses on the weekends of February 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> and February 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup>. Limited quantities available. Proceeds to benefit Family Ministry

## **LITURGY MINISTRY**

We are looking for Liturgy Ministers for all masses. If you are interested in becoming an usher, greeter, Eucharistic Minister, or lector or would like to come back to the Liturgy Ministry please contact Lisa at 815-939-1851 or email to [stgeorge@stgeorgeil.com](mailto:stgeorge@stgeorgeil.com).

## **CHOIR REHEARSAL**

Youth Choir – No January rehearsals  
**Contemporary Choir- Mondays 6:45-8:00**  
Adult Choir- No January rehearsals

## **SUPPORT LOCAL MINISTRY**

St. George will continue to collect items for several ministries. Thank you for your generosity. All items can be left in the church narthex labeled for what group they are intended. Money can be left in an envelope marked Deacon Milt in the collection basket. God Bless You!

- † **DEACON MILT’S MINISTRY:** A cash donation to continue buying snacks and supplies for the various nursing homes they visit is greatly appreciated.
- † **JPII FOOD PANTRY:** Accepts nonperishable food items (peanut butter, cereal, canned fruit, flour, sugar) as well as paper products (paper towels, toilet paper, and Kleenex)
- † **PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER-** We need boys’ & girls’ clothes sizes 9 months-24 months, diapers sizes 4, 5, 6, baby wipes, and baby body wash.

**Thank you for your donations and monetary offerings!**

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