

St. George Church

June 18th & 19th

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD
OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

SHARING OUR TREASURE

-- WEEKLY COLLECTION

June 6th - June 12th

\$3849

--BUILDING FUND CAMPAIGN

May - **\$4,997**

YTD: **\$30,715**

Our 2022 goal is \$60,000

SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS

--PRAYER LINE - PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Linda Anderson; Mike Austin; Tyler Bailey; Rita Barrett; Mary Borgan; Scott Brassea; Claire Bunnell; Londa Carder; Harriet Chesney; Joanne Chestnut; Liam Cutts; Carter Fortin; Vickie Franklin; Patricia Glaeser; Antoinette Granger; Carolyn Holman; Kenny Johnson; Mary Kamaske, Ken & Chris Kaul; Mary Kelch; Judy Kinder; Brian King; Gretchen LaBeau; Maureen Lotti; Mary Jane Madoni; Earnestine McRath; Stephen Meredith; Naomi Nagy; Jerry Philpott; Dee Ann Garry Roy; Cliff Rusk; Sandy & Mel Sadnick; Jim Saindon; Chris Thorton; Dominick Tieri; Carl Tosi; Jim Wasser; Sharon White; Jerry Wyszynski; Dave Zivo; Special Intention

--REMINDER To add OR remove a loved one to the Prayer Line please call the Parish Office:
815-939-1851

UPCOMING MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday, June 22nd

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

Friday, June 24th

8AM * Brenda Noe (Family and Friends)

Saturday, June 25th

5:00PM * Brenda Noe (Family and Friends)

* Arthur & Theresia Fritz, and Arthur Fritz Jr. (The Family)

Sunday, June 26th

8AM * Eva Raymond (Don & Virgie Surprenant)

* The Parishioners of St. George

10:15 AM * Ron Coash (Marlene Coash & Family)

* Janet Luhman (Rick & Mary Ann Kingsnorth)

WEEKLY MINISTER SCHEDULE

Sat 5:00 pm June 25

READER: Sandy Blanchette

USHER: Merle Raymond

GREETER: Judy Krueger

SACRISTAN: John Mroz

L/EM: Rita Mroz

EM Choir: Carol Wasser

Sunday 8:00 am June 26

READER: Denise Dillard

USHER: Phil Romanowski

GREETER: Pat Blanchette

SACRISTAN: Rosa Carroll

L/EM: Tina Romanowski

EM Choir: Hunter Romanowski

ALTAR SERVERS: Sam Verrill, Giavanna Nims

Sunday 10:15 am June 26

READER: Lisa Berg

USHER: Dave Glaeser

GREETER: Mary Ann Kingsnorth

SACRISTAN: Mary Ann Kingsnorth

L/EM: Mike Blanchette

EM Choir: Marsha Saathoff

ALTAR SERVERS: Cooper Austin, Kate Worsham, Ryan Lampley

UPCOMING EVENTS

- July 17th- Summerfest
- July 25th -28th-The 11th Annual Viatorian Youth Congress

YOU COULD BE A WINNER!

SUMMERFEST PROGRESSIVE RAFFLE

Each ticket purchased enters you into 2 drawings for a VIZIO "V Series" 50-inch TV (winner drawn 7/1/22) and a Club Car Golf Cart (winner drawn 7/17/22). Raffle Tickets are \$10 each. Raffle tickets will be in the back of the church.

SUMMERFEST COUNTRY STORE

Donations are now being accepted for the Country Store on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9:00-1:00 in the Parish Hall. The following items **WILL NOT** be accepted: electronics, pictures, picture frames, stuffed animals, clothes, and shoes.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

To register for the 2022-2023 Family Faith Formation Program, go to-

<https://www.osvhub.com/stgeorgeil/forms/2022-2023-st-george-re-student-registration-1>.

GOD LOVES TO HEAR OUR VOICES

Readings and song numbers can be found on the board in the front of the church located at the side by the Tabernacle.

LITURGY MINISTERS

We are looking for volunteer liturgy ministers for all three Masses. If you are interested in becoming an usher, greeter, Eucharistic Minister, or reader please call the office at (815) 939-1851. Lisa Berg will provide training.

BISHOP MCNAMARA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

If you have a child attending Bishop McNamara during the 2022-2023 school year Scholarship Applications are in the back of the church. Please return completed application to the collection basket or white box outside the Rectory on or before July 17th.

ST GEORGE MUSIC

Looking for cantors for our weekly masses. If you cannot join the choir, but feel confident in your solo voice we would love to add you to the cantor schedule. Please contact Maggie Prendergast at stgeorgechoir@stgeorgeil.com or 815-351-1344.

ORGAN LESSONS: Our very talented Mark Nolan would like to give organ lessons to anyone with 2+ years of piano skills. If you would like to learn this beautiful art please reach out to Maggie Prendergast to schedule lessons.

START THINKING PIES

Pies will be served with dinner at this year's Summerfest. Please consider donating a pie(s). PEACH, BLUEBERRY, APPLE, and CHERRY are the fruit pies that will be accepted. About 206 pies are needed for this event. Pies must be purchased.

Per the Health Dept. we cannot accept homemade pies. Pies can be dropped off in the FQYMC before the 5:00 Mass on Saturday, July 16th and before/after the Sunday Masses on July 17th.

VIEW OUR CHURCH WEBSITE

For current information and events view our website at www.stgeorgeil.com or "like" our Facebook page St. George Church & Family Ministry.

SUPPORT LOCAL MINISTRY

St. George will continue to collect items for several ministries. Thank you for your generosity.

- **Pregnancy Resource Center** *needs new 2T boys' & girls' outfits with tags please! Also size 3 diapers and wipes, wipes, wipes are in short supply.* Diapers sizes newborn, 4, 5, & 6, diaper cream, and baby body wash are appreciated as well.
- **JPII Food Pantry** accepts nonperishable food items (canned fruit/vegetables, spaghetti & sauce, flour, sugar, cereal, peanut butter) as well as paper products such as paper towels, Kleenex, and toilet paper.
- **Deacon Milt's Ministry** appreciates cash to continue buying snacks and supplies for the various nursing homes he and Juliet visit.

All items can be left in the back of church labeled for what group they are intended. Money can be left in an envelope marked Deacon Milt in the collection basket. Our St. George Community has been so generous in helping these ministries. YOU are very much appreciated! God Bless You!

MATERNITY BVM CREDIT UNION

We welcome St. George Catholic Church Parishioners to become members of Maternity BVM Credit Union. Please give us a call at (815) 932-7131 to schedule an appointment. Check out our website www.mbvmcu.com for more information. We offer competitive loan rates and pay better dividends than some banks.

FATHER'S DAY PRAYER

God our Father, we give you thanks and praise for fathers young and old.

We pray for the young fathers, newly embracing their vocation: may they find courage and perseverance to balance work, family, and faith in joy and sacrifice.

We pray for our own fathers around the world whose children are lost or suffering: may they know that the God of Compassion walks with them in their sorrow.

We pray for men who are not fathers, but still mentor and guide us with fatherly advice and love. We remember fathers, grandfathers, and great grandfathers who are no longer with us, but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen.