

ST. GEORGE CHURCH
MAY 11th – MAY 12th
THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

SHARING OUR TREASURE

-- WEEKLY COLLECTION

April 29th – May 5th

\$7239

BUDGETED WEEKLY GOAL

\$5500

--BUILDING FUND CAMPAIGN

April TOTAL: \$3042

2024 YTD: \$22,279

Our 2024 goal is \$60,000.

SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS

--PRAYER LINE - PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Sargeant Tyler Bailey; Rita Barrett; Roger Bean; Joe Bennet; Sandy Blanchette; Jackie Bournique; Nyree Bowen; Scott Brassea; Patsy Burns; Karla Butler; Ashley Carroll; Nora Corder; Jim Damptz; Mary DePatis; William Folkerts; Brook Grzelak; Carter Fortin; Jim Grankowski; Chuck Heckler; Marlene Huot; Ethen Huntley; Ken & Chris Kaul; Annie & Laura Kemble; Beth Emery Kile; Connie Kostich; Howard Kutemeier; Linda LaCoy; Patti Lanigan; Don LeMonnier; Kathleen Leppert; Kevin Martin; Stephen Meredith; Lisa Nieland; Maureen Opatik; Fred Pallok; Alicia Parkinson; Harlan Petkunas; Linda Rejowski; Matthew Steurer; Gloria Stryczek; Zoe Swanson; Tammy; Marge Voss; Jim Wasser; Cam Weber; Dave Zivo; Special Intentions

--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

UPCOMING MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday, May 15th

8AM * Eva Raymond (Arnie & Kathy Guimond)

Friday, May 17th

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

Saturday, May 18th

5:00PM * James Saindon (Pam Saindon)

*James & Antoinette Granger (David Granger)

*Chris Burrirt (Bridget & Larry Markel)

Sunday, May 19th

8AM *Maxine Lambert (Paula & Tom Wasser)

*Parishioners of St. George

10:15AM *Bert Ortiz (Jackie Bournique)

*Orval & Rose Johnston (Mary Ann Kingsnorth)

*Stephen Pietras (Nadine Dettmer)

WEEKLY MINISTER SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00pm May 18

READER: Lori Rusk

USHER: Merle Raymond

GREETER: Judy Krueger

SACRISTAN: John Mroz

L/EM: Bridget Markel

EM CHOIR: Denise Dillard

ALTAR SERVERS: Sikma Siblings

Sunday 8:00 am May 19

READER: Carol Kizior

USHER: Jeff Berns

GREETER: Barbara Masse

SACRISTAN: Rosa Carroll

L/EM: Sid Masse

EM CHOIR: Wayne Kizior

ALTAR SERVERS: B. Verrill, Fiona Walsh

Sunday 10:15 am May 19

READER: Amy McCrary

USHER: Bobby Lampley

GREETER: Addison McCrary

SACRISTAN: Mary Ann Kingsnorth

L/EM: Don Lemonnier

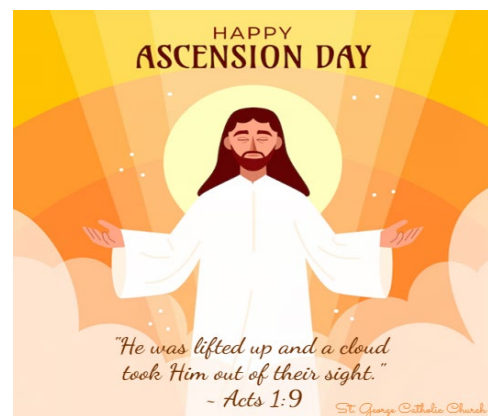
EM CHOIR: Julie Lampley

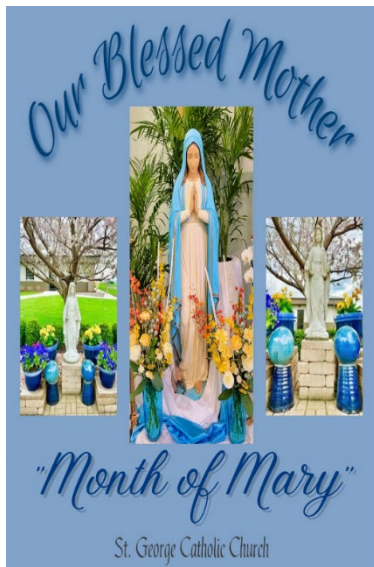
ALTAR SERVERS: Ryan Lampley, Kate Worsham

UPCOMING EVENTS

St. George Catholic Church
Family Faith Formation
- 2024-25 EARLY REGISTRATION -
Register by **FRIDAY, MAY 17TH** to be eligible for the following drawings:
Drawing #1: FULL TUITION REFUND & 150.00 gas card
Drawing #2: 150.00 gas card
TUITION PRICES:
GRADES K, 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, & 7: \$75.00 PER STUDENT
GRADES 2 & 8: \$100.00 PER STUDENT (INCLUDES SACRAMENTAL FEE)
(General prices above reflect multi-child family discounts)
TO REGISTER, PLEASE VISIT THE WEBSITE BELOW OR SCAN THE QR CODE:
<https://www.osvhub.com/stgeorgeil/religious-ed/2024-25>
IF YOU ARE A FAMILY FAITH FORMATION VOLUNTEER, PLEASE CONTACT BARRY DILLARD PRIOR TO REGISTERING TO OBTAIN YOUR VOLUNTEER DISCOUNT CODE.
For questions/more information, please contact Denise Dillard at 815-949-9537 or stgeorge@outlook.com.

† **June 14th - Evening Under the Stars at 6:00 PM.** More information is coming soon.





Month Of Mary Devotion

MARY: AT CANA

"In the Gospel, St. John has recorded a wonderful phrase of our Lady. At the wedding of Cana, she turned to the waiters and said: 'Do whatever he tells you.' That is what it is all about -- getting people to face Jesus and ask him: 'Lord, what do you want me to do?'"

*Let us offer to our Mother today:
Prompt obedience, when we are called or asked to do some errand or some act of service.*

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

A prayer for Mother's Day

Lord, we remember the mothers who have gone before us.
For their love, sacrifice, struggle and joy, we thank you.

Lord, we remember the mothers of Scripture who are a part of our story as we are a part of your story.
For their courage, faith, love and fierceness, we thank you.

Lord, we remember those who have not given birth to us, but are mothers to us.
For their gift of themselves that they have given, we thank you.

For the women who struggle with fertility, for those women whom society labels as less in their childlessness, for those women who have lost children.
For their tears, for their strength, for their wisdom, for their lives, we thank you.

In your name we pray. Amen. St. George Catholic Church

LET'S CONTINUE TO SUPPORT OUR LOCAL MINISTRIES

- † **JPII FOOD PANTRY** serves Kankakee County and provides for 120 families each week. St. George is asking our parishioners to help JPII meet the needs of these families by donating nonperishable food items such as sauces, pasta, snacks, jelly, peanut butter, and cereal. Please leave donated items in the green bin marked JPII in the Church Narthex.
- † **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.
- † **Pregnancy Resource Center** needs baby wipes, baby wash, baby shampoo, and diapers sizes 1-6.

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO FOR OUR COMMUNITY

MAY SCHEDULE

THURSDAY 5/2: 9:00AM - 1:00PM
THURSDAY 5/9: 9:00AM - 1:00PM
THURSDAY 5/16: 9:00AM - 1:00PM
SUNDAY 5/19: 8:00AM - NOON
THURSDAY 5/23: 9:00AM - 1:00PM
THURSDAY 5/30: 9:00AM - 1:00PM

Try our new SUNSHINE SHAKE

A yellow, white-chocolate flavored drink that will **BRIGHTEN** your day!

Dragons Den Coffee Shop Friends

The Dragon's Den Coffee Shop will be closing its doors for the final time at the end of business day on **Thursday, May 30th.**

It has been our pleasure to serve you all and we will miss seeing all of your friendly faces.

We sincerely thank you all for your wonderful support over the past year! God's blessings to you all!

BISHOP McNAMARA HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

Applications for student scholarships for those high school youth attending Bishop McNamara Catholic High School during the 2024-2025 school year are now available on the back table of the church.

ST. GEORGE CHURCH GOLF OUTING

Volunteers are needed to help plan the St. George Church Annual Golf Outing. If you are interested, please contact Addison Goering at (815) 474-7783 or awgoering62@gmail.com. The outing is scheduled for September 29 at the Kankakee Elks Country Club.

Have you visited the **St. George Church** webpage recently?

Visit and find the following:

- Contact Information
- Upcoming Events
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- Much More!

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