ST. GEORGE CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 20TH - SEPTEMBER 21ST TWENTY- FIFTH OF ORDINARY TIME

SHARING OUR TREASURE

WEEKLY COLLECTION

September 8th - September 14th

\$3,683.00

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. **





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: 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

UPCOMING MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday, September 24th

8am: * Millie Blanchette (Paul & Laraine Engleman)

Friday, September 26th

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

Saturday, September 27th

5pm: * Richard Raymond (Denise Dillard)

Sunday, September 28th

8am: * Donna Collett (McTaggart Family)

10:15am: * Parishioners of St. George

WEEKLY MINISTER SCHEDULE

September 27 - 28

5:00 PM Saturday, September 27

READER: Larry Blanchette **USHER:** Merle Raymond **GREETER:** Judy Krueger **SACRISTAN:** John Mroz L/EM: Michele Walsh **EM CHOIR:** Mike Lambert

EM CUP L: Katie Gersch EM CUP RT: Tom Gavin

8:00 AM Sunday, September 28

READER: Paula Wasser

USHER: Jeff Berns

GREETER: Jack Havmond **SACRISTAN:** Terri Henderson

L/EM: Lisa Conrad

EM CHOIR: Pat Blanchette EM CUP L: Tom Wasser

EM CUP RT: Tom Hagemaster **ALTAR SERVERS:** Carson &

Noah Provost

10:15 AM Sunday, September 28

READER: Amy McCrary **USHER:** Mike Krisko

GREETER: Gianna Brosseau

SACRISTAN: Mary Ann Kingsnorth

L/EM: Mike Blanchette

EM CHOIR: Mary Beth Krisko EM CUP L: Don LeMonnier **EM CUP RT:** Lisa Berg

ALTAR SERVERS: Colin Heusing,

Tessa Petkunas



SEPTEMBER 2025 SCHEDULE

9/21: K-7th only

9-10am (PH/FQYMC)

9/28: K-7th & Confirmation Class 9-10am (PH/FQYMC)

RECONCILIATION

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



God's blessings to our new parishioner:

Kaela Heavener

Welcome to the St. George Church Family!

UPCOMING EVENTS

YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSAL

Join us and share your voice!

MONDAY, SEPT. 22ND
6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
CHURCH CHOIR LOFT

(Children must be 3rd Grade or older.)
Youth choir sings on the 1st Sunday of
Every month, beginning October 5th.
For more information, please contact **Luke Johnson at 815-953-3907**.

"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 linkhttps://forms.gle/d6sxtVo8Dx5Fth3K6

\$ O. C. I. A. \$

(Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Where are you on your faith journey? Are you interested in becoming Catholic or know someone who is?

2025 O. C. I. A. SESSIONS WILL BEGIN SOON!

If you think that O. C. I. A. would be right for you in your faith journey, please contact the Parish Office at: 815-939-1851 or stgeorge@stgeorgeil.com for more information.

SUPPORT OUR LOCAL MINISTRIES

Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry

KCFP (part of JPII) 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.

A Prayer For Catechists

O God, our Heavenly Father,

You have given us the gift of these catechists to be heralds of the Gospel to our parish family. We lift them up to you in thanksgiving and intercede for them concerning their hopes and needs. May we be attentive to the presence of your Word in them. a Word that lifts up and affirms, calls forth and challenges, is compassionate and consoles. We pray that our parish family will always be blessed with those who have responded to the call to share in Christ's prophetic mission as catechists. May we too be open to the universal call to service that Christ addresses to all His disciples, contributing our gifts to the communion of faith, the Church.

We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY 9/21/25

Today, we thank God and celebrate the gift of our Family Faith Formation Catechists and volunteers.

We acknowledge their dedication and pray for God to guide them as they fulfill their call to share their faith.

Thank you for All you do!