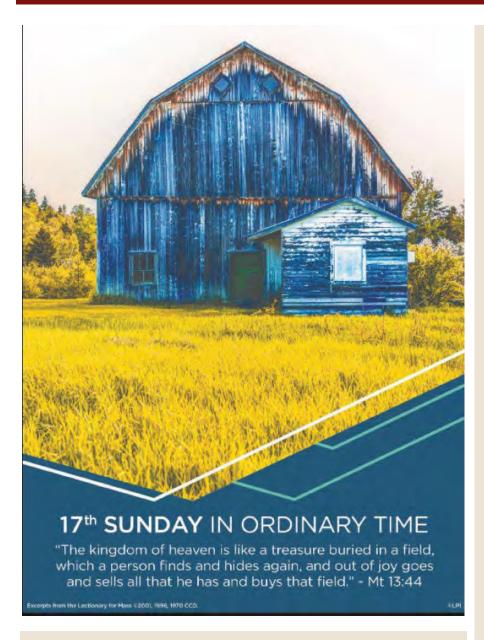
SAINT GEORGE CATHOLIC CHURCH

July 30, 2023 - 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Our Mission

We, the faith-filled community of Saint George, nourished by God's Word and His Sacraments and renewed by the Holy Spirit accept the call to continue the Mission of Christ by living in, sharing and transforming our world.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM

Monday - Friday: 8:15 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Adoration / Private Prayer

Tuesday: 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM in Church

with Benediction

Monday through Friday: 11:00 AM to Midnight in Holy Family Chapel

Parish Office

6707 West 175th Street Tinley Park, Illinois 60477 708-532-2243

www.stgeorge60477.org

Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 8:45 AM to 3:00 PM

Tuesday & Thursday: 8:45 AM to 6:00 PM

Office Closed: $12:00\,\text{PM}$ to $1:00\,\text{PM}$

Monday through Friday

Parish School

6700 West 176th St. Tinley Park, IL 60477 708-532-2626

www.stgeorgeschool.org

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A Word From The Pastor



As I write this, we have just gotten word that our Director of Life-Long Formation, Jeanne Lassandrello, lost her husband on Monday. Gary had had extensive surgery and died unexpectedly. Jeanne and Gary were married for almost 50 years. Please keep the Lassandrello Family in your prayers.

Often I hear from people telling me they feel so frustrated watching the news. And who can blame them? There is so much violence and war, injustices and pain. It can easily become overwhelming. Part of the problem is that there are

segments of the media that deal fast and loose with the facts. Opinions become fact, usually because the speakers seem to think the louder they say something the truer it becomes.

Aside from the things just mentioned, another thing that should bother us all is stupid. I mean when we see things happen that are just plain stupid. Many years ago as I was channel surfing, I came upon a Christian station that had to two guys arguing the Biblical pros and cons of slavery. My jaw dropped. There we were, in the 20th century, with two white guys arguing the merits of slavery from a Biblical perspective. The stupidity of it was astonishing.

Now in the 21st century, we are seeing some states are changing their history curriculum, teaching that American slavery had its good points, too. The slaves were taught a life-skill they could use to better their lives! I thought I was watching Saturday Night Live or some comedy show. Who in their right mind would possibly make such a ridiculous statement? Well, apparently there are some who do. Unfortunately, they are in positions of power, pandering to the lowest common denominator in their constituencies.

Allow me to jump into the fray here and say emphatically that when a person is deprived of their liberty and enslaved for the rest of their lives, that is a crime against humanity. There is no justification. There is no wiggle room. And there certainly is no way that anyone benefits from it except those who steal the labor and freedom of another.

What these people should really be concerned about is the modern-day slavery that goes on in every corner of society in every country. Much of the stylish but cheap clothes we buy are made in countries where slave labor or incredibly low wages are paid in awful work conditions. Often the victims of this are children.

Even worse, the slavery of human trafficking is rampant. Children are sold to lead a life of unspeakable horror. Their lives, their innocence, their futures are stolen. Women are used in despicable ways. Often they are people from other countries, hoping to make a life in America. Sadly, though, this problem has no borders.

At a recent Priests' Day, the tangled issue of immigration came up. The Cardinal made the very cogent point that many people are fleeing violence created by drug cartels. The drug cartels are mainly funded by us, citizens of the United States. So as we wrestle with the immigration issue, we need to look at our own voracious appetites for drugs and illicit sex. They destroy lives and only bring farreaching grief. We are better than this. We are so blessed in God's grace. Let's not fritter it away.

Music Opportunities at Saint George

As we are getting set to start after a summer break, there are opportunities for you to get involved in the MUSIC MINISTRY here at Saint George. If you find yourself humming to the radio or singing in the shower, this may be something for you to pray about, asking the Lord to direct you in ways to help your parish, and thus the community.

Here are some possibilities to consider:



SAINT GEORGE CHOIR – The choir sings at the 9:30 AM Sunday Mass and select Holy Day Masses. Rehearsals take place on Thursday

evenings at 7:00 PM, basically from after Labor Day through Pentecost.



CHILDREN'S CHOIR – We will be starting a group for youngsters to offer praise too! Rehearsals are tentatively scheduled on Wednesdays (time TBD). The group might sing at a Mass perhaps once a month. Age

requirements would be third grade and up. (They should be able to comfortably read song sheets). We are asking for a minimum of eight participants. This is a work-in-progress – keep an eye on the bulletin.



RESURRECTION CHOIR – Good for those who would like to offer support to grieving families. This group will sing at funerals as a ministry for those who need

comfort in their time of sadness. There would be no rehearsals other than meeting before the funeral on that day to go over music. This would be good for retirees and people who can't commit to evening rehearsals or regular weekend Masses. The group would be contacted by email to announce when funerals will be.

For more information, talk to Tim at the piano after a weekend Mass, or email Tim at TQuistorff@stgeorge60477.org. Thank you for considering helping out! Watch for future bulletin articles for more information.

Children's Faith Formation

Something to think and pray about over the summer!



Saint George Children's Faith Formation needs you to support our young disciples!

Openings include: classroom aide, hall monitor, security and traffic control, classroom substitute, and with some training or previous experience, catechist.

Requirements: Time, patience, a willingness to share your faith, and primarily a love for Jesus and a heart for children.

Our program begins in mid-September and runs through the end of April. This gives you time to discern:

- Have you been thinking that you want to get involved in ministry?
- Do you wonder if our children would benefit from your experience?
- Have you worked with children in the past and feel that you would like to return in some capacity?
- Do you believe that God has been trying to reach out to you and you just don't know which ministry is for you?

Here is what we have to offer you:

- An incredible sense of gratitude from families and students.
- A stewardship opportunity to share your time and talent.
- A beautiful bond with other adults who are involved in one form or another.
- An occasional meal.

Please pray on it! We need you!

If you would like more information or if you would like to just talk about our specific needs, please contact me at jlassandrello@stgeorge60477.org or call 708-532-8211. I would love to talk with you about this.

Jeanne Lassandrello, Director of Life Long Formation Page 4 July 30, 2023

Fair Trade Sale



Coffee Bean Farmer

August 5-6, 2023 After the weekend Masses

Stop by and pick up some DIVINE CHOCOLATE, Fair Trade coffee, tea, and a tasty bean soup mix.

For information or to volunteer 20 minutes a month: call Angie Brady 708-341-3644

THE CHOSEN

Monthly Dinner & Dialogue

3rd Wednesdays at 5:30 PM

Dinner - Watch Episode 6 - Conversation

August 16 at

Hope Covenant Church 14401 West Avenue Orland Park, IL 60462

The show is rated +12, all ages are welcome!





AT THE BALLPARK

Sponsored by the Saint George Men's Club

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25

at Ozinga Field in Crestwood

Thunderbolts vs. Joliet Slammers 6:35 PM

Cost - \$15 per ticket (includes hot dogs, hamburgers, pasta salad, chips and soda).

Joliet Slammers Video Game Night with Postgame Fireworks! Appearances by Sonic, Mario and Luigi!

Children will have an opportunity to run the bases following the game.

To reserve your ticket, please call the parish office (708-532-2243).



You are cordially invited to the...

6th Annual Saint George Dragon Golf Classic

Friday, September 8, 2023 1:00 PM Shot Gun Start

George Dunne Golf Course 16310 Central Ave. Oak Forest, IL 60452

REGISTER, SPONSOR, OR DONATE ONLINE AT WWW.STGEORGEDRAGONGOLF.COM CONTACT KELLY MURRAY WITH QUESTIONS STGEORGEAD@OUTLOOK.COM



Tootsie Roll Sale for SPRED - July 29-30

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Tootsie Roll "banks" after

each Mass on Saturday, July 29, and Sunday, July 30 to benefit the SPRED group at Saint George. SPRED provides religious education and parish assembly activities for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The banks sell for \$2.00 each, are full of chocolate or fruit flavored Tootsie Rolls, and can be recycled as a coin bank. Thank you for your support of those with intellectual disabilities.

Saint Vincent de Paul Society

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



In the Gospel, we find that the demand of daily Christian living is to spend our life primarily searching for the kingdom of God

Have you considered answering the call to join the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul?

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul so that together we can help those who are hungry.

If your family or someone close to you is in need, please contact us at 708-532-2243 x515. A representative will return your call as soon as possible to arrange a confidential conversation. Confidentiality and compassion are the cornerstones of our ministry.

Bulletins

Never Miss Our Bulletin

Have it emailed to you automatically every week. Go to ParishesOnline.com and enter Saint George in the search area. Click the Subscribe button on our parish page.

Deadlines

Please note... generally speaking, material for the bulletin is due in the parish office on Friday, 9 days before it reaches the parishioner's hands. Please send articles to bulletin@stgeorge60477.org. Thank you.

Calling all 7th and 8th Grade and High School Students



Are you looking for a service opportunity that will also be fun and engaging? We are looking for teens to help out at the Parish Picnic, especially in supervising games for the younger children.

When: Sunday, September 24, 2023

1:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Where: McCarthy Park

Ways to Help...

- Children's Games: Help explain and supervise games like lollipop pull, dino dig, sack races, Bozo Buckets, giant Jenga, giant Twister, bean bags...
- ° Face Painting and/or tattoo application...
- Set up/clean up: Help to set up tents and tables before the picnic starts (probably 10:30 AM or 11:00 AM) and/or help to take them down when the picnic is over.
- Hospitality Tent: Give people directions, help them find things like bathrooms, chairs, food, etc.
- Hospitality: Help people carry their food from the serving area to the seating area.

Please contact Mrs. Fancsali at ffatpts@ameritech.net or leave your name in the rectory office if you are willing and able to help out!

Offertory Gift Bearers

You Can Help at Mass!

At each Mass, the bread and wine are brought to the altar by parishioners for consecration. You can do this by simply signing up in the folder where the gifts are at the intersection of the church. This is especially meaningful when the Mass falls on a special day for you or your family. It is simple and we need this help. Thank you!

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday, August 5 - 4:00 PM

Celebrant: Not available at time of printing.

Deacon: Not available at time of printing.

Eucharistic Pat Kukula - Cup Ministers: Sue Stanton - Cup

> Charlene Yock - Cup Ron Yock - Cup Joyce Bibzak - Bread Raymond Bibzak - Bread

Don Clark - Bread Fran Clark - Bread

Lectors Tim Framke

Sunday, August 6 - 7:30 AM

Celebrant: Not available at time of printing.

Deacon: Not available at time of printing.

Eucharistic Kelly Conrad - Cup Ministers: Alice Graff - Cup

> Julie Newtoff - Cup Ray Schulze - Cup Lynda O'Brien - Bread David Whitaker - Bread

Lectors: Teri Rycyzyn

Sunday, August 6 - 9:30 AM

Celebrant: Not available at time of printing.

Deacon: Not available at time of printing.

Eucharistic Thomas Kavanaugh - Cup Ministers: Eva McCulley - Cup

> Nicole Olson - Cup Rebecca Schutzius - Cup Ann Floyd - Bread Karen Kiner - Bread

Mary Kubick-Martino - Bread

Joanne O'Brien - Bread

Lectors: Nancy Opyd

Sunday, August 6 - 11:30 AM

Celebrant: Not available at time of printing.

Deacon: Not available at time of printing.

Eucharistic Fran Fancsali - Cup Ministers: Jim Novotney - Cup

Jeanine Patrick - Cup Martha Pena - Cup Mary Cermak-Vis - Bread Jean Gaytan - Bread

Lectors: Tom German

Weekly Readings

Sunday, July 30

1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130 (97a)/ Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52

Monday, July 31

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday, August 1

Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Mt 13:36-4

Wednesday, August 2

Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/

Mt 13:44-46

Thursday, August 3

Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53

Friday, August 4

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab/

Mt 13:54-5

Saturday, August 5

Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7 -8/Mt 14:1-12

Sunday, August 6

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9

Golden Wedding Anniversary

Congratulations to all of the couples celebrating 50 years of marriage this year!

The Chicago Archdiocese Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass is scheduled to be held Sunday, September 17, 2023 at 2:30 PM. The Mass will be celebrated at Holy Name Cathedral, 735 North State Street, Chicago, IL 60654.

Please register by September 15, 2023. To register, please see https://pvm.archchicago.org/events/golden-wedding/

Saint George Summer Soul Refreshment Series

The Saint George Music Ministry has presented some musical prayer services over the summer. The next prayer service will take place at 7:00 PM on Thursday, August 10. The theme is a Meditation on the Lord's Prayer.

The prayer service is inspired by the Taizé musical prayer style, which is to say it is music-based prayers, with scripture readings and a time of silent reflection, and will last under an hour. All are invited and welcome to attend; bring family and a friend! For more information, please talk to Tim at the piano after a Mass, or email him at TQuistorff@stgeorge60477.org.

All are welcome! Thanks.



We recently welcomed the following people into our parish family.

Elliot &Scholastica Amekulgee & their children Kekeli, Selinam & Senam

Patricia A. Arnold

Donald W. Borus

Giovanni & Erica Gattuso &

their children Giovanni, Gian Marco & Giulianni

Samantha Lakie & her daughter Sofia

Michael & Patricia Landeros

&their children Eddie, Michael & Joshua

Tom & Marian Leonard

& their children Annamaria, Mary Clare & Thomas

Marian Haberkorn

Joseph R. McPhee

Judy E. Royer



Wedding Announcements

Tomas Suancat & Veronica Castillo August 12, 2023

Live the Liturgy

Following Christ will take everything we have. Are we ready to give it all? At the end of our lives, let us hope we can say truthfully that we sold all we had in order to purchase the field which contained the great treasure.

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Pope Francis Tweet



Let us never abandon the elderly. Their presence in our families and communities is precious, for they remind us that we share the same heritage and are part of a people committed to preserving our roots.

This Week at Saint George

Sunday, July 30

Tootsie Roll Bank Sale (Church Exits)

9:30 AM Bread & Word (MR 4) 1:00 PM Baptism (Church)

5:00 PM Adult Volleyball League (Gym)

Monday, July 31

7:30 PM Al-Anon (0'CH)

Tuesday, August 1

6:00 PM Adoration (Church)

Wednesday, August 2

6:00 PM Summer Band (MR 1)

Thursday, August 3

9:30 AM CWSF Prayer Shawl Ministry (MR 1-2)

7:30 PM Knights of Columbus (O'CH)

Friday, August 4

7:00 PM Bingo (O'CH, GR, K) 8:00 PM Narcotics Anon (MR 3)

Saturday, August 5

Fair Trade Before & After Masses

3:00 PM Reconciliation (Church) 7:00 PM Adult Volleyball (Gym)

Sunday, August 6

Fair Trade Before & After Masses

9:30 AM Bread & Word (MR 4) 1:00 PM Baptism (Church)

5:00 PM Adult Volleyball League (Gym)

Save the Date

Saint George Parish Picnic Sunday, September 24, 2023

McCarthy Park / Jaycee Grove, 16801 S. 80th Ave., Tinley Park



Please visit the Saint George Website for additional information about Saint George. www.stgeorge60477.org.

Like us on Facebook.

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SAINT GEORGE SCHOOL

Tinley Park Block Party

The Saint George booth at the Tinley Park Block Party was hopping with children creating their own tie dye shirts! We are so proud of our student Dragons who volunteered to help with this project!













Are you passionate about teaching? Do you know someone who is? Join our dedicated staff of Catholic school teachers and make an impact. We have a variety of teaching opportunities available across Cook County and Lake County. There may be openings right in the community where you live!

Send your resume to recruitment@archchicago.com or scan the QR code for more information or to apply.



WHAT MAKES CATHOLIC SCHOOLS SPECIAL

Saint George School

Saint George Catholic School, educating today's children for tomorrow's world. SPIRIT— GRACE—SUCCESS

We offer a safe, full-time, learning experience for students in PreK-3 through 8th grade.

We are very proud of our rich traditions and our Catholic values, which are infused into our school culture and academic curriculum.

- Students experience a 21st Century education with a one to one educational approach.
- Weekly Masses and a faith based curriculum
- Smaller class sizes
- Excellent committed faculty
- AM / PM extended day programs
- Athletic programs
- Extra curricular activities

To learn more about our school and why Saint George would be the best fit for your family, visit us at www.stgeorgeschool.org or follow us on Facebook@stgeorgeschool. Call for a tour at 708-532-2626.



EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT AT SAINT GEORGE SCHOOL

Located in O'Connell Hall and the Georgian Room
Doors open at 5:00 PM and games begin at 7:00 PM.
Come for fun and fellowship! Bring your own snacks!
For more information, call the school office at
708-532-2626.



The Invest in Kids Act Tax Credit Scholarship Program helps children from low-income homes receive scholarships that cover up to 100% of a Catholic school's tuition. Thanks to the generosity of our community, **Saint George School** has raised **\$2,300** and of that, **\$2,300** is being matched for a grand total **\$4,600**.

We still need your help. This year, more than 4,400 children are waiting for the opportunity to attend a school in the archdiocese with the help of the Illinois Invest in Kids Tax Credit Scholarship Program, including 34 on the waitlist at Saint George School.

1-for-1 Matching Program is still open! Good news. There is still about \$230,000 left in matching funds. The cap for the match is \$75,000 per school; therefore we still have an opportunity to match \$72,700.

THANK YOU! These simple steps make a difference in a child's life and will have a long-lasting, positive impact on our community because you have invested in Catholic education.

For more information, please contact the TCS hotline at 312-534-2617 or tcs@archchicago.org, or visit archchicago.org/tcs. Scan to get started today!





Please help raise your voice to state legislators, so that thousands of children can continue receiving a great Catholic education in the future. Let your legislators know you value the Illinois Invest In Kids Act, what it means to our 4,200 students from low-income and working-class families receiving these Tax Credit Scholarships, and ask them to #RemoveTheSunset!

Many deserving students would not be able to attend our Catholic schools without these scholarships. Please join us now in our efforts to #RemoveTheSunset!

Scan the QR code to contact your legislator.

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Stewardship Update

July 23, 2023		
Weekly Offering / Holy Days	\$	11,070.00
Weekly Offering / Holy Days - Budgeted	\$	15,196.00 (4,126.00)
Difference	Þ	(4,126.00)
School Fund	\$	142.00

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Second Collection - Peter's Pence	Ş	10.00
Assistance to Poland	\$	10.00
Fund for Retired Priests	\$	5.00
Good Friday - Holy Land	\$	5.00
Holy Thursday Missionary Group	\$	5.00
Easter Flowers	\$	2.00
Easter	\$	10.00

Fiscal Year 2023 Year-to-Date

Central & Eastern Europe

Catholic Charities

Sharing Parish - Lord of Mercy

YTD Weekly Offering / Holy Days	\$ 52,068.54
YTD Weekly Offering / Holy Days -	\$ 60,784.00
Budgeted	

YTD Difference \$ (8,715.46)

We are grateful to those who continue to financially support our parish. God bless you! Your support is deeply appreciated and needed.

If you drop off envelopes at the parish office, please use the mail slot in the wall marked, "Key Deposit" which will bring them safely into the parish office.

Electronic Giving

Give Central is an option more people are choosing. You can go to our website - www.stgeorge60477.org to learn how to make your weekly or monthly donations or use the new archdiocesan universal offertory website at: www.archchicago/support. For more information, please contact Renee Beemsterboer at rbeemsterboer@stgeorge60477.org.

Offertory Collections

Saint George Church does not "pass the basket" at the offertory. Instead, please drop your contributions in the collection boxes located near the pews in church.



Planned Giving

Leave Your Legacy Through a Bequest

Please consider including a gift to our parish in your will or trust to support our faith community well into the future. A bequest can be made to our parish using the following language:

"I give [insert specific dollar amount, or percentage of net or residuary] to The Catholic Bishop of Chicago, Tax ID #36-2170826, a corporation sole located in Chicago, Illinois, to be used for the benefit of Saint George located in Tinley Park, Illinois. However, if Saint George ceases to exist in its current form, then to the new parish or parishes erected in its stead."

Please consult an attorney and financial advisor when drafting your will or trust. For more information, please contact Renee Beemsterboer at 708-532-2243 or rbeemsterboer@stgeorge60477.org, or visit myimpact.archchicago.org or contact Deacon Greg Vogt, Philanthropy Officer, Archdiocese of Chicago at 312-995-0686 or gvogt@archchicago.org.



"And thanks again. It was very generous of you to donate your life savings."

Respect Life

Prayer Vigil in Orland Park

Please plan to join a prayer vigil to be held at Orland Park Planned Parenthood. We will gather along the public sidewalk extending from 14470 LaGrange Road in Orland Park. This vigil will take place from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM on Monday, August 7. Parking is available in the Orland Chateau lot (14500 S. LaGrange Road), but please park in the back.

Even if you can only stop by for a short time, please join us. Show your concern to protect our teenagers from Planned Parenthood. Pray for the conversion of Planned Parenthood's staff. Contrary to their claims, Planned Parenthood's birth control and sex education programs always lead to more unplanned pregnancies and more abortions, not less.

Natural Family Planning Classes Available Online

Why take health risks? When it comes to spacing children, many couples are turning to Natural Family Planning (NFP). NFP is 100% free of harmful side effects and does not involve the use of any medications, drugs, or devices. Proper use of NFP offers 99% effectiveness in postponing pregnancy as well as in helping couples with normal or marginal fertility achieve a pregnancy.

Now you can learn Natural Family Planning without ever having to leave your house. Natural Family Planning classes are available online. All you need is a computer or iPad, and speakers. The course features presenters on a live video feed, and you can ask questions through a live chat feature. New virtual classes in English and Spanish begin monthly. Register at https://ccli.org/ learn-nfp-from-ccl/











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Presents:

LITURGY TRAINING

MINISTRY COMMISSION



Initial Training for Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist (Monday and Tuesday) and Initial Training for Lectors (Monday and Wednesday).

> Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday July 31, August 1, August 2

> > 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Saint Stephen Deacon and Martyr 17500 84th Avenue, Tinley Park, Illinois

These sessions provide training for Liturgical Ministers. All trainees attend Monday evening's Scriptural foundation, overview of the liturgy, and discern their call to liturgical ministry. Tuesday evening, through prayer, reflection and practice, participants will explore what it means to serve as an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist. On Wednesday evening, participants will learn the theological and practical skills necessary to proclaim the Word and serve as a Lector at Mass.



Kathy McNicholas is a pastoral associate and director of lifelong formation at Incarnation Saint Terrence Parish. Her passion is accompanying adults on their Catholic faith journey.

Commissioner: Sr. Gael Gensler - 708-342-0042 ggensler@staorland.org

For location information: Barb Black - 708-342-2400 Barbara@ststephentinley.com

Register: https://ministrycommissionv5.com

Al-Anon

"Are You Bothered By A Loved One's Drinking?"

Please join us at Al-Anon Family Groups - a fellowship of relatives and friends who share their experiences, strength and hope. It is a program of understanding. You have choices and Al-Anon can help. Al-Anon meets at Saint George on Mondays at 7:30 PM in O'Connell Hall.

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Mass Intentions

Saturday - July 29

4:00 PM Joseph & Jean Perlikiewicz+

Ruth K. Urban+ James Harroun+

Sunday, July 30

7:30 AM Mass for Fathers

Living & Deceased Members of

SGC Catholic Women

Sharing Faith Geraldine Lazarz+

Geralullie Lazarz

9:30 AM Eileen Bidrowski+

Intentions of the Family of Christina Garrivan

Intentions of Dolores Schury

11:30 AM Mass for Parishioners Kathryn Kampwirth+

Joan Rygula+

Monday, July 31

8:15 AM Sam Baumann+

Mathew Berry+

Tuesday, August 1

8:15 AM Helen Baumann+

Dennis Johann+

Wednesday, August 2

8:15 AM Alexis Barredo+

Thursday, August 3

8:15 AM Michael Kellv+

Intentions of Bud Cokeley

Friday, August 4

8:15 AM Nancy K. Gatto+

Saturday - August 5

David Smith+ Joseph & Rita Kiely+ Donald& Roberta Anghis+

Sunday, August 6

7:30 AM Mass for Parishioners

Lawrence Jensen+

Mathew Berry+

9:30 AM Gene Walaszczyk+

Diane Malesevich+

Tom Nolan+

11:30 AM Linda Anne Meinke+

Mary Jean McLaughlin+

Linda Anne Meinke+

+ Deceased

Please Pray For...

Our Sick...

Yvonne Renee Adams, Rick Arlen, Robert Baader, Terrence Baker, Ed & Pat Barta, Kathy Bidrowski, Bernadette Bosco, Dennis Bowman, Bernie Brady, Arlene Bulow, David Charleston, Margaret Concannon, Diane Consgrave, Larry Cundary, Mary Deskovich, Paula Dettmann, Linda Dorminey, Maryann Dwornik, Steve Easton, Joseph Ellul, Phil Estrada, Darlene Everson, Ruth Galleher, Marirose Grosschadl, Ellen Hallahan, Gil Herrera, Holly Hesselschwardt, Carol Holding, Rosemary Jablonski, Robyn (Kristinat) Jankosky, John Joe, Evelyn Knight, Pat Kukula, Donald Lavey, Carol Manow, Deacon Fred Mason, Kathleen Mohan, William Nelson, Sharrelle Newson, Brian & Sandy Nichols, Romaine Padgett, Deacon Joe Panek, Lottie Pano, Toni Pusateri, Eileen Reeves, Eunice Robey, Ben Schaefer, James J. Schmitt, Jerry Sebesta, Shirley Smiley, Burt Stewart, Delores Stewart, Mary Ann Stewart, Richard Stewart, Frank Stoecker, Tony Streeter, Lorraine Szara, Matt Taylor, Sara Taylor, Mary Theriault, Tammy Thomas, Joyce Tikalsky, Dennis Torri, Marlene Torri, Leslie Vaicik, Lisa Vari, James Walker, Shannon Wallace, Sandra Wickeham, Pat Woolet, Bob Wyatt, Shirley Wydra, Antoinette Zaro, Richard & Mary Zdun

If you or a loved one needs prayers due to an illness, please call the parish office to put your name on the prayer list. Names are kept on the list for four weeks unless we are notified the person has not recovered.

Our Faithful Departed...

Jeff Lovato, Leona Mizera, Constance Mazurski, Donald Hoffenkamp, Gary Lassandrello, Kathleen Servin

Our Military...

Please remember in your prayers the following people who are serving our country: P03 Mary Balkas (Coast Guard), Sgt. Jacob Berry (Army), SSgt. Mark Bradley (Marines), Staff Sgt. Amanda Brennan (Army), First Sgt. Robert Brennan (Army), Capt. Michael Caddigan (Army), SSgt. Brad Clemmer (Air Force), SSgt. Heidi Currie (Air Force), Lt.Col. Kevin Currie (Air Force), Maj. Patrick Currie (Air Force), Sgt. Matthew Daliege (Army), Sgt. James Dewey (Army), Maj. Christopher Doering (Army), Sgt. Jonathon M. Filca (Marines), PO2 James J. Guerino (Navy), Cmdr. Spc.4 Nathan Hesse (Army), Daniel Hollendoner (Navy), Cpl. Ryan Hollendoner (Army), L.Cpl. Jonathan Idrovo (Marines), Lt. Erin Janofski (Navy), Becky Johnston (AirSybiland John Force), L.Cpl. Bryan Johnston (Marines), L.Cpl. Ashton Kahne (Marines), A1C Dylan Knispel (Air Force), A0AA Zachary Kovalcik (Navy) Spc. Martin McCarthy (Army), Lt. Cmdr. Sean Miner (Navy), Spc. Joshua S. Mitchell (Army), Alexandra Novak, Lt. Charles W. Novak (Marines), HM3 Elizabeth O'Neill (E6 Navy Corpsman), Sqt. Jacob Pusateri (Marines), L. Cpl. Brian Richard (Marines), PFC James Rodriguez (Army), Amn. Michael Sarniak, Jr. (Coast Guard), Bo Shipan (Marines, LCPI), Camryn Shupryt (Army), Nicholas Shupryt (Army), SSgt. Alison Smallwood (Air Force), SSqt. Chaise Smallwood (Air Force), Lt. David F. Steinberger III (Navy), Spc. Alexander Waters (Army), Sgt. FC Powell Yates (Army), A1C Andrew Yock (Air Force)

If there are parishioners currently serving in the United States military, we would like to know. Please call the parish office and tell us the name of your dear one and he/she will be remembered in the prayers of our community and the name posted in the bulletin. Please indicate branch of service and rank.

Holy Family Chapel

COME TO HOLY FAMILY CHAPEL OVER THE SUMMER

You have thought about visiting Holy Family Chapel, but somehow it has not yet happened. Why not make visits during the summer to spend some quality time with Jesus in Holy Family Chapel. You will receive the grace and love radiating from Jesus present in the Sacred Host. It will not take long before you feel peace and love while in front of Jesus in the Eucharist. Even if you are not certain how to pray, just know that you are before Jesus who knows you inside-out. You might even decide to join fellow parishioners as a frequent visitor, or by taking a regular hour each week. Find an hour where you can get away from the fast pace of life to seek insight from Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

Holy Family Chapel is open 13 hours per day on Monday through Friday from 11:00 AM to midnight to provide that opportunity. Use this link to get more information and to register for an hour that works for you: http://stgeorge60477.org/eucharistic-adoration/

Choose "Click Here To Sign Up" below the monstrance image, press "Weekly Commitment," select the hour you prefer, and enter the requested contact information. Press "Signup" to complete your registration. You will receive a confirmation email that includes instructions on how to electronically request a substitute when you might need one. If you do not have electronic access, please call Bill Beckman at 708-429-2762 to register your hour.

NOTE: Thursday 9:00 PM needs a regular adorer. While there are many hours to consider that might fit your schedule, if possible, see if one of the following hours might work as your regular hour: Monday: 1:00 PM, 2:00 PM, 4:00 PM; Tuesday: 2:00 PM; Wednesday: Noon, 1:00 PM; Thursday: 2:00 PM, 7:00 PM,; Friday: 1:00 PM, 2:00 PM, 5:00 PM. If making a regular hour is difficult because your schedule changes, please consider becoming a substitute adorer by pressing "Become a Sub" (under "Weekly Commitment").

Tinley Park Food Pantry



Donations of non-perishable food for the Tinley Park Food Pantry can be brought to Saint George Church on the third weekend of each month. The next collection will take place on August 19-20. Please note: We cannot accept food items that are past the expiration date or partially opened. Thank you for your generosity!

Mass Schedule

Weekends

Anticipated Mass on Saturdays at 4:00 PM Sundays at 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM

The 4:00 PM Mass on Saturday and the 9:30 AM Mass on Sunday are broadcast via 101.7 FM to the parking lot. Please park on the east side of the parking lot by 175th Street. Communion will be brought to your car.

The Saturday 4:00 PM Anticipated Mass is live streamed on Facebook, then posted to the parish webpage and YouTube.

Weekdays

Monday through Friday at 8:15 AM

Reconciliation

Saturdays -3:00 PM to 3:30 PM

Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction

Tuesdays -6:00 PM to 7:00 PM in Church

Eucharistic Exposition

Monday through Friday – 11:00 AM to Midnight in Holy Family Chapel

Rosary

Before Morning Mass Monday through Friday Starting at 7:45 AM. Page 14 July 30, 2023

Parish Information

BAPTISMS will take place at 1:00 PM on the first Sunday of the month and at the 11:30 AM Sunday Mass on the third Sunday of the month. The family must be registered. A baptismal preparation program is obligatory in advance; please call the parish office to register and for more information.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS is a program for anyone inquiring and seeking information about entering the Catholic faith. Contact the parish office.

WEDDING arrangements must be made four months in advance of the wedding date. You must be a registered parishioner for six months prior to making arrangements. Please schedule your church date before reserving your hall.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK / RECONCILIATION can be arranged by contacting the Parish Office to have a priest celebrate the sacraments with the person who is seriously ill or homebound.

HOSPITAL VISITS can be made by our priests or deacons, if notified by family members or friends. Although sacramental needs of patients are administered by the hospital chaplain or by a local priest, in an emergency, Saint George clergy will respond to sacramental needs.

MINISTRY OF CARE: Mandated Agape Ministers of Care are available to visit, pray with, and bring Holy Communion to those who are sick and unable to attend Mass. Notify the parish office when this service is needed.

REGISTRATION: We welcome new members with open arms. Please call the parish office for more information.

STEWARDSHIP involves your time, talent and treasure. Contact the parish office for assistance in getting started in any of the Parish's ministries and organizations. Please remember Saint George Parish when planning your estate or preparing your will.

MASS: Each week, we will celebrate a Sunday Vigil Mass on Saturday at 4:00 PM, and three Masses on Sunday - 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM, as well as a weekday Mass Monday through Friday at 8:15 AM.

RECONCILIATION: Every Saturday from 3:00 PM to 3:30 PM.

ADORATION AND PRIVATE PRAYER: In church every Tuesday from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM. 11:00 AM to Midnight Monday through Friday in the Adoration Chapel. You may come and go as is convenient for you during this time.

FUNERALS, BAPTISMS AND WEDDINGS: To make arrangements, please call the parish office at 708-532-2243.

BULLETIN INFORMATION provides updates on parish and Archdiocesan events. Please submit articles or recommendations to bulletin@stgeorge60477.org by 4:00 PM on the Friday ten days before publication date. Because of space limitations, articles regarding Saint George activities and information, as well as Archdiocesan events and news will take priority. All articles are subject to editing and will be published at the discretion of the Pastor. No guarantees can be made as to size or placement of the articles.



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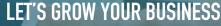
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