



SAINT GEORGE CATHOLIC CHURCH

CELEBRATING 90 YEARS OF FAITH, COMMUNITY AND SERVICE

18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - AUGUST 4, 2024



The Lord
gives bread
from heaven.

PSALM 78

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

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Monday, Wednesday & Friday:
8:45 AM to 3:00 PM
Tuesday & Thursday:
8:45 AM to 6:00 PM
Office Closed: 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM
Monday through Friday

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MESSAGE FROM JEANNE LASSANDRELLO

Has anyone ever asked you “what’s your favorite color?” “what’s your favorite meal?” “what’s your favorite song, movie, memory,” and the list goes on. When I get asked these or other so called leading questions, inside I freak out. Of course, yellow is beautiful, the sun, flowers, smiley faces, but red is amazing and bold, then there is blue like the sky. Who can choose? Favorite meal, a good grilled steak, an enticing piece of chicken, a wonderful pasta dish. Who can choose? Why do I have to choose, don’t make me! I might have an easier time identifying what I don’t like rather than choosing a favorite.

What if someone asked, “what’s your favorite part of the mass?” The procession, the handshake of peace, the community, the music, the homily, the commission to “go and serve the Lord?” I know, it’s Eucharist, right? I remember there was a time in my life when we got to the end of the mass and the priest (no deacons yet) would say, “the mass has ended go in peace.” With a heavy sigh I would respond “thanks be to God.” Maybe back then that was my favorite part, it was over. Now I am grateful that is no longer the case for me. I am excited to have spent much of the summer writing a curriculum for our children and our parishioners to give all an opportunity to learn and experience the amazing gift we have received from Jesus. More importantly to be able to share the relationship we have with Jesus.

In today’s gospel following the multiplication of the fish and loaves last week, the disciples were looking for him. When they found him he said to them, “Amen, amen, I say to you, you are looking for me not because you saw signs but because you ate the loaves and were filled.” John 6:26 Did they seek him out because they were hungry again, or because the people were hungry again and they needed Jesus to feed them, or because they wanted to know more about him? The greatest gift Jesus gave us was Himself! Jesus invites us to meet Him in the Eucharist, and every part of the mass leads us to prepare ourselves for our personal most intimate encounter with Him. We come as we are, with our joys and sorrows, with our successes and failures, with our hopes and dreams. Where else can we go to be with the community of people who have the same feelings we bring and to pray with the communion of saints who now have eternal life?

So when you are attending mass, pay attention to your body language, your responses to the prayers we know, your encounter with Christ through the Eucharist, and how you feel when the mass is over. If you want to share that information I would love to hear it. If you want to join us this year, my plan is to invite you once a month while our students are in class on Wednesday to learn about where in scripture that part of mass is found, how that particular part was incorporated into our tradition, and more. The mass is not a personal devotion, it is communal. Our faith grows when we can share it with each other. Now I hear “the mass has ended, go out to love and serve the Lord and one another.” Oh yes, one of my favorites!

Jeanne



SAINT GEORGE CHURCH
REQUESTS THE PLEASURE OF YOUR COMPANY
AT OUR 90TH ANNIVERSARY DINNER DANCE

A WONDERFUL EVENING OF FELLOWSHIP, CELEBRATION,
DINNER, RAFFLES AND DANCING



SUNDAY, THE TWENTY SECOND OF SEPTEMBER, TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY-FOUR
HALF PAST TWO O'CLOCK



ORLAND CHATEAU, 14500 LAGRANGE ROAD, ORLAND PARK, ILLINOIS

TICKETS \$60 PER PERSON - SOUP, SALAD, FAMILY STYLE DINNER, DESSERT - CASH BAR

AS PART OF THE CELEBRATION, WE WILL BE HONORING ED WESTON, MARGE PRIES AND DARLENE GEORGES
FOR THEIR MANY YEARS OF SERVICE TO SAINT GEORGE.

SAINT GEORGE CHURCH 90TH ANNIVERSARY DINNER DANCE

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

___ Enclosed is payment for _____ reservations @ \$60.00 = \$ _____

___ Enclosed is payment for _____ Grand Split the Pot Raffle Tickets @ \$100.00 = \$ _____

___ I wish to donate to the ticket price of Saint George Priests and Deacons = \$ _____
(current and former)

I / We wish to be seated with (tables of eight available):

Name and phone

Please make all checks payable to Saint George Church. We are sorry, reservations will not be accepted after September 8, 2024. All paid reservations will be at the door the day of the event. Reservations will not be sold at the door.

For additional information, please call the parish office at 708-532-2243.

Reservations can be sent to Saint George Church, 6707 West 175th Street, Tinley Park, IL 60477



SUMMER SOUL REFRESHMENT SERIES

Saint George Church will be offering some Musical Prayer Services during the summer, as the Summer Soul Refreshment Series. All are invited. Bring a friend for Taizé-inspired prayer, music, scripture, reflective silence/meditation and fellowship.

The final service is scheduled to take place on Friday, August 23 at 7:00 PM.



As school will be starting rather soon, we will also be starting the CHILDREN'S CHOIR to sing at special Masses and celebrations! We are looking for children - third grade and up - to sing together!

Rehearsals will take place on Wednesday afternoons between school and religious education classes - tentatively at 4:00 PM. The children will sing at a Mass roughly once a month.

Last year, we had five wonderful singers, and I am hoping to at least double that for this year. No previous experience is necessary. So, ask your school-age children or grandchildren if they would like to serve God and their parish while having some fun!

For more information, please contact me at TQuistorff@stgeorge60477.org or 708-532-2243 Ext. 510, or see me at the organ after a weekend Mass (preferably not before a Mass, please). I will do my best to offer fun, music, and a basic understanding of liturgy to the children who want to have fun! Hope to hear from you soon! Thanks!

Tim Quistorff, Saint George Music Director



JOIN THE ART & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE AT SAINT GEORGE



Calling all parishioners! Saint George is looking for people of all ages who love the Catholic liturgy and want to help beautify our liturgical environment. We prepare the church altar to create an atmosphere to enhance one's spiritual journey through design and decoration.

If you love flowers, this ministry is for you! This is not a big commitment. The hours are very flexible, and everybody helps one another! If you are interested in joining please contact our Pastoral Associate, Theresa Gonzalez, at 708-532-2243 ext. 502 or tgonzalez@stgeorge60477.org.



AT THE BALLPARK

Sponsored by the Saint George Men's Club

Saturday, August 10 - 6:05 PM

at Ozinga Field in Crestwood

Thunderbolts vs. Washington Wild Things
Cost - \$23 per ticket (includes all you can eat hot dogs, hamburgers, pasta salad, chips and soda)

Nancy Faust on the Organ with Postgame Fireworks!
Scout Night / Camp Out Night

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

Tickets are available in the Parish Office.
Payment should be in cash or check made payable to the Windy City Thunderbolts.



RAFFLE BASKETS

Donations of raffle baskets or items for raffle baskets for the 90th Anniversary Dinner Dance would be most appreciated. All donations can be dropped off at the parish office.

REGISTER FOR SAINT GEORGE PARISH'S Children's Faith Formation 2024-2025

**Wednesdays, 5:30 PM –
6:45 PM beginning
September 11.**

**Accepting students for
grades Kindergarten –
High School**

New Student Registration Forms, 2024-2025 CFF Calendar, and Enrollment Rate information are available at <https://stgeorge60477.org/religious-education-downloads/>

Not baptized at Saint George Parish? We must have a copy of their baptismal certificate or a formal notification from their church of baptism on file. Please let us know if you have difficulty obtaining these items.

Returning Families -

Please contact us for your individualized forms if you don't have them.

For more information, please contact the Children's Faith Formation Office: cff@stgeorge60477.org, 708-532-8211 or visit us during office hours, Monday through Thursday, 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM, or by appointment only after 1:00 PM. Please call ahead to confirm our presence in the office. Our office is located upstairs in the Parish Life Center.



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 17-18. Thank you for your generosity!

Some suggested items that might be included are: canned soups, canned fruit, canned vegetables, canned pasta, canned tuna, canned chicken, packaged side dishes (rice and noodles), cereal, oatmeal, coffee/tea, cake and brownie mix, boxed potatoes, peanut butter, jelly, toilet paper, boxed pasta, macaroni and cheese, ketchup and dish soap.

Please note: We cannot accept food items that are past the expiration date or partially opened.

NEW DATE FOR DISPOSAL OF RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

The new date for burial of religious articles is August 11 at 1:45 pm. The burial site is on the grounds at Saint George where the greenhouse stood behind the garage. All are invited to this service.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 3

4:00 PM Joseph & Rita Kiely+
Nancy K. Gatto+
Alan Filewicz+

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4

7:30 AM Dorothy Schmitt+
Evelyn A. Mudrock+

9:30 AM Burton Stewart+
Gerald Tauberschmidt+
Italo Cantale+
Pam Crissman+

11:30 AM David & Peg Prosser+
Alice F. Lesnik+
Mary Jean McLaughlin+

MONDAY, AUGUST 5

8:15 AM Joe Ellul+
Fred & Paula Konchan+

TUESDAY, AUGUST 6

8:15 AM Robert Anderson+
David Kotas+
Joyce Greska+

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7

8:15 AM Peter & Beatrice Gildea+
Rob Page+

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8

8:15 AM John J. Kelly Sr.+
Clarita Guiang+

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9

8:15 AM Kevin Kachinsky+
Joseph Tholl, Sr.+

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10

4:00 PM Dorothy & Ray Lipinski+
David Smith+
Fran Jurek+

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

7:30 AM Clarita Guiang+
The Cokeley Family
Alan Bickel+

9:30 AM Mass for Fathers
Diane Malesevich+
Father Ed Cronin+

11:30 AM Mary Jakubowski+
Linda Meinke+
Intentions for Dolores Schury

+ Deceased

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

OUR SICK...

Robert Baader, Paul Baio, Terrence Baker, Jay Baly, Angie Brady, Dominick Byrne, Laurie Cassidy, David Charleston, Diane Cosgrave, Paula Dettmann, Julie Donohoe, George Esposito, Phil Estrada, Darlene Everson, Abigail Fanscali, Joe Ficaro, Eugene Georges, Marirose Grosschadl, Holly Hesselschwardt, Carole Holding, Sandra Jakala, Robyn (Kristinat) Jankosky, James Kiner, Sr., Evelyn Knight, Dean Kosek, Janet Kosmatine, Donald Lavey, Carol Manow, Noreen Mariani, Baby Ripp Mayer, Kelsey Mercado, Kathleen Mohan, Baby Thomas Nelson, Gwen Norvilas, Kathy Oboikovitz, Brian O'Connor, Deacon Joe Panek, Lottie Pano, Hailey Polk, John Polley, Betty Prusaitis, Jack Ramey, Brendan Reidy, Kim Rule, Dolores Stewart, Mary Ann Stewart, Richard Stewart, Tony Streeter, Matt Taylor, Sara Taylor, Tammy Thomas, Joyce Tikalsky, Dennis Torii, Marlene Torii, Leslie Vaicik, Tom VanderSanden, Judy Vock, Shirley Wydra

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...

Wayne DeWitt, Catherine Delesio, Edward Hirsch, Dain Cook

OUR MILITARY...

Please remember in your prayers the following people who are serving our country: PO3 Mary Balkas (Coast Guard), Sgt. Jacob Berry (Army), SSgt. Mark Bradley (Marines), Staff Sgt. Amanda Brennan (Army), First Sgt. Robert Brennan (Army), Bradley Brunod (Navy), 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), SSG 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 (Air Sybiland John Force), L.Cpl. Bryan Johnston (Marines), L.Cpl. Ashton Kahne (Marines), A1C Dylan Knispel (Air Force), AOAA 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), Sgt. Jacob Pusateri (Marines), Sean Rio, Sgt. James Rodriguez (Army), Amn. Michael Sarniak, Jr. (Coast Guard), Bo Shipan (Marines, LCPI), Camryn Shupryt (Army), SSgt. Alison Smallwood (Air Force), SSgt. 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.



SAINT GEORGE PRO-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 5. 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.

False Claims About Abortion Restrictions

After the U.S. Supreme Court Dobbs decision has allowed the states to legislate more restrictions on abortion, some states have made most abortions illegal. Unfortunately, Illinois is not one of those states. Abortion in Illinois is completely unregulated and in many cases is paid for with tax dollars.

Abortion supporters have invented many false claims to suggest that abortion restrictions are dangerous for women. For example, claims have been made that doctors will not be able to handle ectopic pregnancies and miscarriages because of laws restricting abortion. Such claims are totally unfounded. In fact, laws that restrict abortion provide a much safer environment for mothers and certainly for babies.

REMEMBER ME



Saint George is a family of faith. As with any family, we strive to keep in communication with one another.

We have a communication vehicle called "Remember Me". We will email notification of funerals at Saint George to anyone who requests this service. If you wish to

be included in this e-mail group, please send your email address to Theresa Gonzalez in the parish office at tgonzalez@stgeorge60477.org. You will be responsible for notifying us of any change in an email address.

If you have any questions, contact Theresa at 708-532-2243 ext. 502.



WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10 - 4:00 PM

Celebrant: Father Paul
 Deacon: Jerry Souta
 Eucharistic Ministers: Karen Kiner - Cup
 NOT FILLED - Cup - 3
 Sue Stanton - Bread
 Eileen Weglarz - Bread
 NOT FILLED - Bread - 2
 Lector: Sandra Novotney

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11 - 7:30 AM

Celebrant: Father Paul
 Deacon: Tom Schutzius
 Eucharistic Ministers: Alice Graff - Cup
 Julie Newtoff - Cup
 Gary Rycyzyn - Cup
 David Whitaker - Cup
 Sandi Rogina - Bread
 Teri Rycyzyn - Bread
 Lector: Rita Walker

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11 - 9:30 AM

Celebrant: Father John
 Deacon: Greg Bartos
 Eucharistic Ministers: Dawn Bartos - Cup
 Ann Floyd - Cup
 Thomas Kavanaugh - Cup
 NOT FILLED - Cup
 Susan Amann - Bread
 Nicole Olson - Bread
 Nancy Opyd - Bread
 Rebecca Schutzius - Bread
 Lector: Denise Iggins

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11 - 11:30 AM

Celebrant: Father John
 Deacon: Tim Keating
 Eucharistic Ministers: Fran Fancsali - Cup
 Jean Gaytan - Cup
 Jeanine Patrick - Cup
 Martha Peña - Cup
 Mary Cermak-Vis - Bread
 Wally Wawzenek - Bread
 Lector: Diane Wawzenek

THIS WEEK AT SAINT GEORGE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4

Fair Trade Before & After Masses
 9:30 AM Bread & Word (MR 4)
 1:00 PM Baptism (Church)

MONDAY, AUGUST 5

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

TUESDAY, AUGUST 6

6:00 PM Adoration (Church)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7

6:30 PM CFF Catechist Mtg. (BR)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8

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

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9

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

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10

3:00 PM Reconciliation (Church)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

9:30 AM Bread & Word (MR 4)

THE SILVER ROSE PROGRAM



The Silver Rose Program demonstrates the unity between Knights of Columbus in Canada, the United States and Mexico, through a series of prayer services promoting the dignity of all human life and honoring Our Lady.

Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus Councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a Rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

This year the Silver Rose will, for the first time, visit St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church (9300 W. 167th Street, Orland Hills) on Monday, August 19 at 7PM.

We will have a Silver Rose Prayer Service followed by a reception celebrating Our Lady of Guadalupe and a culture of life in our world.

We invite all parishioners to attend and pray with us on this special occasion.

Sponsored by Fr. CC Boyle Council 4698 Knights of Columbus.

Parishes we support include:
 Saint George, Saint Stephen,
 Saint Elizabeth Seton, Saint Julie
 and Saint Damian
WWW.KNIGHTS4698.ORG



ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



MARRIED IN 1974?

HAVE YOU REGISTERED FOR THE ANNUAL GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS?

Couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary from across the Archdiocese of Chicago are invited to gather together for the Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass that will be celebrated by Cardinal Cupich on Sunday, September 15, 2024 at 2:30 PM. The Mass will be held at Holy Name Cathedral in Chicago, Illinois.

Please email gwa@archchicago.org or contact your parish office with questions. To register online, please visit pvm.archchicago.org/events/golden-wedding.

We hope to see you there!



"Hey, could we have some volunteers to stay and help clean up?"

PLANNED GIVING

August is National Make-A-Will month.

Please Remember Saint George in Your Will or Trust

When considering which charities to include in your will or trust, we hope you will Saint George. 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 Parish 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 visit giving.archchicago.org/ bequest or contact Renee Beemsterboer at 708-532-2243 or rbeemsterboer@stgeorge60477.org or contact, Deacon Greg Vogt, Philanthropy Officer, Archdiocese of Chicago at 312-995-0686 or gvogt@archchicago.org].

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. Your weekly donation can also be made by clicking on the QR code on the right.

Donations can be made by credit card, debit card and electronic payments. For more information, please contact Renee Beemsterboer at rbeemsterboer@stgeorge60477.org.



Thank you for your generosity!

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

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

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

JULY 20-21, 2024

Weekly Offering / Holy Days	\$ 14,484.00
Weekly Offering / Holy Days - Budgeted	\$ 16,275.00
Difference	\$ (1,791.00)
School Fund	\$ 160.00
Sharing Parish: Lord of Mercy	\$ 69.00
Fund for Retired Priests	\$ 10.00
Saint Vincent de Paul	\$ 25.00
Peter's Pence	\$ 50.00
Assistance to Poland	\$ 10.00
Missionary Co-Op Appeal	\$ 30.00

FISCAL YEAR 2025 YEAR-TO-DATE

YTD Weekly Offering / Holy Days	\$ 67,143.23
YTD Weekly Offering / Holy Days - Budgeted	\$ 65,100.00
YTD Difference	\$ 2,043.23

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.

LIVE THE LITURGY

Jesus reminds his followers: "Do not work for food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life." We are so often distracted by the world before us, by the here and now. Let us not forget what is eternal. We were made for what is eternal.

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

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 4

SUNDAY:

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Ps
78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54
(24b)/Eph 4:17, 20-24/
Jn 6:24-35

MONDAY:

Jer 28:1-17/Ps 119:29,
43, 79, 80, 95, 102/Mt
14:13-21

TUESDAY:

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

WEDNESDAY:

Jer 31:1-7/Jer 31:10, 11-
12ab, 13/Mt 15:21-28

THURSDAY:

Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:12-
13, 14-15, 18-19/Mt
16:13-23

FRIDAY:

Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7/Dt
32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd,
41/Mt 16:24-28

SATURDAY:

2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112:1-
2, 5-6, 7-8, 9/
Jn 12:24-26

NEXT SUNDAY:

1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-3,
4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (9a)/Eph
4:30—5:2/Jn 6:41-51

CREATION CARE CORNER



"The Church has a responsibility towards Creation and considers it her duty... to protect earth, water and air as gifts of God, the Creator, meant for everyone..." – Pope Benedict XVI

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CLIMATE CHANGE: A MATTER OF FAITH? YES

Following John Paul II and Benedict, Pope Francis recognizes the scientific consensus that most of the current warming trends are caused by human activity. Deforestation and burning fossil fuels are major causes. While some have wrongly turned it into a political issue, Pope Francis recognizes it as a social justice and a moral issue. This is because those who will suffer most from the resulting environmental damage are the poor and future generations...who are least responsible for causing it. Francis calls upon individuals, governments and corporations to make changes to mitigate the problem. He has met with top energy company executives and they have agreed to support policies that put a price on carbon emissions. The US Conference of Catholic Bishops also has issued a statement of past support for legislation that puts a price on carbon emissions to encourage a switch to clean energy, without economically harming the poor or middle class. The severe human costs, that will be a consequence of doing nothing, make this a moral issue and a matter of concern and action as part of our faith.

HOLY FAMILY CHAPEL

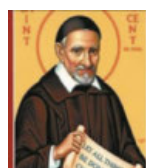
Holy Family Chapel offers an opportunity to focus on Jesus in the Eucharist during the ongoing National Eucharistic Revival. Find an hour where you can get away from the fast pace of life to seek insight from Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

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: 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: Noon, 1:00 PM, 2:00 PM, 4:00 PM; Tuesday: 2:00 PM; Wednesday: Noon, 1:00 PM; Thursday: 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM; Friday: 1:00 PM, 2:00 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").

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL



18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Gospel tells us "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." By "listening" we are able to live the gospel. Gospel living is something so simple as taking the time to

listen to those who need to spill out their hearts when seeking help.

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175th Street Construction

Construction Notice

Spring 2024 to Fall 2025

EXPECT DELAYS - Road Closure, Detour in Place

Location

Village of Tinley Park - The improvements for the 175th Street Construction include full pavement replacement, storm sewer installation, water main and sanitary main relocation, curb and gutter replacement, ADA ramp, sidewalk and multiuse path construction, street lighting and traffic signal replacement and pavement markings along 175th Street, Ridgeland Avenue and Oak Forest Avenue.

Traffic Impact

During construction, 175th Street, Ridgeland Avenue, and Oak Forest Avenue will be restricted to on-way in the EB/NB directions. WB 175th Street and SB Ridgeland Avenue will be closed through work zone limits and traffic detoured via Central Avenue, 167th Street, Oak Park and 177th Street.

Project Benefits



Improving rideability with pavement replacement



Improving accessibility for pedestrians and Americans with disabilities



Upgrading traffic signals



For Questions or Comments

Cook County Department of Transportation & Highways Construction Bureau
66 W. Washington Street - 24th Floor
Chicago, IL 60602

Email: hwy.supt@cookcountyil.gov

Phone: 1-312-603-1601

Website: <https://www.cookcountyil.gov/agency/transportation-and-highways-0>

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

For upcoming young adult events and meetings, please scan the QR code or connect here: <https://linktr.ee/yafressatifellowship>.

Young Adult Ministry Mission Statement

Help young adults become disciples of Jesus Christ, cultivate more involvement in His Church, and connect with peers to walk together on the pilgrimage to Sainthood.

Our Vision

To have an actively visible Catholic young adult group in the community, who shares its spirituality through living out the Gospel and is committed to serving God and their neighbors.

Questions? Contact:

Kyle Ragdowski, Young Adult Ministry Coordinator
yafressatifellowship@gmail.com



Join local Catholic Young Adults in Fellowship
Scan the QR code for meeting times and more info

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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.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR 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 additional information.

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

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 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.

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.

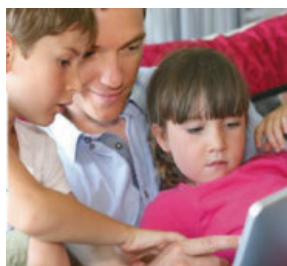
The Saturday 4:00 PM Anticipated Mass is live streamed on Facebook, then posted to the parish webpage and YouTube.

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

PRAY THE ROSARY: Please join us to pray the Rosary before morning Mass Monday through Friday starting at 7:45 AM.

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.

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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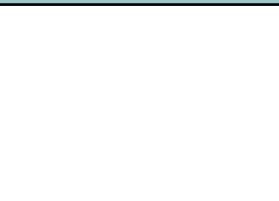
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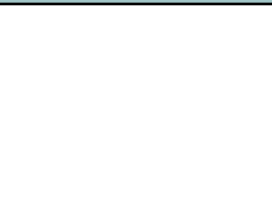
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