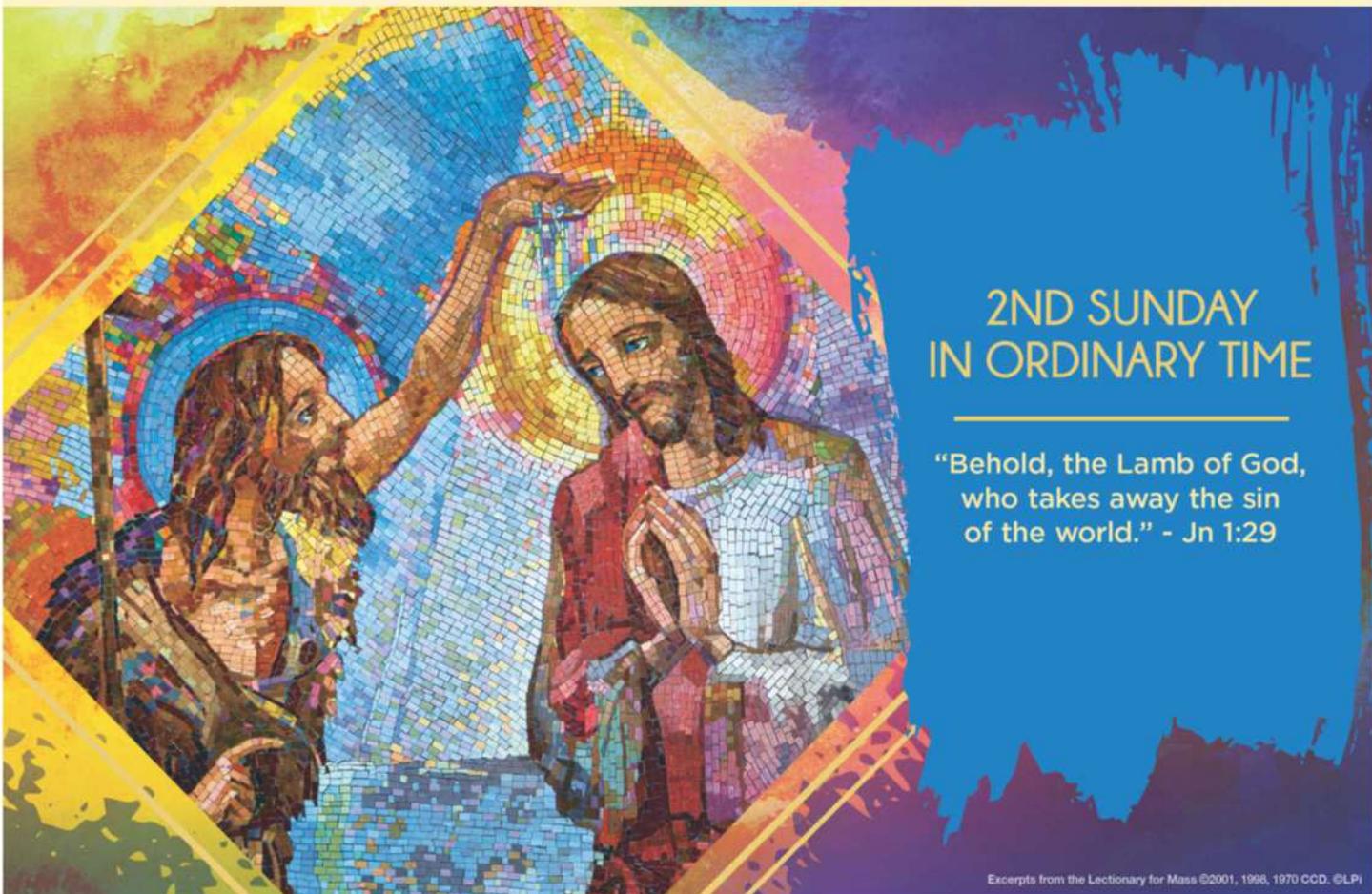




# Church of St. George

SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME • JANUARY 18, 2026



## 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Behold, the Lamb of God,  
who takes away the sin  
of the world.” - Jn 1:29

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### Parish Mission Statement

*We express and embrace the Divine Will in caring for each other, liturgy, Eucharistic Adoration, ministries, stewardship, outreach, social gatherings and prayer.*

### Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays, Wednesdays & Thursdays 9am-8pm

### Masses

Tues 5:30pm; Wed & Thurs 8:30am; 1st and 4th Fri at 8:30am  
Sat 4pm; Sun 9:15am; Sun 5pm (Spanish)

**Reconciliation:** Saturdays 3:00pm-3:30pm and by appointment

**Office Hours** Tues, Wed, Thurs from 9am-3:00pm



# Christmas Flower Donation 2025



Thank you to all of you for your very generous donations. It is your generosity which allows us to have such a beautiful display of flowers at Christmas. We send a special appreciation to our donors and those they are honoring with their donations. We also send a heartfelt thank you to Lori Scherer who coordinates the purchase of flowers and does such a beautiful job of arranging and decorating with them throughout the year. Thank you as well to Carol Wegner and everyone who helped Lori decorate with flowers this Christmas!

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# Christmas Flower Donation 2025



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Carmen Maestro, Shawn Slaven, Tim McLean, Dan Vaughan, Katy Ziesmer

## PRO-LIFE EVENTS

### Prayer Service for Life

Thursday, Jan. 22 at 10:30 am

Cathedral of Saint Paul, St. Paul

Come and join Bishop Kevin Kenney at a prayer service to commemorate the millions of lives lost to abortion and the many women and men wounded by the aftermath of an abortion, as we pray for life. Find more information at [archspm.org/events/annual-prayer-service-for-life](http://archspm.org/events/annual-prayer-service-for-life).

### MCCL March for Life

Thurs, Jan. 22, 12pm-1 pm

Minnesota State Capitol, St. Paul

Minnesota's biggest pro-life event of the year—join other pro-lifers to remember unborn lives lost and to call for respect and protection for both unborn children and their mothers. Learn more at [mccl.org/march](http://mccl.org/march).





# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

For information about the Knights of Columbus, please contact **Steve Cox at 612-308-1253**.

Meetings are the first Thursday of the month at 7pm in the community center. Knights of Columbus Mission Statement: "We believe in human dignity and support causes that respect life from conception to reunion Christ."

**Next Meeting:**  
**Thursday, February 5th at 7pm**

## **Knight of Columbus Breakfast**

**Sunday January 25, 10-11PM**

Join the Knights for a delicious Pancake and Sausage Breakfast which includes beverages and some other menu items as well. Your free will donation supports pro-life causes and the Knights of Columbus Scholarship.

**ST. GEORGE WOMEN'S COUNCIL**  
For more information, call  
**Marie Suchy at 612-599-9661.**



**Next Meeting: Thurs, February 5th at 9:30am**

## **MONTHLY COMMUNITY MEAL**

**Thursday, January 22, 5:30-6:30pm**

**St. George Community Center**

St. George, Calvin Presbyterian, and Trinity Lutheran churches unite to provide monthly meals for their members and the community of the Long Lake area. These COMMUNITY Meals aim to bring people of all ages, backgrounds and abilities together for dinner and fellowship.

- ALL ARE WELCOME; BRING THE KIDS.
- Menu: Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Veggies, & Dessert
- Dinner and beverages provided; there is NO COST for the meal, but donations will be accepted if you wish to give.
- To volunteer to help prepare, serve, and clean up, please contact Camille Curtiss, 952-221-5980.

## **EARLY SUPER BOWL TAILGATE PARTY!**

**Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup> 5pm**

The Women's Council is hosting an Early Tailgate party the night before the Super Bowl on Saturday, February 7th after the 4pm Mass in the Community Center. Join us for hospitality, tailgating foods/drinks and Bingo! This is a fun way to connect with other and gear up for the big game!



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NEW FISCAL YEAR 2025/2026  
FINANCIAL UPDATE Weekly Goal \$5,350

|                               |                              |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Offering for 12/28-31 Week 26 | \$14,028.00                  |
| <b>YTD WEEKLY GOAL</b>        | <b>YTD WEEKLY COLLECTION</b> |
| Year to Date Offering Goal    | Year to Date Actual Offering |
| \$139,100.00                  | \$131,044.50                 |
| Monthly BIM Goal              | December BIM Offering        |
| \$2,000                       | \$3,120.00                   |

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|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Offering for 01/04 Week 27 | \$3,948.00                   |
| <b>YTD WEEKLY GOAL</b>     | <b>YTD WEEKLY COLLECTION</b> |
| Year to Date Offering Goal | Year to Date Actual Offering |
| \$144,450.00               | \$134,992.50                 |
| Monthly BIM Goal           | November BIM Offering        |
| \$2,000                    | \$280.00                     |

## SECOND COLLECTION FOR JANUARY

**Weekend of January 24/25, 2026**

### Respect Life

At the end of the month, we will be taking up a second collection for pro-life organizations including SouthWest Options for Women. Thank you for your generosity in supporting their life-saving work!

## HOSPITALITY SIGN UP

**Donut pick up is now at Kwik Trip in Maple Plain.**

**Please sign up on the sheet at Hospitality!**

**January 18: Camille Curtiss, Bev Miller**

**January 25: Knights of Columbus Breakfast**

**February 1: Jane & Doug Oyen**

**February 8: Confirmation**

**February 15: Jane & Doug Oyen**

**February 22: OPEN**

## YEARLY CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

Contribution statements for 2025 will be mailed out by the 31st of January.

If you have any questions regarding your statement or do not receive a statement by the first week of February, please email Paula Luna at [pluna@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:pluna@stgeorgelonglake.org) or call her at **952-228-5879**.

## QR CODE FOR DONATIONS TO ST. GEORGE

Just visiting St. George for Mass but would like to donate electronically? Forgot your checkbook or envelope at home? Inspired to help with maintenance costs, donate to a second collection, or offer a special donation?

Please scan the QR code with your phone to land on the giving page of our website.

Click on one-time and choose which fund you wish to donate to (e.g. Sunday Giving, Building Improvement and Maintenance Fund, etc) along with the amount. You may pay with a credit card, debit card, GooglePay, PayPal, Venmo, or your bank account.

However you choose to donate, we are so grateful for your support!

**St. George Giving  
QR Code**



## ARE YOU SOCIAL MEDIA SAVVY?

We are looking for a volunteer to take over the parish's Instagram and Facebook posting.

Contact the parish office, 952-473-1247, if you are interested or have questions!





## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

**Those who recently died:** Sister Lillian Kroll (sister of Clem Kroll), Dick Stevens (uncle of Joe Stevens), Patty Stevens (cousin of Joe Stevens), Paula Kasowski (daughter of Jim Maas), Mary Murley, Phyllis Meister (cousin of Dick Stubbs), Jeanie Mann, Phylliss Pudwill

**Those who are sick, hospitalized, injured, or recuperating:** Samantha Voigt (granddaughter of Theresa Beck), Pat Janos, Jane Hall, Allen Schwinghammer (brother of Karen Speeter), Jim Sundean, Roger Sundean, Bobbi Vaughan, Shawn Sutherland, Drew Janos (grandson of Rich and Pat Janos)

**Those who are homebound or in assisted living homes**

**Those who are serving our country:** Sid Brown, Whitney Eisinger, Justin Eisinger, Dylan Jones, Chris Pearson, Ben Persian

**All those currently in treatment for their respective addictions and those who need to face their addictions.**

### Readings for Sunday, January 18, 2026

**First Reading:** I will make you a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth. (Is 49:6)

**Psalm:** Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will. (Ps 40)

**Second Reading:** Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. (1 Cor 1:3)

**Gospel:** John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world." (Jn 1:29)

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### Readings for the Week of Sunday, January 18, 2026

**Sunday:** Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2 and 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

**Monday:** 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

**Tuesday:** 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

**Wednesday:** 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

**Thursday:** 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

**Friday:** 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

**Saturday:** 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

**Next Sunday:** Is 8:23-9:3/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

### Observances for the week of January 18, 2026

**Sunday:** 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Monday:** Martin Luther King Day

**Tuesday:** St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr

**Wednesday:** St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr

**Thursday:** Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

**Friday:** St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin

**Saturday:** St. Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

**Next Sunday:** 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; Celebrate Catholic Schools Week

## MASSES & MASS INTENTIONS

Sat, January 17, 4:00pm: †Greg Roden

Sun, January 18, 9:15am: People of the Parish  
Sunday, January 18, 5:00pm in Spanish:  
TBD

Tuesday, January 20, 5:30pm: NO MASS

Wed January 21, 8:30am: †Fr Ralph Huar

Thurs, January 22, 8:30am: †James Kleinschmidt

Friday, January 23, 8:30am: †Robert and Evelyn Connolly

Sat, January 24, 4:00pm: †Clem Kroll

Sunday, January 25, 9:15am: †Joyce Moxon  
Sunday, January 25, 5:00pm in Spanish:  
People of the Parish

## PARISH ACTIVITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, January 21

9:00am-10:30am Divine Will group  
6:15am-7:15am PreK-1 Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

6:15pm-7:45pm Grades 2-9+ Faith Formation & Confirmation

6:45pm-8:15pm Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, January 25

10:00am -11:00am Knight of Columbus Breakfast

Thursday, January 22

5:30pm-6:30pm Community Dinner at St. George

7:00pm AA Meeting

Wednesday, January 28

9:00am-10:30am Divine Will group

6:15am-7:15am PreK-1 Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

6:15pm-7:45pm Grades 2-9+ Faith Formation & Confirmation

6:45pm-8:15pm Choir Rehearsal

## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday, January 24 at 4pm: Weekend Mass

Rosary: Mary Lindblom Lector: Lou Doherty

Greeters: Michelle Flannery, Mary Shearer

EM: Meghan Flannery, Lou Doherty, Michelle Flannery, Kit Dekarski Altar Server: Jeff Strand Sacristan: Jeff Strand

Sunday, January 25 at 9:15am: Weekend Mass

Rosary: Bill Sutherland Lector: Pat Doherty

Greeters: DiPrima Family

EM: Anne Marie Johnson, Amy McEvoy

Sacristan: Mike Dombeck Altar Server: Mike Dombeck

Please contact Sara Dore at [sdore@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:sdore@stgeorgelonglake.org) to volunteer or if you have questions.



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## Parish Office

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Website: [www.stgeorgelonglake.org](http://www.stgeorgelonglake.org)

Email: [info@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:info@stgeorgelonglake.org)

Emergency Line: 651-402-9005

## Parish Staff

**Pastor** Fr. Shane Stoppel-Wasinger, 952-473-1247 X111,  
[frshane@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:frshane@stgeorgelonglake.org)

**Sacramental Minister** Fr. Joe Kuharski, 763-567-0722,  
[jkuharski@stthomas.edu](mailto:jkuharski@stthomas.edu)

**Bookkeeper** Paula Luna, 952-473-1247 X105,  
[pluna@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:pluna@stgeorgelonglake.org)

**Parish Secretary and Safe Environment Coordinator**  
Sara Dore, 952-473-1247 X101, [info@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:info@stgeorgelonglake.org)

## Director of Music

This position is currently vacant.

**Faith Formation Director**, Abby Wooley

952-473-1247 X104, [awooley@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:awooley@stgeorgelonglake.org)

**Confirmation Coordinator**, Maria Ochoa Estrada

**Office Assistant**, Rowanne Dombeck,  
952-473-1247 X107, [rdombeck@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:rdombeck@stgeorgelonglake.org)

## Custodial & Maintenance Staff

Matilde Narvaez, Leonardo Santiago, Robert Smith

**Head of Bldg., Grounds & Supplies** Mike Dombeck

952-473-1247 X103, [mdombeck@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:mdombeck@stgeorgelonglake.org)

## Corn Days Coordinator

Andy Pfeifer, [corndayslonglake@gmail.com](mailto:corndayslonglake@gmail.com)

## Cemetery

401 Willow Drive • Long Lake

Deacon Joe Kittok (763) 221-6658

John Hughes (612) 804-2449

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For inquiries regarding plot information and availability or to schedule a burial, contact Sara Dore at 952-473-1247 X101 or [info@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:info@stgeorgelonglake.org).

## Ministries

### Eucharistic Adoration Coordinator

Jean Kottemann, 763-458-1591

### Knights of Columbus Grand Knight

Steve Cox, 612-308-1253

### ACCW Women's Council President

Marie Suchy, 612-599-9661

## Parish Council

**Chair** Dick Speeter, 952- 475-1244

**Secretary** Frank Fraser

**Trustee** Daren Grothaus, 612-839-1162

**Trustee** William Kottemann, 612-802-4397  
[wkottemann@gmail.com](mailto:wkottemann@gmail.com)

### Other Parish Pastoral Council Members:

Marie Suchy Shannon Banks

Molly Yates Danielle Miskowic

## Join Our Parish

To register for the parish, contact the parish office at **952-473-1247 X101** or [info@stgeorgelonglake.org](mailto:info@stgeorgelonglake.org) or pick up a registration packet at the Welcome Center at the back of church.

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