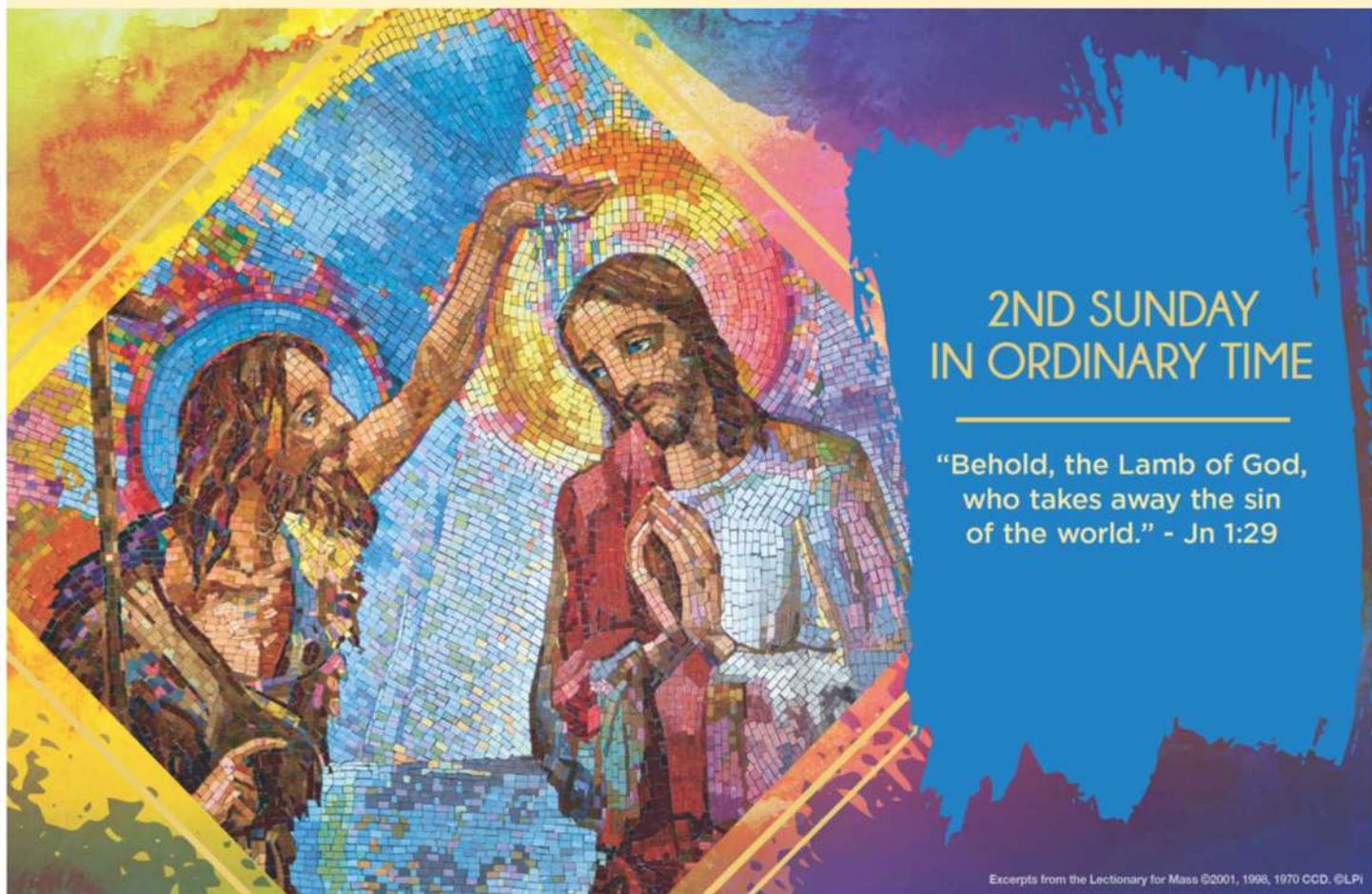




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We express and embrace the Divine Will in caring for each other, liturgy, Eucharistic Adoration, ministries, stewardship, outreach, social gatherings and prayer.

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)

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

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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.

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.





KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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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.

EARLY SUPER BOWL TAILGATE PARTY!

Saturday, February 7th 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!

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.



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Offering for 12/28-31 Week 26	\$14,028.00
YTD WEEKLY GOAL	YTD WEEKLY COLLECTION
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
Offering for 01/04 Week 27	\$3,948.00
YTD WEEKLY GOAL	YTD WEEKLY COLLECTION
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 or call her at 952-228-5879.

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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.

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

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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 sof 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 Lindbloom 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 to volunteer or if you have questions.



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Bookkeeper Paula Luna, 952-473-1247 X105,
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Sara Dore, 952-473-1247 X101, info@stgeorgelonglake.org

Director of Music

This position is currently vacant.

Faith Formation Director, Abby Wooley
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Andy Pfeifer, corndayslonglake@gmail.com

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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.

Ministries

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Jean Kottemann, 763-458-1591

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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

Other Parish Pastoral Council Members:

Marie Suchy Shannon Banks

Molly Yates Danielle Miskowic

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