



Church of St. George

THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME • JULY 5, 2026



14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Come to me, all you who
labor and are burdened,
and I will give you rest.”
- Mt 11:28-30

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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
Tuesdays, 4pm-5pm, 6pm-7pm

Masses

Tues 5:30pm; Wed & Thurs 8:30am; 1st and 4th Fri at 8:30am
Sat 4pm; Sun 9:15am and 5:00pm in Spanish

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

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

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CORN DAYS August 8, 2026



Lean Into the Corn Days Spirit — We Need You!

As we prepare for the 56th Annual Corn Days, we're still looking for a few more helping hands to bring this beloved tradition to life. Our biggest needs right now are:

- **Kids' Games Crew** – bring joy, laughter, and a little organized chaos
- **Grounds Team** – keep our festival running smoothly and looking great
- **Raffle Chair** – help lead one of our most important fundraisers
- **Publicity Chair** – coordinate ads and press releases

And of course, **all of our booths can use extra volunteers** — there's a place for every gift, every personality, and every schedule.

Volunteering at Corn Days isn't just about filling a slot. It's about supporting our parish, strengthening our community, and giving back in a way that's genuinely fun and surprisingly rewarding. If you've been thinking about helping but haven't taken the leap yet... why not come over to the corny side and give it a try. You might just love it.

Sign up, step in, and be part of something special. Corn Days only happens because our community shows up — and we'd love to have you with us this year.

SILENT AUCTION SEEKING DONATIONS

Corn Days Silent Auction is once again looking for donations. Please consider donating one of the following: Vacation home for a week or weekend, Sporting Event & Theatre Tickets, Gift Cards, Private Lessons (music, cooking, photography, fishing, sports), Sky Miles, Sports or Music Memorabilia, Game Consoles, Memberships (Zoo, Science Museum, etc), Bottles of Wine, Experiences (mini-golf, wine tasting, paintball), Upscale and/or higher price point items (over \$100 value).

Contact Alisha Pfeifer at alisha.pfeifer10@gmail.com to donate or to help!

CORN DAYS 2026 WINE PULL DONATIONS

We are seeking donations for another fabulous Wine Pull. A great mix of wines makes the Wine Pull more fun and exciting! This year, we are only collecting monetary donations so that our Wine Pull co-chairs can purchase the perfect variety. Please **Venmo donations to @Marnie-Pfeifer** or if you prefer, **drop off cash or checks to Andy Pfeifer, Corn Days Coordinator, in the parish office.**

CORN DAYS 2026 SPONSORSHIPS

Would your family or company like to help sponsor Corn Days? Contact Marie Suchy at 612-599-9661 or marie.suchy@compass.com.

CORN DAYS MEETING: July 12th at 10:15am after Mass in the conference room

Corn Days Memories



Brat Booth 2004



Grounds 2007

“One flag,
one land,
one heart,
one hand,
one nation
evermore!”

- Oliver Wendell Holmes

Independence Day

This weekend throughout the United States, we celebrate our freedom. Our rights are protected and opportunities abound. We recognize that freedom has a cost, one we celebrate and honor on days such as this. It's good to honor those who fight for our country, who may well pay the ultimate price for the liberties we're afforded. As faithful Catholics, we recognize that there is more to freedom than simply being at liberty to make our lives what we want them to be. St. John Paul II reminds us: "Freedom is not just doing what we can, it is doing what we ought." We become freer within ourselves and within our relationships when we choose what is right and good. When we choose sin, we become trapped in egoism - less free, not more. This Independence Day; let's continue to pursue virtue and good character and encourage others to do this same.

--LPI

FIND A MASS ON SUMMER VACATION

Check out the following website for finding nearby Catholic churches and Mass times when you are on vacation:

<http://www.masstimes.org>



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

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



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

Meetings are typically 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:

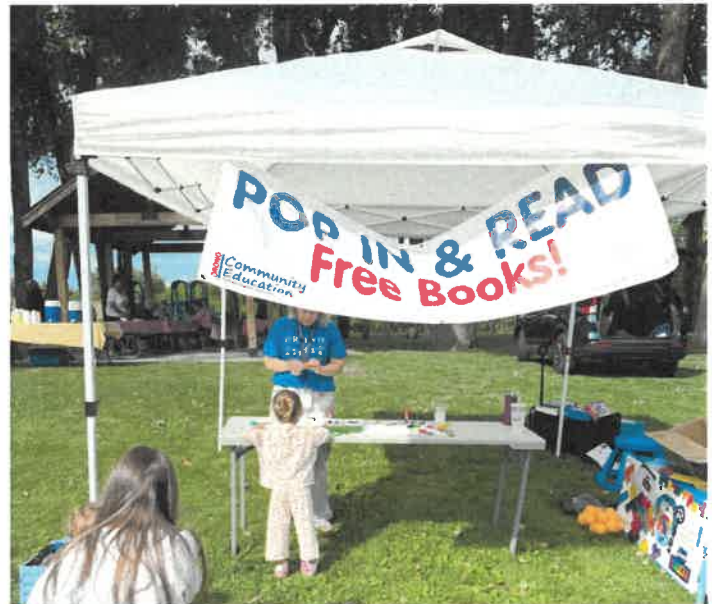
Thursday, August 6 at 7:00pm

**Knights of Columbus Scholarship 2026
DUE THIS WEEK!**

Graduating high school seniors who plan to attend college or vocational/technical school are encouraged to apply for the Knights of Columbus scholarship. Those interested in applying can get the application from the scholarship displays by the exits. Read through the application and eligibility requirements, fill out the application, and then submit it to the address listed on the form.

Applications are due July 8th.

See you at the September Meeting!



JUNE MONTHLY COMMUNITY MEAL

The St. George Women's Council hosted the Monthly Community Meal on June 25th at Dexter Park. Over 100 people attended. Community outreach from Orono Schools came as well to give out free books and provide games to play.



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

Offering for 06/21 Week 51	\$8,653.00
YTD WEEKLY GOAL	YTD WEEKLY COLLECTION
	Year to Date Actual Offering
\$272,850.00	\$275,616.50
Monthly BIM Goal	June BIM Offering
\$2,000	\$1,140.00

What Is BIM?

BIM stands for Building Improvements and Maintenance. The money you donate in the blue envelopes helps us keep up with needed repairs and maintenance.

QR CODE FOR DONATIONS TO ST. GEORGE

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

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, Second Collection, 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!

DONATE HERE!
St. George Giving
QR Code



CHILDREN'S COLLECTION

During the Sunday 9:15am Mass, the parish takes up a weekly children's collection before our regular collection. Children are encouraged to come forward to place money in a basket that Father Shane will be holding. This is a great way to allow children to feel a part of their parish and to understand the importance of giving.

NO ENVELOPES SHIPPED FOR JULY

The parish was notified by the Cathedral Envelope company which prints and mails our weekly collection envelopes that in order to catch up on their backlog, they will not be sending July envelopes! As a result, they do expect to ship the August envelopes on time. We suggest that for the month of July that you use any old unused envelopes from previous dates that have your envelope number on it. If you do not have any of these old envelopes, we suggest writing your envelope number on the memo line of your check. We are sorry for the inconvenience.

HOSPITALITY SIGN UP
Donut pick up is now at
Kwik Trip in Maple Plain.

Please sign up on the sheet at Hospitality!

- July 5: Cancelled**
- July 12: Charlie & Ginger Hayes**
- July 19: *Please sign up!***
- July 26: *Please sign up!***
- August 2: *Please sign up!***

Help us welcome visitors and encourage social interaction and fellowship by hosting hospitality!





REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Those who recently died: Maxyne Weyker, Gloria Gilmer, Dolores Ullstrom, Tom Wannarka (husband of Deirdre), Bill Robinson, Jim Maas, Vicki Shafer (mother of Jacob Shafer), Mariella Stavish (sister-in-law of Winnie Kroll)

Those who are sick, hospitalized, injured, or recuperating: Spencer Williams, Jake Bales, Susan Hillman, Carole Young (mother of Glenn Slaughter), Kathy Day, Jeri Pagano, Ginger Hayes, Irene Calis (sister of Jane Slaughter), Oliver Strand (grandson of Jeff Strand), Peter Beck (husband of Theresa Beck), Fr Shane's mother, Samantha Voigt (granddaughter of Theresa Beck), Pat Janos, Allen Schwinghammer (brother of Karen Speeter)

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.

MASSES & MASS INTENTIONS

Sat, July 4, 4:00pm: For Mike Strand
Sunday, July 5, 9:15am: †Schmitz Family
Sunday, July 5, 5:00pm in Spanish: People of the Parish
Tues, July 7, 5:30pm: †Tom Wannarka
Wed July 8, 8:30am: †Andrew Neuberger
Thurs, July 9, 8:30am: †Bill Robinson
Friday, July 10: NO MASS
Sat, July 11, 4:00pm: †John and Erika Owings
Sunday, July 12, 9:15am: People of the Parish
Sunday, July 12, 5:00pm in Spanish: †Jose Eleuterio Arellano Sanches

PARISH ACTIVITY CALENDAR

Readings for Sunday, July 5, 2026

First Reading: See, your king shall come to you; a just savior is he, meek, and riding on an ass, on a colt, the foal of an ass. (Zec 9:9)

Psalm: I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God. (Ps 145)

Second Reading: For if you live according to the flesh, you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. (Rom 8:13)

Gospel: Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. (Mt 11:29)

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Readings for the Week of Sunday, July 5, 2026

Sunday: Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10/Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33

Next Sunday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14/Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

Observances for the week of July 5, 2026

Sunday: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr

Tuesday:

Wednesday:

Thursday: St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs

Friday:

Saturday: St. Benedict, Abbot

Next Sunday: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wednesday, July 8

9:15am-10:30am Divine Will Group

Thursday, July 9

7:00pm AA

Sunday, July 12th

10:15am Corn Days Meeting

Sunday, July 26th

10:15am Corn Days Meeting

Friday, August 7

5:00 Corn Husking Party!

Saturday, August 8: Corn Days All Day!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday, July 11 at 4pm: Weekend Mass

Rosary: Jean Kottemann Lector: Meghan Flannery

Greeters: Mary Lindbloom, Michelle Flannery

EM: Meghan Flannery, Michelle Flannery, Joe Smith,

Judy Willets

Altar Server/Sacristan: Jeff Strand

Sunday, July 12 at 9:15am: Weekend Mass

Lector: Todd Ziesmer Greeters: Charlie Hayes, Brian

Farrell, Vicky Wenkstern EM: Mike Dombeck, Marie

Ziesmer

Altar Servers: Gavin Shafer, Olivia Tesch

Sacristan: Amy McEvoy

Please contact Sara Dore at sdore@stgeorgelonglake.org to volunteer or if you have questions.



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Cemetery

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Paul Bennett (952) 200-7399

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

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Other Parish Pastoral Council Members:

Marie Suchy Shannon Banks

Molly Yates Danielle Miskowic

Joe Smith Andy Pfeifer

Join Our Parish

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

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