

Saint George Church - Worcester and Holden

October 8, 2023 - Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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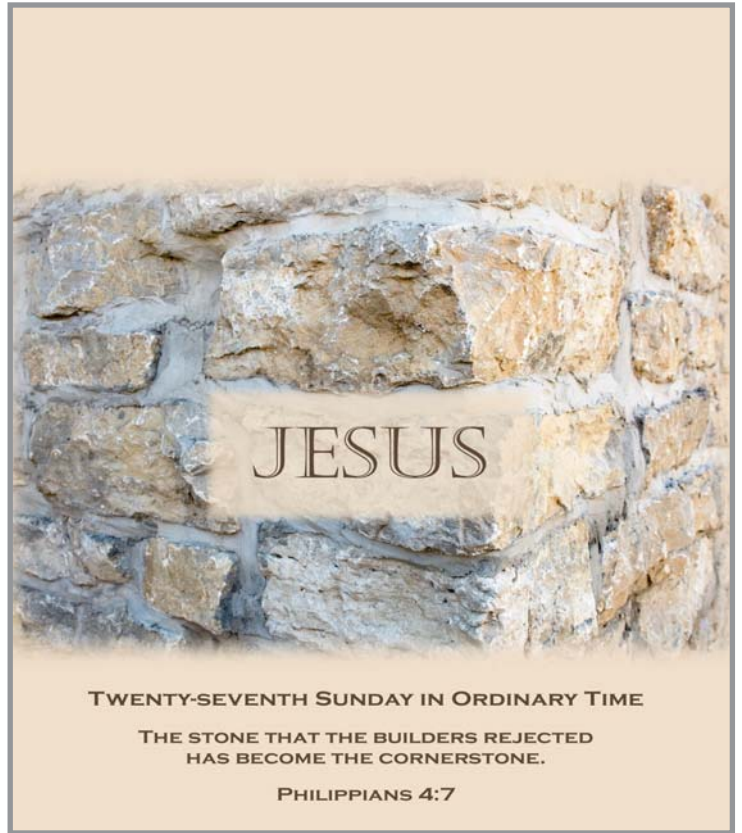
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Monday—Thursday 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM

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For information regarding Pastoral Care of the Sick, Marriage Preparation, Confirmation, and Ministry Involvement, we invite you to call the Parish Office.



St. George Catholic Church

Baptism Information:

Please contact Susan Pacek at 508-856-9960
or email: st.geobaptism@gmail.com

Eucharist Celebrated:

Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM

Live-Streamed Mass is offered on our parish website each Sunday at 10:00 AM.

Weekday Masses:

Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:00 AM
and Thursday at 5:30 PM

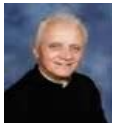
Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Confessions are heard inside the church
2:30 PM—3:15 PM on Saturdays.

Parish Mission Statement

We, the parish community of St George, celebrate the welcoming presence of Christ in our lives. Together with the universal Church, we are nourished and sustained through the Mystery of the Holy Eucharist, and we are inspired by the proclamation of the Word, guided by the Holy Spirit. We continually seek to grow in a deeper understanding of our faith, to respect the sanctity of human life, and respond to what Jesus asks of us in our time by sharing our gifts and participating in parish activities and outreach to others.

A Community of Ministries, October 8, 2023



From Your Pastor

THANK YOU to our pastoral council and to those who assisted them in making our parish's welcome weekend such a great success!

THANK YOU also to those of you who participated in welcome weekend whether it be at parish liturgies, and/or festivities following the Masses. Your participation and service were very much appreciated.

Studies have shown that people who think about their regrets at bedtime as less likely to fall asleep quickly than those who would think about a regular day. There seems to be something about the dark of night that encourages us to think about everything that is wrong with our lives and the world. St. Paul, in today's second reading, takes this idea further. He goes beyond thinking about the negative to focus actively and specifically on what is good. He shows us how to look for evidence of the life of God all around us by seeing it in the just, the pure, the lovely, the gracious, the excellent and the praiseworthy. When we see these, we can have inner peace, knowing that God is with us. He offered to a community that was riddled with anxieties a meditation on things of transcending peace. Jesus offers these same things to us so that we will not become like the wicked tenants in his parable in the Gospel. They, representing the religious leaders of their time, knew their responsibilities but resisted fulfilling them in the way that they should have. We can do better than that!

In November we will be observing the month of All Souls when we remember our beloved dead. As in past years our parish will be extending an invitation to the families of those parishioners who had died during the past year to gather for a special Mass of Remembrance on Saturday, November 4th, at 9:30 A.M. Letters of invitation are being mailed out to those families. The Mass is open for parishioners to attend as well. The Mass will also be live-streamed that Saturday morning. We invite you to either attend this Mass or to view it live-streamed at this date and time to remember these deceased parishioners and all of our beloved dead. Since this Mass is just a little more than three weeks away, please make a note of it.

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New Nativity Set Update: I have received a donation for the Holy Family figures for our new nativity set. My thanks to our donor for such a generous gift! If anyone else is interested in making a donation toward this new set, I remind you that the other figures will not be available until after the first of next year. For the costs of these other figures, you can contact me.

Fr. Niccolls

PIETA

is a support group for bereaved parents. Anyone who has experienced the death of a child is welcome to attend.

**Monday, October 9th at 7:00 PM
in the Church Hall**



For more information call Terry Gentile 508-284-0796 or Sue Stevens at 508-852-4887. If you would like to send an email or find out more information, then please contact either Terry or Sue at pieta3@gmail.com, or you can visit our website for more information: <https://saintgeorgesparish.org/pieta>

Mass Intentions



Saturday, October 7, 2023

4:00 PM For the Community of Saint George

Sunday, October 8, 2023

8:00 AM In Memory of Laurence Newell, Jr.
Requested by his Wife and Family

10:00 AM For the Community of Saint George

Monday, October 9, 2023

8:00 AM In Memory of Charles M. O'Neill, Sr.

Tuesday, October 10, 2023 No Mass

Wednesday, October 11, 2023

8:00 AM In Memory of Anthony Laconte
Requested by his Children

Thursday, October 12, 2023

5:30 PM In Memory of Nelson A. Barrett, Jr.

Friday, October 13, 2023

8:00 AM In Memory of Teddy and Patricia Mita

Saturday, October 14, 2023

4:00 PM In Memory of Lawrence DelVecchio
Requested by John and Lorraine Neilan

Sunday, October 15, 2023

8:00 AM For the Community of Saint George

10:00 AM In Memory of Rev. Joseph Nally
2nd Anniversary
Requested by Seraphina Wong

Deacon Paul Audette

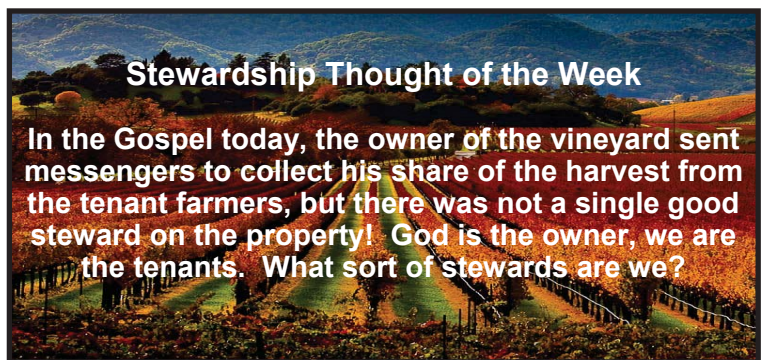
James Martin

(In this excerpt from an essay in the September 26, 1998 "America" magazine, Fr. Martin addresses his own physical infirmities and how these have given him several important spiritual insights)

"Almost from the moment I learned about my tumor, I began thinking about Jesus on the cross...And for me the most poignant realization concerned the profound intimacy of bodily suffering...Our bodies, it can be fairly said, are the most intimate parts of our existence, so thinking about surgery, 'invasive' surgery as they say, was daunting. The idea of someone laying open the left side of my face, manipulating my facial nerves and muscles, fishing around for a tumor and sewing it all up again made me wince with fear and nausea... Yet Jesus in his passion welcomed a similar invasion – a piercing of his body – or at least he accepted it as part of God's plan. Normally, we attempt to avoid pain or try to alleviate it. This is good and healthy. Yet it is this very human desire that makes Jesus' actions all the more meaningful and astonishing. The day before my surgery, while attending Mass, as I wondered what it would be like to have my neck sliced open with a scalpel, I thought about Jesus. And I heard anew the words 'This is my body, which will be given up for you.'"

Stewardship Thought of the Week

In the Gospel today, the owner of the vineyard sent messengers to collect his share of the harvest from the tenant farmers, but there was not a single good steward on the property! God is the owner, we are the tenants. What sort of stewards are we?



Weekly Collection

September 25 - October 1, 2023

On-line Giving: \$ 1,801.20
 Ordinary Collection: \$ 4,195.55
 Total: \$ 5,996.75

Thank you for your generosity!
 We are truly grateful.

Parish Calendar

Saturday, October 7, 2023

8:00 AM Rosary Group Church
 8:00 PM AA Meeting Church Hall

Sunday, October 8, 2023

After 8:00 & 10:00 AM Mass Coffee Shop Church Hall
 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Religious Ed gr 1-8 classes Parish Center
 10:00 AM Toddler & Children's Liturgy Church Hall

Monday, October 9, 2023

7:00 PM Pieta Support Group Church Hall

Tuesday, October 10, 2023

4:30 PM - 5:30 PM Religious Ed gr 1-8 classes Parish Center

Wednesday, October 11, 2023

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM Faith Sharing Room 108 Parish Center

Thursday, October 12, 2023

11:00 AM Faith Sharing Room 108 Parish Center
 6:00 PM Family Prayer Night Church

Friday, October 13, 2023

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Youth Ministry Gathering Church Hall

Saturday, October 14, 2023

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Art Night Church Hall
 8:00 PM AA Meeting Church Hall

Sunday, October 15, 2023

After 8:00 & 10:00 AM Mass Coffee Shop Church Hall
 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Religious Ed gr 1-8 classes Parish Center
 10:00 AM Toddler & Children's Liturgy Church Hall
 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM Confirmation Classes Parish Center

Join us for Coffee Shop Club After 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM Masses



\$1.00 each

Oct. 8 - Mark Cormier and Team
 Oct. 15 - Robert Gray and Team
 Oct. 22 - Jim Moughan and Team
 Oct. 29 - Kathy Hessel and Team
 Coffee, donuts, bulkies, and fellowship! We NEED TEAM MEMBERS! Each team serves once every 10 weeks. All teams need help. Sign up at the Coffee Shop, come to find out more about how you can help, and help a team!

Contact Andy Fish: andy@andyfish.com or 508-901-7813



GREETERS MINISTRY

St. George Church Needs You!

We need Greeters to welcome parishioners to each and every Mass at all of our doors, to handout bulletins, assist with those who have mobility issues and generally offer a warm welcoming to everyone entering the church for services. Please step up if you see no one welcoming parishioners at the door. This is your church and you are needed to help make others feel like they belong. **Thank you!**



Do you like to draw or enjoy making art?

Come join open studio event once a month!

**Saturday, October 14, 2023
 5:00 - 7:00 PM in the Church Hall**

Bring your own materials & drop in to doodle, finish a project or work in your sketchbook. For teens to adults (ages 13+).

Contact Veronica Fish: veronica@undercoverfish.com



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Regular Offertory Donations,
 Special collections and donations
 are available through Online Giving.

Access is available through our website: click on the icon like the one pictured here. Kathy Hessel is happy to assist you, email with questions at mkhessel@aol.com. Many thanks to our online givers who help to provide faithful & consistent financial support to our parish during this time.

Blessing of the Animals

Pets leave pawprints on your heart

A Blessing and Treat for Your Pet
 Refreshments for their Adult and Child Humans

Saturday, October 21, 2023

Rain or Shine from **9:30 AM to 10:30 AM**
 St. George Roman Catholic Church - Parking Lot
 40 Brattle Street - Worcester MA

Bring your pet, a picture of a pet
 or even your Favorite Stuffed Animal.

For the safety of all animals,
 Dogs must be on a leash or crated.

For more information contact JoAnn or Andrea
emmaus.stgeorge@gmail.com



Bulletin Item Due Dates:

Postings are due **10 days before the Sunday Bulletin**.
 Please submit items at least 10 days before the Bulletin date.
 E-mail our Parish Administrative Assistant, Patty LaBonte, at
office@saintgeorgesparish.org. The best way to book or
 reserve a Mass is to call our office: 508-853-0183.

Church Donation Envelopes

If you would like to receive or stop receiving Church Envelopes please call the Parish Office and let us know. Using Church Envelopes helps keep track of your donations for tax purposes. Tax letters are mailed upon your request starting at the end of January 2024. Thank you.

Call the Parish Office with any questions: 508-853-0183.



Readings To-Go!

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 October 8, 2023

Scan QR code to see
 this week's readings!

Prayer Before or After Mass

Almighty ever-living God, who in the abundance of your kindness surpass the merits and the desires of those who entreat you, pour out your mercy upon us to pardon what conscience dreads and to give what prayer does not dare to ask. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen



Notice from the Diocesan Office of Healing and Prevention

If you have been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church, please believe in the possibility for hope and help and healing. We encourage you to come forward and speak out. Contact Judith Audette, Diocese of Worcester: Victim Assistance Coordinator, call her at (508) 929-4363.



St. George Church Eucharistic Adoration

The Thursday evening and Friday morning Eucharistic Exposition & Adoration will be on:

Thursday, November 2, 2023 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM and
Friday, November 3, 2023 after 8:00 AM Mass to 10:00 AM.
Come spend time being with Jesus and pray with us.

Holy Hour to Pray for Priests Immaculate Conception Church 353 Grove Street Worcester

Friday, October 13, 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

The holy hour of prayer for priests consists of time for silent adoration, a short reflection, the rosary and benediction.

Repeats every second Friday of each month.

Novenas

North American Martyrs Parish Novena 8 Wyoma Drive Auburn Monday October 9 to 19 at 6:30 PM

Fr. Frederick Fraini will begin a Novena on October 9th at 6:30 PM with a Mass. Bishop Robert McManus will conclude the 9 day Novena on Thursday, October 19th with a Mass.

For complete details on the speakers and saints, visit the website: <https://namartyrsauburn.org/>

Respect Life Month Online Novena October 13 - 21, 2023

Join thousands of Catholics praying for the protection of human life from conception to natural death. The Respect Life Month Novena takes place starting Friday, October 13 to Saturday, October 21. Get daily intentions, brief reflections, and more. Sign up at <https://www.respectlife.org/>



St. Jude Novena Saint Aloysius-Saint Jude Church 489 Pleasant St. Leicester Sunday, October 29, 2:00 - 3:00 PM

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament, Homily, Litany to Saint Jude, Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and Benediction.

Please call 508-892-8296 with questions.



October is Holy Rosary Month



Saint George Saturday Rosary Group

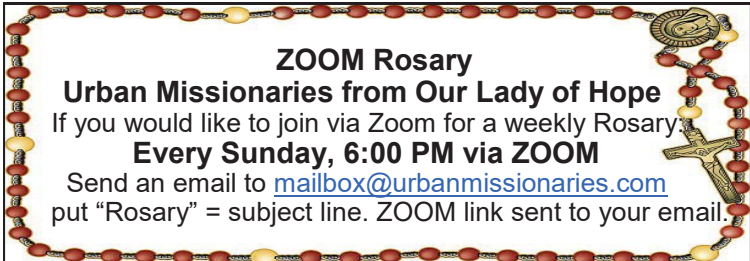
You are invited to attend our once a month Saturday morning Rosary Group.

First Saturday of every month.

Currently, we are meeting in the
Church at 8:00 AM October 7, 2023

If interested, please contact Jim Hachey at 508-579-9623





ZOOM Rosary

Urban Missionaries from Our Lady of Hope
If you would like to join via Zoom for a weekly Rosary:
Every Sunday, 6:00 PM via ZOOM
Send an email to mailbox@urbanmissionaries.com
put "Rosary" = subject line. ZOOM link sent to your email.



St. George Family Prayer Night Thursdays 6:00 PM

In the Church, there is a gathering of people who pray for all families. The Divine Mercy Chaplet and the Rosary are prayed. This is a wonderful opportunity to learn to pray the Rosary. Eucharistic Adoration is also a part of this wonderful time of prayer on the first Thursday & Friday of each month.

Rosary Rally Saturday, October 14 at Noon In Front of Our Lady of the Angels Church 23 Fales Street in Worcester

Please join us as we pray the rosary to save souls. The voice of our community's Rosary will be part of over 22,000 Rosary Rallies across the Nation. America will be blanketed in prayer, asking God to have mercy on America, through our Lady's intercession.



Religious Education

"Growing Together in Faith" Sarah Kelly, Administrator

Phone: 508-852-1784

sarah.kelly@saintgeorgesparish.org

Welcome to St. George Religious Education Classes 2023 - 2024

Grades 1-8:

We are so excited to welcome back our students from last year. We are also very excited to welcome new students to our religious education program. Classes for students in grades 1-8 began September 24th. Emails went out already to registered families with pertinent information. If you did not receive an email, please email Sarah Kelly.

Confirmation:

The first classes for students in Confirmation I & II begin on Sunday, October 15. Emails will be sent out soon to registered families. If you have any questions, please email Sarah Kelly.

Volunteers Needed:

We are still in need of volunteers at many different grade levels. Please prayerfully consider donating your time and talent to the young people of our parish. All curriculum and lesson plan materials are provided, as well as teaching support. Please email Sarah Kelly.

Sarah Kelly's email: sarah.kelly@saintgeorgeparish.org



Venerini Academy Fall Open House Thursday, October 12th: 5:30 to 7:30 PM 27 Edward Street, Worcester

Venerini Academy is a PreK through Grade 8 private Catholic School. We will be having an Open House on October 12 from 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM. During our Open House, you will be able to explore the academic, social, and spiritual opportunities we offer. You will have an opportunity to speak with teachers, students and families of Venerini Academy. It is never too early to start thinking about next school year!

Please pre-register for our Open House by going to the school website: VeneriniAcademy.com or by calling Albert Ganem, Jr. at 508-753-3210.



Saint John's Fall Open House Tuesday, October 17, at 6:00 PM Saturday, November 18, 9:00 AM

To learn more and to register, visit:

<https://www.beapioneer.org/experience>

During this event, prospective families and students will have an opportunity to hear from Saint John's faculty, staff and students regarding the limitless opportunities available to our students!



Youth Ministry Meet in the Church Hall on: Friday, October 13 and 20, 2023 at 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM

Youth Ministry is open to grades 7-12. Come find out more about Youth Ministry and what we will be doing this year! Contact Jay with any questions at jguillette@charter.net

The Family Connection

Living as a Catholic is a lifelong journey taken one step at a time. What next step is God telling your to take in your journey as a Catholic, individually or as a family?



Grandparents: All interested grandparents are asked to pray for the safety and well-being of their grandchildren. Copies of grandparent prayers are available on the table in the Church Hall. Contact the Parish Office if you have any questions: office@saintgeorgesparish.org

**Grandparents make memories
that the heart holds forever.**

How does my family show we are Catholic?



Family Faith Byte



Scouting Catholic Religious Aware Program Class starts Tuesday October 17 at 7:00 PM St. Christopher's Church 970 West Boylston Street, Worcester

Classes will begin for all Boy Scouts of Catholic faith ages 13 and up who are interested in earning the Ad Altare Dei or the Pope Pius XII award. First class begins on October 17, 2023.

For further information see the Bulletin Board at the side entrance of the church or email John Atlas at JKARL1958@gmail.com or call 508-856-0303

Baptisms in the Church Family

If you, a family member, or friend is interested in receiving the Sacrament of Baptism, we invite you to contact us today. Please contact:

Susan Pacek by either phone **508-856-9960**
or email st.geobaptism@gmail.com



A Community of Ministries



St. George Parish Outreach

Ann Doyle 508-450-4134
annie@saintgeorgesparish.org

Please Save these Dates for Holiday Outreach 2023

November 4 & 5 - Thanksgiving Food Drive

Non-perishable food items needed. Sturdy recyclable bags with handles are very helpful. Items can be left in the Outreach Collection area anytime.



Donations for Turkeys are Needed

Throughout the month of November we hope to collect \$400 to provide turkeys for families at Our Lady of Providence Catholic Parish on Lincoln Street. Please label your donation envelope "For Turkeys" - Mail checks to: Parish Office or add the envelope to the Collection Basket at Mass.



November 11 & 12 - This weekend the **Giving Tree Tags** will be available on the "Giving Tree" in our church.



November 17 - **Mustard Seed Meal** for 120 elderly and homeless guests. Please call Annie to help prepare the meal. Donations to "Parish Outreach" towards the cost of the meal are needed. The cost for each meal is \$6.

December 2 & 3 - Giving Tree Gift Returns due.

Volunteers to help sort and deliver will be needed.

Hope for Housing Cards Help Prevent Family Homelessness

Hope for Housing is a non-profit program developed by our parishioner Matt Ryan.

Matt has left us with this legacy which utilizes the collective buying power of 30 congregations to raise money for the prevention of family homelessness.

These Gift Cards for local retailers, including Big Y, CVS, Dunkin' Donuts, Hannaford, Panera, Shaws, Stop & Shop Target, Starbucks, and TJ Max are purchased in bulk, which in turn are sold to members of participating congregations who receive the full value of the card. The retailers donate 2-10% of all sales to the Hope for Housing program. By purchasing gift cards for **your use** at local retailers, you can help to stabilize families by providing counseling and support.



Please buy "**Hope for Housing Cards**" available after all Masses. See Dave and Sue Genereux in the Church Hall after Mass. Any questions call them at: 978-833-0306

Eucharist and Prayers for the Sick

Especially during these difficult times, please call to let us know if a family member or neighbor is hospitalized, homebound or ill. Call Ann Doyle at 508-450-4134. We want to be with you in prayer and support. We can perhaps arrange a visit and possibly bring Eucharist. Remember that due to HIPAA regulations, unless you allow the hospital or health care institution to release information and list St. George's as your religious affiliation, we are not informed that you are a patient. Thank you.

Want to begin planning and shopping early for folks who would otherwise do without holiday food and gifts ?

Food Drive Items: typically items needed around the holidays are turkey stuffing mix, cans of gravy, corn bread mix and small canned hams.

Giving Tree Items: items typically requested are men's zip up hooded sweatshirts, men's sweat pants, children's gifts and small blankets.

As we become aware of more specific needs we will include them here and of course on our "Giving Tree".

Your Help is Needed to Feed the Hungry



**Special Needs for October are:
Cereal, Jelly and Healthy Snacks
Granola bars & individual pkg of Nuts**



These are items that are not available at the Worcester County Food Bank (WCFB). Due to the currently desperate food needs we now make weekly trips to WCFB to increase the food which we are able to share with families in need.



All Are Welcome!

Visitor or parishioner, sure or struggling, young or old, no matter what your day has been like so far you belong here. We all belong to Christ.

Rejoicing or grieving, faith filled or doubting, poor or wealthy, no matter what your race, orientation or marriage situation you belong here. We all belong to Christ.

With children or childless, weary or wondering, sick or anxious, Interfaith family or Interdenominational, no matter how long you may have been away from church or where you have been you belong here.
We are all God's people.

We invite you to join us in worship, prayer, ministry and service. Want to know more?
Call or text Annie Doyle: 508-450-4134



NEW PARISHIONERS WELCOME!

We are honored and delighted to welcome you. Contact Annie Doyle at 508-450-4134 for an introduction to our ministries, our needs, and the interests you might have to help.

Call the Parish Office with questions at 508-853-0183.

Our Parish Vision: To welcome all, build connections to Christ and one another, and live our faith as true disciples of Jesus.



Emmaus Ministry

**Interested in being
Involved in Emmaus Ministry?**

**Your ideas, talents
and time are most welcomed?**

Contact Andrea or JoAnn for
more information at 508-853-0183
or emmaus.stgeorge@gmail.com



Spiritual Growth Ministry Corner

Ministry Leader: Bonnie Moran

Saintgeorgespiritualgrowth@gmail.com

In this week's Gospel we are told about landowners' attempts to keep their vineyards. The results are bad in both cases. In the first reading the wild grapes could not be eaten or used for wine. In the Gospel the servants and the landowner's son were beaten or killed. In both passages, the landowners represent God and explains to us how God has set in place and continuously cares for everything. God cares for how we live, grow, and interact with Him and His creations.

In the first reading, we are like the vineyard itself. Each of us has free will and can choose to follow God by accepting His love and care for us. We can grow into a healthy vineyard that produces "good grapes" as we share the fruits or our lives with others. If we choose our own paths by denying God's will and love for us this leads us to become the "wild grapes" depicted in the passage. The Gospel, meanwhile, is a parallel to God's sending Jesus as a sacrifice for our sins. We are like the tenants tending the vineyard. We also have free will to choose. We can either accept Jesus, paying our "just due" of love to God the Father who sent Him, or we can choose to refuse this love and cast Jesus away, keeping the gifts we've been given by God.

Spiritual Growth Committee members: Bonnie Moran – Chair; Deacon Paul Audette, Joan Talbot; Patti Walsh; Helen Hurley, and Kyle Lewandowski. Fr. Niccolls as ex officio member.

Faith Sharing Groups

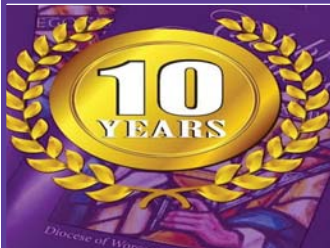
If you are interested in learning more about Faith Sharing groups, please contact JoAnn Nally at phone number 508-527-6973.



Wednesday, October 11th from 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Monday, October 16th from 7:00 PM - 8:15 PM

Room 108 in the Parish Center is Handicapped Accessible.



*Celebrate
Priesthood*
Thursday
October 26, 2023

**Tenth Annual Celebrate Priesthood
Taste of the Diocese Gala
Thursday, October 26, 2023 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM
Saint Paul Diocesan Jr./ Sr. High School
144 Granite St., Worcester**

For the past nine years, the Diocese of Worcester has hosted a wonderful gala called "Celebrate Priesthood - Taste of the Diocese" as a benefit for Retired Priest's Care. Some served as pastors well into their eighties before retiring. Many of our retired priests regularly fill in on weekends, cover vacations and serve in prison ministry. We appreciate their efforts and regard all our retired priests with great esteem, respect and affection. Your generous support is greatly appreciated as the proceeds help us care for your retired priests with dignity.

To make a donation in memory of a deceased priest or in honor of a priest who is still serving, buy ticket(s) for Taste of the Diocese, or to get more information, please visit the website <https://worcesterdiocese.org/celebrate-priesthood> or call 508-929-4366 and we would be happy to help.

*The Gift of Time is Priceless
Thank you!*

Valuable is the work you do.

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