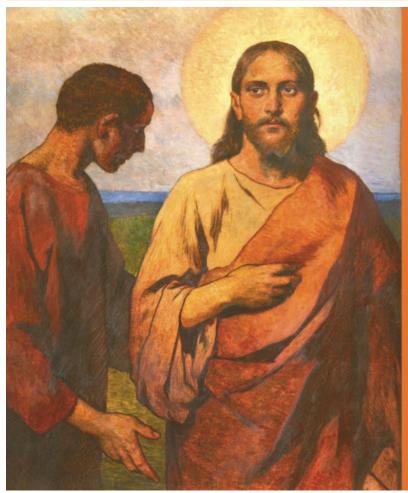


## ST.GEORGE CATHOLIC CHURCH

JULY 6, 2025 | 14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



# 14<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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"Whatever town you enter and they welcome you, eat what is set before you, cure the sick in it and say to them, 'The kingdom of God is at hand for you.'" - Lk 10:8-9

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD

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## MASS SCHEDULE

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday: 6:15am Mass Tuesday: 6:15am Mass

12:00pm Mass

Wednesday: 6:15am Mass

12:00pm Mass 6:15am Mass

Thursday: 6:15am Mass Friday: 6:15am Mass

### **WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturday: 4:00pm Mass

6:00pm Spanish Mass

Sunday: 7:30am Mass

9:30am Mass LIVESTREAM

11:30am Mass 6:00pm Mass

## **OUR MISSION**

St. George Catholic Church Parish is an open loving parish community united by our faith in Jesus Christ. Located within the Diocese of Baton Rouge, we are closely bound to our diocesan family and the universal Roman Catholic Church. Our prayerful liturgies are community celebrations shaped by a tradition of over one hundred years of Eucharistic worship on this site. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we are called to use our gifts to express our praise, love, and thanksgiving to God. We challenge and support one another in humbly living the gospel message and serving the common good as witnesses of Jesus Christ.

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## LEARN ABOUT ST. GEORGE

July 6, 2025

### PARISH CLERGY

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Parochial Vicar

Rev. Akhilesh Antony

Rev. Nutan Minj

Deacons

Terry Bellon

Glenn Farnet

Billy Francioni

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### St. George Office Hours

Mondays—Thursdays 8am-4pm | Fridays 8am-NOON (summer hours) (Closed for lunch | 12:30pm-1pm)

#### St. George Chapel

Monday-Friday 6:30am-7pm for prayer

### Adoration in the Chapel

Mondays 7am-6pm | Thursdays 7am-7pm | Saturdays 6am-8:30am

### Confessions

Monday-Friday | 6:45am-7am Tuesday-Wednesday | 11:30am-11:50am Saturday | 2:30pm-3:30pm

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## PASTOR'S MESSAGE

July 6, 2025

## 14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Do you remember when you were 20 years old? Were you attending college, in a fraternity or sorority perhaps? Or were you already working, perhaps married with children. I'm sure you can fondly remember how much youthful energy you had. I'm going to tell you a true story of a 20-year-old young man who lived in an era which was portrayed in the movie Les Miserable.

A young student arrived in University of Paris in early 1800's. He surrounded himself with young Catholics like himself and they met together to discuss various topics. At one gathering, a student challenged him and other practicing Catholics. The student admitted that the Catholic Church had done much good work in the past, but "what do you do now?" This question prompted this 20 year old, a sensitive young man of modest middle class background, to take a good look at the misery of the working poor of Paris. He said to his Catholic friends, "If we are too young to intervene in the social struggle, are we then to remain passive in the middle of a world which is suffering and groaning? No, a preparatory path is open to us. Before doing public good, we can try to do good to a few. Before regenerating France, we can give relief to a few of her poor." The 20-year-old Frederic Ozanam and his friends formed "Conference of Charity" from which was born the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

Although there were social programs run by the government at the time, the St. Vincent de Paul Society took a very different approach, an approach they learned from the gospel we heard today. Members were sent out two-by-two, into the homes of the poor of the city of Paris. They weren't there to give a handout.

The Society's rule explained how and why they went personally into the homes. The rule said, "The vocation of the Society's members, who are called Vincentians, is to follow Christ through service to those in need and so bear witness to His compassionate and liberating love. Members show their commitment through person-to-person contact. Vincentians serve the poor cheerfully, listening to them and respecting their wishes, helping them to feel and recover their own dignity, for we are all created in God's image. In the poor, they see the suffering Christ. Vincentians endeavor to establish relationships based on trust and friendship. Conscious of their own frailty and weakness, their hearts beat with the heartbeat of the poor. They do not judge those they serve. Rather, they seek to understand them as they would a brother or sister."

Who is called to do such charity? Specialists? Jesus sent his disciples out to help him reap the harvest. Are we not



disciples? We tend to leave it to the specialists—to priests, nuns, missionaries. The people Jesus sent out weren't specialists. Yet they became his instruments. The 72 began by being Jesus' disciples. Then he steered to goals beyond themselves by making them his apostles. The Lord asks us to share with others what we have received from him.

Pope Francis spoke about what it is to be a disciple of Jesus. He said, "To meet the living God we must tenderly kiss the wounds of Jesus in our hungry, poor, sick, imprisoned brothers and sisters. Study, meditation and mortification are not enough to bring us to encounter the living Christ. Our life will only be changed when we touch Christ's wounds present in the poor, sick and needy."

Our Lord spoke of harvest in today's Gospel. The harvest is indeed great for those who have eyes to see it and a heart to respond to it. It is in our hospitals, homes, schools, prisons, workplaces, neighborhoods. Everyday is a harvest day.

- Fr. Yi

## **WORSHIPING TOGETHER**

July 6, 2025

## PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF ALL SOULS

MYRT EGBERT TUGWELL, SR.

PATRICIA ANN TILLEY DWIGHT DEPLAND



#### WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, JULY 06

No events scheduled.

#### MONDAY, JULY 07

7:00am | Adoration, Chapel

6:30pm | OCIA, KAC 6:30pm | OCIA Mystagogia, KAC

#### TUESDAY, JULY 08

1:00pm | St. Vincent de Paul, KAC 4:30pm | OCIA Core Team, Ch Off Conf Rm 7:00pm | Hispanic Choir, Ch Music Rm

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 09

4:00pm | Creation Care Ministry, Ch Off Conf Rm 6:00pm | Ushers Meeting, KAC

#### THURSDAY, JULY 10

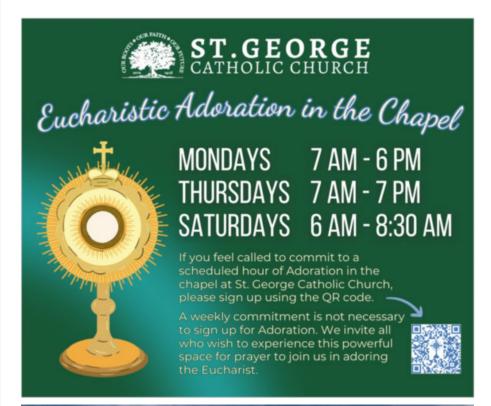
7:00am | Adoration, Chapel 4:30pm | Marian Servants, KAC

#### FRIDAY, JULY 11

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSES AT NOON TODAY 7:00am | That Man is You! Group 9, KAC

#### SATURDAY, July 12

6:00am | Adoration, Chapel







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## **WORSHIPING TOGETHER**

July 6, 2025

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

## SUNDAY, 07/06

## 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 66:10-14c Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 (1) Gal 6:14-18 Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

## MONDAY, 07/07

Gn 28:10-22a Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab Mt 9:18-26

## **TUESDAY, 07/08**

Gn 32:23-33 Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15 Mt 9:32-38

## WEDNESDAY, 07/09

## St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs

Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19 Mt 10:1-7

## THURSDAY, 07/10

Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5 Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 Mt 10:7-15

## FRIDAY, 07/11

### St. Benedict, Abbot

Gn 46:1-7, 28-30 Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40 Mt 10:16-23

## SATURDAY, 07/12

Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7 Mt 10:24-33

### NEXT SUNDAY, 07/13

## 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 30:10-14 Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 (see 33) Col 1:15-20 Lk 10:25-37

## Ever Wonder About...

### **CARRY YOUR CROSS**

#### Question:

As Catholics, we talk a lot about "redemptive suffering" and "carrying your cross." What does that mean practically in daily life?

#### Answer:

When Jesus spoke these words, they would have sounded quite intense to his hearers. "Pick up your cross daily and follow me." At the time, Jesus hadn't yet been crucified. A cross was a Roman torture instrument. "Pick up the thing that tortures you the most," Jesus seemed to say. Unfortunately, most of us have no real shortage of these in our life. To take up the cross isn't to seek out new sufferings in our life. It's to accept the life we have.

Of course, unjust or unhealthy circumstances should be rectified when possible. But there are always circumstances that remain out of our immediate control. It could be pain management, the defiance of our teenage child, or an unhealthy work environment ... but you need the paycheck to pay the bills. In difficult circumstances, it can be easier to blame, complain, or daydream our way out of it. None of these are real solutions, since none of them accept the reality of the situation at hand. Those options only add to our suffering, since they damage relationships, fixate on the problem, or set up unrealistic expectations.

Instead, Jesus invites us to take up our cross — to look at the uncomfortable situation square in the eyes, take a deep breath, and do our best to be present to God's grace in the moment. To love those in our path. To take things one step at a time.

@LPi

## **VOCATIONS**

"My grace is sufficient for you." Consider a calling to the priesthood or consecrated life. God's grace is all you need. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 225-336-8778 or via email: jjohnson@diobr.org

## PAPAL INTENTION

#### JULY: FOR FORMATION IN DISCERNMENT

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

## PRESIDER SCHEDULE

 4pm
 7:30am
 9:30am
 11:30am
 6pm

 Fr. Yi
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## SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

July 6, 2025



## KNIGHTS CORNER COUNCIL #4030

#### **GENERAL MEETING**

The next General Meeting will be held on **Tuesday, Aug. 5th at 6:30pm** at the Council Hall, located at 10049 Kinglet Drive across from the Youth House.

#### **COFFEE & DONUTS**

On **Sunday, July 6th**, the Knights of Columbus will be serving Coffee  $\vartheta$  Donuts after the 7:30am and 9:30am Masses.

#### OFFICERS MEETING

On **Monday**, **July 28th**, the Officers Meeting will be held in the Council Hall.

Interested in learning about the Knights of Columbus, or becoming a member: www.kofcc4030.org or contact Wieslaw, "Joe" Stryjewski at 225-348-8364 or GrandKnight@KofCC4030.org



Volunteers Needed the week of **July 14-18** from **12-12:45pm** at the Holy Grill Location: BREC's Cadillac Center located at 6117 Cadillac Street

As a ministry of Interfaith Federation of Greater Baton Rouge, the Holy Grill provides a hot meal to a neighborhood community in Zion City in North Baton Rouge. 3-4 volunteers are needed each day to help serve hot lunches.

Please contact Kristel in the church office to volunteer, 225-293-2212 or email kristeln@st-george.org

You may also scan the QR code to sign up:



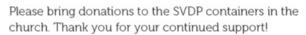


## SVDP FOOD PANTRY & FILL A PRESCRIPTION

#### **FOOD PANTRY**

Our St. Vincent De Paul Pantry needs donations:

Items most needed: canned fruit, canned meats (spam, Vienna sausage, tuna, chicken), canned vegetables (green peas/ sweet potatoes), macaroni and cheese, raviolis, mashed potatoes, crackers, apple sauce, peanut butter and jelly.





#### SVDP FILL A RX COLLECTION

**July 5-6 and July 12-13** are designated dates for donations to the SVDP pharmacy. The SVDP pharmacy serves many people in our community. With volunteer Pharmacists, and many other volunteers, the SVDP pharmacy works hard to provide life-sustaining prescription medication for our less fortunate neighbors. To donate to the SVDP Pharmacy:

- Place your gift in the prescription bottles found in the "Fill the Prescription for the Needy" containers provided in the narthex.
- Or you may place your donation in our collection basket (clearly indicating: SVDP RX)

## Thank you note from Tom Sarradet of Kairos/Angola #69

THANKS TO EVERYONE FOR YOUR GENEROUS MONETARY DONATIONS AND HOME-BAKED COOKIES THAT MADE OUR KAIROS #69 A SUCCESS AT ANGOLA.

ALSO, THANKS TO THE ST. GEORGE CATHOLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS AND CHURCH PARISHIONERS FOR THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THE AGAPE PROGRAM BY SENDING LETTERS OF ENCOURAGEMENT TO THE INMATES. WE HAD 24 INMATES WHO'S SOULS WERE TRANSFORMED THROUGH THE HOLY SPIRIT WHICH FILLED THE ROOM EACH DAY OF THE RETREAT. THANKS AGAIN TO EVERYONE FOR SERVING GOD IN THIS SPECIAL WAY.

## LEARN MORE ABOUT FAITH

Do you want to learn more about the Catholic Faith, Church History, the Sacraments, Catholic Scripture, and many more topics? Consider taking one of the many Ministry and Theology (MAT) courses offered by the Diocese of Baton Rouge. Most courses are offered at the Catholic Life Center, but some are taught elsewhere throughout the diocese, and some are even offered online.



They are open to anyone and are taught by very talented instructors from around our diocese. For more information, visit the diocesan Office of Evangelization & Catechesis website at https://diobr.org/evangelization or call 225-336-8760.

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## CONFIRMATION

2025-2026 School Year

All entering 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> grade students are invited to register for our 2025-2026 Confirmation Preparation Programs!

Spring & Fall Sessions open NOW

Scan Code for Schedules, Registration, & all information



HTTPS://WWW.ST-GEORGE.ORG/CONFIRMATION-HIGH-SCHOOL

## REGISTRATION CLOSES AUGUST 8<sup>th</sup> 2025

Questions? Contact Mrs. Catherine: CatherineS@St-George.org

Confirmation Registration for the 2025-2026 School Year is now LIVE!

All parents of entering 10th  $\up399$  11th grade students\* are encouraged to register their children to be candidates for our Confirmation Preparation Program.

This year we are offering two options for Confirmation Preparation: one begins on August 24th and ends on January 5th, the other begins on December 14th and ends on April 27th. Full schedules, expectations, information, and instructions can be found on our website along with the registration form. https://www.st-george.org/confirmation-high-school

Please contact Catherine S. Broussard with any questions once you have reviewed the available information and/or attempted registration: CatherineS@st-george.org.

\*Any 12th grade students who are not yet confirmed are also encouraged to register"



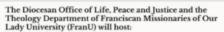
## VOCATIONAL PRAYER MINISTRY

Will you welcome the vocation prayer materials into your home for one week and pray for the current future vocations (religious, sisters, deacons, and priests)?

Join the Vocational Prayer Ministry to receive the vocational prayer materials (Chalice, Statue of St. Therese of Lisieux and Vocational prayer materials) in your home for a week! At this time, please limit your signup to one week so we can bring the materials into as many homes as possible to pray for an outpouring of vocations.

Sign up is for one week, receive the materials at the weekend Mass of your choice and bring the materials back to the Church Office the following Friday afternoon by 3pm for another family to receive at the next weekend Mass. Sign up poster board in the Narthex for Saturday 4pm, Sunday 7:30am, 11:30am or 6pm.

Thank you! Questions: 225-333-8129. The Vocational Prayer Ministry is sponsored by the Marian Servants of the Eucharist.



## THE CATHOLIC CHURCH'S PASTORAL MINISTRY AND TEACHING ABOUT SAME SEX ATTRACTION

With all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another through love, striving to preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace: one body and one Spirit, as you were also called to the one hope of your call; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all." (Ephesians 4:2-6)



Michaelangelo - The Creation of Adam

THURSDAY



DR. JENNIFER MOREL, STD

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8-7-25
FROM 6-8 P.M.
ST. GEORGE CATHOLIC
CHURCH - KLEINPETER
ACTIVITY CENTER
7808 St. George Dr.
Baton Rouge



Contact us OLP3@diobr.org



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## REGISTRATION SAVE THE DATE

## **REGISTRATION OPENS ON JULY 21**

Parish School of Religion (PSR) program is offered to registered St. George families whose children do not attend Catholic School.

Visit our website for more information. www.st-george.org/psr

## NURSERY SCHOOL REGISTRATION



St. George Nursery School is enrolling 3-year-olds for our Monday/
Wednesday/Friday for part-time enrollment. We are also enrolling 4-year-olds, Monday–Friday full-time enrollment. Questions?
Please contact the nursery school: 225-291-0299 or email: stgeorgenurseryschool@st-george.org

## 'UPPER ROOM' MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

A weekly Men's Bible Study is open to all men in the parish. The Upper Room will meet every Saturday from 6:30-8am at 16016 Highland Bluff Ct., Baton Rouge, LA 70810.



The group is studying the Book of Isaiah and utilize the New Ignatius Catholic Study Bible—Old and New Testament.

Questions: Todd Bouwkamp, tbouwkamp@gmail.com

## PSR Catechist Needed



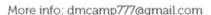
St. George needs YOU! We need dedicated parishioners who are passionate about their faith and fostering the love of Christ in the hearts of the youth at St. George.

Grow in your own knowledge of the faith too!

For more information, contact Molly Rose at mollyr@st-george.org

## HOLY FACE DEVOTION

All are invited to our monthly meeting for the Holy Face Devotion. We will meet in the St. George Chapel on the last Tuesday of the month after Noon Mass from 12:30-1:30pm.





## FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY

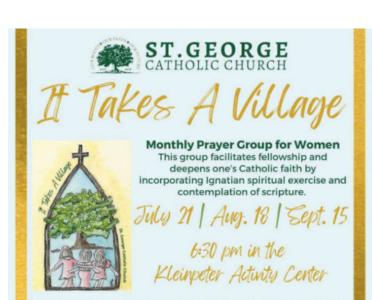
Any time! Any day!

When dining at **Pedro's Taco & Tequila Bar** across the street from our church, tell them you're **"with St. George."** The restaurant will give back 20% of your purchase to St. George!



Thank you!





There will be a sign up for food. Please bring a journal & your Bible. Questions or to sign up: aabreaux112513@gmail.com

## YOUTH MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

July 6, 2025





## MIDDLE SCHOOL







July 6, 2025



## Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

Please consider serving as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion. All EMHC's should show the greatest reverence for the Most Holy Eucharist by their demeanor and the manner in which they handle the consecrated bread and wine.

## Training will take place on: Aug. 19th from 6:30-8:30PM in the Church

Prospective ministers must complete an additional online training through the Diocese of Baton Rouge.

More info: Richard Owen in the Parish Office at (225) 293-2212 or richardo@st-george.org





## Ushers Training

CURRENT USHERS Aug. 9<sup>th</sup> from 8:30-10am

NEW USHERS Aug. 12<sup>th</sup> from 6-7:30pm

(Meet in the Church)

Please contact Richard Owen in the church office for more info: richardo@st-george.org The Catholic Churches of
St. Paul and St. George
Invite you to Join a
Special Mass Celebration
In Recognition of the Incredible Service

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Sisters Kathleen Bahlinger and Lory Schaff of the Congregation of St. Joseph Rendered at

St. Paul's Adult Learning and in the Community of Eden Park

> on Sunday, July 13, 2025 at 10:30 A.M.

St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church 3912 Gus Young Avenue Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802

> Reception to Follow Parish Center of St. Paul

Please RSVP by July 6, 2025 To: Ann Bertsch - 225-266-1960



## Prayer for Protection Against Storms and Hurricanes

Our Father in Heaven through the intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, spare us during this Hurricane season from all harm. Protect us and our homes from all disasters of nature. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayer to Avert Storms and Hurricanes

Father, all the elements of nature obey your command. Calm the storms and hurricanes that threaten us and turn our fear of your power into praise of your goodness. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Source: https://nolacatholic.org/news/prayers-for-hurricane-season

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# Volunteers Needed! BAPTISMAL HOSPITALITY TEAM

We **NEED VOLUNTEERS** to serve on our Baptismal Hospitality Team. The team members assist with the celebration of Baptism by greeting, giving instructions, and escorting families as they celebrate the sacrament both during and after weekend Masses on various weekends during the year.

Commitment: Once a month on a rotating basis.

Please contact Jenny in the office if you are interested in this heartwarming volunteer placement: 225-293-2212 or jennyc@st-george.org







Plus KPM Committee Overview and More!

## JOIN US!

Learn more about Prison Ministry during a day of prayer and reflection.

Hosted by Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church 8033 Baringer Road Baton Rouge, LA 70817

Event will last from 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM Followed by a Mass at 4:30 PM Celebrated by Bishop Michael Duca Diocese of Baton Rouge

Visit for More Information kolbeprisonministries.org









"It is required of stewards that they be found faithful." — 1 Cor 4:2

#### CONSIDER

Stewardship is defined in Merriam-Webster's dictionary as conducting, supervising, or managing something, especially the careful and responsible management of something entrusted to one's care. God created our Earth and entrusted its care to us. As His stewards we are responsible for the care and protection of His wondrous works. Environmental issues that humans contribute to and that affect all of us such as pollution, deforestation, extreme weather conditions, etc., should be of great interest to us. Learning about such problems in our communities should be a primary concern for God's good stewards. Good stewards would then work towards solutions.

#### PRAY

Ask God for the perseverance to be a faithful steward of His creations.

#### ACT

As an individual you may think your job as a steward of the Earth is too big to tackle. But if we each focus on little things, collectively we can make things happen. Some small things to consider in our stewardship of God's creations:

- Use the car less by walking more, cycling or carpooling.
- Use reusable grocery bags θ water bottles.
- Switch to doing your laundry in cold water.
- Use cloth napkins rather than paper napkins or paper towels.
- Plant a garden or a tree.
- Turn off the extra TVs that no one is watching.
- Spend time cleaning up a public place.
- Volunteer your time and skills to community groups supporting good stewardship of Mother Earth.

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## Devotions, Explained!

## ST. MICHAEL PRAYER

### Explained:

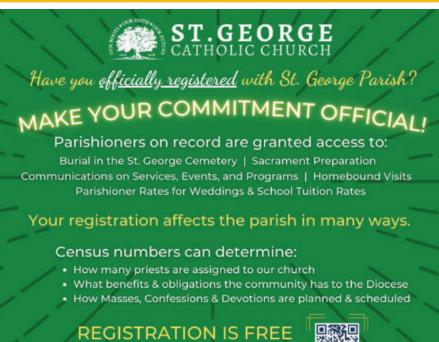
The prayer to St. Michael invokes the protection of the archangel Michael in the ongoing spiritual battle for the souls of all mankind. This prayer was composed by Pope Leo XIII and its use was instituted in 1886 at the end of Low Mass, a tradition which continued until the liturgical reforms of the Second Vatican Council. A popular story regarding its origin claims that the Pope wrote this prayer after having a vision of demonic spirits descending on Rome.

Michael is mentioned as one of God's seven archangels in the Book of Enoch and is presented by Revelations 12:7-12 as the warrior angel who cast Satan from heaven. He is therefore traditionally venerated as a protector against the forces of evil and a guardian of the Church. The Prayer to St. Michael is still commonly said at the end of the rosary and by some parishes after the conclusion of Mass.

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St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen





& AVAILABLE ONLINE:

# THY KINGDOM COME!

July 6, 2025

## You could volunteer in: Administration

The Administration Commission develops and implements the parish stewardship programs in ministry, finance, and prayer.

#### **Auction Committee**

This fun annual event featuring an online auction and an evening of live auction, music, and dancing. The committee plans and coordinates the event held each Winter.

#### **Bakers**

This group is composed of men and women who enjoys baking and cooking for various parish functions like the Parish Picnic, First Eucharist reception, Confirmation reception, Vacation Bible School, etc.

### **Cemetery Committee**

This committee assists in long-range planning for the perpetual care of the cemetery and mausoleum. Commitment: Meets semi-annually.

#### **Fair Committee**

The Fair committee plans and coordinates annual Parish Fair to benefit St. George Church and School. We meet monthly for 7 months prior to the fair.

#### **Finance Council**

The Parish Finance Council is a consultative group made up of parishioners with expertise in finance and business. Commitment: Meets quarterly.

#### Men's Club

This is an organization open to all men of the parish to assist with the maintenance of St. George School and parish. Workdays are designated throughout the year where volunteers handle such projects as painting and light carpentry. The men's club also hosts BBQ and fish fry dinner fundraisers. Commitment: meets monthly; workdays scheduled from September to May.

#### **Reception Committee**

Volunteers decorate, set up, serve, and clean up after various receptions of the parish. They are called upon for functions like the Parish Mission, First Eucharist reception, Confirmation reception, OCIA reception after Easter Vigil, etc.

## **Additional Committees**

Other ministries under the Administration Commission include Seamstress, Photographer, and Video Photographer.







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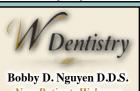
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