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Welcome

The parishioners of St George welcome you to our parish community. If you would like to register with our parish, forms are on the kiosk, come by the parish office, 202 W. Phillips St from 10am-12noon, M-F or call 816-633-7475.

Attention:

To ensure proper reservations for all events located at any of the St George facilities and to rent the St George meeting hall **PLEASE contact Kate Root, 816-263-7598, marykroot@gmail.com** or the St George Parish Office, stgeorgeodessa@gmail.com, 816-633-7475.

Bulletin

All items for the St George bulletin should be sent to stgeorgeodessa@gmail.com or call the church office, 816-633-7475, by 10am on Tuesday.

Sexual Abuse: The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse: 1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at **1-800-392-3738** (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and 2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and 3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the **Diocesan Ombudsman, Jenifer Valenti**, at **816-812-2500** or JeniferValenti@att.net, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph. The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact **Victim Advocate Kathleen Chastain** at **816-392-0011** or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.



Mass Intentions

Sat	June 15	5:30pm	Parishioners of St George
Sun	June 16	8:30am	John Hellums by Toni Hellums
Sat	June 22	5:30pm	Cecelia Geary by Virginia Sebban
Sun	June 23	8:30am	Parishioners of St George

No Daily Mass this week at St George & St Jude.

No Adoration or Benediction this week at St George & St Jude.

Schedule of Events

Sat	June 15	5:00pm	Reconciliation	Church
		5:30pm	Mass	Church
		6:30pm	Barbecue & Bingo	MH
Sun	June 16	7:45am	Reconciliation	Church
		8:00am	Rosary	Church
		8:30am	Mass	Church
Tues	June 18	6:30pm	Choir Practice	Church
Wed	June 19	6:30pm	Faith & Fitness	MH
		7:00pm	Altar Society	MH
Sat	June 22	5:00pm	Reconciliation	Church
		5:30pm	Mass	Church
Sun	June 23	7:45am	Reconciliation	Church
		8:00am	Rosary	Church
		8:30am	Mass	Church

Liturgical Roles

SATURDAY, June 15, 2019, 5:30pm
 Readers Gerard Schulte, Larry Lackamp
 Servers Any Available
 E. Ministers Bob Carey, Maureen Carey, Kate Root
 Ushers John Hotmer, Jerry Wade

SUNDAY, June 16, 2019, 8:30am
 Readers Joyce Watkins, Abby Volmer
 Servers Kiley Thomas, Felton Stevens
 E. Ministers Audrey Miller, Mike Stevens, Ruth Elgin
 Ushers Rex Watkins, Carl Stein
 Money Counters Bob Carey, Julie Kurtz

SATURDAY, June 22, 2019, 5:30pm
 Readers Dave Elgin, Maureen Carey
 Servers Any Available
 E. Ministers Ruth Elgin, Paula Eldred, Bob Carey
 Ushers Larry Lackamp, Jerry Wade

SUNDAY, June 23, 2019, 8:30am
 Readers Gerard Schulte, Syd Massey
 Servers Jacob Tate, Chris Utterback
 E. Ministers Audrey Miller, Gerard Schulte, Ruth Elgin
 Ushers Bill Schuler, Norm Brodeur
 Money Counters Angela Gregson, Tom Casey

St George Parish Office
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Office Hours Tuesday – Thursday 10 a.m. – 12 noon

The Most Holy Trinity June 16, 2019

Dear St. George and St. Jude,

Just like that we are back in Ordinary time right where we left off. A little interesting fact is that Pentecost use to be a whole octave (8 days). Disappointingly now it comes and goes, but we can still call on the Holy Spirit at any moment to guide us. Today we celebrate Trinity Sunday and while the theology of the trinity can be a bit daunting at times two great revelations come from this great Solemnity. God is love and God is a Family.

This upcoming week I will be with my brothers on retreat at Conception. All Mass and adoration will be canceled. Please call the rectory in case of sacramental emergency. I will get the message. If your house is haunted the Ghost Busters are on call this week. God bless!

Stay Holy St. George and St. Jude,
 Fr. Bryan

2nd Collection This Weekend

The 2nd collection this weekend is for the Catholic Communication Campaign. Your contribution connects people in the United States and around the world to the merciful love of Christ. Half of your donation stays in your diocese to support local communications projects.

Low Gluten Hosts

Low gluten hosts are available for Communion. Please talk to Fr. Bryan for information.

Remember in Prayer

Please keep these individuals in your prayers; Elsie Rees, Wanda Markes, Catherine Royeton, Gene Early, Marjorie Anderson, JoAnn McCarty.

Church Cleaning

June 23

Team 1

Thank you to all the who volunteer to help keep our beautiful worship space clean.

Sacrificial Offering

Envelope	\$ 1603.00
Plate	\$ 255.00
Maintenance	\$ 105.00
2nd Collection	\$ 482.25
Meeting Hall Rental	\$ 100.00
K of C Retreat	\$ 50.00
Total	\$ 2595.25

Thank you for your contributions.

Items Needed for Gotta Have HOPE Garage Sale

The Gotta Have HOPE Benefit Garage Sale will be held on Friday, June 28 from 8am-4pm and Saturday June 29, 8am-2pm in the St Michael The Archangel School Gym, 14201 Nall Ave, Leawood, Ks 66223. All donations will be accepted on Thursday, June 27, from 9am-8pm, at the school gym. **If you would like to donate items for the garage sale contact Jean Falke, 263-7945 or Phil Falke, 565-3999 and we will pick up your items and deliver them to St Michaels on Thursday.** Proceeds from the garage sale will benefit the students of St Joan of Arc School in Uganda which our parish supports with our aluminum can collections. Volunteers are also needed for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Check out the following websites if you would like to volunteer; www.gottahavehope.org, info@gottahavehope.org or call 913-226-6958 for more information.

Treasures From Our Tradition

Today's feast, extending a dimension of Easter joy into Ordinary Time, reminds us that every aspect of worship centers on the mystery of God in three persons. At baptism, we are initiated into Christ *and* the Spirit. The Creed we recite at Mass every Sunday has its roots in the ancient celebration of baptism, when a new believer was questioned at the edge of the waters of the font with three questions: Do you believe in God, the Father, the Son, the Holy Spirit? Three questions, three affirmations, three immersions into the saving waters. Because every liturgy abounds with references to the Trinity, not only in words but in blessings by the sign of the cross, this feast was not easily accepted into the calendar. Pope Alexander in the eleventh century remarked that the liturgy is so laden with praise of the Trinity that there was no need for a special feast. Two hundred years later, while in exile in France, Pope John XXII proclaimed the feast, but it was not until 1911 that Pope St. Pius X gave it status as a solemnity.

A favorite image in art for today is the Icon of the Trinity, showing three glorious winged men seated at a table laden with bread and a cup of wine. It recalls Abraham's hospitality to angels and gives expression to the inner life of God, a life lived in relationship, a life poured out in abundance whenever Christians gather at the table of the Eucharist to give praise to the Father, in Christ, in the embrace of the Spirit.

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A Trinitarian Stewardship Prayer

God our Creator,
You made us all that we are and gave us all that we possess.
Open our hearts so that we may live fully,
in gratitude for the abundant gifts entrusted to us.
Jesus our Redeemer,
You showed us how to attain eternal life by following in your footsteps, and by our loving service to others; thereby proclaiming your Gospel in word and deed.
Holy Spirit,
Lift us up and be with us each day.
Teach us, guide us and give us the courage to embrace stewardship as a way of life in Christ as we journey along our pilgrim way back to the Father.
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, One God, forever and ever.
Amen.

Readings for the Week

Mon: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Ps 98:1, 2b, 3-4; Mt 5:38-42
Tues: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Ps 146:2, 5-9a; Mt 5:43-48
Wed: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Ps 112:1bc-4, 9; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thu: 2 Cor 11:1-11; Ps 111:1b-4, 7-8; Mt 6:7-15
Fri: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30; Ps 34:2-7; Mt 6:19-23
Sat: 2 Cor 12:1-10; Ps 34:8-13; Mt 6:24-34
Sun: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1-4; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

Happy Father's Day

Fatherhood

Blessed indeed is the man who hears many gentle voices call him father!
Lydia M. Child

Holy Trinity

The Father is my trust, the Son is my refuge, the Holy Spirit is my protection.
O holy Trinity, glory to Thee.
Byzantine Horologion, Troparion at Nocturns, sixth century

Church Thermostats

Please Do Not adjust the thermostats in the Church unless you have FIRST read the instructions regarding the thermostats on the bright orange page on the bulletin board in the Church entrance area. Thanks!

St George Altar Society Meeting

All ladies of the parish are invited to the St George Altar Society meeting on Wednesday, June 19, 7pm, in the meeting hall.

Vacation Bible School

St George Vacation Bible will be held on July 22-26 in the evenings. Please mark your calendars and plan to bring your children for a great week of learning about their faith.

