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Odessa, Mo

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 9:30am-12noon, Wednesday or Thursday, or call 816-633-7475. You may also fill out the Become a Parishioner form on the parish website at www.stgeorgeodessa.org.

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.

ATTENTION: Because of COVID 19, meeting hall rentals are limited. Contact Kate Root, marykroot@gmail.com for more information.

Sexual Abuse: The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting 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, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org, 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 the Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. In verdant pastures he gives me repose; beside restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul. He guides me in right paths for his name's sake. Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil; for you are at my side with your rod and staff that give me courage that give me courage.

Psalm 23:1-4

Mass Intentions

Sat	Oct 10	5:30pm	Eddie Falke by Phil & Jean Falke
Sun	Oct 11	8:30am	Parishioners of St George
Tues	Oct 13	6:00pm	Priest Intention
Wed	Oct 14	9:00am	Priest Intention
Thu	Oct 15	9:00am	Priest Intention
Sat	Oct 17	5:30pm	Paul Hays by Paula Eldred
Sun	Oct 18	8:30am	Parishioners of St George

Daily Mass at St George will be Tues-6pm, Wed-9am, Thur-9am. St Jude will have Mass Tues-9am, Wed-6pm, Fri-9am

Schedule of Events

Sat	Oct 10	5:00pm	Confession	Church
		5:30pm	Mass	Church
Sun	Oct 11	7:45am	Confession	Church
		8:00am	Rosary	Church
		8:30am	Mass	Church
		9:30am	PSR Pick-up & drop off Of Assignments	YEC
Tues	Oct 13	5:00pm	Adoration, Benediction & Confession	Church
		6:00pm	Mass	Church
Wed	Oct 14	9:00am	Mass	Church
Thu	Oct 15	9:00am	Mass	Church
Sat	Oct 17	5:00pm	Confession	Church
		5:30pm	Mass	Church
Sun	Oct 18	7:45am	Confession	Church
		8:00am	Rosary	Church
		8:30am	Mass	Church

Liturgical Roles

Saturday, October 10, 2020, 5:30pm

Reader Larry Lackamp
Ushers John Hotmer

Sunday, October 11, 2020, 8:30am

Reader Joyce Watkins
Ushers Norm Brodeur, Dan Cobb
Money Counters Angie Platt, Bruce Hudson

Saturday, October 17, 2020, 5:30pm

Reader Bonnie White
Ushers John Hotmer, Jerry Wade

Sunday, October 18, 2020, 8:30am

Reader Bob Carey
Ushers Phil Rucker, Carl Stein
Money Counters Bob Carey, Tom Casey

St George Parish Office

202 W. Phillips St Odessa, Mo. 64076

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Office Hours Wednesday & Thursday 9:30am – noon

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 11, 2020

Masks and Social Distancing

Everyone is asked to wear their mask when entering and leaving the church. You are also asked to wear your mask when coming up to Communion. Please stay 6 feet apart when you are in line. Parishioners should practice social distancing upon entering and leaving the church.

Low Gluten Hosts

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

2nd Collection Next Weekend

There will be a 2nd collection next weekend for World Mission Sunday. Respond to this collection by supporting the priests, religious Sisters and Brothers, and lay catechists who provide loving service serving in the missions.

Remember in Prayer

Please keep these individuals in your prayers; Elsie Rees, Catherine Royeton, Gene Early, Marjorie Anderson, JoAnn McCarty, Helen Hotmer. Also remember all those who have been diagnosed with COVID 19 and all the health care workers and emergency responders.

Church Cleaning

Heavenly Dusters

October 18

Team 3

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

Sacrificial Offering

10-4-20

Envelope	\$ 2286.00
Plate	\$ 215.00
Maintenance	\$ 360.00
Local Assistance	\$ 150.00
Tabernacle	\$ 100.00
Total	\$ 3111.00

PSR News

October 11, 2020 8:00am Rosary before Mass. Following Mass pick up and drop off assignments @ the YEC Building

November 1, 2020 Following Mass pick up and drop off assignments @ the YEC Building

December 6, 2020 Following Mass pick up and drop off assignments @ the YEC Building

Confirmation class meeting TBA

We will evaluate the situation and see if we can add to this.

If you have a child in Sacrament Class, more information will be coming.

A Catholic's Job

Every Catholic has three tasks.

Know the Catholic faith. We can't share it if we don't know it.

Live the Catholic faith. It comes with us wherever we are.

Spread the Catholic faith. We can't keep Christ to ourselves. "In the silence of the heart God speaks."

If you face God in prayer and silence, God will speak to you. Souls of prayer are souls of great silence."

St. Teresa of Calcutta

Children and Families

From our founding, Catholic Charities has been assisting parents and children who are struggling. Our Children and Family services include supports such as parenting education, assessments of appropriate childhood development and items like car seats and pack and plays that promote physical safety of our little ones. Many of these activities are funded by a generous Alternatives to Abortion grant from the state.

To learn more about our family centered programming, please contact Ashley Wohlgermuth, Director of Children and Families at awohlgermuth@ccharities.com or 816-659-8279.

I Can Do All Things

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

Philippians 4:13

Reader Training

Are you interested in becoming a reader at Mass? St. Mark Parish in Independence is hosting reader training on Thursday, October 29, from 7:00pm to 9:00pm. Mary Pat Storms and Marilyn Schmidt will present. Attendance is limited to 30 persons. Please contact the parish office, 816-633-7475, or email stgeorgeodessa@gmail.com as soon as possible if you would like to attend.

Planned Giving

Your retirement plan assets can create a financial support legacy that enables Catholic Charities KCSJ to continue supporting those in need. Designating Catholic Charities KCSJ on a "beneficiary designation form", can create your own legacy gift. Beneficiary forms are on your IRA, 401k, 403b website. Contact Whitney Meiners, Major Gifts Manager, at wmeiners@ccharities.com or 816-659-4377 for help.

Walking with Mom's in Need

Respect Life Month

As Pope Francis reminds us, "The thing the church needs most today is the ability to heal wounds and warm the hearts of the faithful; it needs nearness, proximity." Pregnant and parenting moms are in our parishes and communities. Everyone in the parish community can offer love and friendship to a woman in need. Respect Life Month in October is a perfect time to learn about the resources available: www.respectlifekcsj.org. You may feel called to serve moms and babies in need through the Gabriel Project ministry. Check out our new website gabrielprojectkc.com. Contact Teresa at thoepner@diocesekcsj.org or 816.714.2375.

Project Warmth Collection

Warm Outer Ware Needed

BRRR!!! Help with the cold winter.

Be the hands of Jesus.

Social Justice is collecting coats, jackets, blankets, and all warm outer ware for the homeless and poor of the Kansas City area. Project Warmth donations are due Saturday, November 7. A collection box will be in the gathering area through October 4-November 1. As you pull out your warmer clothing for the season, please donate your no longer needed or wanted coats, etc. Take just a few minutes of your time to sort through your closet could mean so much to so many. If you are near a thrift store, grab some coats for very little cost.

Metal Can Collection

Toni Hellums is collecting empty vegetable or soup cans. Please clean the cans and put them in the box on the bottom shelf of the cabinet in the gathering space. Cans will be used for candles for the homeless.

Attention: PSR Parents

PSR parents asked to pick up and turn in assignments in the meeting hall this Sunday, October 11, after the 8:30am Mass.

Best Choice Labels

The Altar Society is collecting Best Choice labels. There is an envelope on the kiosk for the labels.

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 11, 2020

There are a number of Bible verses Christians have memorized. One of them is in Saint Paul's letter to the Philippians found in this weekend's second reading: "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me" (4:13). Most people define themselves either by their problems or their possibilities. Fearful people wake up each morning ensnared by their problems. Christian stewards wake up reflecting on their possibilities with confidence and hope. Some stewardship reflection questions for the week: What challenges do you back away from because you doubt that you are up to them? What would you attempt tomorrow if you were sure God would help you?

INCSC e-bulletin

Kansas City Youth Conference

Thirsting Hearts

The Kansas City Youth Conference will be held online on October 25, 2020 from 6-8pm. Register on line at [@www.kcsjyouth.org/kcyc](https://www.kcsjyouth.org/kcyc)

Do Anything

I will go anywhere and do anything in order to communicate the love of Jesus to those who do not know him or have forgotten him.

St Francis Xavier Cabrini

