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OFFICE HOURS

Monday Office Closed
Tuesday 9:00 am—4:00 pm
Wednesday 9:00 am—4:00 pm
Thursday 9:00 am—4:00 pm
Friday Office Closed

Please conduct all business during office hours: i.e., Mass scheduling, Baptism and Marriage preparation, requests, appointments, etc. The parish staff appreciates your cooperation.



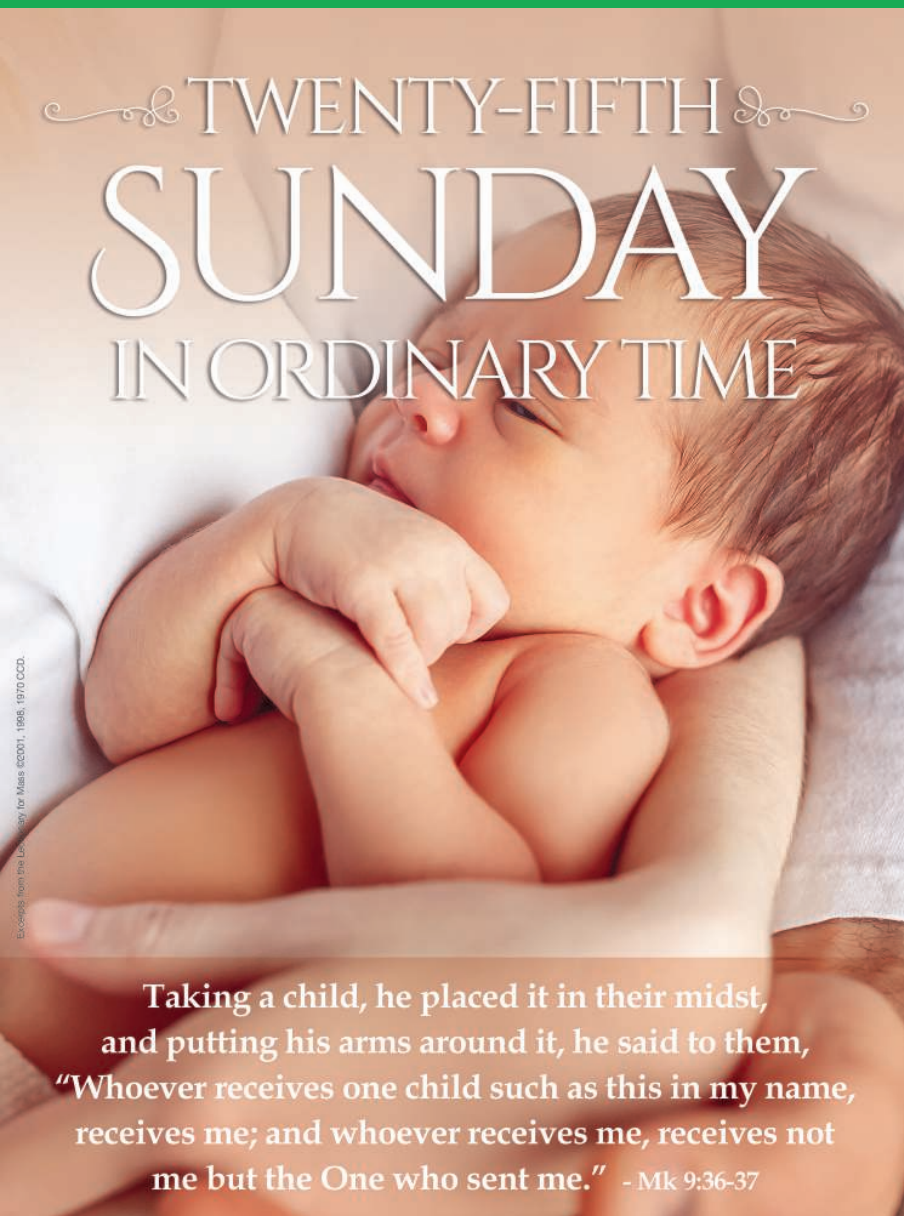
OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Live by Faith - Love like Christ!



September 23 2018

TWENTY-FIFTH
SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

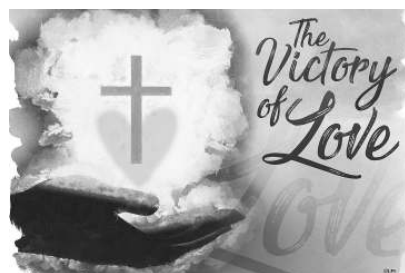


Taking a child, he placed it in their midst, and putting his arms around it, he said to them, "Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me." - Mk 9:36-37

LITURGY REFLECTION:



Our desires and possessions sometimes keep us from following Christ. As the disciples argue about who is the greatest disciple, Jesus embraces a little child—innocent, powerless and with nothing. Today, let us be open to the ways we try to place ourselves above others and ask for the grace to be like the child Jesus embraces and a faithful servant to all in need.



MASS SCHEDULE:

Tuesday, September 25th

8:00 AM Mass

Rev. Federico C. Higuera

Friday, September 28th

8:00 AM Mass

Herb Hertenstein

Saturday, September 29th

NO Mass @ St. George

4:00 PM Mass

@ St. Mary, Trenton

Sunday, September 30th

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Mass

Marie Hecker

Emma Lodes

Lawrence & Loretta Zurliene



Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, September 29th — NO Mass @ St. George

Sunday, Sept. 30th— 8:00 AM Mass (NOTE TIME CHANGE)

Communion Ministers: Barb Wolfslau, Teresa Haar, Janice Wiegmann, Ted & Judy Winkeler

Lector: Renee Brokering

Servers: Tom Wolfslau, Justin Wolfslau, Dan Wiegmann

Greeters/Ushers: Ryan Hund, Tom Denton, Ken McLaughlin, Larry Oelrich, Dave Maciejewski, Don Hecker

Sacristan: Jeff Mueth

Children's Liturgy: Sheila Zgonina

"The Lord upholds my life."

Please pray for all the sick

<i>Mike Hellmann</i>	<i>Kara Rapien</i>	<i>Julie Petz</i>
<i>Viola Jansen</i>	<i>Al Isaak</i>	<i>Rose Wolters</i>
<i>Mary Munie</i>	<i>Rose Viner</i>	<i>Bill Thoele</i>
<i>Margie Rakers</i>	<i>Alina Sander</i>	<i>Fr. Joe Rascher</i>
<i>Mary Ann Wocking</i>	<i>Butch Shimkus</i>	<i>Fr. Ken Schaeffer</i>
<i>Ed Johnson</i>	<i>Betty Lou Santel</i>	<i>Becky Wegman</i>
<i>Mia Vazquez</i>	<i>Mike Santel</i>	<i>Sandra Ferrante</i>
<i>Wyatt Gilbert</i>	<i>Kim Thompson</i>	<i>Susan (Isaak) Lolis</i>
<i>Carol Jansen Moffitt</i>	<i>Parker Dierkes</i>	

TWO OFFERINGS FOR ADULT BIBLE STUDY THIS FALL!

First, **Bible Timeline**. Come in and watch a fifty minute video while the children are in PSR, then, engage with the online discussion at your convenience throughout the week. This study will be in session on a schedule and time coordinated with the PSR calendar with the **starting TODAY**. Second, **The Book of Revelation**. This study will meet on Tuesday mornings at 8:45-10:00 am (after Mass) which will follow a more traditional format with structured reading and preparation preceding the class gathering for discussion and presentation **starting Sept. 25**. Both studies are in the CLC Room 5.

VOCATION CORNER:

As a young adult, I practiced mixed martial arts and worked in the film industry. I was a non-practicing Catholic, and after finding a rosary that I had carried around for a number of years, I began contemplating why I had always considered myself Catholic yet neglected my faith. When I decided, by the grace of God, to pray that rosary, I realized that my love of material comforts was rooted in my desire for the infinite and that I would never be fully satisfied without God. I began attending daily Mass, entered the seminary, and now a happily ordained priest. To those discerning, I simply say, **"Live every day as though you are being called for greatness."**

— Father Christopher Floersht; Columbia Magazine March 2018

SEPTEMBER 16TH DEPOSITS:

Sunday Collection:	\$ 2,208.00
Education:	15.00
Sister Parish:	285.00
Picnic:	616.50
Vendor/Craft Fair:	186.00
Insurance Rebate (Storm Damage):	31,940.55
Diocesan Retired Priest Collection:	335.00
Food Pantry/Meat Voucher Program:	\$100.00

Church Window Restoration:

Total Donated:	\$87,910.00
Total Paid to date:	- 76,985.00
Current Balance:	\$ 10,925.00
Goal to Reach:	\$60,000.00-70,000.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT & GENEROSITY!

BANNS OF MATRIMONY



Tiffany Draper/Shawn Rakers

Saturday, September 29 w/Deacon John Fridley

“St. George/St. Mary Life Teen”
Check out our social media sites:



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SGM Life Teen

SGM Life Teen is the high school youth ministry for our partner parishes. We are a haven for teenagers in an unforgiving culture. We offer Jesus and the love of His Church to them exactly where they are, at that moment. We exist to help any teenager, from any background, to discover God's purpose for their lives. **SGM Life Teen is open to all high school students!** We are also always looking for help! If you feel called to help with the youth ministry, please contact Dana Wolfslau 618-210-7584 or Kassie Hund 618-558-5850. **We could use help with our prayer team, food team and CORE team. We'd love to chat with you!**

CATHOLIC HOLY FAMILY SOCIETY:

You are invited to come and enjoy some **Complementary Coffee, Juice & Donuts** on **Sunday, October 14** after the 8:00 am Mass in the main entrance of church.

You're Invited

MEETINGS/HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK:

Sunday, September 23rd

Mass w/ Children's Liturgy

8:00 am @ St. George Church

PSR 9:10-10:10 am @ CLC

Bible Study 9:10-10:10 am @ CLC Rm. 5

Life Teen Night 6:30-8:30 pm @ CLC

Monday, September 24th

RCIA Mtg.

7:00-8:30 pm @ St. Dominic Annex, Breese

Tuesday, September 25th

Adult Bible Study 8:45-10:00 am @ CLC Rm. 5

Quilting 9:00 am-4:00 pm @ CLC

Quilting 6:00-9:00 pm @ CLC

Wednesday, September 26th

Quilting 9:00 am-4:00 pm @ CLC

Senior Congregate Meal (All Ages "Welcome")

12 noon @ the Civic Center

60+ years: \$5.00 suggested donation

59 years & under: \$6.00 suggested donation

RSVP by calling 224-9913

LTW Bible Study 8:00-8:45 pm @ CLC

Thursday, September 27th

Quilting 9:00 am-4:00 pm @ CLC

Choir Practice 7:00 pm @ St. George Church

Friday, September 28th

Communion to Homebound

Saturday, September 29th

Tiffany Draper & Shawn Rakers Wedding

2:00 pm @ St. George Church

NO Mass @ St. George Church

Mass 4:00 pm @ St. Mary, Trenton

Sunday, September 30th

Mass w/ Children's Liturgy

8:00 am @ St. George Church

PSR 9:10-10:10 am @ CLC

Bible Study 9:10-10:10 am @ CLC Rm. 5



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- * **Thursday, October 4 – Memorial Hospital Clergy Day** at Four Points Sheraton, Fairview Heights, IL.
- * **Sunday, November 11 -** New Baden is the host Village this year for the **Clinton County Veterans Day Celebration**, and St. George is the host church. The Veterans Day Mass will be held at **9:00 am** on this day @ St. George Church.

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