

Our Lady of Victory Pastorate

ST. GEORGE PARISH



Hartford, SD

January 25, 2026

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



ST. MICHAEL PARISH

Sioux Falls, SD



Pastorate phone number

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Website: www.olvictorysd.org

Happy 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time!

As Kristi and I begin our fourth year here in Sioux Falls, we are excited about what the Lord has in store for us! We really don't know what it entails, but we are excited to be with all of you as we strive to fulfill our lives in the Church.

Today's Gospel reminds me to look at where I have been and where the Lord wants me to go in my life. Jesus' calling of the first Apostles makes me reminisce about my own calling and question myself about, "How's it going, Mark?" The Apostles had no idea what they were in for when they got up and followed Him, just as we don't really know where our Christianity is taking us.

Just recently, I was filing emails and, as I sorted my files, I noticed a list of "What's going on..." items. Bishop away because of illness, another bishop filling in, Catholic school under attack, Abortion overruled in our state, a new Pope, a new Pastor, the Church is constantly on the move. St Paul tells us to, "... be united in the same mind and in the same purpose." And I think it is good to look over where I have been and where I'm going, to ensure that "... the Cross of Christ might not be emptied of its meaning."

In my ministry, I encounter folks near death and have come to understand the meaning of the Cross as Jesus taught it. Understanding suffering without experiencing it (pain) is an excellent benefit for me as a Christian. It makes you realize what "Follow me" means and how suffering is needed to fulfill our life on Earth.

As we move toward Lent, and the grand celebration of Christ's victory over death, let us think of and pray for those who are suffering. Visit those in our lives who can't get out and make a difference in someone's life. Deacon Mark Harriman



St. George Mass Times:

Wednesday, Feb. 18

7:00 am

6:00 pm

St. Michael Mass Times:

Wednesday, Feb. 18

8:15 am School Mass

12:15 pm

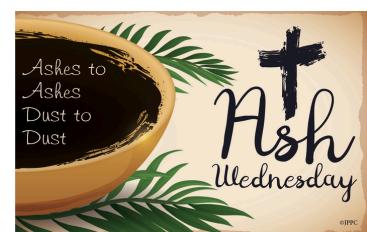
5:30 pm

7:00 pm



Tuesday, February 17

at St. Michael



Once again, we will kick off the Lenten season with Mass at 5:30 pm, where we bury the Alleluia.

Afterward, join us in the gym for some homemade gumbo! We ask that you bring a dish to share for our potluck. All are invited to join us. Bring the whole family and start this Lent off on the right foot!



SPIRITUAL WARFARE

Speaker: Fr. Juan Carlos

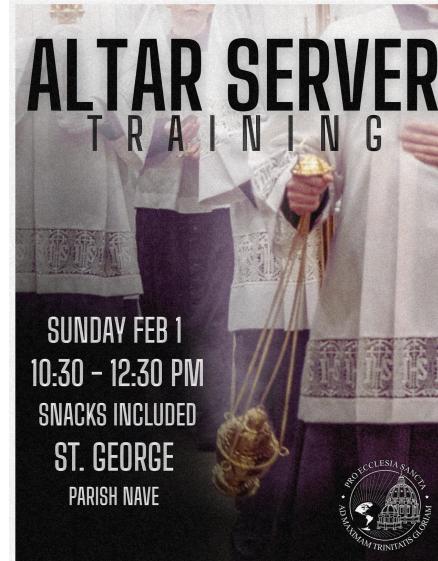
Pius Pints

February 3 2026

Social Time: 6:30-7:00
Speaker: 7:00-7:30
Q&A/Social: 7:30-8:00

Buffalo Ridge Brewery
102 N Main Ave
Hartford, SD

**The Matt Maher Concert on February 6
is SOLD OUT! Thank you for
supporting the Lourdes Center!**

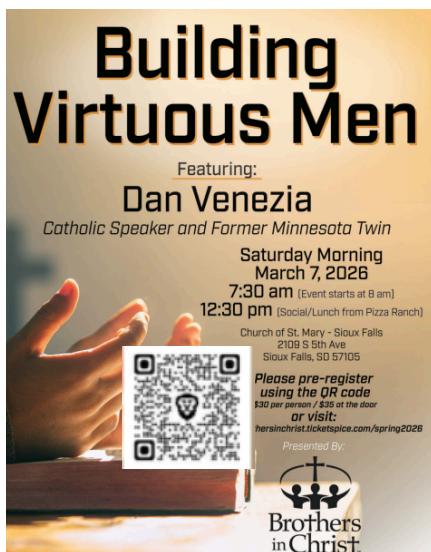


ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

SUNDAY FEB 1
10:30 - 12:30 PM
SNACKS INCLUDED

ST. GEORGE
PARISH NAVE

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Building Virtuous Men

Featuring:
Dan Venezia
Catholic Speaker and Former Minnesota Twin

Saturday Morning
March 7, 2026
7:30 am (Event starts at 8 am)
12:30 pm (Social/Lunch from Pizza Ranch)

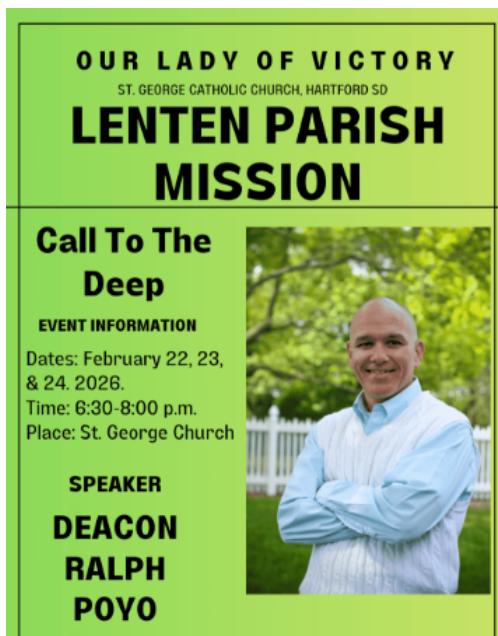
Church of St. Mary - Sioux Falls
2109 S 5th Ave
Sioux Falls, SD 57105

Please pre-register
using the QR code
\$30 per person / \$35 at the door
or visit:
hersinchrist.ticketspice.com/spring2026

Presented By:
Brothers in Christ

REGISTER HERE

Join other
OLV men at
St. Mary
Catholic
Church on
March 7.
Scan the
QR code or
click the
link below
to register.



OUR LADY OF VICTORY
ST. GEORGE CATHOLIC CHURCH, HARTFORD SD

**LENTEN PARISH
MISSION**

**Call To The
Deep**
EVENT INFORMATION

Dates: February 22, 23,
& 24. 2026.
Time: 6:30-8:00 p.m.
Place: St. George Church

SPEAKER
**DEACON
RALPH
POYO**



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**JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL
PARISH PUB TRIVIA night**

DATE: Sat February 28th
TIME: 5:15 pm for Table
Decoration Food, Bar and
games open at 6:00 Event
Starts promptly at 7:00 pm

VENUE: MPR
COST: \$280 for a table
\$70 for a couple
\$35 for a single

RAFFLE

Lots of fun baskets
and prizes to win!



Featuring a special drink donated by
some friends from Wisconsin.
So get your tickets NOW!



**ALL FUNDS RAISED TO GO TOWARDS SCHOLARSHIPS FOR
STUDENTS IN PLAYA DE ORO AND LOVE IS THE MISSION TRIP
PARTICIPANT SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS**

**Join us July 18-26 on our
next Guatemala Mission trip by
scanning the QR code or by
clicking below.**



SIGN UP TODAY

Did you know that Guatemala's temperatures stay
between 70 and 80 degrees all year long?



St. George:

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd:
January 27, 28, 29: Classes as scheduled

Grades 4-6:

January 28: Classes as scheduled

Grades 7-High School: Ignite & Edge

January 28--Classes as scheduled

Bishop Hoch Deanery Scholarships are made available by the Catholic churches. The scholarships are available to new students, current college students, and non-traditional students interested in attending Yankton Mount Marty University.

[Download the application here.](#)

OLV Youth Group for the 6-8 grade students will be on Tuesdays at St. George from 6:30- 8:00 pm in the parish hall.

Upcoming Dates:

Tuesday, January 27

February 3, 10, and 17

Tuesday, February 24- No youth group-

Please attend the talk by Deacon Ralph Poyo.

D-CAMP REGISTRATION is now open! D-Camp (Discipleship Camp) is our Diocesan summer youth camp. Junior High and High School youth come together for four days of faith and fun. **Early Registration ends Jan. 31.**

High School Camp 1

June 14-17, 2026

Youth Entering Grades 9-12, Fall of 2026

[Registration Link is HERE](#)



SOLD OUT

The junior high & the HS July 12-15 camps are full.



This is for all OLV kids in preschool-6th grade.



[Register HERE](#)



Holy Kid's Camp is Monday-Friday, July 27-31.
Monday-Thursday
8:00 am-12:00 pm
Friday 8:00 am-2:00 pm



St. Michael:

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd:
January 27 & 28: Classes as scheduled

Grades 4-5:

January 28: Classes as scheduled

Grades 6-High School: Fraternus/Fidelis

January 28: Classes as scheduled

STEUBENVILLE ROCHESTER
WORTHY
For the battle belongs to the Lord.
1 SAMUEL 17:47
[Click HERE to register.](#)
JULY 10-12, 2026 **MAYO CIVIC CENTER**
ROCHESTER, MN
COST INCLUDES HOTEL, FOOD, CONFERENCE FEE, TRANSPORTATION, CONFERENCE T-SHIRT & INFLATABLE WATER PARK ENTRY.
\$675
[CONTACT DANA @OLVICTORYSD.ORG](#)
FIND MORE INFORMATION AT [PARTNERSHIPFORYOUTH.ORG/STEUBENVILLE-ROCHESTER](#)

All OLV Parents and Teens, please mark your calendars for a special event on Wednesday, February 25. Deacon Ralph Poyo will address the Our Lady of Victory youth and their parents, specifically those in grades 7-10. We kindly request that parents attend this event with their teenagers. The gathering will take place at St. George Church, commencing at 7:00 PM.

OLV Confirmation meeting

The meeting will be held on Wed, March 18, from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM at St. Michael Multipurpose Room. This meeting is intended for parents and their 9th-grade teens, including those from O'Gorman, public schools, and St. George.

St. George:

Hartford-Humboldt RTL meeting

Tuesday, January 27,

6:30pm at St. George

(St. Lawrence Classroom)

Refreshments are always served.

Please come. ♪

Volunteer needed: For the months of February through April, a person is needed to wash and iron the altar linens on a weekly basis. Please contact the St. George parish office for more information.



Please welcome these parishioners to St. George.

Dawn Jorgensen:
daughter, Jada Vilhauer

Alex and Sarah Irvine:
children Rhett, Rosalee, & Rilynn

Zada & Trent Hoogendoorn

Millions of Monicas @ 6:00 p.m. this coming Monday One hour, one purpose of bringing our children back to the faith. Please join us for a beautiful hour of prayer!

The Saint George Food Pantry welcomes anyone in need. We are open during office hours and also by appointment. To request food, call and leave a message for Donna. Let us know which items you need, and we will have them bagged and ready for pickup in the entryway. Please let others know that we are here and ready to help.



Knight of the Month: Alex Johnson



Family of the Month: Patrick & Julie Danielson



Communion Hymn: Your Words Are Spirit and Life

REFRAIN— *Your words are spirit and life, O Lord: richer than gold, stronger than death.*

Your words are spirit and life, O Lord: life everlasting.

God's law is perfect, refreshing the soul, reviving the weary spirit. God's rule can be trusted: bringing us wisdom, bringing God's wisdom to birth. **(refrain)**

God's precepts keep us; their purpose is right. They gladden the hearts of people. God's command is so clear it brings us new vision; bringing God's light to our eyes. **(refrain)**

Living by God's truth is holy and sure; God's presence is everlasting. God's truth is eternal, bringing us justice; bringing God's justice to earth. **(refrain)**

God's word is precious, desired more than gold; worth more than we dare imagine and, sweeter than honey, this word will feed us, bringing fulfillment and joy. **(refrain)**

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St. George:

Daily Mass Times at St. George

Mondays: No Mass

Tuesdays: 5:30 pm

Wednesday: 8:00 am

Thursdays: 5:30 pm

Fridays: 8:00 am

First Saturday: 8:30 am

Weekend Mass Times:

Saturdays: 5:00 pm

Sundays: 9:00 am

Confession Times:

Saturdays: 3:30 -4:30 pm

Tuesdays: 4:45-5:15 pm

Thursdays: 6:00-7:00 pm/

Eucharistic adoration 6:00 pm

First Saturday: 7:45 am-8:15 am

MASS INTENTIONS for St. George:

Sat., Jan. 24| 5:00 pm Int. of OLV Pastorate

Sun., Jan. 25| 9:00 am +Raymond Wegleitner

Mon., Jan. 26| **No Mass**

Tues., Jan. 27| 5:30 pm +Chris Hanisch

Wed., Jan. 28| 8:00 am +Helen/+Ernie Hoefert

Thurs., Jan. 29| 5:30 pm +Henry Goettertz

Fri., Jan. 30| 8:00 am +Dean Ahrendt

Sat., Jan. 31| 5:00 pm +David Smith

Sun., Feb. 1| 9:00 am +Kenneth/+Ardell Lewin

Saturday, January 31

Altar Servers: B. Johnson, A. McMahon, R. Wilking

Reader: M. Jesse

Ushers: M. Cypher, C. McMahon, A. Perrion, Z. Stuessi

EMOHC: G. & J. Ham, **NEED ONE**

Offertory: D & L Miles family

Sacristan: D. Perrion

Sunday, February 1

Altar Servers: J. Lupkes, R. & R. MacFarlane

Readers: G. Dvorak and A. Bartmann

Ushers: G. Boggs, G. Dvorak, B. Lammers, K. Meehan

EMOHC: G. Boggs & P. Danielson, **NEED ONE**

Offertory: M. & T. McCleish family

Sacristan: S. Andresen

Donuts: G. & M. Boggs

St. George Financials:

General Needs:

Weekly Collection Needs	\$6,553.85
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Weekly Receipts-Actual	\$4,445.00
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Weekly Overage (Shortfall)	(\$2,108.85)
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Year-To-Date Receipts-Budget	\$190,061.65
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Year-To-Date-Actual	\$211,245.24
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Year-To-Date-Overage (Shortfall)	\$ 21,183.59
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St. George Online
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Readings for 1/25/26

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 We welcome **Cameron Matthew McCormick, son of Connor & Danielle, and Cillian Patrick Crotty, son of Tanner & Fern**, to our St. Michael family. May God bless them as they learn in faith, and may they grow by our witness and example.

 Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Sharon Cool, wife of Tom, and Bryan Ahrendt, son of Randy & Sandi**. May they and all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Please welcome Fr. David Krogman for the 9:30 am & 11:00 am Masses on Sunday, January 25.

St. Michael Elementary School Parents will be at the Welcome Table during the 4:00 pm and 9:30 am Masses this weekend. Please stop by to learn how to enroll your child in school.



We will be serving coffee and donuts after the 8:00 am & 9:30 am Masses on Sunday, January 25. Come down to the gym for fellowship and fun!

Are you distracted at Mass? Struggling to engage fully in the worship and prayer of this sacred time? **Join us for a small group** on the power of the Mass! Study the wisdom of the Church with Fr. Boniface Hicks, OSB, Christopher Carstens, and Dan Burke as we learn how the symbols, gestures, and prayer of the Mass invite us to experience heaven here on earth.



No registration required.

Date: Saturday, February 7, twice a month for 9 sessions

Time: 9 am

Location: St Michael's Multipurpose Room

Hosted by: The Women at the Well

If you would like to receive the weekly bulletin via email, search for Flocknote on your phone. Click "Find My Church" and enter the ZIP code 57106. Click St. Michael, then enter your information. Then choose "Weekly Bulletin". Follow the directions, and you should receive the next bulletin. They are typically emailed on Thursdays.

The St. Michael Catholic Daughters Ministry is sponsoring the annual educational scholarship. It is open to Catholic and non-Catholic students in grades 4-12. The entry forms and rules are in the parish office.

The themes are:

"The Least of These" & "The Least of These: Lifting Others Up." **The deadline to enter is Feb. 4, 2026.**

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul has 5 virtues that guide Vincentians in their home visits to friends in need: Simplicity, Humility, Gentleness, Selflessness, and Zeal.

To find out more about us contact:

gtlars01@gmail.com

terry.wensing@gmail.com



In 2025, St. Michael Catholic Church baptized **72** children. We are excited to welcome these young people into our faith. The Angel Gown ministry sews handmade baptismal gowns and outfits for anyone in need. If you would like to choose a baptismal outfit, please come to the parish office and ask for either Betty or Rose. Not only will we help you schedule a baptism, but we'll also offer you a beautiful, one-of-a-kind baptismal gown or outfit for the special day.

St. Michael

St. Michael Financials:

Daily Mass Times at St. Michael

Mondays & Tuesdays @ 5:30 pm

Wednesdays-Saturdays @ 8:15 am

Weekend Mass Times:

Saturdays @ 4:00 pm

Sundays @ 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:00 am, 6:00 pm

Confession Times:

Mondays & Tuesdays @ 4:30 pm-5:15 pm

Thursdays @ 7:30 am-8:00 am

Saturdays @ 2:45 pm-3:45 pm

MASS INTENTIONS for St. Michael:

Monday, Jan. 26| 5:30 pm +Sherri Imker

Tuesday, Jan. 27| 5:30 pm +Viola/+Gene Fox

Wednesday, Jan. 28| 8:15 am Int. of Ryley Halma

Thursday, Jan. 29| 8:15 am +Helen Weissenberger

Friday, Jan. 30| 8:15 am +Mary Weiland

Saturday, Jan. 31| 8:15 am +Mel Larson

4:00 pm Int. of OLV Parishioners

Sunday, Feb. 1| 8 +Nancy Hall | 9:30 am +Joan Leafstedt

11:00 am +Gene Vognild | 6:00 pm +Larry/+Joan Meade

General Needs:

Weekly Collection Needs \$30,980.77

Weekly Receipts-Actual \$25,126.22

Weekly-Overage (Shortfall) (\$ 5,854.55)

Year-To-Date Receipts-Budget \$898,442.33

Year-To-Date-Actual \$894,221.47

Year-To-Date-Overage (Shortfall) (\$ 4,220.86)

Please consider making a monthly donation to St. Vincent dePaul.



St. Michael Online Giving
olvictorysd.org

Bishop O'Gorman School News

Teresa Hulscher

thulscher@ogknights.org

St Michael School Principal

605.361.0021

School Masses for January/February:

Jan. 30--prepared by 2S

Feb. 6--prepared by 3E

Feb. 11--prepared by 4W

Catholic Schools Week is January 25-31.



This year's theme is

"Catholic Schools: United in Faith and Community"

While celebrating Catholic Schools Week, we take time to celebrate you, our parish community. We are deeply grateful for your prayers, generosity, and ongoing support of St. Michael School. Your commitment makes a lasting difference in the faith and formation of our students. Thank you for being such an important part of our school family.

Teresa Hulscher--Principal of St. Michael

Preschool Preview Day:

Meet our teachers, explore classrooms, and see how we help your child build confidence, curiosity, and character-the essential foundation for lifelong learning.

St. Michael Elementary's day:

Friday, January 23 8:00-9:00 am

O'Gorman Open Houses:

Bishop O'Gorman Junior High

Thursday, January 22 7:00 pm

Bishop O'Gorman High School

Monday, January 26 6:00 pm

****We offer an early parish enrollment date! February 23-25, before opening enrollment to the public. Contact us at admissions@ogknights.org for the link to the early application!**

Priests on Staff:**Fr. Cesar Valencia Pastor**frcesarvalencia@sfcatholic.org**Parochial Vicars:****Fr. Mario Castagnola**frmariocastagnola@sfcatholic.org**Fr. Albert Ondjo**fralbertondjo@sfcatholic.org**Staff:****Ann Gooley****OLV Liturgist**ann@olvictorysd.org**Betty Froehlich****St. Michael Secretary**betty@olvictorysd.org**Dana Webskowksi****OLV Dir. of Discipleship & Evangelization**dana@olvictorysd.org**David Siemonsma****OLV Facilities Manager**dsiemonsma@divinemercysf.org**Donna Perrion****St. George Secretary**donna@olvictorysd.org**Helen Hogie*****DRE Grades 4-5*****CGS Catechist*****Communications**helen@olvictorysd.org

****Bulletin Announcements must be in the St. Michael parish office by noon on Tuesdays.****

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Hartford SD 57033

St. George Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday
10:00am - 4:00 pm

St. Michael:

1600 S. Marion Road
Sioux Falls, SD 57106

St. Michael Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday
8:00am - 5:00pm
Friday 8:00am-Noon

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