

Our Lady of Victory Pastorate

ST. GEORGE PARISH



Hartford, SD

May 3, 2026

Fifth Sunday of Easter



ST. MICHAEL PARISH

Sioux Falls, SD

Pastorate phone number

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Website: www.olvictorysd.org



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First Communion Prayer

MY LORD JESUS,
I BELIEVE THAT YOU ARE PRESENT
IN THE MOST HOLY SACRAMENT.
I LOVE YOU ABOVE ALL THINGS,
AND I DESIRE TO RECEIVE
YOU INTO MY SOUL.
I BELIEVE IT BECAUSE
YOU HAVE SAID IT
AND I'M READY
TO GIVE MY LIFE
TO MAINTAIN THIS TRUTH.
AMEN.

1st Communion for Our Lady of Victory Pastorate



Our Lady of Victory Pastorate

We're excited to share that all Pastorate Parishioners get their first 6 months on **Hallow App** free, followed by 50% off. Our pastorate's first challenge is to invite 550 parishioners to join us by Saturday, May 9.

1. Download the app from the Apple App Store or the Google Play Store.
2. Create an account, or sign in if you already have one.
3. Go to the bottom of the page and click "CHURCH" tab.
4. The CHURCH tab takes you to our community page, where you can access all challenges, prayer groups, and prayer requests. *For the free option, follow the steps above but skip the plan portion. This gives you access to all archived prayer challenges and content with our pastorate.*

Trinity Sunday, May 31, 11:00 AM, at St. Ann Parish, Humboldt: We will thank God for the immense gift of the priesthood, and celebrate the **50th anniversary of the ordination of Fr. James Zimmer** at a special Mass, followed by lunch. You are invited!

OCIA classes will begin the summer session on **Wednesday, May 13**. No need to register! Join us in the multipurpose room at 7:00 pm. OCIA is the official process by which adults (and children over seven) become full members of the Roman Catholic Church.



Hello OLV parishioners, We're excited to share that a fresh new look is coming to our bulletin! *We'll be partnering with LPi for professional printing, giving our bulletin a polished, updated feel.*

Starting at the end of June, we'll also be adding a special advertising page on the back. This is a great opportunity for parishioners to showcase their businesses or services, and we want to make sure you have the first chance to reserve a spot! **Kristee, our LPi representative, will be here the week of May 11 to meet with anyone interested.** If you have questions or are interested, call the office and ask for Helen or email her.

Our Lady of Victory Pastorate is seeking a Liturgist / Director of Music Ministry.

Click **HERE** to see the job description or scan the QR code.



To Apply: Submit your resume and cover letter to Rechelle Dissing, Pastorate Business Manager, at rechelle@olvictorysd.org. More information can be obtained by calling 605-361-1600.



Join us for the Sacred Heart of Jesus Family Retreat on **June 6th!** *This retreat is for all OLV parishioners (young, old, married, single) —kids will be cared for with fun activities, while adults can take part in meaningful talks and time for reflection.* It's a wonderful opportunity to grow together and discover the beauty and power of devotion to the Sacred Heart, full of incredible promises. Come and be renewed!

Both parish offices will be closed all day on Wednesday, May 13, for a staff meeting.
Both parish offices will be closed from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20, for a staff meeting.
Both parish offices will be closed every Friday in June.

Our Lady of Victory Pastorate Religious Education



St. George:

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

May 5,6,7--Final Classes

Grades 4-5:

May 6--Final Class

Grades 6-High School: Ignite & Edge

May 6--Final Class--We will be finished by 8:00 pm



St. Michael:

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd:

May 5,6,7--Final Classes

Grades 4-6:

May 6--Final Class

Grades 6-High School: Fraternus/Fidelis

May 6--Final Class

Lumen Christi is available for registration for our Pastorate; all children and teens of St. Michael and St. George are encouraged to attend. **The classes will be held at St. George.**

7th -12th grade: May 31- June 4, 7:00-9:30 pm.

K-6th grade: June 1-4, 8:00- Noon

June 5 , 8:00-2:00 pm

[Register for Lumen Christi HERE](#)



People can sign up to host the missionaries for meals or to bring snacks. Please help us fill all of these spots. [Click here](#)



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

Holy Kids Camp at St. Michael Monday-Friday, July 27-31

Monday-Thursday

8:00 am-12:00 pm

Friday 8:00 am-2:00 pm

Register HERE



Summer Serve is back!! All upcoming 6th–8th graders are invited to join us for Summer Serve—a fun and meaningful way to build friendships, serve others, and grow in your faith this summer! Each week includes a mix of relationship-building activities, hands-on service opportunities, and fun outings. Cost is \$30, includes lunch.

Our Lady of Victory Announcements

Priest Assignments:

If you missed Mass last weekend, Father shared this announcement.

Father Cesar would like to inform you that Fr. Albert Ondjo will be moving to a new assignment in the Archdiocese of Chicago starting July 1st. Please, join him in thanking Fr. Albert for his years of ministry in our pastorate. He will be greatly missed.

In the meantime, OLV can expect a new priest from the PES Community to arrive at the beginning of 2027 and assume Fr. Albert's position as parochial vicar.

Summer Serve

Dates
June 17 & 24
July 1, 8 & 15

Fun Day: July 22 - \$45
(Need to attend twice to go)

\$30 per event lunch included

Check-in place
St. Michael Parish
8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

SCAN ME

St. George:

"The St. George Knights of Columbus will be hosting a 1st through 3rd Degree Exemplification on **May 17**, at 11 AM at the St. George Church in Hartford. All Catholic men 18 years and older are invited/ encouraged to attend. Contact GK James McMahon, Doug Deffenbaugh, or Greg Boggs for additional information."



We welcome **Marek Jayden Even, daughter of Jayden and Hayley**, to our St. George family. May God bless her as she learns in faith, and may she grow by our witness and example.



Congratulations to **Ayla Kramer, Kallie Schulte, and Camden Bjergaard** for winning St. George CDA scholarships.



We thank everyone who has donated to our food pantry. We are once again in need of a few things. St. George Food Pantry Donations needed: toilet paper, laundry soap, paper towels, and cans of fruit.

Rummage Sale at St. George
Friday, June 12, & Saturday, June 13
 You can start bringing your items to St. George on Monday, June 8th. We appreciate your donations. Questions can be directed to Dana.

Diocesan Opportunities

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Catholic Diocese of
 Sioux Falls



REAL PRESENCE RADIO RPR NETWORK
 Real Presence Radio brings Christ into homes, cars, and workplaces across the region. Tune in on 91.3/94.5FM in Sioux Falls or listen online at RealPresenceRadio.com. Join Real Presence Radio on **May 5-7** for their spring live drive!

St. Vincent de Paul Conference Fundraiser at the Chick-fil-A on May 5,
 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM



Please mention you are supporting "Community Care Night." For Mobile App orders, please use code SVKD26.

		JUNE 1 BIG STONE CITY
	JUNE 8 PIERRE	
Benefiting Seminarian Education & Formation		REGISTER: 605.988.3701

THAT'S NOT MY JOB! VOCATIONS & MISCONCEPTIONS



Speaker:
 Fr. Michael Kapperman

May 5, 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

Cinco De Mayo Celebration: Free Will Donation

"You did not choose me, but I chose you"

John 15:16

St. George:

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:

Tues., May 5| 5:30 pm +Delbert/+Lorna Spielmann/
+Doug Sittig

Wed., May 6| 8:00 am +Donald Witt

Thurs., May 7| 5:30 pm +Monica Westhoff

Fri., May 8| 8:00 am +Arnie Lusch

Sat., May 9| 5:00 pm +Barbara/+John Masgai

Sun., May 10| 9:00 am +Donald Schulte

Saturday, May 9 – 5:00 PM

Altar Servers: G Stuessi, D & R Wilking

Reader: H McMahon

Ushers: S Kulzer, C McMahon, T McMahon, G Mohrhauser

EMOHC: (Dcn. Tom-OM), C Spielmann, W Zortman

Offertory: S & T Rogers

Sacristan: JLuke

Sunday, May 10 – 9:00 AM

Altar Servers: A, C, & G Strunk

Readers: J & R Schulte

Ushers: M Bergeson, B Lammers, K Meehan, Wegleitner

EMOHC: (Dcn. Tom-OM), M Bergeson, P Lammers

Offertory: V Pulse

Sacristan: C Kapperman

Donuts: J & TThornton

St. George Financials:

General Needs:

Weekly Collection Needs \$6,553.85

Weekly Receipts-Actual \$4,126.00

Weekly Overage (Shortfall) (\$2,427.85)

Year-To-Date Receipts-Budget \$281,815.55

Year-To-Date-Actual \$295,270.75

Year-To-Date-Overage (Shortfall) \$ 13,455.20

CFSA Overage (Shortfall) (\$ 20,890.00)

Actual Overage (Shortfall) (\$ 7,524.80)

CFSA 2026:

Diocesan Goal (\$63,000.00)

Grounds/Maintenance Goal (\$30,000.00)

Receipts-PLEDGES \$72,020.00

YTD (\$20,890.00)

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St. George
Online Giving



Readings for 5/1/26

**Fifth Sunday
of Easter**

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Fr. Cesar wants to streamline the bulletin and clean up the pages. Therefore, starting June 1, the weekend volunteers will no longer be listed in the bulletin. Music will no longer be listed in the bulletin.

We are Chapel Angels
We are volunteers who
clean the Adoration



St. Michael



St. Michael Rummage Sale
Saturday, May 29-- 9:00-3:00 pm
Sunday, May 30-- 9:00-Noon

**Bring your things to the
Gym During Open
Office Hours
Starting May 18th**

Chapel for Jesus and for you
every Tuesday from 2-4 pm. Would you
like to join us? Training and supplies are
provided as wanted. Scheduled every
4-6 weeks. Contact
sylvia.wensing@gmail.com
Or 605-362-8398 - text is best

The Angel Gown Ministry
is at the Welcome Table
this weekend. Please stop
by to see the gowns and



items we make. If you are interested in joining our
group, kindly leave your name and number at the
table or speak with one of our members for more
information.

The Angel Gown Ministry began in September
2019. We meet on the 2nd Tuesday of each
month. At meetings, we pray, turn in projects,
and set gown goals. All our items use donated
white wedding dresses. We make dresses,
blankets, hearts, and angel wings. We donate
items to funeral homes, hospitals, and
churches.

We create Angel Gowns in four sizes for babies
born sleeping, from 1.5 to 8 pounds. We have
donated 1,436 gowns so far.

We also make Baptism outfits for boys and
girls. Families can use these for Baptisms or
after a loss. Our sizes range from newborn to
large. We have donated 351 Baptism outfits.
We send these items wherever needed across
the country.

If you are interested in sewing or volunteering,
we welcome you to join us—no experience
necessary, as we are happy to teach. To get
involved, please speak with us at the Welcome
Table or provide your contact information.

Volunteers can also help by making patterns or
bags, preparing materials, delivering completed
items, or assisting with events. Your support, in
any role, is appreciated and makes a difference.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of
Kevin Benson, nephew of Terry Oppold.
May he and all the faithful departed rest in
peace.



Congratulations to **Matt Peters &
Annika Bertram**, who were married this
weekend at St. Michael. May God bless
you in your marriage!

Feeding South Dakota



Online Donation Link



**Barrels will be
in the
Commons all
month.**

St. Michael offers baptism preparation
classes for parents wanting to baptize their
children. They are held each month from
10:45 to 11:30 a.m. in the Oxford Room.

The upcoming class is on May 17.

Please register prior to the class by calling
the office at 605-361-1600.

**Fr. Michael Wensing wrote a
book titled "Death & Life in the
Bible and the Church". Copies are
available in the parish office for
\$10.**

St. Michael

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, May 4| 5:30 pm +Bill Bennett
Tuesday, May 5| 5:30 pm +Tony Oliver
Wednesday, May 6| 8:15 am +Michael Mahan
Thursday, May 7| 8:15 am +Rita Robinson
Friday, May 8| 8:15 am Int. of Shelley Ziebell
Saturday, May 9| 8:15 am +Dan Lindner
4:00 pm +Duane Froehlich
Sunday, May 10
8:00 am +Rita Robinson
9:30 am +Monica Avery
11:00 am +Gene Vognild
6:00 pm Int. of OLV Pastorate parishioners

St. Michael Financials:

General Needs:

Weekly Collection Needs	\$30,980.77
Weekly Receipts-Actual	\$16,324.80
Weekly-Overage (Shortfall)	(\$14,655.97)
Year-To-Date Receipts-Budget	\$1,332,173.11
Year-To-Date-Actual	\$1,333,660.37
Year-To-Date-Overage (Shortfall)	\$ 1,487.26
CFSA Overage (Shortfall)	(\$ 205,982.56)
Actual Overage (Shortfall)	(\$ 204,495.30)

CFSA 2026:

Diocesan Goal	(\$181,000.00)
HVAC Goal	(\$300,000.00)
Receipts-PLEDGES	\$275,017.44
YTD	(\$205,982.56)

St. Vincent De Paul

Online Giving



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St. Michael Online Giving



Bishop O’Gorman School News

School Masses for May:

Friday, May 8--prepared by 2nd grade
Friday, May 15--prepared by staff



The last day of St. Michael Elementary School is Friday, May 15.

Bishop O’Gorman Catholic Schools is more than a Preschool through 12 educational system; we are a faith-filled community forming hearts and minds for Christ across Sioux Falls. Rooted in Catholic tradition and committed to academic excellence, we partner with parents to nurture virtue, deepen faith, and help every child grow into who God is calling them to be. Here, your child will be truly seen, known, and loved—surrounded by a community that cares for their soul as much as their success. Enrollment for the 2026–2027 school year is open! Check it out at www.ogknights.org.

Teresa Hulscher St Michael School Principal
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In May, your child could be crowning Mary, learning her story, and discovering what it means to have a mother in faith. These are the small, sacred moments that build a spiritual life, and they happen every day at Bishop O’Gorman Catholic Schools. Come see for yourself by inquiring today.

During Teacher Appreciation Week, we offer our heartfelt thanks to the dedicated educators at St. Michael's Elementary. Your work shapes not only what students learn, but who they become. Thank you for being a daily example of Christ's love in the way you guide, encourage, and care for each child. We are truly grateful to you! With sincere appreciation, The Parents and Students at St. Michael School

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Daily Mass Readings:
<https://bible.usccb.org>

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1:00pm-4:30pm

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