

Hearts on Fire: Praying Like The Saints

Ever wonder how the great saints learned to speak with God?

In this 3-week series, discover the timeless prayer methods of St. Teresa of Avila, St. Benedict, and St. Ignatius of Loyola—and learn how to grow in holiness like they did. We'll explore practical ways to pray with Scripture, meditate deeply, and find God in the quiet of your heart. Whether you're new to prayer or seeking to deepen your spiritual life, you'll leave equipped with tools the saints used to become friends of God.



When: Wednesdays – Sep 3 & Sep 10

Time: 6:30PM | **Where:** Parish Hall

Bring a notebook, a bible, a pen, and a friend!

SAFE ENVIRONMENT COMPLIANCE

Important Safe Environment Update

Effective **July 1, 2025**, our Diocese transitioned to a new Safe Environment platform called **COMPASS**. This new system allows volunteers to complete their own training and background check online by using a computer, tablet, or smartphone.

Current volunteers will get email notifications when it is time to renew their safe environment and background authorization from COMPASS. **New volunteers**, please call the parish office.

Being in compliance means becoming aware of our environment and how we can keep a watchful eye out for the safety of the most vulnerable in our parish: our children and our elderly.

We appreciate your continued commitment to creating a safe and welcoming environment for everyone here at St. George.

Pray for the Sick of Our Parish

Kelsey Holmquest, Elisa Valadez, Laura Carbajal, George Valverde, Robert G. Cruz, Sr., Dolores Molina, Lorenzo Garcia, Sr., Ruben Saenz, Albert Briseno, Angelita Briseno, Stephanie Caron, Rene Serna, James Stanley Pawlik, Ryan Parker, Charles Selke, Becky DeLeon, Ramona Torres, Jesse Valverde, Arturo & Estelle Gonzalez, Michael Hooper, Beth McArthur, Bill Skoruppa, Ysidra Lopez, Ray Henicke, Charles Snider, Maria Marroquin, Kathy Menager, Angel Morin, Elodia Flores, Gloria Valadez, AliceMary & Allyn Weber, Yvonne Godwin, Barbara Davis, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, The Caceres Family, Gustavo Caceres, Maria G. Carranza, Larry Jurica, Simon Pena, Stephanie Trbula, Carmen Molina, Mariella Garcia, Luis A. Cortez, Roberto Medina, Helen Troutman, Terry Curry, Robert Repka, Jr., Betty Labay, and Leonard Tupa.

If your loved one still needs to be on the prayer list, please call the parish office or email us at info@saintgeorgecatholicchurch.net



Bulletin Courtesy of George West Branch #104

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- ANNUITIES

Call 1-800-262-2548 for more information.

RED, WHITE & BLUE THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR YOUTH, AND OUR YOUTH NIGHTS, TOO



"Young people need the light of watchful guides to lead them on the path of salvation."

— St. John Baptist de la Salle



ALL TEENS 9TH – 12TH ARE INVITED TO

YOUTH NIGHT



Come join us for food, fellowship, and fun!

Mass will be at 5PM and then dinner for the youth to follow @6PM in the Parish Hall!



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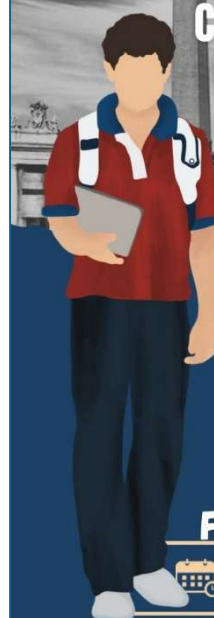
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For any questions, please call Aubrey Bird at 361-244-2695.

CLIMBING TO HOLINESS

CARLO ACUTIS & PIER
GIORGIO FRASSATI



Join us in the celebration
of the canonization
of two new saints!



FREE

EVENT



SUN. 9-7-25 | 6PM

- Adoration • Food trucks
- Reflection • Ground tours
- Music • Much more

RSVP HERE



<https://www.bluntzerspiritcenter.org/climbingtoholiness>



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ADULT SACRAMENTS

As faith formation gears up for our children and teens, so it also does for our adults. If you or any one you know is seeking to complete their sacraments of baptism, first holy communion, or confirmation, please contact the parish office during business hours. If you are not Catholic but would like to be, please contact us soon so that we can get you enrolled in our OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) Program.



ALTAR SERVERS—THIS WEEKEND

Sat 5:00 pm TBA
 Sun 7:30 am Max Williams
 Sun 9:00 am Julie Campos / Melany Serna
 Sun 11:00 am Henry & Karlene Poole

Altar Server Training: ...continues this Wednesday for all Altar Servers. Instruction begins at 4:30 pm in the church and concludes with practical training during the 5:30 Mass. New Altar Servers are always welcome to join in.



DAILY MASSES

7AM – Monday, Thursday, Friday (Day Chapel)
 12:05PM* – Monday, Tuesday (Day Chapel)
 5:30PM – Wednesday (Church)

*Please note: there will be no 12:05 Mass on Thursday, Sept. 4.
 See you at Mass!

"We find rest in those we love, and we provide a resting place for those who love us." — St. Bernard of Clairvaux

LECTORS—THIS WEEKEND

Sat 5:00 pm Kyle Pate
 Sun 7:30 am Kat Bisbey
 Sun 9:00 am Maria Tellez
 Sun 11:00 am John Melnar

LECTORS—NEXT WEEKEND

Sat 5:00 pm Mary Pate
 Sun 7:30 am Sonia Carrera
 Sun 9:00 am Maria Tellez
 Sun 11:00 am Flo Moore



SAT	AUG 30	5:00 PM	† Jim Bednorz	By Mary Margaret Campbell
			† Emma N. Juarez	By Jason & Olga Garcia
			† Becky Pawlik	By Her Family
			† Rosa Munoz	By Mary & Robert Appling
			† Soila Cruz	By Cindy & Charles Snider
			† Leonard Pawlik	By Debby Pawlik & Family
SUN	AUG 31	7:30 AM	† Helen & † Jim Pugh	By Kathy & Chuck Campbell
			† Manuel Chapa, Jr.	By Eloisa Chapa
			† Dolores James, † Nanette Pittsford & † Deborah James	By Letha & Mike Thompson and Family
			Bill Holland (Healing)	By His Family
		9:00 AM	Spanish Mass	
		11:00 AM	Missa Pro Popula	
MON	SEP 1	7:00 AM	Tricia Hitch (Birthday)	By Virg Crawford
		12:05 PM	Daily Mass	
TUES	SEP 2	7:00 AM	No Mass	
		12:05 PM	Daily Mass	
WED	SEP 3	5:30 PM	† Juana Rodriguez	By Diana & Valerio Cancino
			† David Zapata	By His Family
		6:30 PM	Prayer Talk (Parish Hall)	
THURS	SEP 4	7:00 AM	Allison Solcher (Birthday)	By Virg Crawford
		12:05 PM	No Mass	
FRI	SEP 5	6:50 AM	† All Poor Souls in Purgatory	
			† Soila R. Cruz	By Her Children
			† Tomasita Villanueva	By Yolanda Lewis
SAT	SEP 6	7:00 AM	Special Intention	By Lisa & Donald Henicke
		5:00 PM	Missa Pro Popula	
			† Oscar G. Munoz	By Jason & Olga Garcia
			† Becky Pawlik	By Her Family
			† Leonard Pawlik	By Barbara & Albert McGuill
			† Margi Bledsoe	By The Scotty Bledsoe Family
			† Orlando, † Antonia & † Belisario Guerrero	By Connie Guerrero & Family
SUN	SEP 7	7:30 AM	Bill Holland (Healing)	By His Family
			† John Galloway	By Carol & Dennis Maurer
			† Betty Brooks	By Cindy & Charles Snider
			† Manuel Chapa, Jr.	By Eloisa Chapa
			† Margarite James	By Kathy & Chuck Campbell
		9:00 AM	Spanish Mass	
		11:00 AM	† Jim Bednorz	By Carol & Dennis Maurer
			Robert Arciba (Healing)	By Lisa Arciba & Family
			Special Intention	The Feist Family
			† Jesusa Martinez	By Catholic Daughters of America #2528

Mass Intentions

FAITH FORMATION

Our Faith Formation (CCD) Classes start next Sunday, September 7, 2025, at 9AM. (Breakfast begins at 8:30 in the hall.)

Are your children registered yet?

By registering your children now, we can plan to have enough class books and supplies for every student. Help us help your child(ren) be ready for the first day of class!

***Children registered as of 8/28/25**

To register your children, please pick up a form in the church foyer, parish office, or visit us online at st-george-parish.org.

CHILDREN REGISTERED

49*

CATECHETICAL
SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 21, 2025

We are excited to begin another enriching year of Faith Formation here at St. George Catholic Church. It is vital to nurturing the spiritual growth of our children and youth, helping them build a strong foundation in Christ and our Catholic traditions.

This essential ministry thrives on the dedication and generosity of our parishioners. We are actively seeking enthusiastic volunteers to help make this year a resounding success. Here are a few wonderful opportunities to serve, no matter what your skills or time may be:

- **Breakfast Cooks:** Help nourish our young minds and bodies with a simple breakfast on FF mornings.
- **Clean-Up Crew:** Lend a hand with tidying up after sessions, ensuring our facilities remain welcoming and ready for the next gathering.
- **Substitute Teachers:** Step in when needed to lead lessons and guide our students, sharing your faith and knowledge.

Volunteering with **FAITH FORMATION** is a chance to share your faith, connect with parish community, and directly impact the spiritual journey of our younger generation. If you feel called to contribute to this vital ministry, please contact the Parish Office at 361-447-2893 or email us at info@saintgeorgecatholicchurch.net.

We provide any necessary training and guidance to ensure you feel confident and supported in your role. Thank you for prayerfully considering how you can serve St. George Catholic Church and our Faith Formation program. Your involvement will truly make a difference.

In Christ,
The Faith Formation Team
St. George Catholic Church



"Always be ready to give an explanation...for a reason for your hope"

1 PETER 3:15

CALL TO MAKE A
Difference

The Parish Office
will be CLOSED on
Monday, September 1st,
for the Labor Day holiday.
We will return to normal
business hours on Tuesday.
Be safe out there!

Happy
LABOR DAY



St. George is interested in starting a **Mother's Group** right here in our parish. Moms are often longing for community, spiritual encouragement, and practical support as they raise their children in the faith. If this is something that interests you, please reach out to Aubrey Bird at 361-244-2695 or <mailto:aubrey@saintgeorgecatholicchurch.net>

Teacher & Student Mass

Please join us for the **Teacher & Student Mass** held on Friday mornings at 6:50 am before school:



Student Homecoming Mass 2024

September 12th
September 26th
October 10th
October 24th
November 7th
November 21st
December 12th

Mass is for everyone!!! Please come help us celebrate all our students and teachers throughout the school year!! If you wish to sponsor a breakfast meal for one of the above dates, please reach out to Aubrey Bird @ 361-244-2695 or contact the parish office.

CHURCH COLLECTIONS

Collection Baskets for: August 24, 2025..... \$3,466.26
Children's Collection **\$19.00**
ABLAZE Youth Ministry Collection..... **\$1,168.00**
St. George Charities..... **\$100.00**
Assumption of Mary Collection (Aug 15) **\$20.00**

This weekend, our 2nd Collection is for a Special Diocesan Collection for the hurting Catholics of Gaza. Next weekend, our 2nd Collection will be for Catholic University. Thank you kindly.

Remember...
ONLINE GIVING
...and make your life easier.

As of August 22, we have met 76% of our **Bishop's Stewardship Appeal** goal of \$26,633. A huge thanks to the 67 families who have helped us collect \$20,590! We still need to collect \$6,043 of which \$1,115 is expected through recurring donations, leaving us short by \$4,928. Help us reach it with 33 more families. If you haven't donated yet, fill out your Appeal envelope and mail it with your donation or scan the code on the envelope and donate online. 33 more families can help us do this!



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Sunday, August 31, 2025 – 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Thurs: 9AM—12NOON; 1:00PM—5:00PM | Closed for Lunch: 12:00—1:00PM & Fridays

PARISH & RECTORY STAFF

Pastor: Fr. Romeo Salinas
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Custodian: Norma Zuniga

Groundskeeper:

MASS TIMES

Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	7:30 AM
Sunday	*9:00 AM *Spanish
Sunday	11:00 AM
Monday	7:00 AM
Wednesday	5:30 PM
Thursday	7:00 AM
Friday	7:00 AM
1st Saturday	7:00 AM

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Society: Meets as needed.

Building Committee: Meets as needed.

Catholic Daughters of America #2528: Meets on the 2nd Sunday of the month unless announced otherwise.

Knights of Columbus Council #3499: Every 1st Wednesday of the month at 6:15PM in the Parish Hall.

Parish Finance Council: Meets four times each year unless otherwise announced.

Pastoral Council: Meets 3-4 times each year unless announced otherwise.

Women's Bible Study: Meets from Fall to Spring.

EN ESPANOL

Sundays—Misa para 9:00 AM.

1st Friday—Adoración al Santísimo en la Chapel.

Every Thursday—Rezo el Rosario en Español.

For bulletin in full-color, please visit our parish website at: st-george-parish.org

SACRAMENTS

Adult Sacraments: Please contact Cherish at the Parish Office.

Infant Baptism: Please contact Virg at the Parish Office.

Holy Matrimony: Make arrangements with Father Romeo at least six (6) months in advance.

Reconciliation/Confession: Wednesday, 4:30—5:30PM; Saturday, 3:30—4:30PM; or call the Parish Office for an appointment.

Adoration: Wednesday, 4:30—5:30PM; Thursday, 6AM-6PM.

Holy Day of Obligation: 7:00AM, 12:00 NOON & 6:00PM.

Welcome

Welcome, new parishioners! If you are new to our parish, please fill out a Parish Registration form and turn into the office. Newcomer packets can be found in our church foyer and parish office. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office staff during business hours. Thank you and welcome!