

✠ The 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠

MASS INTENTIONS

WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 4 - 10

Tue, Sep 5 6:30pm Gus & Ann Wibberg
 Wed, Sep 6 8:00am Roman Scheulen & Austin Harmon
 Thu, Sep 7 8:00am Doug Stieferman -*Frankenstein*
 Fri, Sep 8 8:00am Hugo Brandt
 Sat, Sep 9 5:00pm Harold, Loyd, & Jerry Hoelscher & Gladys Fritchley
 Sun, Sep 10 8:00am Cletus & Margaret Ann Bode -*Frankenstein*
 10:00am Parishioners
The Saturday evening Mass and Holy Days of Obligation will be streamed at www.facebook.com/stgeorgeparishlinn/.

EVENTS

Sat, Sep 2 – First Saturday Mass - in Westphalia at 8am
Sun, Sep 3 – Mary’s Home Picnic - 11am-7pm, fried chicken & gluten-free roast beef, Adults \$15, dine in or carry out
Sun, Sep 3 – Freeburg Picnic - 11:30am-7pm, chicken & roast beef, carry outs only, \$15/plate
Tue, Sep 5 – Divine Mercy Chaplet - 3pm in the chapel
Tue, Sep 5 – Seeking Christ for Our Nation Mass - 6:30pm, All welcome, join us to pray for our Nation, sponsored by K of C.
Tue, Sep 5 – Linn K of C Meeting - 7:30pm, Notre Dame Hall
Wed, Sep 6 – PSR Classes Begin - 4-5:30, Notre Dame Hall
Wed, Sep 6 – A Walk Through The Mass - St. Joseph Cathedral, 5:30pm, presentation by Fr. Paul Clark
Sat, Sep 9 – Parish Engagements and Charitable Events - St. George 1-4:30pm, Catholic Charities will provide faith formation, fellowship, & presentations on Charity & Mercy Grants. To register, visit ccnmo.diojeffcity.org/peace.
Sat, Sep 9 – Prayer Service for National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children - 10am, St. Andrew Church, Holts Summit
Sun, Sep 10 – CYO Gathering - in Loft G, 11am – 1pm.
Sun, Sep 10 – St. Anthony Fall Festival - Folk, MO, serving roast beef & whole hog sausage drive thru or carry out 11am-6pm, \$15, Classic Car Cruise-in 11am – 6:30pm
Mon, Sep 11 – K of C Trash Pick Up - Meet 5:15pm at Dollar General parking lot.
Tue, Sep 12 - Divine Mercy Chaplet - 3pm in the chapel
Wed, Sep 13 – PSR Classes - 4-5:30, Notre Dame Hall
Sun, Sep 17 – St. Louis of France Fall Festival - Bonnots Mill, serving 12 – 6pm, live auction at 4pm
Sun, Sep 17 – Osage County Community Choir Concert - 6pm, at the barn behind the Norton Room, 130 E Main st. in Westphalia, bring a lawn chair.

BISHOP’S AUGUST PRAYER INTENTION

For students, parents and teachers as another school year begins; may our Catholic community provide the proper environment and resources for our young people to thrive and excel in their formation as Disciples of Christ, and sons and daughters of our Catholic Church, we pray to the Lord...

	Total collection
August 5 & 6	\$18,590
August 12 & 13	\$9,653
August 19 & 20	\$12,677
August 26 & 27	\$11,412

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS – SEPTEMBER 9 & 10

USHERS

5pm – Eric Brandt, Chris Brandt, Joe Brandt, Garrett Haslag
10am – Alfred Brandt, Kenny Hackmann, Ronnie Frank, Ethan Grellner

LECTORS

5pm – Tom Wilson, Donna Zeilmann
10am – Elizabeth Reinkemeyer, Ashley Schmitz

COMMUNION MINISTERS

5pm – Deacon Bob, Debbie Backes, Jerry Backes
10am – Deacon Bob, Kenny Fick, Lisa Grellner

SERVERS

5pm – Neveah Ames, Anna Brandt, Henry Brandt
10am – Elli Dudenhoeffer, Charlie Reinkemeyer, Adalee Dudenhoeffer

GREETERS

5pm – Arlene Broeker, Alice Jacquin
10am – Alfred & Sonya Brandt Family

MUSIC

5pm - Sheila Hock, Sarah & Samantha Brandt & Choir
10am - Melissa Massman, Marlena Woelk & Choir

ROSARY LEADER

5pm – Gerri Reynolds
10am – Debra Oliveras

COLLECTION COUNTERS

Bonnie Hackmann, Kristen Hackmann

CALL TO PRAYER

Please pray for: Kim Kliethermes Backes, Mary Berhorst, Vince Boillot, Kathy Cartwright, Dennis Dudenhoeffer, Charlotte Elsberry, Holly Eynard, Nick Eynard, Mike Fowler, Cody Fulkerson, Steve Gove, Kennedy Hartmann, Donnie Haslag, Nate Helmig, Lisa Higginbotham, Gary & Rosie Huckstep, Charlie Hueste, BJ Kaulen, Melissa Koenigsfeld, John Lansford, Mark Lieneke, Donnie Linnenbrink, Tana McNeese, Berneice Miller, Wyatt Niemann, Cord Nilges, Terry Eugene Nilges, Bridget & Mike Parkhurst, Roger Paulsmeyer, Jeff Peters, Sam Reeves, Tricia Rehagen, Scott Rikard, Lydia Samson, Anna Sanchez, Daniel Scheulen, Frank Schroeder, Judith Schroeder SSND, Eloise Taulbee, Lee Thomeczek, Larry & Sharon Thomas, Dennis Westergren & Chad Williams. *Contact the parish office to add someone to our prayer list.*

JULY 2023 PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

	July Actual	FY-To Date Actual	FY-To-Date Budgeted
Total Parish Receipts	\$106,043	\$106,043	\$113,887
Total Parish Expenses	\$111,049	\$111,049	\$121,633
School/Preschool	\$86,715	\$86,715	
Church	\$24,335	\$24,335	
Net	(\$5,006)	(\$5,006)	

Please note: Account transfers, software issues, accrual accounting, & transaction posting may cause reporting to fluctuate month to month. The YTD totals & fiscal year end reports are the best to compare. Fiscal Year (FY July 1–June 30)

SCHOOL NEWS FROM THE PRINCIPAL

The month of September is dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows, whose memorial the Church celebrates on September 15. Devotion to the sorrows of the Virgin Mary dates from the twelfth century, when it made its appearance in monastic circles under the influence of St. Anselm and St. Bernard.

St. George Home and School will once again be selling raffle tickets. Each ticket will be \$20 with 10 chances to win. The first drawing will be \$1000, the next eight drawings will be for \$100, and the final drawing will be for \$1500. This is a major fundraiser for the Home & School. We appreciate any support you can give. Tickets are available from all school families, the parish office & at the scrip table.

ST. GEORGE CEMETERY FALL CLEAN UP

The Cemetery Association is organizing fall clean up days beginning at 9am on Wed, September 13 and Saturday, September 16. ***Volunteers are Sought*** If you can volunteer time on either day (or have an A+ student needing community service hours), please message Patrick Muenks at 573-291-3697, pjmuenks@msn.com or Rhonda Bish at 573-291-2363, ordinary penguins@yahoo.com. Tasks include cleaning and leveling headstones, inventory of gravesites, trash pickup and general grounds lawncare.

FALL FESTIVAL PLANNING VOLUNTEERS

Looking for ways to grow in stewardship to your parish? If so, please consider sharing your gifts of time and talent to help plan and organize the St. George Fall Supper scheduled for Sunday, October 1. Please contact the parish office if interested in sharing your ideas or assisting in any way.

WILL YOU SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH CYO?

St. George CYO is looking for safe environment compliant men & women from our parish willing to share their experiences, big or small, with the Holy Spirit or Prayer with our youth group. If you would be willing to sit with our youth group and share your faith experience for either topic to help our youth grow in faith in these two areas, or if you want more information, please contact Brenda at the parish office.

A WALK THROUGH THE MASS

St. Joseph Cathedral will be hosting a presentation with Fr. Paul Clark on Wednesday, September 6 at 5:30pm in the Cathedral with dinner in Cana Hall. Please consider attending this presentation to get a clearer view of what happens at the highest form of Prayer with Our Lord: The Eucharist. All are welcome. For more info contact Julie.g@cathedraljrc.org

PILLAR OF FORMATION PODCAST

Our formation as Catholic stewards requires both an education of the mind and a conversion of the heart. In this month's podcast, we continue our discussion with Fr. Stephen Jones about the Four Pillars of Stewardship—focusing on the concept of formation in our faith. Access this podcast at the link below. This podcast is the third episode in our four-part series focusing on the Four Pillars of Stewardship with Fr. Jones, the diocesan director of stewardship. This series is designed to help us deepen our understanding of the spirituality of stewardship as we approach the October Catholic Stewardship Renewal. https://www.buzzsprout.com/2078226?client_source=large_player&iframe=true&referrer=https://www.buzzsprout.com/2078226.js?container_id=buzzsprout-large-player&player=large#

SMALL DISCUSSION GROUPS

We encourage parishioners to reinvigorate their small groups or create a new group to participate in a four week "Spirituality of Catholic Stewardship Renewal" small group program called "The Four Pillars of Stewardship," written by Spencer Allen, Principal of Helias Catholic. Materials are available to view at on left side of the Diocesan Stewardship page under "parish resources." <https://diojeffcity.org/stewardship/>.

STEWARDSHIP

I urge you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God, your spiritual worship. Do not conform yourselves to this age but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and pleasing and perfect.

Romans 12:1-2

When we feel trapped by temptations that are not pleasing to God, we can ask for His grace to help us to grow deeper in our relationship with Him through a consistent prayer life and through deeper formation of our Catholic faith.



Come Celebrate!

Fr. Dan's 25th Anniversary of his Ordination into the Priesthood
Sunday | September 24 | 2:00 PM

Newman Parish | 602 Turner Ave. | Columbia, MO

Mass will be celebrated at 2:00 PM with a luncheon to follow upstairs in the Multipurpose Room (MPR). RSVP's are greatly encouraged for accurate food count.



Scan to RSVP

MASS COUNTS FOR AUGUST

	Sat	Sun	Weekend Total
August 5/6	179	236	415
August 12/13	165	376	541
August 19/20	308	278	586
August 26/27	207	306	513
Avg Attendance	215	299	514

St. George has 1,153 registered adults & children in the parish. Average weekend Mass attendance for August is 45% of our parish members.