

# ✠ The 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠

## MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF OCTOBER 2 - 8

Tue, Oct 3	6:30pm	Elmo Hamburg, Elston Hamburg, Dave Kliethermes, Robert Niekamp
Wed, Oct 4	8:00am	Wilfred Thoenen
Thu, Oct 5	8:00am	Carla Brandt - <i>Frankenstein</i>
Fri, Oct 6	8:00am	John & Georgia Berhorst
Sat, Oct 7	8:00am	Freddie & Alice Nilges - <i>Linn</i>
	5:00pm	Leo Brandt & Bob Niekamp
Sun, Oct 8	8:00am	John Troesser, Frank & Hilda Troesser, Charles Samson- <i>Frankenstein</i>
	10:00am	Parishioners

*The Saturday evening Mass and Holy Days of Obligation will be streamed at [www.facebook.com/stgeorgeparishlinn/](http://www.facebook.com/stgeorgeparishlinn/).*

## EVENTS

**Sun, Oct 1 – ST. GEORGE FALL FESTIVAL** – Join us for our Fall Festival, serving 11am – 6pm, whole hog sausage, roasted turkey & dressing, dine in or carryout, \$15/plate.

**Tue, Oct 3 – Divine Mercy Chaplet** – St. George Chapel, 3pm

**Tue, Oct 3 – Mandatory School Parent Meeting** – 6pm, in the church. All school parents are required to attend.

**Tue, Oct 3 – Seeking Christ for Our Nation Mass**- 6:30pm. Join us in prayer for our nation. Sponsored by Linn K of C.

**Tue, Oct 3 – K of C Meeting**- 7:30pm, Notre Dame Hall

**Wed, Oct 4 – PSR Classes** – 4-5:30pm, Notre Dame Hall

**Fri, Oct 6–Ladies Night Out**–6:30pm, ladies enjoy good food & inspiration from Teresa Tomeo on how God defines us rather than the world. Dinner (\$25) & cash bar. Cana Hall, Cathedral.

**Sat, Oct 7–Fall Women’s Retreat**-Teresa Tomeo provides inspiration, prayer time, faith sharing, & growing faith life. Lunch provided (\$15), 10am, St. Joseph Cathedral, Cana Hall.

**Sun, Oct 8 – CYO Gathering** – Loft G, 11am – 1pm. All youth grades 8 – 12 are welcome.

**Sun, Oct 8 – St. George Hermann Fall Dinner** – serving sausage and turkey, 11am – 5pm, Polka Mass at 10:30am

**Sun, Oct 8 – Guardian Angels Parish Fall Dinner** – Serving sausage & fried chicken 11am – 5pm, auction at 2:30pm

**Sun, Oct 8 – Backroads Poker Run** – Register 11am, Bonnots Mill Parish Hall, Ride starts at 12pm.\$20/hand

**Tue, Oct 10 – Divine Mercy Chaplet** – Chapel at 3pm

**Wed, Oct 11 – PSR Classes** – 4 – 5:30pm, Notre Dame Hall

**Sun, Oct 14 – Rosary Rally** – 12pm, St. George (Linn) church lawn, bring your lawn chair & Rosary, and take a part in one of 20,000 Rosary Rallies taking place across the US to pray for our country & the world. Sponsored by America Needs Fatima.

## BISHOP’S OCTOBER PRAYER INTENTION

For those who have experienced trauma in their lives; may the Holy Spirit, comforter of hearts, heal their wounds and may the Church, like a loving mother, show the way to justice and wholeness, we pray to the Lord...

	<b>Total collection</b>
September 2 & 3	\$17,671
September 9 & 10	\$13,883
September 16 & 17	\$13,185
September 25 & 26	\$12,683

## LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS –OCT 7 & 8

### USHERS

**5pm**–Rodney Kliethermes, Richard Peters, Nathan Peters, Tom Peters  
**10am**–Louis Saunier, Bob Scheulen, Emma & Randy Williams

### LECTORS

**5pm**– Evelyn Niekamp, Amy Orscheln  
**10am** – Justin Bowden, Tim Bower

### COMMUNION MINISTERS

**5pm** – John Oliveras, Dana Peters, Ralph Samson  
**10am** – Lisa Grellner, Nick Schmitz, Jane Verdott-Theissen

### SERVERS

**5pm**–Elyse Brandt, Kenzie Jurd, Addalyn Brandt  
**10am**–Justyce Koenigsfeld, Eli Koenigsfeld, Elliott Sanner

### GREETERS

**5pm** – Mary Wilbers  
**10am** – Elaine Hunt

### MUSIC

**5pm**- Monica Schmitz, Sarah & Samantha Brandt & Choir  
**10am**- Melissa Massman, Amy Bowden, & Choir

### ROSARY LEADER

**5pm** – Edna Kliethermes  
**10am** – Janelle Jaegers

### COLLECTION COUNTERS

Ed & Judy Robinson

### CALL TO PRAYER

*Please pray for:* Kim Kliethermes Backes, Mary Berhorst, Vince Boillot, Kathy Cartwright, Dennis Dudenhoefter, Charlotte Elsberry, Holly Eynard, Nick Eynard, Kennedy Frank, 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, Steve McNeese, Tana McNeese, Berneice Miller, Wyatt Niemann, Cord Nilges, Terry Eugene Nilges, Bridget & Mike Parkhurst, Roger Paulsmeyer, Jeff Peters, Tricia Rehagen, Scott Rikard, Lydia Samson, Anna Sanchez, Daniel Scheulen, Frank Schroeder, Judith Schroeder SSND, Nathan Schwoeppe, Eloise Taulbee, Lee Thomeczek, Sharon Thomas, Kyle Wagner, Dennis Westergren & Chad Williams. *Contact the parish office to add someone to our prayer list.*

## AUGUST 2023 PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

	<b>August Actual</b>	<b>FY-To Date Actual</b>	<b>FY-To-Date Budgeted</b>
<b>Total Parish Receipts</b>	<b>\$93,676</b>	<b>\$198,714</b>	<b>\$227,565</b>
<b>Total Parish Expenses</b>	<b>\$129,568</b>	<b>\$226,673</b>	<b>\$243,255</b>
School/Preschool	\$97,253	\$175,300	
Church	\$32,315	\$51,373	
<b>Net</b>	<b>(\$35,892)</b>	<b>(\$27,959)</b>	

*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

St. George Home & School had a wonderful turnout for the Pumpkin Patch. They have left over pumpkins to sell for \$5 each. To purchase a pumpkin please call Kathleen Capkovic at 314-503-3594 or visit the Old School Antique Mall.

During the month of September the students at St. George focused on *humility* as our monthly virtue. Students that received this award have shown staff & students they are accepting of their limitations and God-given talents. This month we are proud to announce our Outstanding Warriors are Kinley Peters, Chloe Rikard, Caden Sokolowski, Jacey Klebba, Kimber Bennett, Jackson Hamburg, and Ava Voss.

We celebrated Grandparents' Day this week. It is a time that we set aside to honor grandparents, to allow grandparents to show love for their children's children, and to help children become aware of the strength, information, and guidance older people can offer. We are blessed to have such strong faith supporters to pass their faith down to their grandchildren!

### PROTECTING YOUNG EYES

The Diocese of Jefferson City is providing & strongly encouraging parents to attend upcoming free workshops for parents on "How to Create a Tech-Ready Home" from national speakers at Protect Young Eyes. Information includes how young, developing brains are impacted by technology, learn how to use hardware & software to keep your children safe, and discover ways to ensure your family is prepared, balanced & protected online. Workshops will be offered around the Diocese with a local event at St. Joseph School in Westphalia on Wed, October 18 at 6:30pm. All parents are encouraged to attend. Please register at <https://diojeffcity.org/pye-registration>.

### THANK YOU!!

The family of Margaret Schaefer would like to express our sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown to our family during the loss of our mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. We are grateful for all the prayers, cards, memorials, Masses, food, flowers, and phone calls. We especially appreciate Father Franklin for the comforting words at the funeral Mass. We know that Margaret loved that the St. George school children and Mr. Maranowski attended her Mass.

The Margaret A. Schaefer Family

### DIACONATE INFORMATION SESSION

The Office of Diaconate Formation will be hosting an information session on Saturday, October 28, 9:30am – 12pm at the Chancery for anyone interested in learning more about the permanent diaconate. The session will include insights into the life and ministry of permanent deacons. It will also offer information on the application and formation process. This session is open to anyone who has wondered if they were being called to the vocation of the diaconate and to their spouse. Please email Deacon John Schwartze for more information or to RSVP at [jschwartz@diojeffcity.org](mailto:jschwartz@diojeffcity.org).

### ST. GEORGE FALL FESTIVAL

The St. George Fall Festival is this weekend, Sunday, October 1. We are serving whole hog sausage, roasted turkey and dressing from 11 am – 6pm. There will be a dessert auction at 4pm. We will need donations of dessert and specialty items for the auction that can be brought to the St. George Activity Center on the day of the fall festival. Each family is also asked to bring two pies and a loaf of homemade bread to support the dinner. There are collection envelopes available in your packets for donations towards the meat expenses as well. The work lists & raffle tickets are available in the back of church. If you are unable to work your shift, please find a replacement & notify the chair of your work area. We look forward to seeing you on October 1!

### 33 DAYS TO MERCIFUL LOVE

Mark your calendars! We will be offering the 33 Days to Merciful Love retreat at St. George Parish on Sunday afternoons at 3pm in the chapel beginning November 12. This retreat will help you grow in holiness and open your heart to a fuller meaning of Divine Mercy with the help of St. Therese of Lisieux. We will meet one time a week for 6 weeks to watch a video and discuss. Please contact the parish by November 1 so we have enough time to prepare and distribute resources.

### OSAGE COUNTY CHOIR

You are invited to join the Osage County Choir! Westphalia is once again hosting Christmas on Main this year on November 26<sup>th</sup>. We will begin singing right after the lighting of the tree in town. There will be some new songs and some from last year. Practices will be held in the Norton Room at 6:30pm on Oct 3 & 17, Nov 2, 7, 16, and 21.

### PILLARS OF STEWARDSHIP PODCAST – SERVICE

Service is a public expression of our faith. It's how we express our belief in God and live out Jesus's teachings. In this month's podcast, we conclude our discussion with Fr. Stephen Jones about the Four Pillars of Stewardship — focusing on the concept of service. This podcast is the fourth and final episode in our series about 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. All of the episodes in this series are available at [diojeffcity.org/podcast](https://diojeffcity.org/podcast).

### STEWARDSHIP SMALL GROUP STUDY

## CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP *Renewal*

Join us for a small group study  
about the spirituality of our  
Catholic Stewardship Renewal



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