

We are Christ-centered and Faith directed in all that we are!

September 27, 2024

Servers for September:

- Sep 28 (Sat)** Jordyn Bish, Layla Wingrath, Brandon Youtzy
- Sep 29 (Sun)** Knights of Columbus

Important Dates:

September:

- 25-** Confirmation at 6:30
- 27-** 4D Day sponsored by 7th grade
- 27-** K-2 Field trip
- 30-** No School (PD Day for teachers)

October:

- 7-10-** Achievement testing for grades 3-8
- 10-** Home & School Raffle tickets due
- 15-** Home & School Raffle (1st drawing)
- 18-** Last day of first quarter
- 18-** Last day for students to wear shorts
- 22-** 8th grade tours Helias
- 23-** 4D Day sponsored by 6th & PK3
- 24-** 12:30 Dismissal
- 24-** Parent/teacher conferences
- 25-** Trunk-or-treat
- 25-** No School or After Care
- 28-** No School (PD Day for teachers)
- 31-** Halloween parties-students may wear Halloween shirts & uniform pants



All questions/concerns related to school invoices, should be addressed to stgparishoffice613@gmail.com

From the Fall Supper Committee:
NEW! -STUDENT DESSERTS FOR FALL SUPPER

We would appreciate students from St. George School, kindergarten through high school who attend St. George to bring desserts for our Dessert Auction on October 6th.

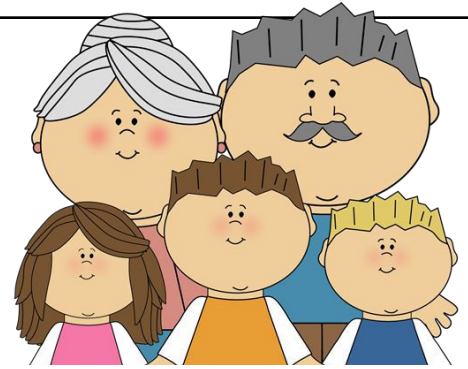
The student's name will be announced when displaying and auctioning the item and, if the student is available at 4:00 p.m, we would like for him or her to walk the item through the crowd.

We would be so very appreciative of students baking for our dessert auction and showing off their skills as a baker. Of course, we also need the scrumptious desserts from all our adult bakers as well.

All of those students who sang at the Cardinal game were given the highest praise for behavior and singing by Cardinal Nation! We are so proud of the way these students represented our school. Thanks again to Jenna Dudenhoeffer for organizing it, and to Mrs. Hoffman for leading us in the singing.

October 7-11 Students in grades 3-8 will be taking the IOWA Assessments during the morning this entire week. Please try to refrain from making appointments during that time.

October is the Month of the Rosary
Praying the Rosary together as Catholic families is a powerful way to deepen our faith, strengthen our bonds, and experience the presence of God. It provides a shared spiritual journey, where we unite our hearts and voices in prayerful contemplation of the life of Jesus. The Rosary offers a structured meditation on the mysteries of the Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious, and Luminous, guiding us to a deeper understanding of Christ's love and sacrifice. By praying together, we create a sacred space where we can support one another, share our joys and sorrows, and find solace in the comforting presence of Mary.



Celebrating Our Grandparents 2024!!

St. George School will be celebrating Grandparents Day on Oct. 14th at 2:00 pm. Please make sure you invite your child's grandparents or grand-friends. There will be a sign out link in future bulletins if your child(ren) will be going home with grandparents.

Do you know the Four-Pillars of Stewardship?

Two key elements of stewardship are:

Hospitality - Christian Kindness

'When I was a stranger, you welcomed me.' Matt 25:35

Jesus Christ teaches that whenever we welcome one of the least of our sisters and brothers, we welcome Christ Himself. Parishioners of a stewardship parish see the face of Christ in one another. A stewardship parish is a welcoming parish regardless of the parish demographics: large or small - urban, suburban or rural.

Prayer - A Heart to Heart with God

'Prayer is as necessary to our souls as food is to our bodies.' from *Characteristics of a Christian Steward*

Prayer and the sacraments dispose a soul to receive God's abundant graces, which are necessary to grow in holiness. It is through prayer that we nurture our personal relationship with Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Our students embody the call of stewardship through their daily prayers. They acknowledge God's presence and guidance in every aspect of their lives, from academic pursuits to personal relationships. By praying throughout the day, they cultivate a sense of gratitude, humility, and responsibility. Their prayers serve as a reminder of their interconnectedness with the world and their role in preserving and nurturing God's creation. Through prayer, our students learn to live with intention and purpose, striving to make a positive impact on their communities and beyond.

Congratulations to the September Outstanding Warriors. These students were recognized by their display of the virtue of humility. They have shown that they are accepting of their limitations and God-given talents. The recipients for this award are: Owen Jaegers, son of Corey and Vicki Jaegers, Kenzie Jurd, daughter of Chris and Jessica Jurd, Ava Voss, daughter of Adrian and Darice Voss, Margaret Schmitz, daughter of Nick and Ashley Schmitz, Zachary Curless, son of Justin Curless and Kathleen Capkovic, Kynlee Smith, daughter of Chelsea Smith and the late Matthew Smith, Grace Terry, daughter of Curtis and Lisa Terry, Rokzen Blauvelt, son of Brian and Whitney Blauvelt, Audrey Curless, daughter of Justin Curless and Kathleen Capkovic, Jackson Jurd, son of Chris and Jessica Jurd, Finn Koenigsfeld, son of Brendan and Emily Koenigsfeld, Estellise Womack, daughter of A.J. and Tassi Womack, Emilyn Thoenen, daughter of Craig and Alisha Thoenen, Sadie Kempker, daughter of Jason and Shelby Kempker, Eve Dudenhoeffer, daughter of Andy and Kristan Dudenhoeffer, and Kain Peters, son of Adam and Kaitlyn Peters. All of these students go above and beyond to show they are Christ-centered and faith directed in all that they do.



Preschool 3 Service Project

Pet Clinic

On October 4th, Preschool-3 Class will have a Pet Clinic set up at morning drop off all donated items.

This is Feast of St. Francis,(the patron saint of animals). We will be collecting items for the Osage Regional Veterinary Clinic. Suggested items for donation are blankets and/or towels your family may no longer need, pet toys, and treats. The Preschool kiddos and their parents will be available to assist you with your donations in the drop off line, if you prefer not to park and get out of your car. We will also have a donation jar available for monetary donations to the Allen Waterman Animal Assistance Fund. Pennies in your car will bring smiles to kiddos helping with their service project, and the many needy animals ORVC cares for.

Thank you for helping the PreK 3 class with their service project and for showing them how important it is to donate your time and talent.

Ms. Tammy

Date Change

Due to several other events going in the month of October, 4 D Day sponsored by 6th and PK3 will be moved to **October 23rd**. Please mark it on your calendar.

The Good Shepherd Pantry is need of our help. As a school, we support this facility as a center of mercy and charity. You can help through donations of food items. Please send in food items with your student.

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September Birthdays

29- Mylee Smith (6)
30- Oliver Sullentrup (5)

October Birthdays

1-Marshal Kuschel (K)
5-Calvin Orscheln (2)
6-Henry Brandt (7)
9-Kate Bradford (6)
11-Hayden Jaegers (7)
12-Madison Lumpkin (PK4)
13-Chloe Loethen (7)
14-Gatlin Deeken (4)
17-Sawyer Kuschel (PK 3)
18-Gerald Kliethermes (PK4)
19-Owen Jaegers (8)
20-Maya Frank (6)
22-Elyse Koenigsfeld (3)
22-Archer Jaegers (PK4)
24-Harlie Duncan (3)
29- Lillian Foster (6)

Congratulations to the following students who received the Sacrament of Confirmation this past week: Brayden Backes, Kimber Bennett, Jordyn Bish, Adalyn Brandt, Kendra Brandt, Kamryn Cox, Adalee Dudenhoeffer, Kylie Goans, Samuel Heckman, Brenner Jackson, Owen Jaegers, Kenzie Jurd, Evan Klouzek, Eli Koenigsfeld, Rex McKague, Charles Reinkemeyer, Carly Schollmeyer, Allison Steinbeck, and Layla Wingrath. We as a parish are so proud of these students for taking this important step in their faith. May the Holy Spirit fill them with wisdom and grace.

Students who are experiencing symptoms of illness must not return to school until they are completely symptom-free for at least 24 hours.

This will help prevent the spread of illness among the student body and staff. If a student is feeling unwell, they should stay home and rest.

St. George's Fall Festival is on Oct. 6th. Please come out and support our parish.

Home and School Meeting will be on Oct. 15 at 7:00 pm in the lobby.