October 25, 2026 - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. George Catholic Parish

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Parish Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00am to 3:00pm & Friday 8:00am to Noon

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Weekend Masses:

Saturday Evening: 6:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Confession: Saturday 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. or by appointment at a mutually convenient time.



Parish Council Chairperson: Debbie Ellis 509-991-2816

Parish Financial Council: Mary Jo Stanislao 406-580-6776 and
Mary Hammer 206-353-2190

Parish Ministries

Baptismal Catechesis: Deacon Mike Pentony

Marriage Preparation: Deacon Mike Pentony 425-531-0341

Couples wishing to be married must contact the parish within 6 months of their proposed wedding date. No firm wedding date should be set prior to meeting with the Pastor or Deacon.

Altar Server Training: Myron Santos my69my69@gmail.com

Bible Study: Joan Neary 703-380-9806

Convert Formation (OCIA): 208-773-4715

Children's Religious Education: Shannon Shafer 208-773-4715

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Maintenance Administrator: Matt Abram 208-661-5924

Marriage Tribunal Advocates: Sharon Wagner & Cheri Hodl

Prayer Chain: Marilyn Hunt 208-773-1074

Soaring Spirits Widows Group: Colleen Provost 208-691-2486 & Jeannette Fay 208-699-0099

Piece Makers (Quilters): Lorie Goldsmith 509-675-1948

Secular Franciscans: Wayne, OFS & Marci, CPP Woodward 208-981-3791

Serra Club of North Idaho: Dianna Decker 208-819-0939

OUTREACH

St. George's Mission of Charity: 208-773-8599

Pregnancy Support Center: 208-449-8512

Friendship Kitchen: Closed until further notice.

Matthew 22:23-40

Next Week's Readings: *Nov. 1, 2026*
1st Reading: *Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14 (667)*
2nd Reading: *1 John 3:1-3*
Gospel: *Matthew 5:1-12a*

When a scholar of the law approaches Jesus with a test question about which commandment is greatest, our Lord responds with breathtaking simplicity and profound depth. Love God with everything you are, and love your neighbor as yourself. In these two commands, Jesus tells us, hangs everything–all the law, all the prophets, the entire spiritual life.

What makes this teaching so powerful is its integration of what we might mistakenly separate. We cannot truly love God while ignoring the needs of our neighbor. Nor can we authentically love others without grounding that love in God, who is Love itself. The two commandments are distinct but inseparable, like two lungs breathing together to give life to the body.

This Sunday's first reading reinforces this unity beautifully. God's care for the vulnerable–the alien, the widow, the orphan–isn't presented as an optional add-on to religious observance. It flows directly from who God is and what it means to be in relationship with him. When we extend compassion to those society overlooks, we're not just being nice; we're participating in God's own heart for his people.

Paul's letter to the Thessalonians shows us what this love looks like in practice: a community transformed by the Gospel, turning from empty idols to serve the living God, becoming imitators worth imitating. Their faith wasn't merely intellectual assent but a reorientation of their entire lives around God's love.

As we leave Mass today, we carry this call to integrated love into our homes, workplaces, and communities. Where is God inviting you this week to love him more deeply by loving your neighbor more concretely?

OCIA ~ The Communion of Saints

Sessions are on Wednesdays - 6:30pm in the St. L. Jude & St. Michael classrooms.

October 24th - October 30th MASS INTENTIONS

10/24 Saturday: People of the Parish
10/25 Sunday: 8:30 - Cheryl Rose Schwab †
10:30 - For Greg & Rachel Bland
10/27 Tuesday: For John & Maria Webber
10/28 Wednesday: For Lauren Bechtold & Family
10/29 Thursday: Silvio & Ernestina Gotelli †
10/30 Friday: For Steve & Bailey Jacobson

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Pick for the Week of October 25th

Watch: What Catholic Believe About Halloween
Learn: Eternal Rest
Listen: Who is St. Jude?/Catholic Saints

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WEEKLY INCOME REPORT



October 4	Income: $ 5,632.30
October 11	Income: $ 6,347.10
October 18	Income: $ 4,277.90
October 25	Income: $ 00.00

September Online Giving: $ 2,903.83

DEBT REDUCTION - 2nd Collection

tithes and offerings



October 4	$ 1,262.04
October 11	$ 4,325.23
October 18	$ 1,503.44
October 25	$ 00.00
Total	$ 7,090.71

Shortage of $ 3,714.81 needed for the monthly loan payment of $ 10,805.52

9/1/26 - Beginning Loan Balance $ 1,432,275.17
10/1/26 - Loan Principal Remaining $ 1,423,820.78

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Help Wanted: We are looking for a part-time Maintenance/Facility Administrator at St. George. Please inquire at the parish office for the job description and details.

Sunday: Pray the Rosary - 30minutes before Mass.
Join us for coffee and donuts after Mass.

Monday: Parish Office open 9am-3pm.
10am & 6pm Hebrews Bible Study classes.

Tuesday: Parish Office open 9am-3pm.
11am-1pm Soaring Spirits meet in the St. Michael / St. Jude classroom.
11am-2pm Faithful Hands Ministry meets in the great room.

Wednesday: Parish Office open 9am-3pm.
9:30am The Piece Makers meet in the old hall.
5-6pm Religious Ed - Drop off in the great room begins at 4:45pm.
5-6pm 1st Holy Communion class begins.
6:30-8:30pm OCIA class in St.Jude/St. Michael classrooms.

Thursday: Parish Office 9am-3pm.
10am-12 noon Mission of Charity office is open.
6-7pm - Fundraising Committee meeting in the great room. Join us and share your creative ideas!

Friday: Parish Office 8am-12pm.

Crafters Wanted! This year we hope to add crafts to the Sweet Shoppe in December! If you have crafts to donate or that you intend to make for donation, need some ideas or have questions; contact Monica Spooner at spoonermom8@gmail.com or call 805-208-6426



Tuesday Faithful Hands!

All adult men and women of St. George Church are invited to join our weekly fellowship and craft group meeting every Tuesday from 11am to 2pm in the new parish hall. Whether you enjoy crafts (like knitting, sewing, or painting) or casual activities (like puzzles, coloring, and board games, bring your project and a lunch for a relaxed time of socialization. We are looking for players of weekly poker or pinochle games!
For questions or to express interest:
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debbieellis1010@gmail.com.

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