

Welcome to St. George Church

A Parish with Spirit and Heart!



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July 15, 2018

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

As we have all heard before, the seasons experienced in Buffalo can be summed up as the winter and the Fourth of July! Well, we are certainly extending that Fourth of July season this year. Hopefully, these warm summer days will remain as fond memories when we welcome winter in the months to come!

Here at St. George several projects are underway. A few windows in our Church are cracked and we hope to replace them before the cold weather returns. A trial replacement window for your perusal will soon be installed at the top of the stairs in the Gathering Space. Your feedback on color and style will be appreciated! The drainage system above the Chapel entrance is in need of re-configuration and some interior water damage is to be repaired. Some of our trees along Old Glenwood have large, dead branches which need to be removed and we are investigating how to do this as safely and as inexpensively as possible.

In addition to these buildings and grounds concerns, a number of initiatives to enhance our Parish community life have been suggested of late. We have a volunteer all ready to plan and coordinate a Vacation Bible School for next summer. She would be happy to hear from anyone wishing to help make this a reality! A Yard Sale on our front parking lot this past weekend drew many positive comments and may become an annual event. The return of a Parish Picnic and the Spaghetti Dinner can take place if we hear from folks willing to help with the planning and preparations.

It seems the summertime has encouraged us to get things going! Please, call the Parish Office if you have any other ideas or interest in the efforts described here!

Sister Lori

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, July 14	5 pm	Charles "Bob" Sharp, Richard & Claudia Sitzman
Sunday, July 15	10 am	Paul Head, by Glen & Cindy Weeks
Monday, July 16	8 am	The late Karl Huber on his birthday, by his family
Tuesday, July 17	8 am	Sally Denesha, by Millie Puff
Wednesday, July 18	8 am	Communion Service and Novena
Thursday, July 19	8 am	Communion Service
Friday, July 20	8 am	Richard Romanowski, by the Estate
Saturday, July 21	5 pm	The late Betty Schmidle on her birthday, by her family
Sunday, July 22	10 am	Daniel Sojka, by Norm & Donna

Our next First Friday Mass will be on August 3rd at 8 am in the Chapel.

Each First Friday of the month, following the 8 am Mass in the Memorare Chapel, we offer Eucharistic exposition and adoration until 10 am. Consider joining us in this prayerful devotion.

Confession: Saturdays from 4:00 - 4:30 pm in the Church.

Join us in praying the Rosary Saturdays at 4:30 pm in the Church.

*Let us
pray for...*

Doris Ellis, Don Murray, Joe Arcara, Stan Kociszewski, Jeanne McIntyre, Ann Marie Price, Ellen Nichter, Bob Hardy, Joyce Wohlfeil and Linda Kraus.

OUR ANNUAL CHICKEN BBQ IS FINALLY HERE!!

Sunday July 15th 12-4 pm or until sold out.

(Please pick up all prepaid dinners by 3 pm.)

It's only **\$10.00** for a delicious **Krolick's ½ chicken**, salt potatoes, salad, roll, dessert and a beverage. **Doors open at 11 am for those who want to do the Theme Baskets before eating!**

We really need volunteers to bake desserts, set up, serve, and clean up. Please help if you're able to!

**CHICKEN
BBQ**

A VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU TO OUR GENEROUS BUSINESS SPONSORS:

*The Dog Bar Bob-O-Link Golf Club
Colden Market & Café Salvatore's Italian Gardens
Comfort Funeral Home Waste Management
Miller's Landscaping Pizza del Aureo's
Bob's Deli The Aurora Theater*

And to everyone who donated Theme Baskets & Gift Cards!

LIFELONG FAITH FORMATION CLASSES – AWAITING YOUR RESPONSES!

Parents and guardians of registered children who will be in Grades K-8 in September have been contacted by mail, and *we await your commitment responses!* Please let us know your plans as soon as possible. *If you're new to the parish and would like to register your family/child*, please call the office at **652-3153**, or email stgeorge.wf@gmail.com.



HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH CAMPING TRIP!

Friday, August 3rd (7:30 pm) to Sunday, August 5th (10:30 am) at Camp Turner in Allegany State Park

We will join with the Youth from **Immaculate Conception Parish** in East Aurora for a weekend of FUN, FUN, FUN!!! Mass will be celebrated on Saturday. Activities include horseback riding, swimming at Quaker Lake, and a campfire with smores. Cost is **\$75 per person** for includes food and lodging. Checks and signed permission slips must be received by July 15th. **Please make checks payable to Immaculate Conception Parish** and mail them to **Elaine Ahles**, 9511 Route 240 West Valley, NY 14171. Phone: 942-3403.

2018 STAY STRONG IN THE LORD AWARD



Congratulations to **Elee Kingston** and **Sarah Boyle** for being this year's recipients of the **Stay Strong in the Lord Award**. This award is given to High School Seniors who, after celebrating Confirmation, use their gifts and talents to serve our youth community as Peer Ministers.



May you continue to love and serve the Lord as you continue on your mission, the Mission of Love.



HELP PACK A BACKPACK—Make a difference in the life of a child! **Bread of Life Outreach Center** (BOLO) needs your help to provide school supplies to children at Colden Elementary School and their clients by donating essential materials! See the event flyer in our Gathering Space for a full list of needed supplies and drop-off locations. *Please have all donations in by **August 26th***, and thank you for your generosity. For more information, call the Bread of Life Outreach Center at **941-3550**.

ALTAR FLOWERS The flowers beautifying our altar at this weekend's Masses are offered by **Amy & John Gottstine**, in **Celebration of their 19th Wedding Anniversary!** **Congratulations, John and Amy**, and may God bless you with many more happy years together!



ARE YOU CELEBRATING 50, 60 OR 70 YEARS OF MARRIAGE IN 2018?



The Diocese of Buffalo wants to honor you with a special Diocesan ceremony on **Sunday, October 14th at 10:30 am** at **St. Joseph's Cathedral**. Please call the office at **652-3153** or email stgeorge.wf@gmail.com, as soon as possible so we can register you for this special celebration!

ANNUAL CHICKEN BARBECUE



ST. GEORGE PARISH

CHICKEN DINNER & THEME BASKET AUCTION

SUNDAY, JULY 15, 2018

12 NOON TO 4 PM OR UNTIL SOLD OUT

KROLICK'S BBQ CHICKEN

Presale Dinners Pick-up By 3 pm

INCLUDES: Half chicken, salt potatoes, chef salad, roll, butter, beverage and dessert
(\$10.00 per dinner)

Take Out Available

CASH RAFFLE: 1st Prize \$250, 2nd Prize \$150, 3rd Prize \$100
& 4th & 5th Prizes \$50 each

Come early - Theme Basket Drawings begin at 3 pm sharp!

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***** Accessible *****

Pack a Backpack Fundraiser

Sponsored by the Bread of Life Outreach Center
and the Rural Outreach Center



*Make a difference in the life
of a child!*
Please help us in providing school
supplies to children from Colden
Elementary School and BOLO's client
base by donating essential materials
needed.

Items that are needed are:

- Backpacks (New only please)
- Scissors
- 3 Ring Binders (all sizes)
- Dividers
- Mechanical Pencils
- Folders with Pockets
- Tape
- Boxes of Tissues
- Stapler, staples
- Spiral Notebooks
- Pencil Sharpeners
- Pencil Box/Pouch
- Loose leaf paper
- Erasers
- Crayons
- Pencils
- Pens
- Colored Pencils
- Markers
- Glue/Glue Sticks
- Composition Notebooks
- Dry Erase Markers

For more information please call Bread of Life Outreach Center at 941-3550
or Carrie DePasquale at 474-2532

Please drop off any donations to the
Bread of Life Outreach Center
8745 Supervisor Ave.

Colden Elementary School
8263 Boston Colden Road

Colden Town Hall
8812 State Rd.

Please have all donations dropped
off by
August 26th

Thank you for your support!

SJV Summer 2018 Fest

A Celebration of Community

Saint John Vianney

July 19-22

2950 Southwestern Blvd.
Orchard Park, NY 14127

Thursday - 7.19

6:30 pm - 18th Annual - 5K KickOff Run
Register at - kickoffrun.com
Great Post Party!

Friday - 7.20

5:00 pm - Salute to Military
Cruise Night
7:00 pm - Music by - Eric Van Houten

Saturday - 7.21

2:00 pm - Pie Eating Contest
6:00 pm - Comedian - Mickey Topliff
7:00 pm - Music by - Siesmic Urge
Alumni Night

Sunday - 7.22

12:00 pm - Mass Under the Tent
Chiavetta's Chicken BBQ
1:30 pm - SJV's Got Talent
3:00 pm - Music by - Chuck Basil
5:00- 7:00 pm - Polka Music by Rare Vintage Band
7:00 pm - \$20,000 Cash Giveaway

RIDES - GAMES - PRIZES

Beer Tent - Gambling Tent - Food Tent/Trucks
Kids Tent - Bounce Houses
Bell Jars - Basket Raffles - Silent Auction
\$20,000 Cash Giveaway

Visit us at SJV Summer Fest on Facebook!