



# St. George Catholic Church

Diocese of Corpus Christi

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### Parish & Rectory Staff:

**Pastor:** Fr. George Johnson

**Deacon:** Shayne Katzfey

**Secretary:** Diana Cancino

### Office Hours - Mon. - Thur.:

8:00 AM - 12:30 PM

1:30 PM - 4:30 PM

### Holy Day of Obligation:

Holy Day 7:00 AM and 7:00 PM

### Mass Times:

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 7:30 AM

Sunday 11:00 AM

Monday 7:00 AM

Wednesday 7:00 PM

Thursday 7:00 AM

Friday 7:00 AM

### Sacraments:

**Baptism** - Contact Fr. George at Office

**Reconciliation** - Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 PM

or call office for appointment.

**Holy Matrimony** - Make arrangements with Fr. George 6 months in advance.

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There will be a communion service at 7:00 AM on Tuesday.

### Mass Intentions for the Week of July 21, 2018 - July 29, 2018

Sat	July 21	5:00 PM	†	Jose Diaz (35 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary)	By Olga Diaz, wife
		5:00 PM	†	Mary Rosebrock Garcia	By Dee & Debbie Rosebrock
Sun	July 22	7:30 AM	†	Ike Houdmann	By Charles & Cindy Snider
		7:30 AM	†	Michaela Ybanez	By James & Janet Pawlik
		11:00 AM		Parishioners of St. George	
Mon	July 23	7:00 AM	†	Walter Wagner (Birthday)	By Chuck & Kathy Campbell
Tues	July 24	7:00 AM		No Communion Service	
Wed	July 25	7:00 PM	†	Helen Pugh	By John & Elizabeth Galloway
Thur	July 26	7:00 AM		Living & Deceased Members	By Catholic Life Ins. Br. #104
Fri	July 27	7:00 AM	†	Mary Kelley	By Bridgett Moffatt, sister
Sat	July 28	5:00 PM	†	Ubaldo Aguirre	By Rudy & Irma Peña
		5:00 PM	†	Michael Collier	By Hortensia & Mia Brooks
		5:00 PM	†	Theresa A. Pugh	By Dennis & Carol Maurer
Sun	July 29	7:30 AM		Parishioners of St. George	
		11:00 AM	†	Francisco Perez (4th Anniversary)	By Mr. & Mrs. Baldemar Garcia Jr.
		11:00 AM	†	LeRoy Leonard Greiner	By Simonson Family
		11:00 AM	†	Virginia Williams	By Patrick & Lanelle Pollok

	Date & Time	Extraordinary Ministers	Lectors	Altar Servers
Saturday	07/28 5:00 PM	Kathy Campbell	Hortensia Brooks	Eric Duke
		Isaac Rodriguez		Rhalista Duke
		Missy Rodriguez	<b>Reading: (977)</b>	Belicia Rodriguez
Sunday	07/29 7:30 AM	Letha Thompson	Letsia Valverde	Kellie Rodriguez
		Ellen Snider		Blake Alaniz
		Lupe Reyna		Rhett Mauer
Sunday	07/29 11:00 AM	Tisha Williams	Flo Moore	Grace Alaniz
		Margie Chapa	Carmen Molina	Ethan Bernal
		Tracey Arciba		Elijah Abernathy
		Gloria Ruiz		Bisente Ganceres

**Pope Francis says: Jesus invites us to build the civilization of love together in the situations we are called to live every day.**



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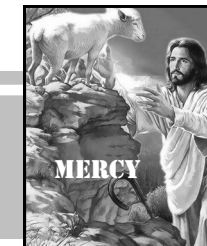
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## Parish life and more:

For July 21, 2018 - July 29, 2018



### Church Collections

Collection Basket for: July 15	\$3857.90
On-line Donations	\$85.00
Children's Collection	\$30.94
Church in Africa	\$650.25

Thank You for your Generosity!

2nd collection next weekend is for the St. George Charities.

**Having ears that hear the silent cries,  
A heart that feels the breaking,  
A soul who knows that kind of pain,  
The anguish, depth of aching.  
Is what compassion does.**

### Church Humor

Mr. Smith was a traveling salesman and frequent flyer, so he was always very, VERY careful to mark his luggage so that no one would mistakenly take his bags.

He always did this with bright ribbons and tape, so he was quite surprised to see his bags grabbed by a well-dressed man when he got to the luggage carousel.

Mr. Smith walked over to the fellow and pointed out the colored ribbons tied to the handle, and the fluorescent tape on the sides.

"I believe that luggage is mine. Were your bags marked like this?" he asked.

"Actually," the man replied, "I was wondering who did this to my luggage."

**Please return completed brick orders, so that we can get them into the computer ready to place the order. Please do not wait until the deadline. Thank you.**

### PASTOR'S NOTE: Walking with the compassionate Lord...

What makes Jesus different from other leaders, is his attitude towards people and his ability to put the interest of others before that of his. The first reading talks about the cavalier attitude of the leaders. They worry about their own well being and therefore God was going to punish them and send them a new shepherd, who shall be called "The Lord our Justice". Focus on justice is very important to the God of Israel. It was this concern for the suffering people, that made him send Moses to Egypt to liberate the people. And in the subsequent Laws that he gave them, the focus was Justice. However, the subsequent leaders forgot about the mind of the Lord and they faltered. It is in contrast to this kind of leadership that we try to understand the mind of Jesus. When he sees a large crowd following him, he does not think about consolidating his power, but feels compassion for them. He is aware that the kind of life that he is called to live is one of caring for the people, understanding them and reaching out to them. This care and compassion is what was visible in the whole life of Jesus whenever he met people. It is with this same kind of compassion that he looks at us today, and he will always understand our struggles.

**ST. GEORGE FOOD PANTRY:** Food distribution will be held at St. George Parish Hall on **Saturday, July 28th from 8:00-9:00 am.** Please bring bags to collect food items. *Volunteers are needed to help, every 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month to help with the distribution; or help with unloading of groceries every 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month. Thank you...*

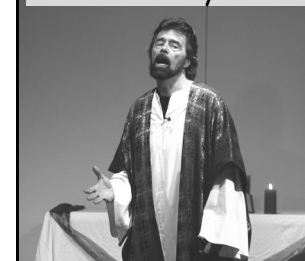


### Mark Your Calendars... Next Programs as part of our Centennial Celebrations

**Growing in love for the Eucharist**  
Mission by Will Merkel  
Wednesday, August 15, 2018, 6:00 pm

**Bringing Scripture to Life**  
Frank Runyeon Drama  
Saturday, October 6, 2018, 6:30 pm

### Frank Runyeon



**We will have a Mission Appeal** on the weekend of **August 4 & 5, 2018**, Fr. Chinna Pagidela serving in the Diocese of San Angelo, will give a mission appeal on behalf of Religious Sisters of the Society of Jesus, Mary and Joseph at our parish. Sisters bring hope and the love of Jesus, Mary and Joseph to people living in impoverished conditions. Our financial support will be used in areas like providing Health Care, Education, Orphanages/Adoption Centers, Shelter/Rehabilitation Homes, Social Services and Centers for Pastoral & Evangelization to spread the Gospel. Please help ease their struggle and strengthen the Church by giving generously to this Appeal. Your generosity makes it possible for these missionaries to bring Christ to the poor.



**Please join in supporting our School Supply Drive:**  
Please pick one or more of the "apples" and return the items listed, before August 8th. We will distribute the supplies on Saturday, August 11th from 8 am - 11 am.



### Let's Pray for the Sick:

Amelia Diaz  
Teresa Deleon  
Richard Garza  
Alejos Guerrero  
Edward Pawlik  
Lorene Tonia Ruiz  
Louis Salinas

### ...and the Deceased:

Sylvia Cuevas Garcia  
( *aunt of Allen Cuevas*)