



St. George Catholic Church Annual Report

July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025

If the Lord does not build the house, in vain do the builders labor (Psalm 127:1)

A MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR

Fr. Stephen J. Lyness

My dear parishioners of St. George family,

It is with great joy that I present the annual parish report for 2024-2025. As we conclude the Jubilee year! I would like to present to you what we have achieved as the people of God.

With Henderson Hall during the summer, we painted and repaired both restrooms. In the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, we connected the sound system that had been under utilized. The church car park has updated painted pathways for those who have mobility issues plus we added two crosswalks to aid in entering and exiting St. George's Church Hall and Henderson Hall. In the Church building, we replaced six doors that were part of the original building. This allows us to enter exit our church Sanctuary and Church hall with safety glass installed in the doors. Plus, we replaced our wireless sound system that was obsolete. We added to St George's pastoral outreach via the Red Cross Blood Drive, with over 60 plus donations.

As always, I am humbled by your faith filled support and generosity to help us maintain our church buildings and grounds. I wish to offer to you my grateful appreciation, to the parishioners, staff and clergy for their expertise and careful use of our resources

Please, let us keep one another and our family circle in our prayers.

God bless you all.

Fr. Stephen J. Lyness

Mis queridos feligreses de la familia de San Jorge,

Es con gran alegría que presento el informe parroquial anual para 2024-2025. ¡Al concluir el año jubilar! Me gustaría presentarles lo que hemos logrado como pueblo de Dios.

Durante el verano, pintamos y reparamos los dos baños del Henderson Hall. En la Capilla del Santísimo Sacramento, conectamos el sistema de sonido que no se utilizaba lo suficiente. Se han renovado las vías pintadas del aparcamiento de la iglesia para las personas con problemas de movilidad y se han añadido dos pasos de peatones para facilitar la entrada y salida del St. George's Church Hall y del Henderson Hall. En el edificio de la iglesia, hemos sustituido seis puertas que formaban parte del edificio original. Esto nos permite entrar y salir del santuario y del salón parroquial de nuestra iglesia con cristales de seguridad instalados en las puertas. Además, hemos sustituido nuestro sistema de sonido inalámbrico, que estaba obsoleto. Hemos contribuido a la labor pastoral de St George's a través de la campaña de donación de sangre de la Cruz Roja, con más de 60 donaciones.

Como siempre, me siento honrado por su apoyo lleno de fe y generosidad para ayudarnos a mantener los edificios y terrenos de nuestra iglesia. Deseo expresar mi más sincero agradecimiento a los feligreses, al personal y al clero por su experiencia y uso cuidadoso de nuestros recursos..

Por favor, mantengamos a nuestros seres queridos y a nuestro círculo familiar en nuestras oraciones.

Dios los bendiga a todos.

Fr. Stephen J. Lyness

**Saint George Catholic Church Revenue/ Expenditure Statement
for July 1, 2024 — June 30, 2025, with Comparison to 2024**

REVENUE		
	2024	2025
Offertory In Pew	448,061.81	474,201.36
Offertory Online	308,235.33	306,452.91
Interest Income	19,510.35	20,700.63
Maintaining God's House	92,889.81	76,712.35
Building Fund	0	
Donations	33,176.18	4,904.75
Endowment Income and Gains	7,509.07	11,761.52
Endowment Contributions	16,855.30	8,712.28
Endowment Grants	4,000.00	1,000.00
Hospitality	2,194.38	2,215.70
Altar Flowers	5,515.00	5,941.00
Votive Candle	2,117.40	1,982.17
Georgia Bulletin	401.00	143.00
School of Religion	18,845.57	18,995.00
Annual Appeal Refund	21,498.82	51,434.51
Other Income	630.00	3,506.00
Total Revenue	981,440.02	988,663.18
EXPENDITURES		
	2024	2025
Liturgy	148,575.00	153,999.04
Religious Education	24,087.41	89,039.82
Special Ministries	376.26	657.57
Hospitality Expenses	3,589.92	2,562.28
Administrative and General	186,586.56	176,451.51
Facilities	209,109.15	199,557.05
Rectory	7,180.46	11,959.04
Archdiocesan Support - Assessments	113,430.96	116,344.00
Building Fund - Parish Parking Lot	222,250.53	
Georgia Bulletin	2,030.00	2,002.00
Music	47,236.45	46,729.99
Capital Expense (Interest)	0	
Total Expenditures	964,452.70	794,748.02
Net Revenue Over Expense	16,987.32	193,915.15
TOTAL BALANCE	16,987.32	193,915.15

OUTREACH & SERVICE MINISTRIES



Coweta Samaritan Clinic
Collected from Ecumenical Service
(April 02, 2025)

\$ 650.00



St. Vincent de Paul
St. George and St. Mary Magdalene

Total Income: \$202,632.81

Donations from parishioners: \$193,535.00
Grants (Clothes Less Traveled/ Kroger): \$8,537.81
Miscellaneous: \$ 560.00

Total Expenses: \$ 215,490.41

Assistance to those we serve: \$192,580.90
Contributions to SVdP Atlanta Council: \$19,409.51
Contribution to other SVdP Conferences: \$ 3,500.00
Operating Expenses: \$

Includes contributions from St. George and St. Mary Magdalene churches.

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

90 individuals helped in
11 families

18 boxes issued

ANGEL TREE

30 in Rutledge and 12 families with
a total of 94 individuals

376 gifts donated



Total Revenue

Parish Donations:
\$ 12,350.00

Expenses: \$ 7,590.00

Prayer Candle Ministry

Parish Donations
\$ 1,211.00

Expenses - \$ 125.00

Donations:

Atlanta Archdiocese Clergy
& Seminarians
\$ 550.00

Coweta County Special
Olympics - \$ 400.00

Coweta Food Bank-One
Roof \$ 500.00

Coats for Kids - \$1,598.00

Coweta Pregnancy Center
\$ 400.00

John Bosco Scholarship
Award - \$500.00



God's work on earth must truly be our own. –John F. Kennedy
La obra de Dios en la tierra debe ser verdaderamente nuestra

REGISTRATION & FAITH FORMATION

Nurturing God's Gifts for the Church And Our World

704 Registered Households

1,718 Parishioners

133 Parishioners in Liturgical Ministries

580 Hours spent in Eucharistic Adoration

Total # Ministries
28

Eucharist to the Homebound

1,285 (incl. home, assisted living, City of Hope & hospitals)

Baptisms

18 Infant

4 Minor

5 Adults

Communions

- RCIA/RICA

(received into full communion)

37 First Communions
(Children/Adults)

Confirmation

39 Confirmation

Funerals

25

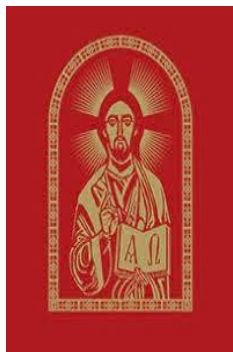
Religious Education

114 K -8th Grade

53 9th-12th Grade

167 Total Students

"Do not forget that true love sets no condition. It does not calculate or complain but simply loves.." – Pope St. John Paul II



IGiveCatholic Giving Tuesday 2024
Thank you for your generosity!



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