

ST. GEORGE SERBIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH
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Greetings from the St. George Centennial Committee!

THIS IS YOUR CHURCH!

"I have loved, O Lord, the beauty of Thy house and the place where Thy glory dwelleth!"

We open the door and enter.

It holds the very atmosphere of devotion. The intense, penetrating silence. The feeling of contentment, happiness, and peace, which reaches out to welcome us.

The beauty of the icons and stained-glass windows, the flickering light of the candles and vigil lamps all hold us in their tremendous appeal. We feel in our hearts and souls the living presence of the Living God! The thought comes from which there is no escape that "truly, *this* is our Father's house!"

"Come to Me", He said, "all ye who are weary and heavy laden, and I will refresh you!"

In this tabernacle He dwells. Where we can come to Him. Where we may speak to Him. And where He, in turn, will speak to us. Where "heart may speak to heart". Where we bring our sorrows, joys, fears, hopes, and aspirations. Where He pours forth in abundance His infinite love and mercy, goodness and protection into the souls of men..

This is the temple of God. This is an Orthodox Church!! The world will go unheeding on its way. But, until the end of time, in our church, on our Altar, our souls shall be remembered in the prayers of our Liturgy.

This is your Church!

Upcoming Calendar:

The Centennial Cookbook is now being put together.

August 28th-Cevap Luncheon after church. Come and enjoy cevaps on the grill!!

Sept. 11th-Lenten Soup and Pogaca Sale

Sept. 18-21-Fall Pasty Sale (more info to come)

**SAVE THE DATES OF SEPTEMBER 15, 16, 17, 2023
FOR OUR CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION!**