

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

Making Time for Family and Church

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Americans want to make their lives more meaningful by investing in relationships with family and friends and being less driven by careers and material success. We are shaving down our working hours and planting seeds in other half-forgotten areas of our lives: family, friendship, spirituality, hobbies. We are busy redefining ourselves-who we are and what we care about.

Commitment to family is an integral part of Orthodox teaching, defining “who we are and what we care about’. We must make time for family, praying together at meals and in the home. Parents are instructors in the home, guiding their children in the love of God. We also must come together for communal prayer and worship with the larger family of the local parish week after week. Sundays spent worshipping in the Divine Liturgy are the bookends of our weekly life. We come together to be fed by the Holy Eucharist, edified by the Gospel, and supported by the community of the faithful so that we can be armed and able to live, work, and play the remainder of the week. We set aside for God his Day...the Day of the Lord. The Church teaches us to make God, Jesus Christ, and the Family our priorities...to live life for the joy of God and the salvation of one’s soul. If we do this with humility and love, the family will naturally be a major concern and source of joy!

Please join our St. George Family on Sundays at 10:00 a.m.!!

Upcoming Calendar:

The Centennial Cookbook is now being put together and information will be coming out shortly on how to purchase.

Sunday, October 30, 2022-The Kolo will be celebrating their Slava, Sveta Petka, with a chicken and rice dinner. For reservations please call Luanne at 218-878-1403 by Sunday, Oct. 23.

A special mailing will come out shortly regarding how to submit ads for our Centennial Souvenir Booklet and prices and also hotel information.

SAVE THE DATES OF SEPTEMBER 15, 16, 17, 2023

FOR OUR CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION!