



WELCOME TO SAINT MARY ORATORY

With the gracious permission of His Excellency, David Malloy, Bishop of Rockford, Holy Mass is offered according to the Traditional Roman Rite at Saint Mary Oratory by the *Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest*. We are pleased to have you join us in this venerable act of worship and invite you to return often.

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† PRO-LIFE NEWS †

* 40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN: SEPTEMBER 28 THROUGH NOVEMBER 6

TO SIGN UP, GO TO WWW.40DAYSFORLIFE.COM AND LOOK FOR THE "SUBSCRIBE" BUTTON.

During the campaign, they will send you daily news emails, a devotional, and prayer intention for that day. This is a good time to pray and give public witness to the sacredness of life.

* KEEP ROCKFORD PRO-LIFE RALLY AT 611 AUBURN ST MONDAY, OCT 10 FROM 11:00AM - 12:15PM.

* The Diocesan Life and Family Evangelization Office is hosting a *Training for Sidewalk Counselors* Tuesday, October 25, 2022 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. at Holy Family Parish

Daniel Miller, State Director of Pro-Life Wisconsin, will provide training for those who wish to counsel at abortion facilities. The training is appropriate for those new to the ministry and for those who need a refresher. Dan will discuss what sidewalk counseling is, the rules, goals, and what to say. All are welcome! You can register by emailing your name, mailing address, phone, email address, and parish affiliation to life@rockforddiocese.org

*Come share your faith and give public witness to the sacredness of LIFE.
We join together not to condemn, but to ask God for His forgiveness and
for the graces necessary to cooperate with His Holy Will
to bring an end to the scourge of abortion and the culture of death.*

UNITED WE STAND... DIVIDED WE FALL



Maternity of Our Lady

October 11

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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 8:00am & 10:30am

Monday: 12:05pm

Tuesday - Friday: 7:00am

Saturday: 8:00am

CONFESSIONS

Monday-Friday:

11:15am-11:45am

Saturday: after 8:00am Mass

& 3:30pm-4:30pm

Sunday: 7:15am & 9:45am

ANYTIME BY APPOINTMENT

OTHER SACRAMENTS

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DEVOTIONS

Fridays:

Exposition, Adoration,

& Benediction

7:45am - 8:45am

GROTTO HOURS

Monday - Friday: 8:00am - 2:00pm

Sat., Sun., & Holy Days:

CLOSED

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sep. 28 - Nov. 6...40 Days for Life Campaign
TODAY.....St. Mary Oratory outing to Curran's Orchard at 1pm.
Sat. Oct. 15.....Sursum Corda Outing at 8am
Sat. Oct. 15.....Public Square Rosary at noon
Oct. 23 - Oct. 31..Giving Glory to Our King: Novena of Gratitude to the Christ Child
Sun. Oct. 30.....FEAST OF THE KINGSHIP OF JESUS CHRIST - TITULAR FEAST OF THE INSTITUTE
Sun. Oct. 30.....Feast of Christ the King and All Saints' Celebration at OLSHA after 10:30am Mass
Sun. Oct. 30.....Second Special Seminary Collection



THE PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY will be prayed outside St. Mary Oratory on Saturday, October 15, at noon to pray for the Blessed Virgin Mary's intercession for our nation and the conversion of sinners.

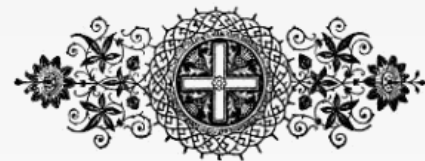
This will be one of a planned 20,000 such Rallies in the U.S. and Canada. God is moved by public Rosaries, as in Brazil (1964) and Austria (1955).

St. Louis De Montfort says: "Public prayer is far more powerful than private prayer to appease the anger of God and call down His mercy, and Holy Mother Church, guided by the Holy Ghost, has always advocated public prayer in times of public tragedy and suffering."

COME, PRAY, & BRING A FRIEND!

Liturgical Calendar

- Sunday, October 9
Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost
8:00am - Philip Herra, Birthday
10:30am - Giovanni Pietro Dettori
Monday, October 10
St. Francis Borgia
12:05pm - Zach Veitch
Tuesday, October 11
Maternity of Our Lady
7:00am - Joe Nicosia, RIP
Wednesday, October 12
Feria
7:00am - Mihow, Matylda, & Klara McKenny
Thursday, October 13
St. Edward
7:00am - Hannah Matrick, Birthday
Friday, October 14
St. Callixtus
7:00am - Caroline Polster
Saturday, October 15
St. Teresa of Avila
8:00am - Joe Mata
Sunday, October 16
Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost
8:00am - Gloria Althoff, RIP
10:30am - Randy Whelp, RIP



WEEKLY COLLECTION GOAL: \$7,258
LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION:
TOTAL: \$6,528
ACTUAL - FISCAL YTD: \$85,271
GOAL - FISCAL YTD: \$101,612
May God reward your generosity!

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, WE WILL HAVE ALTAR SERVER PRACTICE FROM 6:00PM - 8:00PM. ALL BOYS, NEW AND EXPERIENCED, ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND.



COME JOIN ST. MARY ORATORY AT CURRAN'S ORCHARD!

WE ARE HAVING AN OUTING TODAY AT 1:00PM. THE ADDRESS IS 6385 KILBURN AVE. ROCKFORD, IL 61101.

There will be hayrides, a petting corral, crafts, and many more things to see and do! Hope to see you there!

SURSUM CORDA EVENT

All adults 18-35 please join us Saturday October 15th for 8am Mass here at the Oratory followed by a talk from Canon Zignego at the Rockford Roasting Co. (inside the Embassy Suites). From there we will drive to Kuipers Corn Maze (1hr): \$15 admission. Pack a picnic lunch or purchase from the concession stand. Everyone is welcome to join for dinner and fire/fun at the Ehrke home. If you have any questions or would like to receive texts about future events please contact Mari at 779-255-0036.

"Teach us, Good Lord, to give and not count the cost; to fight and not to heed the wounds; to toil and not to seek for rest; to labor and not to ask for any reward save that of knowing that we do Thy will." - St Ignatius of Loyola

Catechism Corner

The Virtues and the Gifts of the Holy Ghost

Lesson 10 from the Baltimore Catechism

119. What are the chief supernatural powers that are bestowed on our souls with sanctifying grace? The chief supernatural powers that are bestowed on our souls with sanctifying grace are the three theological virtues and the seven gifts of the Holy Ghost.

120. Why are these virtues called theological virtues?

These virtues are called theological virtues because they have God for their proper object.

121. What are the three theological virtues?

The three theological virtues are faith, hope, and charity.

So there abide faith, hope, and charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity. (1 Corinthians 13:13)

122. What is faith?

Faith is the virtue by which we firmly believe all the truths God has revealed, on the word of God revealing them, who can neither deceive nor be deceived.

Blessed are they who have not seen, and yet have believed. (John 20:29)

123. What is hope?

Hope is the virtue by which we firmly trust that God, who is all-powerful and faithful to His promises, will in His mercy give us eternal happiness and the means to obtain it.

But hope that is seen is not hope. For how can a man hope for what he sees? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience. (Romans 8:24-25)

124. What is charity?

Charity is the virtue by which we love God above all things for His own sake, and our neighbor as ourselves for the love of God.

If I should speak with the tongues of men and angels, but do not have charity, I have become as a sounding brass or a tinkling cymbal. And if I have prophecy and know all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith so as to remove mountains, yet do not have charity, I am nothing. (1 Corinthians 13:1-2)