



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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ST. MARY ORATORY Feast of Christ the King "All Saints Day" Party



Sunday, October 30th
After 10:30 AM High Mass
Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Academy Gym
(OLSHA)
3445 Elmwood Road, Rockford, 61101

Saint Parade | Costume Contest

Potluck | Games for Children | Saint Trivia for Adults

Fried Chicken and lemonade
will be provided.

Please bring a dish to pass!



Children, please dress up
as your favorite saint for our
parade and costume contest.



**Please sign up by October 25th
if you can attend!**

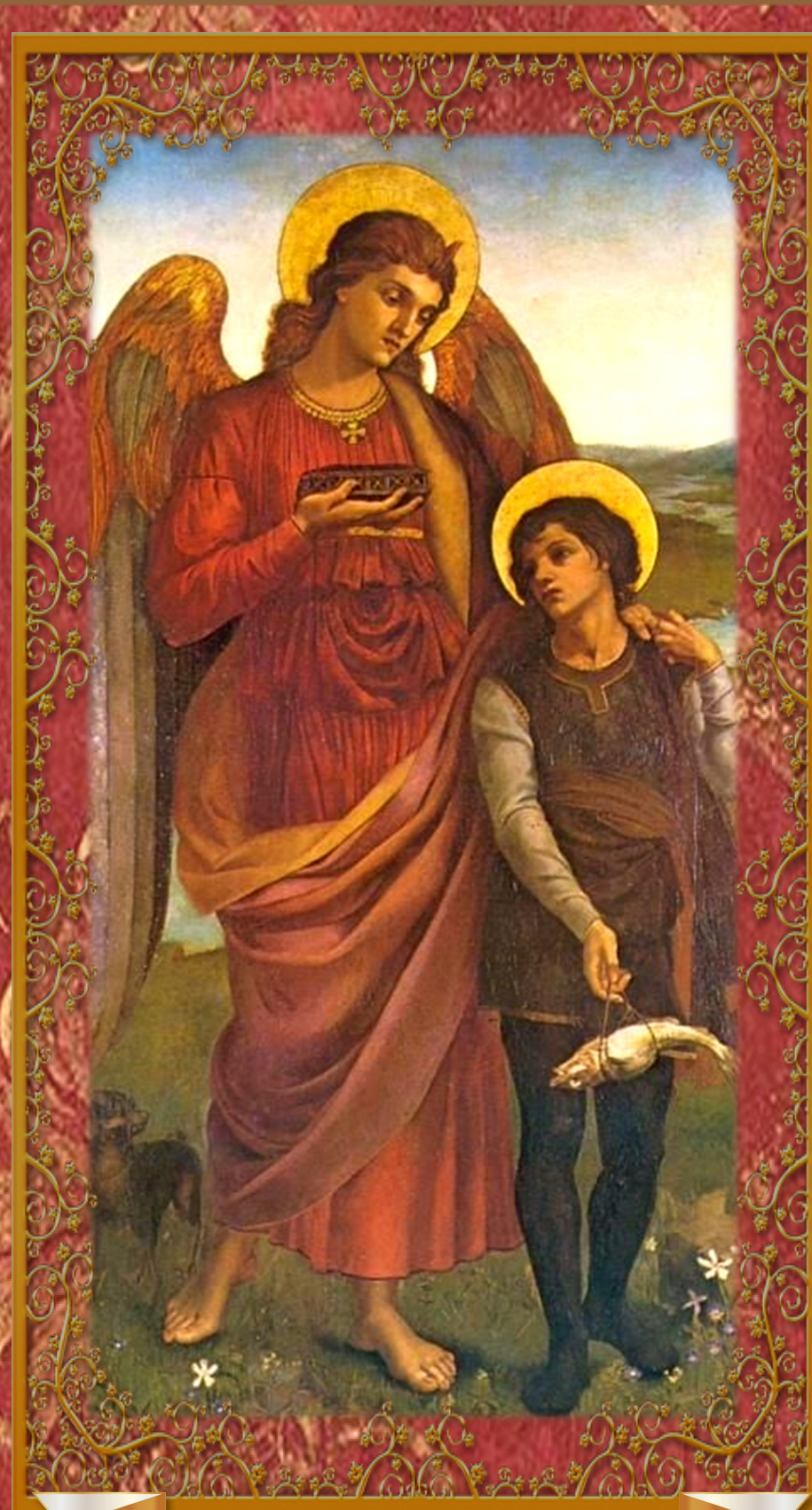
† PRO-LIFE NEWS †

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

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

* **Mary's Crusade for Life**, organized by the Marian Franciscans, is a global prayer crusade that began this year, and the faithful are encouraged to be a part of it. The mission is "to offer our Holy Communion to awaken the souls of all nations to recognize that the life of every human being is sacred from conception to natural death and to institute new just laws in each country to protect every child in the womb." People can add this intention to their normal intentions when they receive Jesus in Holy Communion. To sign up and see more information, go to <https://lifecrusade.org>.

* **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
Please RSVP to: life@rockforddiocese.org with name, mailing address, phone, email address, and parish affiliation if you plan on attending. (Pizza will be provided for all!)



Saint Raphael the Archangel
October 24

Saint Mary Oratory

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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
PLEASE CONTACT
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DEVOTIONS
Fridays:
*Exposition, Adoration,
& Benediction*
7:45am - 8:45am

GROTTO HOURS
Monday - Friday: 9:00am - 2:00pm
Sat., Sun., & Holy Days: CLOSED

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sep. 28 - Nov. 6.....40 Days for Life Campaign
 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
 Tue. Nov. 1.....All Saints Day - 6:30am Low Mass, 12:00pm Low Mass & 6:00pm High Mass (*holy day of obligation*)
 Wed. Nov. 2.....All Souls Day - 7:00am Low Mass & 12:00pm High Mass
 Oct. 30 - Nov. 13...**Homemade Pie Fundraiser** - *pre-order for the holidays - more details to follow*



~SPECIAL COLLECTION~



On **Oct. 30**, a special collection will be taken up for the needs of the **INSTITUTE OF**

CHRIST THE KING'S

seminary in Gricigliano, Italy.

The fruits of your past sacrifices are evident. Please use the special envelopes in the pews for this important cause to continue forming priests for Holy Mother Church.

PLENARY INDULGENCE UNDER USUAL CONDITIONS FOR ATTENDING HOLY MASS AT AN INSTITUTE ORATORY ON THE INSTITUTE'S TITULAR **FEAST OF THE KINGSHIP OF CHRIST**

Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, October 23

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
 8:00am - Richard & Bernadette Bird, 50th Wedding Anniversary
 10:30am - Joe & Joni Mata, 40th Wedding Anniversary

Monday, October 24

St. Raphael the Archangel
 12:05pm - Cristobal Mata

Tuesday, October 25

St. Chrysanthus & Daria
 7:00am - Joe Nicosia, RIP

Wednesday, October 26

St. Evaristus

Thursday, October 27

Feria

Friday, October 28

Ss. Simon & Jude

Saturday, October 29

Our Lady on Saturday

8:00am - Sam Thompson, Birthday

Sunday, October 30

Kingship of Jesus Christ

8:00am - Bainard & Christine Cowan

10:30am - Deceased Members of the Harrington/Brannock Families

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, WE WILL HAVE ALTAR SERVER PRACTICE FROM 6:00PM - 8:00PM. ALL BOYS, NEW AND EXPERIENCED, ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND.



WEEKLY COLLECTION GOAL: \$7,258

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION:

TOTAL: \$6,123

ACTUAL - FISCAL YTD: \$96,492

GOAL - FISCAL YTD: \$116,128

May God reward your generosity!

THE NOVENA OF GRATITUDE TO THE DIVINE INFANT KING WILL TAKE PLACE FROM OCTOBER 23, 2021, TO THE FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING ON OCTOBER 31, 2021. THE NOVENA WILL BE PUBLICLY RECITED AFTER EACH MASS.

O Divine Infant Jesus, I have recourse to Thee. Please, through Thy Blessed Mother, assist me in this necessity (mention intention here), because I firmly believe that Thy Divinity can help me. I hope with confidence to obtain Thy holy grace. I love Thee with all my heart and with all the strength of my soul. I repent sincerely of my sins and I beg Thee, O Good Jesus, to grant me the strength to triumph over them. I resolve never more to offend Thee and I come to offer myself to Thee with the intention of enduring everything rather than to displease Thee. Henceforth, I desire to serve Thee with fidelity and, for the love of Thee, O Divine Infant, I will love my neighbor as myself. All powerful Infant, O Jesus, I implore Thee again, assist me in this need. Grant me the grace of possessing Thee eternally with Mary and Joseph and of adoring Thee with the angels in the heavenly court. Amen.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

CLASSES WILL BE STARTING SOON!

DUE TO THE HALL CLOSURE, CLASSES WILL BE HELD BY CANON O'CONNOR IN THE CHURCH ON SUNDAYS BETWEEN MASSES. **MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW...**

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE AT 815-965-5971 OR SEND AN EMAIL (STMARYROCKFORD@INSTITUTE-CHRIST-KING.ORG) IN ORDER TO SIGN YOUR CHILDREN UP.

"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 (*con't*)

130. Are there any other virtues besides the theological virtues of faith, hope, and charity? **Besides the theological virtues of faith, hope, and charity there are other virtues, called moral virtues.**
 131. Why are these virtues called moral virtues? **These virtues are called moral virtues because they dispose us to lead moral, or good lives, by aiding us to treat persons and things in the right way, that is, according to the will of God.**
 132. Which are the chief moral virtues? **The chief moral virtues are: prudence, justice, fortitude, and temperance; these are called cardinal virtues.**
And if a man love justice, her labors have great virtues. For she teacheth temperance and prudence and justice and fortitude, which are such things as men can have nothing more profitable in life. (Wisdom 8:7)
 133. Why are these virtues called cardinal virtues? **These virtues are called cardinal virtues because they are like hinges on which hang all the other moral virtues and our whole moral life. The word "cardinal" is derived from the Latin word "cardo" meaning hinge.**
 134. How do prudence, justice, fortitude and temperance dispose us to lead good lives? **Prudence disposes us in all circumstances to form right judgments about what we must do or not do. Justice disposes us to give everyone what belongs to him. Fortitude disposes us to do what is good in spite of any difficulty. Temperance disposes us to control our desires and to use rightly the things which please ourselves.**
He that followeth justice and mercy shall find life, justice, and glory. (Proverbs 21:21)
 135. Which are some of the other moral virtues? **Some of the other moral virtues are: Filial piety and patriotism, which dispose us to honor, love, and respect our parents and our country. Obedience, which disposes us to do the will of our superiors. Veracity, which disposes us to tell the truth. Liberality, which disposes us rightly to use worldly goods. Patience, which disposes us to bear up under trials and difficulties. Humility, which disposes us to acknowledge our limitations. Chastity, or purity, which disposes us to be pure in soul and body. Besides these, there are many other moral virtues.**