# JANUARY 23, 2022 3RD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

# ST. FRANCIS DE SALES ORATORY





#### **ORATORY CLERGY:**

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**ORATORY STAFF:** 

Mr. Jon Roché Mrs. Mary Hayworth

Mr. James Marck

"The present life is given to us only to earn eternal life."

-St Francis de Sales

#### HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday Schedule Mass 8:00am and 10:30am

> Monday - Saturday Mass 8:00am

> > Tuesday Mass 6:30pm

Wednesday Mass 12:15pm

First Fridays Mass 6:30pm

Holy Days of Obligation
Please consult the bulletin

#### SACRED DEVOTIONS:

Mother of Perpetual Help Tuesday 8:00am & 6:30pm

**Adoration** Thursday 6:30pm

Confessions:

30 minutes before all Masses





#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR

#### WINTER ROAD CONDITIONS

For winter updates for road conditions you can call: (888) 275-6636 or visit online at: MO-**DOT.org** map. For County residents call: (314) 615-8538

# **MASS INTENTIONS:**

Sunday, January 23 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany, 2nd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Lisa Maitrejean 10:30am Solemn Mass - Gerald Pacino †

> Monday, January 24 St. Timothy, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Garmann Family

Tuesday, January 25 Conversion of St. Paul, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Joseph Hubert Kemna † 6:30pm Low Mass - Restoration & Benefactors of the Oratory

> Wednesday, January 26 St. Polycarp, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Maria Hua's Soul + 12:15pm Low Mass - Jean Schmidt +

Thursday, January 27 St. John Chrysostom, 3rd class

8:00am Low Mass - Thomas G. Junker † 6:30pm Adoration

Friday, January 28 St. Peter Nolasco, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Carmela Recepcion

Saturday, January 29 St. Francis de Sales, 1st Class

8:00am Low Mass - Mark Barga 10:30am Solemn Mass - Francis Cardinal George †

> Sunday, January 30 4th Sunday after Epiphany, 2nd Class

8:00am Low Mass - James Heppermann + 10:30am Solemn Mass - Larry Meyer †

# **SERVER SCHEDULE**

Sunday, January 23

8:00am Low Mass

Acolytes: Joel Miller, Liam Miller

10:30am Solemn Mass

Master of Ceremonies: Dominic Stamos

Thurifer: Liam Aufmuth Acolyte 1: Michael Ruggiero Acolyte 2: Matthew Allcock Crucifer: Luke Allcock

Choir Master of Ceremonies: Trent Hickey Torchbearers: Charlie Kahre, Maximus Au-Buchon, Roland Purgahn, Raymond Pekny, Elias

Johnson, Sam Huber

Thursday, January 27

6:30pm Adoration

Master of Ceremonies: Mark Stamos

Thurifer: Timothy White Acolyte 1: Mark Stamos Acolyte 2: Campion Purgahn

Torchbearers: Gabriel Ruggiero, Liam Aufmuth

Saturday, January 29

10:30am Solemn Mass

Master of Ceremonies: Timothy White

Thurifer: Michael Ruggiero Acolyte 1: Gilbert Repunte Acolyte 2: Nicholas Tousignant Crucifer: Gabriel Ruggiero

Choir Master of Ceremonies: Joseph Pekny Torchbearers: Brentan Hickey, Emil Johnson, Raymond Pekny, Gus Pekny, Dominic Ruggiero, Joseph Shany

Sunday, January 30

8:00am Low Mass

Acolytes: Joel Miller, Liam Miller

10:30am Solemn Mass

Master of Ceremonies: Raphael VandenBergh

Thurifer: Dominic Stamos Acolyte 1: John Paul Davidson Acolyte 2: Emil Johnson

Crucifer: Mark Stamos: (Cont. next column)



## **NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS**

JANUARY 27: CATECHISM CLASS FOR SENIORS

**AND AGES 10-12** 

JANUARY 29: FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

FEBRUARY 2: PURIFICATION OF OUR LADY

# SACRED MUSIC PROGRAM

3rd Sunday after the Epiphany

#### **Processional**

Cortege Final (Anonymous)

#### Offertory

Canonnade (C. Balbastre)

#### **Communion motets**

Ave verum corpus (F. Peñalosa) O Salutaris (Anerio) Panis Angelicus (Baini)

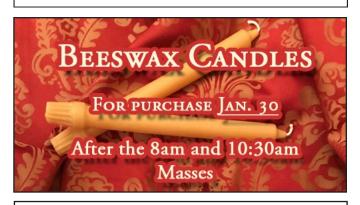
#### Recessional

Quand Jesus Naquit à Noël (C. Balbastre)

# WEDDING BANNS

Mr. Rogelio Fernandez, Jr. and Ms. Susanna Tacconi announced the approach of their marriage to one another February 14, 2022 in Italy. If anyone knows of an existing impediment which would prevent this marriage, he is bound to let the Rector know as soon as possible.

This is the FIRST publication of the Banns.



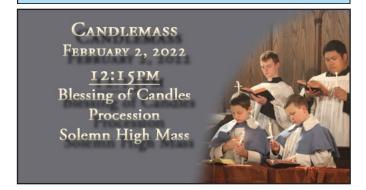
#### SERVER SCHEDULE CONT.

Choir Master of Ceremonies: Gabriel Ruggiero Torchbearers: William Cassibry, Brentan Hickey, Joseph Shany, Henry AuBuchon, Joseph McDonald, John Wichmer

#### UPDATE:

#### CANON ALTIERE & CANON ESTRADA

Canon Francis Altiere and Canon Joel Estrada, who have both been hospitalized for Covid, continue to make great improvements. Canon Altiere has been in an intensive care unit since January 9<sup>th</sup>. Canon Estrada should be home by the time this bulletin is distributed. Please kindly do not contact them during this very necessary time of recovery. Canon Altiere and Canon Estrada appreciate your prayers, great consolation to them.



# Co-Op Spring 2022 Semester

The Saint Francis de Sales Oratory Co-Op will be restarting classes for the Spring semester on **Wednesday, January 26th**. We look forward to seeing all of our returning scholars!

Please contact Mrs. Felicity Buckley if you have any questions: **sfds.co.op@gmail.com** 

# REQUIESCAT IN PACE

In your charity, please pray for the soul of Sheri Roché Richards, beloved sister of Jon Roché who passed away on Friday, January 14th. Please keep Mrs. Richards, Jon and their entire family in your prayers during this most difficult time.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. Amen. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



# AN EASY WAY TO DONATE

There is now a new and simple way to make donations securely online by using your cell phone. Open the camera function on your phone and place the screen over the QR Code below. A window banner will appear at the top from eservice-payments.com and then follow the prompts to donate to the Oratory's general fund or restoration fund. You will also have the option to donate to the U.S. Provincial Headquarters in Chicago to

support the work and mission in the USA.

If you have any questions please contact the rectory office.

Thank you very much for your charitable generosity.



#### **DE SALES HERITAGE FOUNDATION**

The DeSales Heritage Foundation is in existence since January 2018. This entity is a public charity, tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). All donations made to the Foundation are therefore tax deductible according to IRC Section 170. The governing instrument of this Foundation provides that its purpose is to promote and support the restoration, preservation and improvement of our church building, an historically and architecturally significant structure listed on the National Register of Historic Places. This narrow objective is meant to encourage companies, associations and other entities that may not wish to support religion, as such, to contribute to the important cause of the restoration of our magnificent church.

Many corporations match donations made by employees to a recognized non-profit, such as DeSales Heritage Foundation. Please inquire about your company's employee gift matching program and guidelines.

If you need to provide details to qualify DeSales Heritage Foundation for your company's program, please contact Mr. Charles A. Redd at (314) 259-4534 or charles.redd@stinson.com.

#### **CHRISTMAS GIFTS**

The Rector, Clergy and Candidates of St. Francis de Sales Oratory wish to extend their thanks for the many generous gifts that were offered during the course of the Christmas Holiday. We are most grateful for your appreciation and thoughtfulness.

#### INSURANCE ASSESSMENT

The Oratory's biggest annual financial obligation continues to be that of our property and liability insurance assessed by the Archdiocese of Saint Louis.

Our **2021-2022** insurance assessment is <u>\$98,652.00</u>. We are relying on your continuous prayers and generous donations which you exercise by using your insurance envelope.

Please help us off set this cost by donating today. Thank you very much!

#### **STEWARDSHIP**

**JULY 2021 - JUNE 2022** 

Weekly Collection Goal: \$10,500.00

**ENVELOPES MAILED: 272** 

#### **JANUARY 16**

Loose: \$1,665.00 Envelopes: \$7,601.00 Online Donations: \$25,763.17 TOTAL: \$35,029.17

\* Online Donations 3 months

YTD STEWARDSHIP GOAL: \$283,500.00 YTD STEWARDSHIP: \$338,643.76 YTD SURPLUS/DEFICIT: \$55,143.76

ARCHDIOCESAN INSURANCE ASSESSMENT 2021-2022

<u>\$98,652.00</u>

\$8,221.00 A MONTH \$2,055.25 PER WEEKEND











# March for Life 2022

Canon Dumain led a group of pilgrims from Kansas City, St. Louis and Columbus to the March for Life in Washington DC this past week. Our group met up with several Institute apostolates along the way and joined thousands of others who prayed and marched to give a voice to the unborn. Pray for an end to this scourge of humanity!







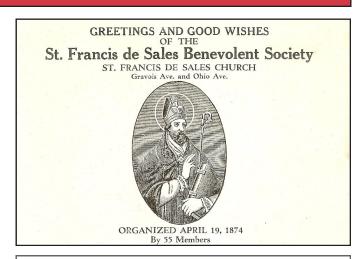


# ORATORY ORGANIZATIONS ANNOUNCEMENTS



Abortion is profoundly anti-women.
Three-quarters of its victims are women
Half the babies and all the mothers!
—St. Teresa of Calcutta





The Benevolent Society is a Catholic Men's organization that was founded in the early years of St. Francis de Sales church for the financial help of its members in time of need.

For more information on this charitable and friendly group, please contact Mr. Wally Feld at wfeld@charter.net

## **COFFEE & DONUT HOUR**

Sunday, January 23: Brian Herr Family Sunday, January 30: Chris Lowe Sunday, February 6: Mark Everetts

## SUNDAY ROSARY LEADERS

Sunday, January 23: Michael Hayworth Sunday, January 30: Vince VandenBergh Sunday, February 6: Chuck Brandwein

## **ORATORY CLEANING**

The Oratory Cleaning Crews put the church in order after the final Mass each Sunday. This involves light dust mopping and clearing the pews of handouts, etc. New volunteers will be most welcome and can call the office at (314) 771-3100 to sign up.

Here are the next assignments: Sunday, January 23: St. Anthony Sunday, January 30: St. Cecilia Sunday, February 6: St. Martha





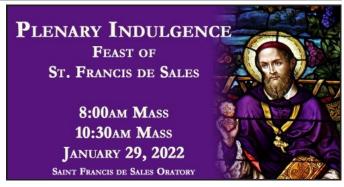
# **2021 Contribution Statements**

On behalf of the entire community at St. Francis de Sales Oratory, The rector wishes to thank you for your generosity and continued support during 2021. Though not the cornerstone of our ministry, your material support is important and helps make our Saint Louis apostolate possible. May God reward your generosity!

Due to increased postage we are now offering the option to receive your 2021 contribution statement via email.

Please let us know if you would like to take advantage of this by emailing Mr. Roché at <a href="mailto:jroche@institute-christ-king.org">jroche@institute-christ-king.org</a>. Printed statements will be available on Sunday, January 30 after both Holy Masses.

If you are not officially registered at the Oratory but would like to receive a printed statement then please contact the rectory office and we would be very happy to print you a tax letter. Please let us know if you have any questions. Be assured of our most grateful prayers as we begin the New Year.



## NEED HELP WITH UTILITY BILLS?

The Franciscan Connection offers to pledge \$50 toward Ameren (electric), Spire (gas), or water accounts for people having financial difficulties. You must have one of the following zip codes: 63111, 63116, 63118. Also, it must be at least six months since you were last helped by this agency. Call 314-773-8485 and leave a message.

# WELCOME GUESTS & VISITORS

Our Guests & Visitors are always welcome to join us during the social hour after both Sunday Masses that takes place in the hall located below the Church. The Hall can be accessed via the middle of the nave. The elevator is to the South and stairs to the North. We hope to see you there!

# To All Our Guests...

Canon Coggeshall and the faithful of St. Francis de Sales Oratory welcome you, and hope that your time in the "Cathedral of South St. Louis" may be an opportunity to share in the tradition of the Roman Catholic Faith.

Please enjoy the beauty of this building dedicated to St. Francis de Sales, co-patron of the INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST.

According to liturgical tradition, and the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite, Holy Communion is received kneeling and on the tongue. All visitors who are not of the Catholic faith are welcome to join us in prayer, but are requested not to receive Holy Communion. Because the reception of Holy Communion is the sign of Divine and Ecclesial unity, only practicing Catholics who are free of mortal sin, and in full communion with the Catholic Church should present themselves for Holy Communion.

We pray for the full visible unity among all Christians.

To receive more information about the Oratory or if you desire to become a member of the Catholic Church, contact the rectory. St. Francis de Sales Oratory is an Oratory of the INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST in the Archdiocese of St. Louis.

All contributions to the Oratory are sincerely appreciated and are tax deductible.

# St. Francis de Sales Oratory Information:

#### **INFANT BAPTISM:**

Parents requesting Baptism must be active registered members of the Oratory.

#### 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation:

For instructions please contact the Rectory.

#### HOLY MATRIMONY:

Couples planning to marry at the Oratory must call the rectory for the proper instructions.

#### Anointing of the Sick:

Members facing surgery, serious illness, or even death may call (314) 771-3100.

#### Tours:

Stained Glass Window Tours are given on the first Sunday of the month after the 10:30am Mass.

#### **ORATORY RECTORY:**

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