

**MAY 22, 2022**  
*5TH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER*

# ST. FRANCIS DE SALES ORATORY



## ORATORY CLERGY:

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**ABBÉ MARK T. HALISKY**  
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## ORATORY STAFF:

Mr. Jon Roché  
Accounting Manager

Mrs. Mary Hayworth  
Office Administrator

Mr. James Marck  
Director of Sacred Music

**“To love our neighbors does not mean merely to wish them well,  
but also to do them all the good that is in our power to do.”**  
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



**INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST**



## LITURGICAL CALENDAR

### ROGATION DAYS

The Rogations are coming up this week. Weather permitting, we will perform the rogation procession for Monday beginning at 7:30am, the Mass following at 8:00am. We encourage all of the faithful to come and experience this traditional processions from the Church's liturgical treasure trove. In the case of rain, Mass would just begin as usual at 8:00am.

#### MASS INTENTIONS:

**Sunday, May 22**

**5th Sunday after Easter, 2nd Class**

8:00am Low Mass - Greg & Nicole Merlo Family

10:30am Solemn Mass - James & Lillian Cullen†

**Monday, May 23**

**7:30am Minor Litanies**

**Mass of the Rogations, 2nd Class**

8:00am Low Mass - Roey Moran

**Tuesday, May 24**

**Votive Mass of Mother of Perpetual Help**

8:00am Low Mass - Leslie & Mullins Jr.†

6:30pm Low Mass - Restoration &

Benefactors of the Oratory

**Wednesday, May 25**

**Vigil of the Ascension, 2nd Class**

8:00am Low Mass - Special Intentions

12:15pm Low Mass - Rita Mary Shany

**Thursday, May 26**

**Ascension of Our Lord, 1st Class**

8:00am Low Mass - Stephen Meinberg †

**6:30pm Solemn Mass** - Thomas Lee Moore †

**Friday, May 27**

**St. Bede the Venerable, 3rd Class**

8:00am Low Mass - Sandra Goff

**Saturday, May 28**

**St. Augustine of Canterbury, 3rd Class**

8:00am Low Mass - Karen Siddall

**Sunday, May 29**

**Sunday after Ascension, 2nd Class**

8:00am Low Mass - Dr. Fred Zivnuska †

10:30am Solemn Mass - Cole & Beth Bestgen  
and Baby Marian Francis †

#### SERVER SCHEDULE

**Sunday, May 22**

8:00am Low Mass

Acolytes: Joel Miller, Liam Miller

10:30am Solemn Mass

Master of Ceremonies: Gabriel Ruggiero

Thurifer: Liam Aufmuth

Acolyte 1: Dominic Ruggiero

Acolyte 2: William Cassibry

Crucifer: Michael Ruggiero

Choir MC: Raphael VandenBergh

Torchbearers: Thomas Schuepfer, Gus LeBlanc,

Patrick Schuepfer, Charles LeBlanc, John Paul

Davidson, Gabriel Davidson,

**Thursday, May 26**

6:30pm Solemn Mass

Master of Ceremonies: Gabriel Ruggiero

Thurifer: Louis VandenBergh

Acolyte 1: Gus Pekny

Acolyte 2: Joseph Shany

Crucifer: Raphael VandenBergh

Choir Master of Ceremonies: Michael Ruggiero

Torchbearers: Patrick Daub, Tommy Daub, Rafe

Daub, Dominic Ruggiero, Raymond Pekny,

Roland Purgahn

**Sunday, May 29**

8:00am Low Mass

Acolytes: Joel Miller, Liam Miller

10:30am Solemn Mass

Master of Ceremonies: Trent Hickey

Thurifer: Austin Newton

Acolyte 1: Brentan Hickey

Acolyte 2: Campion Purgahn

Crucifer: Gabriel Ruggiero

Choir Master of Ceremonies: Louis VandenBergh

Torchbearers: Ezio LaZella, Benjamin Lowe,

Jonathan Lowe, Dominic Ruggiero, Emil Johnson,

Ethan Westbrook



## NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

**MAY 23: ROGATION DAYS**

**MAY 26: ASCENSION THURSDAY**

**JUNE 4: CONFERENCE - THE JEWISH ROOTS OF THE MAGISTERIUM AT 7:00PM**

**JUNE 5: PENTECOST SUNDAY**

**JUNE 9: PONTIFICAL VESPERS WITH RAYMOND LEO CARDINAL BURKE**

**SEPTEMBER 4: CONFIRMATIONS**

### MUSIC NOTES

5TH Sunday after Easter

#### Processional

Marche de Turq (J-B. Lully)

#### Offertory

Offertory No. 3 (James Marck, 2021)

#### Communion Motets

Regina Coeli (A. Lotti)

Ecce Panis Angelorum (J-A. Garcia)

Virgo Rosa (G. Binchois)

#### Recessional

Allegro Concerto in D Major (Bach/Vivaldi)

### REQUIESCAT IN PACE

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Father Damien R. Dougherty, O.F.M.** who passed away recently. Father was a Franciscan Friar of the Sacred Heart Province stationed at St. Anthony of Padua church in South St. Louis. Father heard thousands of confessions at St. Francis de Sales Oratory on Sundays and Holy Days. His inspiring priestly example and fatherly care for our souls will be greatly missed.

**SERVICES:** Funeral for Father Damien will be on Wednesday, June 1st. Visitation in Saint Anthony Church at 10am and Mass at 11am.. All are invited to the parish hall for a light lunch following Mass. Burial will follow lunch. Interment will be in Sts. Peter & Paul Cemetery with committal services conducted by the Franciscans.

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

## "I GO TO THE FATHER" ASCENSION OF OUR LORD SOLEMN MASS, THURSDAY 6:30PM



### CANON COGGESHALL'S 40TH BIRTHDAY PARTY!

Mark your calendar for the feast of Canon Coggeshall's nativity after the 10:30am Mass in the Church Hall on Sunday, June 26th. All are invited. More details will follow soon.





## 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](http://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](mailto:charles.redd@stinson.com).

## PLANNED GIVING

Please remember St. Francis de Sales Oratory in your Will or Living Trust. An appropriate Will or Trust provision would be:

"I give \_\_\_\_\_ to The Friends of St. Francis de Sales Oratory, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri, for the Oratory's unrestricted use."

## 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 **\$98,652.00**. 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: 275

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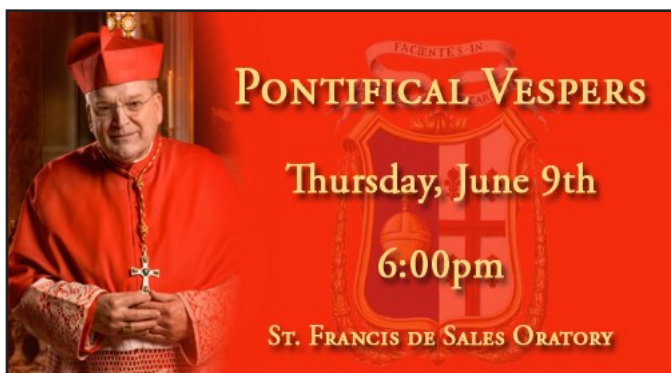
LOOSE:	\$3,114.00
ENVELOPES:	\$7,320.00
ONLINE DONATIONS:	\$1,379.07
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$11,813.07</b>

YTD STEWARDSHIP GOAL:	\$462,000.00
YTD STEWARDSHIP:	\$596,043.22
YTD SURPLUS/DEFICIT:	<b>\$134,043.22</b>

ARCHDIOCESAN  
INSURANCE ASSESSMENT  
2021-2022

**\$98,652.00**

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



## FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI

Seeking Oratory Military Men for the Feast of Corpus Christi Procession on June 19th, 2022 following the 10:30am Mass. Currently serving military and veterans interested in participating in uniform in the annual Corpus Christi Procession are asked to contact:

Ike Isenhour at : [purdue87@gmail.com](mailto:purdue87@gmail.com)

All of the recent First Communicants are invited to participate in the procession, as well. Please mark your calendars.

## WELCOME GUESTS & VISITORS

Our Guests & Visitors are always welcome to join us during the social hour for coffee & donuts 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!

## WEDDING BANNS

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Evans of Ojai, CA announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Suzannah Melanie Evans, to Mr. John Niro, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Niro of Bolton, MA on June 18, 2022 at St. Francis de Sales Oratory. 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.



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## REGISTER FOR CONFIRMATION

### HOLY SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

CONFERRED BY

**ARCHBISHOP MITCHELL T. ROZANSKI**

**SEPTEMBER 4, 2022**

It is with great joy that we announce the visit of His Grace, Archbishop Mitchell T. Rozanski, to Saint Francis de Sales Oratory on **Sunday, September 4, 2022 at 10:00am** to confer the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Please contact the rectory office in order to register your child. We can help you review the eligibility requirements (minimum age for Confirmation is 12) and register for classes that are mandatory for anyone who will be confirmed. Any other questions may be addressed at that time. A preparatory class schedule will be forthcoming.



## ORATORY ORGANIZATIONS ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CONFERENCE OF SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL **Spirituality, Friendship, Service**

Our SVdP conference here at St. Francis de Sales is still serving our neighbors -- with increased requests due to the Coronavirus. 3 THINGS: 1) Please consider joining us; we meet at 9am on the 2nd Saturday; call us for details. 2) Does your family need help? Remember we help Oratory members too. Our # is: (314) 289-6101, ext 1147. And 3) We depend on donations. Please support the Oratory first; then consider SVdP, knowing that 100% of your donation goes to those in need. Make checks payable to "St. Vincent de Paul at SFdS" & send to the Oratory. Thank you for your generosity & God bless!

### REGISTERING AT THE ORATORY

Please contact the rectory office if you would like to register at the Oratory. If over 18 years of age, please register separately from your family members. Registering at the Oratory is an important step in growing in your faith and participating as an active member of the St. Francis de Sales community.

For more information, please call: (314) 771-3100 or email: [sfds@institute-christ-king.org](mailto:sfds@institute-christ-king.org).

### COFFEE & DONUT HOUR

**Sunday, May 22: Tim Wichmer**  
**Sunday, May 29: David Stamos**  
**Sunday, June 5: Herr Family**

### SUNDAY ROSARY LEADERS

**Sunday, May 22: Clary Redd**  
**Sunday, May 29: Vince VandenBergh**  
**Sunday, June 5: Chuck Brandwein**

### ORATORY CLEANING

**Sunday, May 22: St. Martha**  
**Sunday, May 29: St. Veronica**  
**Sunday, June 5: St. Benedict**



### Smoothie & Juice Bar

2736 Sidney, St Louis MO 63104  
314-797-8004

**Every Sunday across the street after Mass**

Tell them you are a member of SFDS and 20% of the sale will be donated to the Oratory.



GREETINGS AND GOOD WISHES  
OF THE  
**St. Francis de Sales Benevolent Society**  
ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CHURCH  
Gravois Ave. and Ohio Ave.



ORGANIZED APRIL 19, 1874  
By 55 Members

### BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

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](mailto:wfeld@charter.net)



Suan Sonna presents:  
**THE JEWISH ROOTS OF  
THE  
MAGISTERIUM**

**June 4th, 2022, at 7:00pm**

St. Francis de Sales Oratory. Event is open to all adults, 21+. Nursing babies only. Social hour to follow after talk. Beer and spirits will be available, but feel free to bring your own. Email Kyle.Whittington92@gmail.com for additional information. We hope to see you there!

**INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING  
SUMMER CAMPS!**

**Teen Camps Age 14 - 17**

**Young Men:** Fri., Aug. 12 - Tue., Aug. 16  
campmichael@institute-christ-king.org

**Young Women:** Thurs. Aug 18 - Mon., Aug 22  
campimmaculate@institute-christ-king.org  
Cost per person: \$195 (discounts available for multiple children) Registration Deadline: Aug 1st

**Youth Camps Age 9 - 13**

**Boys:** Mon., July 18 - Fri., July 22  
campsavio@institute-christ-king.org

**Girls:** Mon., July 25 - Fri., July 29  
camptherese@institute-christ-king.org

Cost per child: \$95 (flat rate)

**Registration Deadline: July 5th.**

**REQUIESCAT IN PACE**

Please pray for the soul of Mr. Howard Brandt who passed away recently. Mr. Brandt and his late wife Loretta were long time parishioners at the Oratory and were very active with Credo of the Catholic Laity. Mr. Brandt was 92 years old and served in the Korean War.

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



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**Dr. Alexa Williams Dr. Richard Brennan Dr. Stephanie Veit**

**Co-Op 2022-2023**

Co-op sign ups for the school year 2022-2023 will take place **Sunday June 5th** following both Masses. Students from this past year will be given preference and all other students will be on a first come first serve basis. Sign up is complete when tuition is paid and all forms are complete. A **check** made out to the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest for \$200.00 dollars and \$50.00 in **cash** for a supply fee is required. Tuition will NOT be accepted in any other form. All necessary information will be available at sign up. Hope to see you there." For more information contact Felicity Buckley at [sfds.co.op@gmail.com](mailto:sfds.co.op@gmail.com).

**PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENT**

Divine Mercy Radio, based out of North Carolina, is announcing a new radio production from the Institute Christ the King Sovereign Priest. This radio series, called Lessons in Latin: the History of the Parts of the Mass is a multi-part series sharing the beauty and the history of the parts of the Mass.

You can tune in ON-LINE (Catholic540am.org) or ON-APP (search "Divine Mercy Radio NC"). Tune in on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month to hear our program.

# 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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