

JULY 9, 2023
SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES ORATORY



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“We excuse everything in those we love. But we always find something to ridicule in those we do not like. - St. Francis de Sales

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

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

Monday - Saturday
Mass 8:00am

Tuesday
Mass 6:30pm

Mon. Wed. Thurs. Fri.
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
(1 hour before 8am Sun. Mass)



INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST



LITURGICAL CALENDAR

MASS INTENTIONS:

Sunday, July 9

6th Sunday after Pentecost, 2nd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Annette Engemann & Valerie Serafino

10:30am Solemn Mass - Jean Marie Hoester †

Monday, July 10

**The Seven Holy Brothers,
Sts Rufina & Secunda, 3rd Class**

8:00am Low Mass - Willard & Ohma Thurston ††

12:15pm Low Mass - Lee Haines

Tuesday, July 11

Commemoration of St. Pius I

8:00am Low Mass - Joseph Benedict Schuepfer

6:30pm Low Mass - Benefactors & Restoration

Wednesday, July 12

St. John Gualbert, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Natalie, Barbora & Juraj Frollo

12:15pm Low Mass - Joan Wessel & family

Thursday, July 13

Votive Mass of the Blessed Sacrament

8:00am Low Mass - Wally Griffin †

12:15pm Low Mass - Eddie III

6:30pm Adoration

Friday, July 14

St. Bonaventure, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Gabriel Antonio Ruggiero

12:15pm Low Mass - Justin Halter

Saturday, July 15

St. Henry, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Dr. & Mrs. Theodore J. Dubuque ††

Sunday, July 16

7th Sunday after Pentecost, 2nd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Canon Luke Zignego

10:30am Solemn Mass - Terrence Pekny

SERVER SCHEDULE

Sunday, July 9

8:00am Low Mass

Acolytes: Alex Vega, Liam Aufmuth

10:30am Solemn Mass

Master of Ceremonies: Raphael VandenBergh

Thurifer: John Paul Davidson

Acolyte 1: Brentan Hickey

Acolyte 2: Henry AuBuchon

Crucifer: Sam Huber

Choir Master of Ceremonies: Trent Hickey

Torchbearers: Jack Daub, Joseph McDonald,

John Wichmer, Vincent Pekny, Nicholas Huber,

Michael Podesta

Thursday, July 13

6:30pm Adoration

Master of Ceremonies: Abbé Mark Halisky

Thurifer: Raymond Pekny

Acolyte 1: Campion Purgahn

Acolyte 2: Gus Pekny

Torchbearers: Luke Ball, Roland Purgahn

Sunday, July 16

8:00am Low Mass

Acolytes: Peter Grgurich, Michael Podesta

10:30am Solemn Mass

Master of Ceremonies: Trent Hickey

Thurifer: Michael Ruggiero

Acolyte 1: Sam Huber

Acolyte 2: John Paul Davidson

Crucifer: Benjamin Armstrong

Choir Master of Ceremonies: Joseph Pekny

Torchbearers: Brentan Hickey, Joseph Shany,

Ezio LaZella, Dominic Ruggiero, Kinion Whit-

tington, Oliver Purgahn



NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

AUGUST 4: FIRST FRIDAY

AUGUST 6: TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

AUGUST 15: ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY / HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

AUGUST 22: IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

AUG 27– SEP 1: GENERAL CHAPTER IN GRICIGLIANO, ITALY

BATHROOM RENOVATIONS

This Wednesday, we will begin work on the bathroom in the northeast vestibule of the church. During the next few weeks, the bathroom will not be operational. Thank you for your understanding.

THANK YOU MARY HAYWORTH!

Mrs. Mary Hayworth, our Office Administrator at St. Francis de Sales Oratory for the past 8 years, has recently retired. Many of you know her, and recognize her voice, as she has been helpful to so many faithful of the Oratory throughout the years. We are all very grateful to her, for her always positive attitude and wonderful work in the office during this time. Thank you Mrs. Hayworth, you will be missed!

CONFESSIONS HEARD AT THE ORATORY

MAY: 501, June: 773

CONGRATULATIONS!

With gratitude to Our Lord and the Institute's Holy Patron Saints, the rector is pleased to announce that both a member of the Oratory and three of our oblate candidates recently received the cassock at the Institute's seminary in Gricigliano, Italy just this past week. Abbé Michael LaZella, son of Alex and Becki LaZella along with Abbés Gilbert Repunte, Jeffery Walton and Nicholas Tousignant received the cassock from Monsignor Gilles Wach on Monday, July 3rd. Abbé LaZella and Abbé Walton then received the clerical tonsure the next day from Bishop Mathiew Madega Lebouankehane. The ordination week was beautiful and filled with many blessings for the Church. Please be sure to congratulate our new clerics upon their return to the Oratory and continue to pray for vocations to the Institute.





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 eservicepayments.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.



PLANNED GIVING

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"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 **2023-2024** insurance assessment is **\$110,844.00**. 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!

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 us at 314-771-3100 or desalesheritage@gmail.com

STEWARDSHIP

JULY 2022 - JUNE 2023

WEEKLY COLLECTION GOAL: \$10,500.00

ORATORY FAMILIES: 453

JULY 2

LOOSE:	\$3,145.00
ENVELOPES:	\$8,012.55
ONLINE DONATIONS:	\$1,640.63
TOTAL:	\$12,798.18

MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD: \$385.00

YTD STEWARDSHIP GOAL:	\$10,500.00
YTD STEWARDSHIP:	\$12,798.18
YTD SURPLUS/DEFICIT:	\$2,298.18

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FRIDAY, JULY 28 LECTURE (III) 5:15PM
FRIDAY, JULY 28 LECTURE (IV) 7:00PM
SATURDAY, JULY 29 LECTURE (V) 9:00AM
SATURDAY, JULY 29 LECTURE (VI) 10:30AM

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ADORATION

EVERY THURSDAY AT 6:30PM

PLACE YOURSELF BEFORE HIM IN THE MOST HOLY SACRAMENT



AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that Thou art present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love Thee above all things, and I desire Thee in my soul. Since I cannot now receive Thee sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though Thou wert already there, I embrace Thee and unite myself wholly to Thee; permit not that I should ever be separated from Thee.

ADULTS CATECHISM

AUGUST 7

Sursum Corda's Catechism will start again on August 7, at 6:30 pm in the Convent Refectory. These Catechism classes will occur every 1st Monday of the month. (Sometimes it will be the 2nd Monday - like in September, to avoid Labor's Day). **All adults are welcome.**

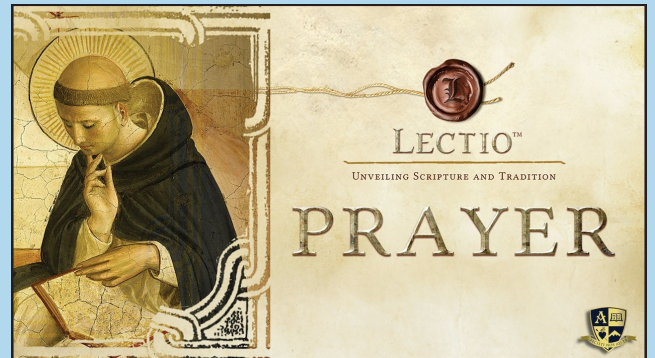
It will be followed by a potluck, so please bring enough to share.

This first class will be consecrated to the explanation of the Liturgy of the Sacrament of Baptism.



3 HEARTS' PILGRIMAGE OCTOBER 12-14, 2023

Dear faithful, it is time to rebuild the Brigade of Christ the King for the pilgrimage at Clear Creek (Oklahoma). This year we are looking at the possibility to rent a bus. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact the following email: Christ.King.Brigade@gmail.com



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July 23: Andrew Wegrzyn

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SUNDAY ROSARY LEADERS
July 9: Mark Everetts
July 16: Clary Redd
July 23: Michael Hayworth

RECEPTION PLANNERS NEEDED
The Oratory is in need of volunteers to help with
the many social events that we all enjoy throughout
the year. Please contact the rectory office at (314)
771-3100 if you can help with receptions, potlucks
or have ideas of family events. Thank you.

ORATORY CLEANING
July 9: St. Cecilia
July 16: St. Martha
July 23: St. Veronica

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.

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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.

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