

## NOVENA FOR VOCATIONS

FROM SEPTEMBER 29 TO OCTOBER 7

Pray with the Institute nationwide from September 29 to October 7 to ask for holy priests, oblates, and seminarians who will be in the service of Christ the King!

Scan the QR code to the right to sign up with Flocknote for daily reminders with the novena prayer.



Thank you for your prayers for holy priests and oblates to serve Christ our King! May God reward your generosity!



## SAINT JOSEPH ORATORY

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## RETREAT CENTER DINNER

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16

Please join us for the Retreat Center Fundraising Dinner taking place on November 16th in Burlington, Wisconsin! All proceeds will go towards the restoration of Sacred Heart Retreat Center. Tables for 10 are \$1,000; individual tickets are \$125.

Please use the QR code to buy your tickets, or, if you cannot make the dinner but would like to donate to cover dinner expenses and help restore the Retreat Center.



Thank you for your generosity in restoring a new spiritual center for the Institute!

**Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**Feast of St. Michael the Archangel**

*& Commemoration of the Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

### Introit

Bless the Lord, all you His Angels, you mighty in strength, who do His bidding, obeying His spoken word. Bless the Lord, O my soul; and, all my being, bless His holy name. Glory be to the Father . . .  
Bless the Lord, all you His Angels . . .

### Collect

O God, Who assign according to a wondrous order the duties of Angels and men, mercifully grant that our life on earth be guarded by those who continually stand in Thy presence and minister to Thee in heaven.  
Through our Lord . . .

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Almighty and merciful God, graciously keep away from us all misfortune, that, unhampered in soul and body, we may perform with peaceful minds the works that are Thine.

### Epistle

*Apoc 1:1-5*

In those days, God signified those things which must shortly come to pass, sending through His Angel to His servant John; who bore witness to the word of God and to the testimony of Jesus Christ, to whatever he saw.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>:** First Friday of the Month. Devotions to the Sacred Heart and Benediction at 6.30pm, followed by Sung Mass at 7pm, St. Joseph's Church, Dyer.

**Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup>:** Second Sunday of the Month. "Blessing Sunday." Blessings of religious articles after Holy Mass.



Blessed is he who reads and those who hear the words of this prophecy, and keep the things that are written therein; for the time is at hand. John to the seven churches that are in Asia: grace be to you and peace from Him Who is and Who was and Who is coming, and from the seven spirits who are before His throne, and from Jesus Christ, Who is the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To Him Who has loved us, and washed us from our sins in His own Blood.

### Gradual & Alleluia

Bless the Lord, all you His Angels, you mighty in strength, who do His bidding. Bless the Lord, O my soul; and, all my being, bless His holy name. Alleluia, alleluia. St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, that we may not perish in the dreadful judgment. Alleluia.

### Gospel

*Matthew 18:1-10*

At that time, the disciples came to Jesus, saying, Who then is greatest in the kingdom of heaven? And Jesus called a little child to Him, set him in their midst, and said, Amen I say to you, unless you turn and become like little children, you will not enter into the kingdom of heaven. Whoever, therefore, humbles himself as this little child, he is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. And whoever receives one such little child for My sake, receives Me. But whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in Me to sin, it were better for him to have a great millstone hung around his neck, and to be drowned in the depths of the sea. Woe to the world because of scandals! For it must needs be that scandals come, but woe to the man through whom scandal does come! And if your hand or your foot is an occasion of sin to you, cut it off and cast it from you! It is better for you to enter life maimed or lame, than, having two hands or two feet, to be cast into the everlasting fire. And if your eye is an occasion of sin to you, pluck it out and cast it from you! It is better for you to enter into life with one eye, than, having two eyes, to be cast into hell-fire. See that you do not despise one of these little ones; for I tell you, their Angels in heaven always behold the face of My Father in heaven.

### Offertory Verse

An Angel stood near the altar of the temple, having a golden censer in his hand, and there was given to him much incense; and the smoke of the perfumes ascended before God. Alleluia.

### Secret

We offer Thee sacrifices of praise, O Lord, humbly praying Thou to accept them graciously and to grant that they may be helpful for our salvation through the intercession of the Angels who intercede for us. Through our Lord . . .

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Grant, we beseech Thee, O Lord, that these gifts which we offer in the sight of Thy majesty, may be the means of our salvation.

### Communion Verse

All you Angels of the Lord, bless the Lord: sing a hymn, and exalt Him above all forever.

### Postcommunion

Relying upon the intercession of blessed Michael, Thy Archangel, O Lord, we humbly pray Thou, that what we have received by our mouth may give grace to our mind. Through our Lord . . .

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May Thy healing power, O Lord, mercifully deliver us from our waywardness and make us ever keep Thy commandments.

### BURSAR'S BOX

Sunday, September 1<sup>st</sup>: \$ 4, 312.00

Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>: \$ 3, 909.00

Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>: \$ 812.00

Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>: \$ 4, 803.00

Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>: \$ 4, 919.00

**Total for the Month: \$18, 755.00**

Please make checks payable to “**Institute of Christ the King**” with **Oratory** on the memo line. All checks made out to “Our Lady of Czestochowa ” are given to the Salvatorian Fathers. By order of the bishop, \$1000/week is given in rent to the Salvatorian Fathers.

**Thank you for your generosity!**