

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Today, May 3rd:** Social Hour after Mass at Millennium Hall.
⇒ Please consider a \$2 donation per person to help cover expenses.
- **Sunday, May 10th:** Blessing Sunday, Blessings of religious articles will be given after Holy Mass.
- **Thursday, May 14th:** Ascension Thursday. Sung Mass at 6:30pm.
- **Friday, June 5th:** First Friday of the Month. Confessions at 6:00 pm and Holy Mass at 6:30 pm followed by Benediction.

HOLY HILL PENTECOST PILGRIMAGE

Saturday, May 23, 2026

We will be celebrating a **Solemn High Mass** in the main Basilica at 1pm.

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Pentecost Vigil a 4.5-mile pilgrimage.

Full Pilgrimage: **8:30 am** Meet at Lower Parking Lot of Holy Hill Basilica

Partial Pilgrimage: **12:00pm** Rosary Procession on the Grounds of Holy Hill

Solemn High Mass: **1:00pm**

Picnic Lunch: **2:30pm**



NATIONAL SURSUM CORDA YOUNG ADULT RETREAT 2026

Who: Young adults ages 18-35

Location: Colombiere Conference & Retreat Center
(45 minutes NW of Detroit, Michigan)

Dates & Times: Friday, June 5th —Monday, June 7th
\$260 for 2 Nights at Retreat Center (Fri-Sun)
\$310 for 3 Nights at Retreat Center



SUMMER CAMPS 2026

Sacred Heart Retreat Center
2457 Browns Lake Drive
Burlington, WI 53105

Registration and more info:

<https://shrcburlington.org/summer-camp>



SAINT JOSEPH ORATORY

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Sunday, May 3rd, 2026

Fourth Sunday after Easter

Introit

Sing ye to the Lord a new canticle, alleluia: because the Lord hath done wonderful things, alleluia. He hath revealed His justice in the sight of the Gentiles, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. His right hand hath wrought for Him salvation, and His arm is holy.

Glory be to the Father . . .

Sing ye to the Lord a new canticle, alleluia . . .

Collect

O God, of Whom it cometh that the minds of Thy faithful people be all of one will, grant unto the same Thy people that they may love the thing which Thou commandest, and desire that which Thou dost promise, that so, amid the sundry and manifold changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed, where true joys are to be found.

Through Our Lord . . .

Epistle

James 1:17-21

Dearly beloved: Every best gift, and every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no change, nor shadow of alteration. For of his own will hath he begotten us by the word of truth, that we might be some beginning of his creatures. You know, my dearest brethren. And let every man be swift to hear, but slow to speak, and slow to

anger. For the anger of man worketh not the justice of God. Wherefore casting away all uncleanness, and abundance of naughtiness, with meekness receive the ingrafted word, which is able to save your souls.

Alleluia

Alleluia, alleluia. The right hand of the Lord hath wrought strength: the right hand of the Lord hath exalted me: Alleluia. Knowing that Christ rising again from the dead, dieth now no more, death shall no more have dominion over him. Alleluia.

Gospel

John 16:5-14

At that time: Jesus said to His disciples: I go to him that sent me, and none of you asketh me: Whither goest thou? But because I have spoken these things to you, sorrow hath filled your heart. But I tell you the truth: it is expedient to you that I go: for if I go not, the Paraclete will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. And when he is come, he will convince the world of sin, and of justice, and of judgment. Of sin: because they believed not in me. And of justice: because I go to the Father; and you shall see me no longer. And of judgment: because the prince of this world is already judged. I have yet many things to say to you: but you cannot bear them now. But when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will teach you all truth. For he shall not speak of himself; but what things soever he shall hear, he shall speak; and the things that are to come, he shall shew you. He shall glorify me; because he shall receive of mine, and shall shew it to you.

Offertory

Shout with joy to God, all the earth, sing ye a psalm to His Name: come and hear, and I will tell you, all ye that fear God, what great things the Lord hath done for my soul, alleluia.

Secret

O God, who by the august communion of this sacrifice hast make us partakers of one Sovereign Godhead, grant we beseech Thee, that as we know Thy truth, so we may follow it up by worthy behavior. Through our Lord . . .

Communion

And when He is come, He will convince the world of sin, and of justice, and of judgment, alleluia, alleluia.

Postcommunion

Stand by us, O Lord, our God, that by what we have faithfully received we may be cleansed from our vices and rescued from all dangers. Through our Lord . . .

MASS INTENTIONS

The Provincial House of the Institute of Christ the King is currently accepting limited numbers of Mass intentions (**no more than 5 per family**). As the number of priests available to take these Masses is limited and have duties in other apostolates, we are, unfortunately, unable to accommodate requests for Novenas of Masses or Gregorian Masses.

We also are unable to schedule Masses for specific dates, but can assure you they will be offered within a year of receiving them.

Mass intentions and the corresponding stipends (**\$15 minimum**) may be placed in the Sunday collection. Please specify Mass intentions on the outside of your envelope.

SEVEN SISTERS APOSTOLATE

Women are invited to join the Seven Sisters Apostolate, a dedicated prayer ministry offering spiritual support for our Canons. Each member commits to one specific day, one holy hour per week, praying for one specific Canon. If you feel called to this ministry or would like more information, there are brochures at the back of church.

Please contact Louise Carr +1-219-213-1902 or Patty McCage 1-708-717-7347

GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

Total raised for the Good Shepherd Seminary Collection:

\$5,586.00

We thank you for your continued prayers and support for your future priests. It is only with your help that they can become true pastors after the heart of the Good Shepherd.

BURSAR'S BOX

Sunday, April 26th: \$3, 961.00

Total for the Month of April: \$ 24, 792.00

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, **\$1200/ week** is given in rent to the Salvatorian Fathers.

Thank you for your generosity!