

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Today, 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 10th, 2026
Fifth Sunday after Easter

Introit

Declare it with the voice of joy: make this to be heard, alleluia: and speak it out even to the ends of the earth. Say: The Lord hath redeemed His people, alleluia, alleluia. Shout with joy to God, all the earth, sing ye a psalm to His name; give glory to His praise.

Glory be to the Father . . .

Declare it with the voice of joy . . .

Collect

O God, from Whom all good things do come, grant to us Thy humble servants that by Thy holy inspiration we may think those things that be good, and by Thy merciful guiding may perform the same.

Through Our Lord . . .

Epistle

James 1:22-27

Dearly beloved: But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves. For if a man be a hearer of the word, and not a doer, he shall be compared to a man beholding his own countenance in a glass. For he beheld himself, and went his way, and presently forgot what manner of man he was. But he that hath looked into the perfect law of liberty, and hath continued therein, not becoming a forgetful hearer, but a doer of the work; this man shall be blessed in his deed. And if any man think himself to be religious,

is vain. Religion clean and undefiled before God and the Father, is this: to visit the fatherless and widows in their tribulation: and to keep one's self unspotted from this world.

Alleluia

Alleluia, alleluia. Christ is risen and hath shone upon us whom He redeemed with His blood. I came forth from the Father, and Am come into the world: again I leave the world, and I go to the Father. Alleluia.

Gospel

John 16:23-30

In that time, Jesus said to His disciples: Amen, amen I say to you: if you ask the Father any thing in my name, he will give it you. Hitherto you have not asked any thing in my name. Ask, and you shall receive; that your joy may be full. These things I have spoken to you in proverbs. The hour cometh, when I will no more speak to you in proverbs, but will shew you plainly of the Father. In that day you shall ask in my name; and I say not to you, that I will ask the Father for you: For the Father himself loveth you, because you have loved me, and have believed that I came out from God. I came forth from the Father, and am come into the world: again I leave the world, and I go to the Father. His disciples say to him: Behold, now thou speakest plainly, and speakest no proverb. Now we know that thou knowest all things, and thou needest not that any man should ask thee. By this we believe that thou comest forth from God.

Offertory

O bless our God, ye Gentiles: and make the voice of His praise to be heard. Who hath set my soul to live: and hath not suffered my feet to be moved: Blessed be God, who hath not turned away my prayer, nor His mercy from me, alleluia.

Secret

O Receive, O Lord, the prayers of Thy faithful with offerings of victims, that by these services of pious devotion we may pass to heavenly glory. Through our Lord . . .

Communion

Sing ye to the Lord and bless His name: shew forth His salvation from day to day, alleluia, alleluia.

Postcommunion

Grant us, O Lord, fed with the virtue of a heavenly table, to desire what is right, and to gain what we desire. 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

REV. CANON SAMPAYO PRESENTS - MYSTICAL LIFE OF ST. GEMMA

Sunday, May 17, 2026 at 2pm —RSVP by May 14th

\$35.00 Donation—Meal is included with tour of Shrine

Shrine of Our Lady of Pompeii

1224 W Lexington St, Chicago, IL 60607

Contact Marco 773-491-1076 or Lori 847-997-2986

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BURSAR'S BOX

Sunday, May 3rd: \$3, 360.00

Total for the Month of May: \$ 3, 360.00

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!