



WELCOME TO SAINT MARY ORATORY

With the gracious permission of His Excellency, David Malloy, Bishop of Rockford, Holy Mass is offered according to the Traditional Roman Rite at Saint Mary Oratory by the *Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest*. We are pleased to have you join us in this venerable act of worship and invite you to return often.

GOING FORWARD,
IF YOU HAPPEN
TO MISS THE COLLECTION,
PLEASE PLACE YOUR CASH
OR CHECK CONTRIBUTION
IN ANY OF THE DONATION BOXES.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR
COOPERATION
AND GENEROSITY!



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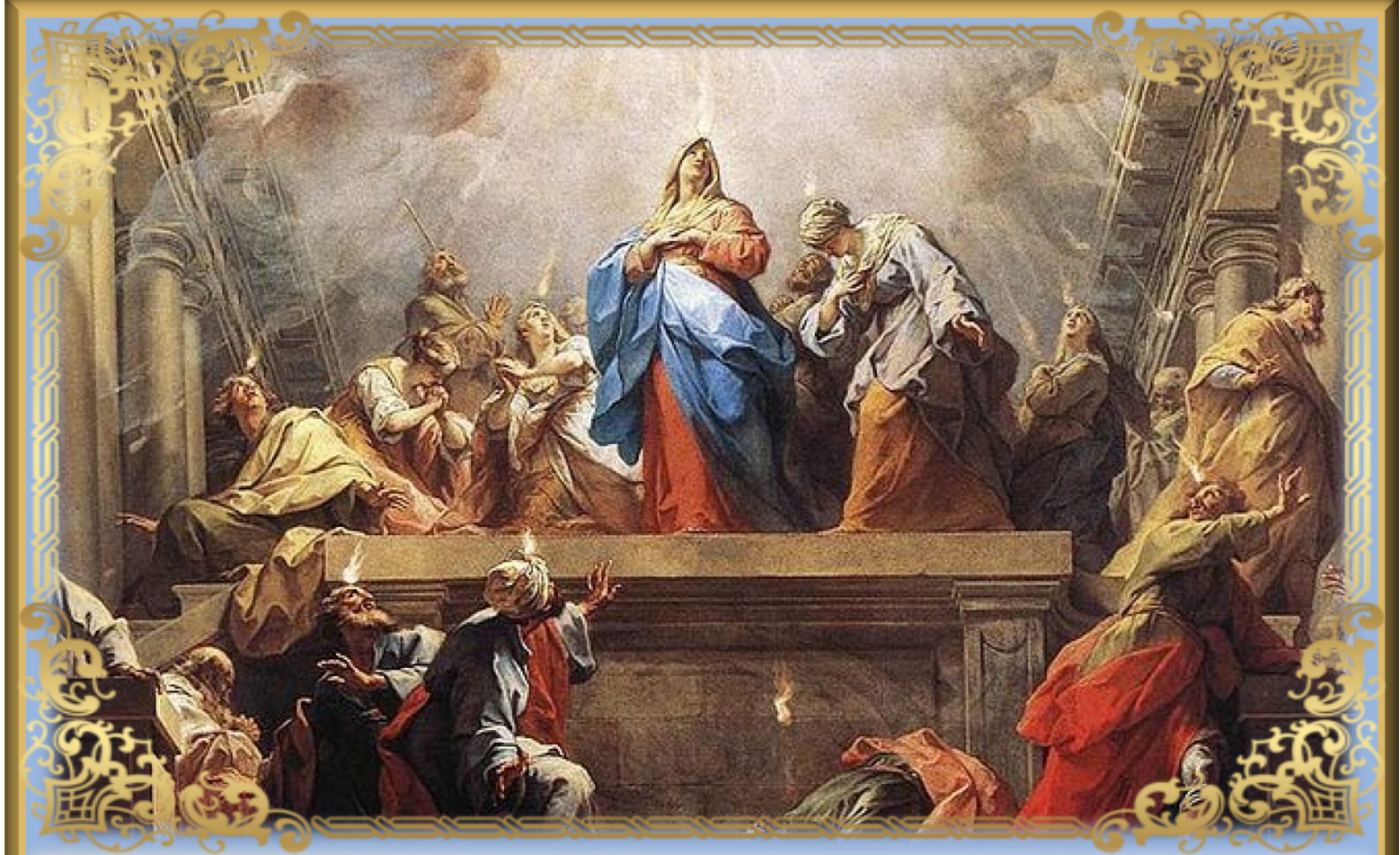
*For homebound or sick calls,
please contact the office
so we can schedule a time
for Canon to visit.*

*“Veritatem Facientes
In Caritate”
(Live the Truth in Charity)*



**To preserve the
Sacramental Seal
please leave
phones outside
of the confessional.**

*“There came suddenly a
sound from heaven as of a
mighty wind coming, where
they were sitting, alleluia;
and they were all filled with
the Holy Ghost, speaking
the wonderful works of God,
alleluia, alleluia.”*



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OFFICE HOURS
Monday-Thursday:
9:00am-2:00pm
Friday-Sunday &
Holy Days: CLOSED

MASS SCHEDULE
Sunday: 8:00am & 10:30am
Monday: 12:00pm
Tuesday-Friday: 7:00am
Saturday: 8:00am

CONFESSIONS
Monday &
Wednesday-Friday:
11:15am-11:45am
Saturday: after 8:00am Mass
Sunday: 7:15am & 9:45am

OTHER SACRAMENTS
& ALL APPOINTMENT
PLEASE CONTACT
THE OFFICE

**For baptisms, please contact
the office a month before the
baby is due. Baptisms should
be done within 1 to 3 weeks
after the baby is born*

GROTTO HOURS
Monday-Friday:
9:00am-2:00pm
Sat., Sun., & Holy Days:
CLOSED

DEVOTIONS
Fridays:
Exposition, Adoration,
& Benediction
5:30pm-6:30pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

Today - Coffee & donuts

in St. Joseph Hall after both Masses

Thu May 23 - St. Mary Oratory's day

to pray at the abortion clinic

Sat May 25 - Confirmand Retreat

from 8am to 11:45am

Sun May 26 - Coffee & donuts

in St. Joseph Hall after both Masses

Sun May 26 - Altar Server practice

in the Church 9:15am to 10:15am

Mon May 27 - Office is closed

Tue May 28 - Sacrament of Confirmation

at 5:30pm with Bishop Malloy

Thu May 30 - Corpus Christi

One Mass at 6pm with procession

Fri May 31 - Women's Social

in St. Joseph Hall following Adoration



*"O Holy Spirit, descend
plentifully into my heart.
Enlighten the dark corners
of this neglected dwelling
and scatter there Thy
cheerful beams."*

~St. Augustine

Mass Intentions

SUNDAY, MAY 19

Pentecost Sunday

Kazimir & Anastasia Maligranda

Stasiu Maligranda

MONDAY, MAY 20 - Mass with organ

Pentecost Monday

Marshall O. Norcross, RIP

TUESDAY, MAY 21 - Mass with organ

Pentecost Tuesday

Thomas Vanwalleghan

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22 - Mass with organ

Ember Wednesday

Emma Schneider

THURSDAY, MAY 23 - Mass with organ

Pentecost Thursday

David Kascir & Ralph Lauwagie

FRIDAY, MAY 24 - Mass with organ

Ember Friday

Danny, Robert, & Joebob White

SATURDAY, MAY 25 - Mass with organ

Ember Saturday

Marie Michaelina Maurizzi

SUNDAY, MAY 26

Trinity Sunday

Harrington & Brennock

Deceased Family Members

Brenner Family



WEEKLY COLLECTION GOAL: \$8,022

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION:

TOTAL: \$6,958

ACTUAL - FISCAL YTD: \$290,179

GOAL - FISCAL YTD: \$369,012

MAY GOD REWARD YOUR GENEROSITY!



*Come learn the peaceful, prayerful
method of sidewalk advocacy from
Sidewalk Advocates for Life and
help women and men entering the
abortion facility to choose life!*

We offer a peaceful, prayerful,
law abiding method that is
compassionate and
woman-oriented and credited
with saving thousands of lives at abortion
facilities across the United States and beyond!

Our next training, presented by the Diocese of
Rockford's Life and Family Evangelization (LiFE)
Office is Saturday, June 1, 2024, 9am-4pm at
St. Bridget Church, in Loves Park.

To learn more please contact the LiFE Office at
life@rockforddiocese.org or 815-399-4300.

*The training is held in partnership with
The Pregnancy Care Center of Rockford
and Rockford Family Initiative.*



Friday Adoration Resumes

May 24th

from 5:30pm-6:30pm

A gentle reminder:

**When leaving the church after
Mass please be mindful not to block
the steps and handrailing when
visiting with one another.
Thank you for your cooperation.**

THE COMPENDIUM

CREDO

Part One-The Profession of Faith-Section Two

Chapter One

*"I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth."*

The Fall

76. What is original sin?

Original sin, in which all human beings are born, is the state of deprivation of original holiness and justice. It is a sin "contracted" by us not "committed"; it is a state of birth and not a personal act. Because of the original unity of all human beings, it is transmitted to the descendants of Adam "not by imitation, but by propagation". This transmission remains a mystery which we cannot fully understand.

77. What other consequences derive from original sin?

In consequence of original sin human nature, without being totally corrupted, is wounded in its natural powers. It is subject to ignorance, to suffering, and to the dominion of death and is inclined toward sin. This inclination is called concupiscence.

78. After the first sin, what did God do?

After the first sin the world was inundated with sin but God did not abandon man to the power of death. Rather, he foretold in a mysterious way in the "Protoevangelium" (Genesis 3:15) that evil would be conquered and that man would be lifted up from his fall. This was the first proclamation of the Messiah and Redeemer. Therefore, the fall would be called in the future a "happy fault" because it "gained for us so great a Redeemer" (Liturgy of the Easter Vigil).