



Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest

St Paul's Oratory

Quinquagesima. February 11th 2024

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Sunday Feb. 11th: Quinquagesima: – 2nd Class.

8:00am: Quinquagesima Low Mass: *Pro Populi.*

10:30am: **Holy Sacrament** High Mass: *Fr. David Thomas.*

5:30pm: Vespers in front of the Holy Sacrament

Monday Feb. 12th: Pro Pacem – Votive Mass.

7:30am: Low Mass: *Joseph Pittella. †*

Tuesday Feb. 13th: Holy Sacrament – Votive Mass.

6:00pm: Low Mass and Reposition: *Paddy Maguire.*

Wednesday Feb. 14th: Ash Wednesday – 1st Class.

7:30am: Low Mass: *Ambrose Dempsey. †*

6:00pm: High Mass: *In atonement for abortion.*

Thursday Feb. 15th: Feria – 3rd Class.

7:30am: Low Mass: *Joseph Pittella. †*

Friday Feb. 16th: Feria – 3rd Class.

7:30am: Low Mass: *Fr. David Thomas.*

5:00: Station of the Cross & Veneration of the Relic,
followed by Adoration & Confessions until 7:00pm.

Saturday Feb. 17th: Feria – 3rd Class.

9:00am: Low Mass: *Anthony Della Croce. †*

Sunday Feb. 18th: 1st of Lent: – 1st Class.

8:00am: Low Mass: *Pro Populi.*

10:30am: Solemn High Mass: *Ambrose Dempsey. †*

5:30pm: Vespers.

Events coming soon...

Feb. 23rd: 7:00pm Adult Catechism

March 1st: 6:00pm First Friday.

March. 7th: St Thomas Aquinas. *Patron Saint of the Institute*

March 19th: St Joseph. *Patron Saint of the Universal Church*

March 21st: St Benedict. *Patron Saint of the Institute*

March 22nd: 7:00pm Adult Catechism.



"We do not become perfect by the multiplication of exercises, penances and austerities, but rather by the purity of love with which we do them."

St. Francis de Sales.

Every Friday, during Lent:

5:00pm: Station of the Cross, followed by the Veneration of the Relic of the True Cross, then Adoration & Confessions, until 7:00pm



St Paul's Oratory Donations

Last Sunday's Collection: \$ 2210.00

May God reward you abundantly for your Charity!

Your generous contribution to the worship of God is vital to the maintenance and care of this beautiful church.



On Sunday, **February 17th**, we will have the joy to receive the visit of **Canon Matthew Talarico**, Provincial of the United States. His recently planned visit will be the occasion to offer a **Solemn High Mass** on this first Sunday of Lent.

Penance, fast & abstinence

Actual Canon Law of the Church: *

Canon 1249 The divine law binds all the Christian faithful to do penance each in his own way. In order for all to be united among themselves by some common observance of penance, however, penitential days are prescribed on which the Christian faithful devote themselves in a special way to prayer, perform works of piety and charity, and deny themselves by fulfilling their own obligations more faithfully and especially by observing fast and abstinence, according to the norm of the following canons.

Canon 1250 The penitential days and times in the universal Church are every Friday of the whole year and the season of Lent.

Canon 1251 Abstinence from meat, or from some other food as determined by the Episcopal Conference, is to be observed on all Fridays, unless a solemnity should fall on a Friday. Abstinence and fasting are to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Canon 1252 The law of abstinence binds those who have completed their fourteenth year. The law of fasting binds those who have attained their majority, until the beginning of their sixtieth year. Pastors of souls and parents are to ensure that even those who by reason of their age are not bound by the law of fasting and abstinence, are taught the true meaning of penance.

Canon 1253 The conference of bishops can determine more precisely the observance of fast and abstinence as well as substitute other forms of penance, especially works of charity and exercises of piety, in whole or in part, for abstinence and fast.

***To do more than the mere minimum is encouraged...**

Oratory Volunteers.

Thank you for those who propose to help with the flowers on the altar... *Smart choice: right before Lent...*



Florist is not the only kind of Volunteers we are looking for: The Choir recruits. If you want to learn polyphony

and/or Gregorian chant, if you are ready to give up a little bit of your time (*Thursday evening and Sunday morning*) for the greater Glory of God and a greater beauty of the Liturgy: join the choir!

Do not tell me that you do not know how to sing: we are ready to teach you... (*And if it is really that bad, we will charitably let you know. But you cannot claim it until you try.*)



Canon Dumain, & St. Paul's Choir.

40 Hours' Devotion

In reparation for the sins committed, the Rector invites everyone to participate in the 40 hours' devotion.

The Holy Sacrament will be exposed:

Sunday, 10:30am until 7:00pm.

Monday, 7:00am until 7:00pm.

Tuesday, 7:00am until 7:00pm.

*Come
let us Adore
Him*

