

# THE ORATORY OF SS. GREGORY AND AUGUSTINE-7230 DALE AVENUE, SAINT LOUIS, MISSOURI, 63117 TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS AND SACRAMENTS

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### **CONFESSIONS**

Sundays	7:00 7:45 a.m.
Wednésdays	
Fridays	11:00 11:45 a.m.

### **Eighth Sunday After Pentecost**

## 4 August 2019

#### FROM THE RECTOR

INFORMATION FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SAINT LOUIS: On Friday, 26 July 2019, the Archdiocese of Saint Louis made public the names of clergy who have had substantiated claims of sexual abuse of minor against them. This is the work of many months and comes from a commitment made by Archbishop Carlson in September 2018. The names of the priests, along with their status in the Church, is available on the archdiocesan website at archstl.org/list. Those families of the Oratory who receive the St. Louis Review or the Catholic St. Louis Magazine should have also received a special edition of the St. Louis Review containing not only the list of priests, but also an important letter from Archbishop Carlson along with other information to facilitate the healing process, especially for those victims of abuse. The responses to the information will be varied and particular: anger, sadness, frustration, emptiness, a desire for greater transparency, honesty and authenticity. I would encourage us all to have recourse to constant and fervent prayer, especially for the victims of abuse as they struggle to heal from the crimes committed against them. Please also know that I am available to you if you find it helpful to have a personal conversation about the information and how we move forward. At the conclusion of his letter, Archbishop Carlson calls upon the intercession of Our Lady, Mother of Mercy. Let us follow this example and ask for the Blessed Mother's intercession for healing, strength, purification and justice. 

#### NEW CCD DIRECTORS

I want to take this opportunity to thank Ken and Patti Catalano for their many years of service to the CCD program for the Oratory. Their generosity, organizational skills and most especially their faith and love of Christ and His Church have assisted us in the formation of our young people. I am grateful for their leadership especially during these two years of transition. Ken and Patti have chosen to step-aside from their leadership positions, but I am sure they will remain a great resource to the CCD community. I am pleased to announce that Jake and Terri Fowler have agreed to assume responsibility for the CCD program. I look forward to working with them and I am excited about the future of our CCD program. Please join me in praying for both the Catalanos and the Fowlers.

#### CCD TEACHERS

The CCD program is seeking those who are interested in assisting with the formation of our young people on Sunday mornings. The program is currently in the planning stages for the coming school year and would welcome assistance for those who are willing to teach in the program, especially those with a background in catechesis. If you are interested, please contact the Oratory office by phone or email: osgaoffice@gmail.com or 314/644-2144. In advance, thank you for your generosity.

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#### FATIH FORMATION COMMITTEE

The Faith Formation committee is looking for new members to serve on the committee. The Faith Formation committee assists in the CCD program, Adult Faith Formation and Adult Sacramental Preparation. If you are interested in serving on the committee or you are interested in assisting with Adult Faith Formation, please contact the Oratory at osgaoffice@gmail.com. I want to thank those who expressed interest in the Adult Faith Formation last year and encourage them to assist the Oratory in the coming year. In advance, thank you for your generosity. 

SAINT EDMUND CAMPION MISSAL & HYMNAL The Oratory is considering purchasing The St. Edmund Campion Missal and Hymnal to be placed in the pews. The Missal would replace both the white books currently available at the entrances of the Church as well as the worship aid since the translation of the prayers and readings would be in the Missal. The advantage of the Missal is its permanence and the availability for anyone who comes to celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at the Oratory. In order to complete this project, your financial assistance is being asked. Each book costs \$36.00 and we are hoping to purchase 275 books. 247 of those books would go in the pews and the remaining 28 would be made available to the choir and visiting clergy. The total cost of the project is \$9,900. If you are able and willing to contribute to purchasing of these missals,

please contact the Rector by email: msgrmorris@gmail.com. In advance, thank you for your generosity. 

#### **FUNERAL LUNCHEONS**

Call List for funeral luncheons: The Altar and Rosary Society is asking for volunteers to be on a call list in order to make side dishes or desserts for funerals when they occur. You do not need to be a part of the Altar & Rosary Society to be on the call list. Any and all assistance is greatly appreciated. Please contact Erin Turntine at 314-856-5340 or whteroses@hotmail.com.

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#### FRESH OR FROZEN MEALS FOR THE KENNEY FAMILY

On July 8th, Dan and Elisabeth Kenney welcomed their new daughter Veronica Rose. Little Veronica came in to the world at a healthy 10 lbs., 11 oz. and 22 inches long! As is the long-standing tradition here at the Oratory, we would like to assist them with meal support and have created a meal train at the following link: https://takethemameal.com/CVNR8380. Cooking is for 2 adults and 3 children under age 5; there are no allergies and ALL FOODS are welcome! All instructions are included in the link including text number to arrange drop off. NOTE TO THOSE THAT DON'T LIKE TO COOK, CAN'T COOK, OR ARE VERY BUSY AT THIS TIME OF YEAR but still want to help! Moms and Dads of newborns can totally use gift cards for take-out or delivery. If you aren't sure what the family might want, just check in with them on a restaurant close by that Dad can run to grab take out. If picking up a gift card for our new parents is not possible, the service we use to create our meal trains called Take Them A Meal does offer delivery services. Feel free to check that out as an option for parents of newborns. Lastly, you are welcome to donate money to this apostolate to be used for gift cards for families of newborns. Please contact Carla Filla (636-579-0208) if you have any questions, ideas on supporting our new mothers and fathers, or would like to contribute financially.

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#### MASS INTENTIONS

The Oratory of SS. Gregory and Augustine is always in need of Mass intentions. The intentions are satisfied at Holy Mass normally according to when they are received. If you have a particular day you would like a Mass prayed for your particular intention, please include that information when making the request. Recently the Bishops of the state of Missouri agreed to increase the offering for the stipend from \$5.00 to \$ 10.00. Please remember to pray for all of our deceased loved ones

#### FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF BVM

For the Solemnity of the Assumption in addition to our normal Holy Mass at 7 am, there will be a High Mass at 7 pm with Confessions prior at 6 pm.

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#### **COFFEE HOUR**

Coffee Hour has now transitioned into once a month after the 11:30 am Mass. Please convey any issues or concerns. Remember that for the months of July and August, coffee hour will be held on the 4th Sunday of the month after the 11:30 am Holy Mass. Beginning in September we will have coffee hour twice a month: the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month will be after the 8:00 am Holy Mass and the 4th Sunday of each month will be after the 11:30 am Holy Mass.

#### **COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE**

The Communications Committee is seeking qualified volunteers to assist with the communications needs of the Oratory. The committee

#### MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 4 August – *Eighth Sunday after Pentecost* 8:00 am – Pro Populo 11:30 am – Richard Dwyer

Tuesday, 6 August – Transfiguration 7:00 am - Mary Knollmeyer & Family

Wednesday, 7 August - St. Cajetan, Confessor 6:30 pm - Rita Ley

Thursday, 8 August - St. John Mary Vianney, Confessor 7:00 am – Clare Holman

Friday, 9 August – Vigil of St. Lawrence 12 Noon – Tony Holman

Sunday, 11 August – Ninth Sunday after Pentecost 8:00 am – Pro Populo 11:30 am – James Suellentrop

### **STEWARDSHIP GIVING**

~ 07/21/2019 ~				
	ACTUAL	NEEDED	DIFFERENCE	
Weekly Collection Total	\$ 2641.00			
Online Giving	\$ 1294.97			
Total	\$ 3935.97	\$ 3750.00	\$ 185.97	
Year to Date Total	\$ 12,439.14	\$ 11,250.00	\$ 1189.14	
~ 07/28/2019 ~				
	ACTUAL	NEEDED	DIFFERENCE	
Weekly Collection Total	\$ 3240.37			
Online Giving	\$ 1095.24			
Total	\$ 4335.61	\$ 3750.00	\$ 585.61	
Year to Date Total	\$ 16,774.75	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 1,774.75	

manages our website, social media profiles, and various other responsibilities. Anyone with a background in marketing communications, advertising, copywriting, graphic design, website content management, photography/videography, or a related area is encouraged to apply. If interested, please contact Gabe Jones at gabe.h.jones@gmail.com

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#### **UP COMING EVENTS**

- 15 August: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 25 August: Coffee Hour after the 11:30 am Holy Mass
- 6 September: First Friday
- 7 September: First Saturday
- 8 September: Coffee Hour after the 8:00 am Holy Mass
- 22 September: Coffee Hour after the11:30 am Holy Mass

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#### **SERVERS' SCHEDULE**

August 4<sup>th</sup> – *Eighth Sunday after Pentecost* 

- 8:00 am Joseph & Anthony Dixon
- 11:30 am Cameron Ackerman, Ryan Lavery, Lance Lavery, Luke Lavery, Phillip Petrick,

August 11<sup>th</sup> – Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

- 8:00 am Anthony Jones, Caleb Colton
- 11:30 am Gregory Grizzle, John Armstrong, Peter Armstrong, Ben Armstrong, Sebastian Filla

#### August 18th – Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

- 8:00 am Joseph & Anthony Dixon
- 11:30 am Nick Werner, John Colton, Tommy Lattenzi, Damien Filla, Sebastian Petrick

#### August 25<sup>th</sup> – *Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost*

- 8:00 am John & CalebColton
- 11:30 am Ryan Lavery, Austin Jackson, Giambattista Carapelle, Carlo Carapella, Simon Wisniewski

Our Lady of Walsingham, intercede for us who have recourse to thee! Ss. Gregory and Augustine, pray for us!