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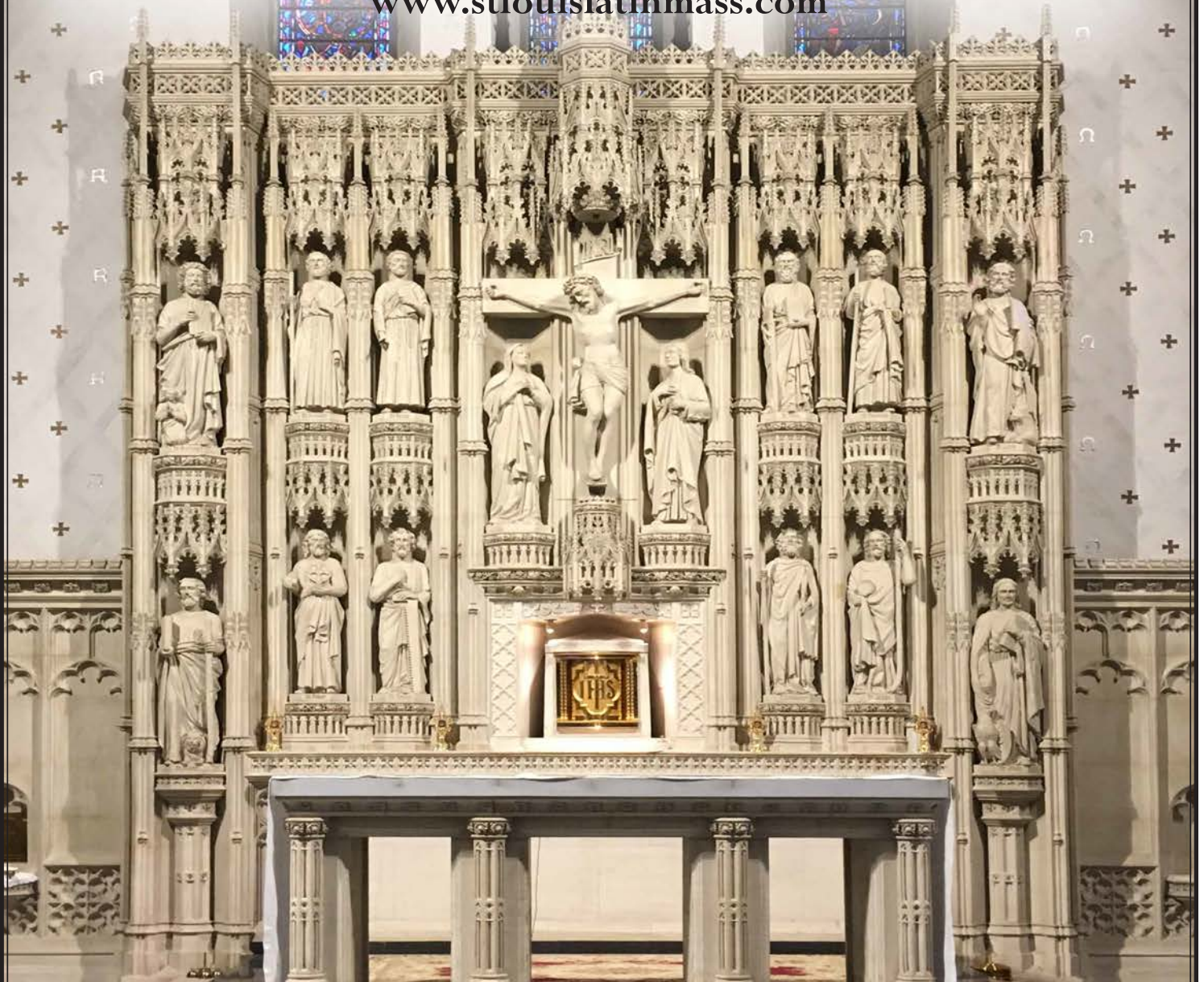
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TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS AND SACRAMENTS

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THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

SUNDAY MASS:.....6:45, 8:00 & 11:30 a.m.

DAILY MASS:

Monday and Friday12:15 p.m.

Tuesday and Thursday7:00 a.m.

Wednesday6:30 p.m.

First Friday7:00 p.m.

First Saturday8:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS:

Monday11:00 a.m. – Noon

Wednesday5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Friday11:00 a.m. – Noon

First Friday6:00 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

First Saturday7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Wednesday9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

First Friday9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

FROM THE RECTOR – Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The celebration of the Assumption of Our Lady is a clear affirmation of the fullness of the privileges bestowed upon Her by virtue of Her unique role as the Mother of God. Our Lady's first privilege is Her Immaculate Conception when She received the fullness of grace to respond completely and totally to the will and command of the Father. Her obedience and Her ardent love allowed Her to accept Her role as the Mother of God. Mary's second privilege is Her Divine Maternity which is manifested not only in bringing Truth Himself into the world, but also teaching, nurturing and walking with Our Lord to the Foot of Cross. The Blessed Virgin is Mother from beginning to end and always. At the foot of the cross She receives another divine commission to care for the faithful of the Church that is born by Our Lord on the cross and flows from His side. It is then fitting that She receives this third privilege when She is taken to heaven, body and soul, without suffering the corruption of sin. The dogma of the Assumption has always been a part of the Church's firm belief beginning with a church built at the site of Her Dormition in Jerusalem and also expressed in pilgrimages to this site. As early as the 7th century there was a liturgy celebrating Her Assumption in Rome preceded by another liturgy celebrated in the 6th century in Jerusalem. Pope Pius XII solemnly declared, as part of divine revelation, the following: "... the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Immaculate Mother of God, at the close of her earthly career was taken up into heaven, body and soul." The sacred liturgy exhorts us to follow Mary's example of holiness, purity, and obedience longing for the glories of Heaven, sharing in the joys of the resurrection and enjoy the fruits of everlasting life. Through the intercession of our Blessed Mother, let us pray for an increase in the virtue of hope in our daily lives that we might work diligently in this life to obtain life-everlasting.

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NO MASS/CONFESSIONS – Friday, 20 August 2021

There will be NO public Holy Mass or confessions on 20 August 2021.

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CCD INFORMATION

CCD registration is open now and will close September 20. Classes will begin October 3, 2021. The registration form is available on the Oratory's website. You may also register by using the following link: <https://forms.gle/7HqtXrJKdWtMEAEu6>. Registration is open to children from 5-18 years old (must be 5 years old by 2/28/21). Paper forms should be submitted via the collection basket in an envelope marked CCD. The cost is \$20 per child, maximum \$80 per family. Contact Jake or Terri Fowler at osgaccd@gmail.com with any questions. We look forward to another great year of catechesis.

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ONLINE GIVING

Online giving is available for the Oratory of Ss. Gregory and Augustine. The information below will assist you in setting up Online Giving if you are interested in doing so. Please visit the following link to sign up for Online Giving for the Oratory of Ss. Gregory and Augustine: <https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/4785>. Click on the green button "create new account" to set up your account. If you need assistance setting up your account please call OSV at 800/348-2886, option 2, then option 1. You can also access online giving from your phone. Simply download the app for free from the Apple or Google store. The name of the app is "Online Giving by Our Sunday Visitor". From there it is the same login process as it is on the website. If you have any questions, please call Donna at 314/644-2144 x10. We also have a link on the website which can be found under the section entitled – About US. Thank you for your generosity in these times of uncertainty.

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ORATORY INFORMATION TABLE

Please do not leave any print material and/or other items on top us or under the Oratory Information Table. Anything left on that table should first be given to the Rector for approval. Once approval has been granted, then it can be placed on the table. Going forward any item left on the table that has not received prior permission will be thrown away.

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MEN OF THE ORATORY – HELP IS NEEDED!

Gather with us on Saturday, August 21st at 9:00 am in the nave of the Church for our monthly Church cleaning. The more men we have, the more we can do and the faster we will be finished. The Church cleaning happens every 3rd Saturday of the month and is coordinated by the Knights of Columbus. For more information, contact Robert Morgan at 612/207-2755.

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MARIAN CATECHIST BASIC COURSE STUDY GROUP

Blessed John A. Hardon, S.J. wrote a home study course on the Catholic Faith at the request of Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta for the education of the Missionaries of Charity. Through the Marian Catechist Apostolate, under the spiritual direction of His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke, that same course is available to all. Catechized Marian Catechists in the St. Louis area are forming a study group for the Basic Course that will have an initial meeting

in September. If you are interested in learning more about the Apostolate or the courses, visit <https://mariancatechist.com>. If you would like to join the study group, please contact Pam Fichter at pamf319@gmail.com.

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EMAIL NEWS

If you are not subscribed to the Oratory's emails please sign up via our website at: <https://stlouislainmass.com/contact-us>. Scroll down to the bottom of the page and complete the information under "Join Our Email List". The only information you need to provide is: your first, last name, and your email address. We send the weekly bulletin on Fridays and we send all pertinent news, notifications of schedule changes, etc. via email. The best way to stay informed, aside from reading the bulletin, is to subscribe to our email list.

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SERVER INFORMATION

Thank you to all who assisted with the servers' picnic on 3 August. I am particularly grateful to our seminarian, Joseph Martin, for organizing and hosting us at the seminary.

Please make sure that Colton Marks has received all the pertinent contact information so that we can facilitate better communication with the servers and their families.

Serving training is scheduled on Mondays at 4:15 pm in the Church. Listed below are the following dates for server training:

August 16th & 30th

September 13th & 27th

October 11th & 25th

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FEAST/FESTIVAL OF SAINT LOUIS

In the coming weeks you will be receiving information regarding the liturgical celebrations for the Feast of St. Louis, Wednesday, 25 August 2021. I would encourage everyone to participate in as much as their schedules will allow. The celebrations begin the day before (24 August) with First Vespers and Benediction at 5:30 pm at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis and concludes on the feast day itself with a Marian Procession to and recitation of the Rosary at the Apotheosis of St. Louis statue in Forest Park. This was a remarkably beautiful experience last year and your prayerful participation will allow us to celebrate well the patron of our archdiocese.

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CALL FOR FLOWER GIRLS – FEAST OF SAINT LOUIS

The Altar and Rosary Society of Ss. Gregory and Augustine invites young ladies ages 7 to 14 to participate as flower girls in this year's solemn procession in honor of St. Louis. The procession will take place on the Feast of St. Louis (Wednesday, August 25th) at 5 p.m. If your daughter is interested, please contact Anna Kalinowski at anna.yvette.kalinowski@gmail.com

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CALL FOR BANNER MEN – FEAST OF SAINT LOUIS

The Altar and Rosary Society of Ss. Gregory and Augustine invites men of the Oratory to participate as flag and banner carriers in the solemn procession in honor of St. Louis. The procession will take place on the Feast of St. Louis (Wednesday, August 25th) at 5 p.m. If you are interested, please contact Anna Kalinowski at anna.yvette.kalinowski@gmail.com

TROOPS OF ST. GEORGE

Calling all young men in grades 1-12! Are you looking for a program that will spiritually challenge both fathers and sons? Are you interested in a Catholic brotherhood that teaches outdoor and practical life skills in a masculine, fun, and faith-filled environment? The Troops of Saint George is a Catholic apostolate that aims to use the outdoors as our canvas and the sacraments as our path to light the way for the formation of holy Catholic men and boys. If you are interested in learning more, please contact Troop Captain Grant Hofmann (grant.hofmann@protonmail.com) or visit <https://troopsofsaintgeorge.org/>.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Wednesday, 18 August: *Adoration – 9 am to 6 pm*
- Thursday, 19 August: Knights of Columbus Meeting @ 7pm
- Friday, 20 August: **NO CONFESSIONS** or **HOLY MASS TODAY**
- Saturday, 21 August: Church Cleaning (Altar & Rosary Society/ Knights of Columbus) @ 9:30 am
- Tuesday, 24 August: 1st Vespers for St. Louis King of France
- Wednesday, 25 August: Feast of Saint Louis, King of France (**NO ADORATION TODAY**)
- Wednesday, 1 September: *Adoration – 9 am to 6 pm*
- Friday, 3 September: First Friday
- Saturday, 4 September: First Saturday
- Wednesday, 8 September: *Adoration – 9 am to 6 pm*

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NEW FAMILIES for JULY (alphabetical order):

A warm welcome to our new parishioners!

- Stephen Aydt
- Nina Carder
- Costello Family ~ Evan & Sarah Catherine, and Merry
- Hitschler Family ~ Ron & Cindy
- Amy Jones
- Lund Family ~ Matt & Emily, Abigail, Jacob, Henry, and Freddy
- Carol Smith
- Stolarski Family ~ John & Beth, and Mark
- Toscano Family ~ Dennis & Catherine, Antonino

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BLESSED ITEMS

If you wish to have items blessed please drop them off at the rectory (Mon-Fri, 9am-2pm) and include your name and telephone number. Please make sure all items are clearly marked. Once Msgr. Morris has blessed the items Donna will call you to let you know the items are ready for pick up (from the rectory office, Mon-Fri, 9am-2pm).

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ORATORY TITHING

As we begin a new fiscal year, I want to express my gratitude to the members of the Oratory's Finance committee, especially the chairman Todd Grizzle,

for their assistance in using well the generous donations of the Oratory. So too, I want to express my gratitude to each member of the Oratory for your generosity to the Oratory that has allowed us to continue to grow. As we do continue to grow, our expenses and financial responsibilities likewise have increased: we have increased the budget for our music program as we have increased the number of sung Masses as well as increased the responsibilities of our head cantor; the Oratory has also assumed more financial responsibility for the compensation of Mrs. Donna Mueller who now works almost full-time for the Oratory.

The first few weeks of this new fiscal year we have been under the amount needed for weekly contributions. The needed amount for each week is \$8,692.00. I am confident that going forward we will be able to meet this necessary goal. Given the circumstances recently thrust upon us from Rome, it is even more important that we are able to demonstrate our ability to financially sustain ourselves. I recognize that increased tithing will be a sacrifice and I ask you to prayerfully consider what you are able to give and if you are in position to offer more in the weekly collection.

Again, please know of my sincere gratitude for your generosity throughout our time here at St. Luke the Evangelist and also as we move forward.

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PILGRIM VIRGIN MARY STATUE

08/01-08/08 Fowler	08/08-08/15 Haulard
08/15-08/22 Catalano	08/22-08/29 Kenney
08/29-09/05 Raymond	09/05-09/12 Flannigan
09/12-09/19 Gelhot	09/19-09/26 Horan
09/26-10/03 Schuette	10/03-10/10 Filla
10/10-10/17 Petrick	10/17-10/24 Stein
10/24-10/31 Alexander	

Drop off and pick-up statue at back of church under Oratory table.

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MASS INTENTIONS

- Monday, 16 August – *St. Joachim*
12:15 pm: William A. Kavanaugh (d)
- Tuesday, 17 August – *St. Hyacinth*
7:00 am: William A. Kavanaugh (d)
- Weds., 18 August – *Feria*
6:15 pm: William A. Kavanaugh (d)
- Thursday, 19 August – *St. John Eudes*
7:00 am: William A. Kavanaugh (d)
- Friday, 20 August – *Ss. Bernard of Clairvaux*
Mass Intention: William A. Kavanaugh (d)
- Saturday, 21 August – *St. Jane Frances De Chantal*
Mass Intention: William A. Kavanaugh (d)
- Sunday, 22 August – *13th Sunday after Pentecost*
6:45 am: Anne L. Morris-Kenney (d)
8:00 am: William A. Kavanaugh (d)
11:30 am: Pat Stephen

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~ 08/08/2021 ~	
	<u>ACTUAL</u>
Weekly Collection Total	\$ 6,309.75
Online Giving	\$ 5,330.00
Total	\$ 11,639.75
Needed	\$ 8,692.00 (\$2,947.75)
Year to Date Total	\$ 55,848.79

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



Festival of Saint Louis

ANNO DOMINI 2021

August 24th - 25th

Tuesday,
August 24th

5:30 P.M.

First Vespers and Benediction

Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis

4431 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108

6:30 P.M.

Rosary Novena - Day 8

Apotheosis of Saint Louis statue in Forest Park

1 Fine Arts Dr., St. Louis, MO 63110

Wednesday,
August 25th

5:00 A.M.

Matins, Lauds, and Prime

St. Luke Catholic Church

7230 Dale Ave., St. Louis, MO 63117

10:00 A.M.

Terce and Solemn Mass of Saint Louis

St. Luke Catholic Church

7230 Dale Ave., St. Louis, MO 63117

3:30 P.M.

Second Vespers for the Feast of Saint Louis

St. Luke Catholic Church

7230 Dale Ave., St. Louis, MO 63117

4:00 P.M.

Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction

St. Luke Catholic Church

7230 Dale Ave., St. Louis, MO 63117

5:00 P.M.

Marian Procession

Route is approximately 2 miles

Start:

St. Luke Catholic Church

7230 Dale Ave., St. Louis, MO 63117

End:

Apotheosis of Saint Louis statue in Forest Park

1 Fine Arts Dr., St. Louis, MO 63110

6:30 P.M.

Rosary Novena - Day 9

Apotheosis of Saint Louis statue in Forest Park

1 Fine Arts Dr., St. Louis, MO 63110

7:30 P.M.

Festival

Apotheosis of Saint Louis statue in Forest Park

1 Fine Arts Dr., St. Louis, MO 63110

“The mouth of
the just shall
meditate wisdom,
and his tongue shall
speak judgement:
the law of his God
is in his heart.”

Psalm 36:30-31

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Do not abandon me. Do not leave me out of Your sight, my Father, for I am Your child, whom You have created to please You, to adore You, to honor You, living my days as You have given me the license to live it. I offer up this Fiat, through Mary, to Jesus, to You, Eternal Father.

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