

MASS

Sunday: 6:30, 8:00 & 11:30am Monday & Friday: 12:15pm Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00am

Wednesday: 6:30pm First Friday: 7:15pm First Saturday: 8:15am

ADORATION

Wednesday: 5:00 - 6:00pm

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CONFESSION

Monday & Friday: 11am -12pm Wednesday: 5:00 - 6:00pm First Friday: 6:00 - 7:00pm First Saturday: 7:00 - 8:00am

DIVINE OFFICE

Sunday Prime: 7:20am Sunday Terce: 11:10am Sunday Vespers: 4:30pm

Wednesday Compline: 7:15pm

Pentecost Sunday 28 May 2023

Welcome to the Oratory of Saints Gregory and Augustine

The Oratory of Saints Gregory and Augustine is pleased to welcome you. We are an apostolate of the Archdiocese of Saint Louis faithful to the teachings of the Church and striving to grow as a family of faith through the celebration of the Traditional Latin Mass and other Sacraments.

In the First Book of *The Confessions*, the other great St. Augustine (of Hippo) wrote the following: "Thou hast made us for Thyself and our hearts are restless until they find rest in Thee." Whether you are curious about the traditional Latin Mass and interested in exploring its beauty, searching for a parish community where you and your family will feel at home, or seeking rest for your heart, we hope that the Oratory of Saints Gregory and Augustine can provide that respite for you.

Our bulletin serves to provide information about the weekly activities occurring here at the Oratory. Along with our website (www.stlouislatinmass.com), the bulletin is your point of contact with the ever-increasing activities at the Oratory. I hope this will give you some sense of the grace of God, the love of Jesus Christ, and work of the Holy Spirit in our midst. I am delighted that God has brought you here! *Oremus pro invicem!*

-The Very Reverend Monsignor C. Eugene Morris, Rector

MASS AND SACRAMENTS

Sunday Masses

• 6:30 am (Low Mass)

• 8:00 am (Low Mass)

• 11:30 am (High Mass)

Weekday Masses

Monday & Friday: 12:15 pm

• Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00 am

Wednesday: 6:30 pm

First Friday: 7:15 pm

• First Saturday: 8:15 am

Confession

Monday & Friday: 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

• Wednesday: 5:00 – 6:00 pm

• First Friday: 6:00 – 7:00 pm

• First Saturday: 7:00 - 8:00 am

Infant Baptism – Baptisms are normally scheduled on the 2^{nd} and 3^{rd} Saturdays of the month beginning at 10:00 am. Families expecting newborns and anticipating that they will be baptized here at the Oratory should schedule their baptism at the earliest convenience by contacting the Oratory office.

Adult Baptism – If you are interested in becoming Catholic or an adult Catholic not yet confirmed, please contact the Oratory office for more information about adult catechesis.

Matrimony – Please contact the Oratory office at least six months prior to the desired date for the rite of marriage. The date is reserved after consultation and confirmation from the Rector of the Oratory.

Extreme Unction/Visitation of the Sick – Contact the Oratory to arrange the sacrament either at home or in the hospital.

STAFF

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CONGRATULATIONS -- GRADUATES

Congratulations to all those who were graduated this spring from grade school, high school, and college. Blessings to the parents, family, and friends who sustained and supported all the recent graduates from the Oratory of Ss. Gregory and Augustine. Know of the prayers of this whole community as you move to the next phase of your life and your on-going journey with the Lord and Holy Mother the Church

ALL THINGS NEW

On this Feast of Pentecost, the whole Archdiocese is receiving information related to the vast number of changes taking place in the Archdiocese of St. Louis today. The information specific to the Oratory of Ss. Gregory and Augustine has already been shared at each Holy Mass. This information will also be on the Oratory web site. All the information regarding the decisions of Archbishop Rozanski can be accessed at the Archdiocesan webpage: archstl.org. All the Priest assignments can be accessed online at stlouisreview.com.

MEMORIAL DAY: 29 May 2023 (TOMORROW)

Monday, 29 May, the nation will celebrate Memorial Day. Holy Mass TOMORROW will be celebrated at 7:00 am. Please note this change in your schedule. There will be NO confessions at 11 am nor will there be Holy Mass at 12:15 pm.

<u>CONFIRMATION AND FIRST HOLY</u> <u>COMMUNION</u>

The Oratory is blessed again to celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation and the reception of First Holy Communion. On Saturday, 10 June 2023 @ 9:00 am we will celebrate both Confirmation and First Holy Communion. There are 23 children receiving Confirmation and 15 children receiving First Holy Communion. As is our custom, we will celebrate Confirmation and then immediately celebrate Holy Mass during which our First Communicants will receive Our Eucharistic Lord. Please pray for the young people preparing to receive these sacraments and for their parents and catechesis.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

The External Solemnity of Corpus Christi will be celebrated on Sunday, 11 June 2023. The Oratory is blessed to have a Corpus Christi procession through the streets of Richmond Heights. The procession will begin immediately after the conclusion of the 11:30 am Holy Mass. In addition to our First Communicants, (and other First Communicants who would have made their First Holy Communion in a different parish this year), the procession will include a Knights of Columbus Honor Guard, the choir & schola leading us in various hymns, and the opportunity during our procession to pray the Rosary, the Divine Mercy Chaplet and other prayers to assist us in giving fitting glory and praise to our Eucharistic Lord. All parishioners are encouraged to attend and to invite others to walk with Our Lord.

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<u>CONGRATULATIONS -- NEWLY ORDAINED</u> <u>PRIESTS</u>

Yesterday at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis, Saturday, 28 May 2023, the Archdiocese of Saint Louis ordained five men to the sacred and Holy priesthood:

- Rev. Allen Boedecker
- Rev. Jacob Braun
- Rev. Joshua Deters
- Rev. Ryan Quarnstrom
- Rev. Jacob Wessel

We give thanks to God for continued spiritual blessings on the Archdiocese; we pray for these newly ordained priests and the sacrificial service they are undertaking; we pray for an increase of priestly vocations and vocations to consecrated religious life

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DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS

During the summer months there will be several times that daily Mass is cancelled during the week. I will be giving a retreat, participating in several conferences and taking some vacation time. If it is possible that a priest is available, then the schedule will remain as usual. There will always be a priest present for Holy Mass on Sundays. The Mass intentions for days that there is no Holy Mass are still fulfilled by me when I celebrate Holy Mass that day. I appreciate both the patience and the prayers of the faithful of the Oratory. Know that you are always in my daily prayers.

ORATORY MEN'S SOFTBALL TEAM

The Oratory men's softball team will be competing on Friday nights throughout the summer on the St. Luke's softball field. All are welcome to come cheer them on! Any questions: call/text Dan Kenney: (314) 852-8764. Families are welcome to tailgate during games throughout the season.

- June 2 at 7:30pm
- June 9 at 6:30 and 7:30 pm
- June 16th at 6:30pm

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CELL PHONES

There have been an increasing number of cell phones ringing during Holy Mass. Please be sure to silence your cell phones before entering Church. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

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COFFEE HOUR

As the community is aware, we suspended Coffee Hour because of the unavailability of the ground floor room in the school. After consultation with those in charge of Coffee Hour, I am happy to announce that Coffee hour will resume on 16 April weather permitting. The summer months allow us to have Coffee Hour outside. As a reminder, coffee hour will be held after the 8:00 am mass on the 1st and 3rd Sundays and after the 11:30 am mass on the 2nd and 4th Sundays. Please always consult the calendar for any changes to the schedule. If you are interested in helping with set up/clean up, please contact Stephanie Maret at Stephanie.French.Maret@gmail.com or (314) 972-2900.

MASS INTENTIONS

The celebration of Holy Mass for particular intentions, especially for our beloved faithful departed, reflects the faith of our community in the transformative power of the sacramental grace of God. Please continue to have Holy Masses offered for particular intentions. At this juncture, the calendar at the Oratory is full for 2023. Any Holy Mass intentions received going forward will be placed on the calendar for 2024. Please contact the rector with any questions or concerns.

SCHEDULING BAPTISMS

The Oratory is blessed with a growing community that is evident by the increased number of baptisms. Given that the Oratory (for the time being shares) the space with St. Luke the Evangelist along with the other

liturgical rites celebrated by the Oratory itself, it is prudent to schedule baptisms on the 2nd and 3rd Saturdays of the month beginning at 9:30 am. There will be Saturdays that no baptisms can be scheduled because of various liturgical events but keeping baptism on these two Saturdays will assist in scheduling for both parents and the Oratory. Families expecting newborns and anticipating that they will be baptized here at the Oratory, should schedule their baptism at the earliest convenience.

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PRO LIFE ASSISTANCE NEEDED

Brian Niehaus, Director of client outreach, (counselors) for Coalition Life has made a plea for help on every Saturday of March at the Coalition office in Fairview Heights to support the counselors at the gate with data capture or praying nearby.

The shifts are: 7:30 am-11:00 am, 11:00 am-2:30pm, and 2:30 pm-6:00 pm. Call (314) 827-4039 to sign up. If you cannot do this, there are other ways to support these efforts with your time or money: WomensCareConnect.com or (636) 789-2320; Coalitionlife.com.

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PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

In your charity, please pray for the following members of the Oratory who are ill: William Allen, husband of Barbara Allen; Jim Griffin, husband of Kay Griffin; Jeanmarie DeCoster; Shane Kiser, husband of Maggie Kiser; Siena Koschoff, daughter of Daniel & Katie Koschoff; Dotty Kuhlmann, mother of Donna Mueller; Michael Norfleet, son of Marsha Norfleet; Elizabeth Ryan; Deacon Steve Pieper; Christi Reinlein, Monica Sampson, friend of Msgr. Morris; and Kathleen McCarthy Smith, mother of Susan Pickert.

Also, if you are aware of members of the Oratory who are sick or you yourself are sick and/or hospitalized and in need of prayers, please contact the Oratory at the earliest moment so that prayers can be offered for you and your loved ones.

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FROM THE RECTOR

The coming of the Holy Spirit completes the celebration of the glories of the Resurrection and turns us toward the daily living of the Christian life. The Lord ascends to His throne in Heaven in order to send us the Advocate who continues the work of Christ. The coming of the Holy Spirit now draws us into relationship with the Holy Trinity who is revealed \in all glory and majesty. With the Feast of Pentecost, the apostles are armed with strength in order to fulfill the command given to them by Our Lord at His Ascension: *Go into the world and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.* It is now possible for them to do precisely that for the Holy Spirit enlivens and emboldens in the success of their apostolic work. It is the Holy Spirit who speaks to the prophets, who overshadows Our Lady and makes Her the Mother of God. It is the Holy Spirit who leads the Lord into the desert and is present at His baptism. It is the Holy Spirit who inspires the writers of Sacred Scripture and guarantees the infallibility of the Church through Her bishops and priests. Recipients of the Holy Spirit need to become pliable in His hands. All those who have gone before us clearly understood the need to find their confidence and trust in the Holy Spirit and let themselves be led wherever God wills. Now more than ever, the Church needs to find Her confidence and strength in the Holy Spirit by remaining faithful and obedient to the commands of God. For our part, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, let us strive to be men and women of fervent prayer through which we become like Her easily moved by the promptings of the Spirit!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sunday, 28 May: Prime @ 7:20 am; Terce @ 11:10 am; and Vespers @ 4:30 pm
- Sunday, 28 May: Coffee Hour after 11:30 am Holy Mass
- Monday, 29 May: Holy Mass @ 7:00 am
- Friday, 2 June: First Friday
- Saturday, 3 June: First Saturday
- Saturday, 3 June: Church Cleaning @ 9:30 am (Altar & Rosary Society)
- Sunday, 4 June: Prime @ 7:20 am; Terce @ 11:10 am; and Vespers @ 4:30 pm
- Sunday, 4 June: Coffee Hour after 8:00 am Holy Mass
- Wednesday, 7 June: Holy Hour @ 5:00 6:00 pm; Compline @ 7:15 pm
- Saturday, 10 June: Confirmation and First Holy Communion @
 9:00 am. (NO Confessions before Holy Mass)
- Sunday, 11 June: Prime @ 7:20 am; Terce @ 11:10 am; and Vespers @ 4:30 pm
- Sunday, 11 June: Corpus Christi Procession after the 11:30 am Holy Mass

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PILGRIM VIRGIN MARY STATUE 2023

04/23-04/30 Fowler 04/30-05/07 Blum 05/07-05/14 Haulard 05/14-05/21 Catalano 05/21-05/28 Kenney 05/28-06/04 Raymond 06/04-06/11 Horan 06/11-06/18 Schuette 06/18-06/25 Filla 06/25-07/02 Petrick

Drop off and pick up the statue at back of church. Place bag on the floor to left of the Oratory table. Be in contact with each other to ensure that the statue will transfer on schedule.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, 29 May – Octave of Pentecost 7:00 am: Alexander Okwuashi (d)

Tuesday, 30 May – *Octave of Pentecost* 7:00 am: Rita Okwuashi (d)

Wednesday, 31 May – *Octave of Pentecost* 6:30 pm: Alexander Okwuashi (d)

Thursday, 1 June – *Octave of Pentecost* 7:00 am: Rita Okwuashi (d)

Friday, 2 June – *Octave of Pentecost* 12:15 pm: Peter Wisniewski (d) 7:15 pm: Rita Okwuashi (d)

Saturday, 3 June – *Octave of Pentecost* 8:15 am: Alexander Okwuashi (d)

Sunday, 4 June – *Trinity Sunday* 6:30 am: Pro Populo 8:00 am: Juraj Susovica

11:30 am: Rebecca Anne Rheinheimer

~ 05/21/2023 ~

<u>ACTUAL</u>

Weekly Collection Total \$ 8,171.00 Online Giving \$ 5,349.00 Total \$ 13,520.00

Needed \$ 11,500.00 (\$2,020.00)

Year to Date Total \$ 583,014.91

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

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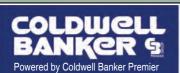


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