

## MASS

Sunday: 6:30, 8:00 & 10:00am Monday - Friday: 12:15pm Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00am Wednesday: 6:30pm Saturday: 8:15am First Friday: 7:15pm

ADORATION Wednesday: 5:00 - 6:00pm

## **CONFESSION**

Sunday: 7:00 - 7:45am and 9:15 - 10:30 am Monday - Friday: 11am -12pm Wednesday: 5:00 - 6:00pm Saturday: 7:00 - 8:00am First Friday: 6:00 - 7:00pm

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# **DIVINE OFFICE**

Sunday:

- Prime: 7:20am
- Terce: 9:40am
- Vespers: 2:30pm Monday:
- Vespers: 6:00pm
- Tuesday Thursday:
  - Compline: 7:30pm

# 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 (<u>www.stlouislatinmass.com</u>), 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)
- 10:00 am (High Mass)

### Weekday Masses

- Monday thru Friday: 12:15 pm
- Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00 am
- Wednesday: 6:30 pm
- First Friday: 7:15 pm
- Saturday: 8:15 am

### Confession

- Monday thru Friday: 11:00 am 12:00 pm
- Wednesday: 5:00 6:00 pm
- First Friday: 6:00 7:00 pm
- Saturday: 7:00 8:00 am
- Sunday: 7:00 -7:45 am; 9:00 am 10:30 am

**Infant Baptism** – Baptisms are normally scheduled on the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> 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/ORGANIZATIONS**

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# CONGRATULATION -- NEWLY ORDAINED PRIESTS

Saturday, 26 May 2024, the Archdiocese of Saint Louis ordained three men to the sacred and Holy priesthood:

- Rev. Jeffrey Fennewald
- Rev. Robert Lawson
- Rev. Joseph Martin

We give thanks to God for continued spiritual blessings on the Archdiocese of Saint Louis; 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

## **CONGRATULATIONS -- GRADUATES**

Congratulations to all those who 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

# CHANT CAMP

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish (in Saint Charles, Missouri) is hosting a weeklong Chant Camp for elementary and high school students. We are pleased to have the instruction of Mr. Jeffrey Wisniewski, Director of Sacred Music at Kenrick-Glennon Seminary, and his wife Wendy. The camp will run from 8 – 12 July, with a cost of \$60 per student (family discount available). Please find more information at ChantCampSTL.com.

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### **PRINT & DIGITAL AD SPACE AVAILABLE**

Bob Swagman from LPI, our bulletin printer (beginning in late June 2024), will be securing new ads for our church in the coming weeks. As a valuable member of the business community, we invite you to expand your reach and grow your business with a print ad in our parish bulleting and/or a digital ad featured on ParishesOnline.com. For more information, please contact Bob Swagman at 636-346-2058 or <u>rswagman@4lpi.com</u>.

### SUMMER SCHEDULE

While this is several months away, to allow the faithful of the Oratory to plan accordingly, the Oratorv will implement а summer schedule. Beginning on 1 July 2024 and concluding on 14 August 2024 the Oratory will have only daily Holy Mass at 12:15 pm with Confessions at 11:00 am. The Saturday and Sunday schedules will remain the same. The offices hours during this time will be Monday through Thursday from 8:00 am until 2:30 pm. The offices will be closed on Fridays. These scheduling changes allow the priests of the Oratory to take vacation and more importantly canonical to make their retreats. So too, the changed office hours will allow our dedicated staff time for vacation. As we move closer to the month of July, more information will be provided.

# CATHOLICHOMESCHOOLVIRTUALCONFERENCE – June 7-8, 2024

"Rooted in Faith! Growing in Knowledge" with your families.

https://catholichomeschoolconference.com/

We are pleased to have Bishop Joseph Strickland kicking off our event along with other great speakers along with Catholic colleges, homeschool companies and curriculum providers. Our Early Bird rate is now in effect. We also have an opportunity to become an affiliate which will bring you \$10 for every family who registers through your specific link. https://catholichomeschoolconference.com/af filiate/

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### NEW FAMILIES for MAY (alphabetical order):

A warm welcome to our new parishioners!

- Chanel Barth
- Xander Jones
- Samuel Mason
- The Williams Family ~ Justin & Chrystal

### DECLINE TO SIGN

You may soon see paid signature gatherers in public places in Missouri asking you to sign a pro-abortion initiative petition. The ballot summary is very deceptive claiming to protect women's health and "reproductive health care." However, this initiative petition will put in

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the Missouri constitution a "right" to dangerous late-term abortions with taxpayer money without parental consent for minors and without the oversight of health agencies to protect the health of Missouri women. Those signature gatherers need to get a certain number of signatures from six out of eight congressional districts to put this deceptive and extreme antilife measure on the November 2024 ballot. Please protect our constitution and defend life in Missouri by declining to sign if you are asked to sign this petition. Call the Missouri Right to Life hotline to report the location of signature gatherers at **417-413-4134**.

### WEDDING BANNS

#### There is a promise of marriage between:

II ~ Liliana Mercer & Jordan Hall (22 June 2024)

## **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 or Fr. Rennier have blessed the items Donna Mueller, Administrative Assistant to the Rector, will call you to let you know the items are ready for pick up (from the rectory office, Mon-Fri, 9am-2pm). **Please drop off items at the front door on Dale Avenue, across from the field parking lot.** 

### PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

- Rosalind Anderson, mother of Agnes Joseph and Robert Anderson
- Anthony DeStefano, uncle of Emily Lund
- Anthony "Kim" Edgar, father of Fr. Zach Edgar
- Robert Milton Folle, father of Dottie Schwartz
- Sharon Koenig, sister of Dottie Schwartz
- Joseph Ley, father of Teresa Holman
- Mary Machain, grandmother of Kiera Petrick
- Thomas Schuette, brother of Robert Schuette
- Donald Sunbury, uncle of Terri Fowler

### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

In your charity, please pray for the following members of the Oratory who are ill: Steven

Balderrama, father of Joseph Balderrama; Elizabeth Berwin, cousin of David O'Gorman; Tom Borek, husband of Jennifer; Jeanmarie DeCoster; Mary Gleckler, mother of Cathy Saccente and Mary Nelson; Lena Henry, daughter of Toni & Mickey Henry; Shane Kiser, husband of Maggie Kiser; John & Dotty Kuhlmann, parents of Donna Mueller; James Frances Mooney, father of Dr. Joseph Mooney; Michael Norfleet, son of Marsha Norfleet; Elizabeth Ryan; Patrick Schneider; Leah & Sylvester Soldinie, and Renee Weidner.

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# USHERS' SCHEDULE

#### Sunday, June 2nd

- 6:30 am Chris Bauman\*, Bill Saccente
- 8:00 am Sam Ashlock\*, Robert Morgan, Ken Catalano, Kenny Buyle
- **10:00 am** Robert Morgan\*, Joe Gassiraro, Mark Scheer, John Simmons

### Sunday, June 9th

- 6:30 am Bill Saccente\*, Ben Schubert
- 8:00 am Robert Morgan\*, Kenny Buyle, Ken Catalano, Terry Conway
- **10:00 am** Joe Gassiraro\*, Robert Morgan, John Simmons, Mark Scheer

### Sunday, June 16th

- 6:30 am Ben Schubert\*, Evan Adair
- 8:00 am Kenny Buyle\*, Terry Conway, Ken Catalano, Kip Babington
- **10:00 am** Robert Morgan\*, John Simmons, Mark Scheer, Patrick Kelly

### Sunday, June 23rd

- 6:30 am Bill Saccente\*, Chris Bauman
- 8:00 am Terry Conway\*, Kip Babington, Jeff Martin, Sam Ashlock
- **10:00 am** John Simmons\*, Mark Scheer, Patrick Kelly, Gabe Jones

### Sunday, June 30th

- 6:30 am Bill Saccente, Ben Schubert
- **8:00 am** Kip Babington\*, Jeff Martin, Sam Ashlock, Ken Catalano
- **10:00 am** Mark Scheer\*, Patrick Kelly, Gabe Jones, Joe Gassiraro

# 2 June 2024

Date	Time	MC at High Mass / Acolyte at Low Mass	Thurifer	Acolyte 1	Acolyte 2
June 2, 2024	6:30	Jack Ryan			
	8:00	Cameron Toal			
	10:00	Anthony Blum	Joseph Blum	P.T. Blaxton	Castor Armesto
June 9,	6:30	Jack Ryan			
2024	8:00	Michael Rheinheimer			
	10:00	John Rheinheimer	John Morgan	Joseph Blum	Michael Blum
June	6:30	Jack Ryan			
16, 2024	8:00	Michael Turntine			
	10:00	Cameron Toal	Simon Wisniewski	Peter Blum	Matthew Pickert
June	6:30	Jack Ryan			
23,	8:00	Simon Wisniewski			
2024	10:00	Michael Turntine	Anthony Blum	John Morgan	Joseph Fowler
June 30, 2024	6:30	Jack Ryan			
	8:00	Michael Turntine			
	10:00	Salvatore Saccente	Cameron Toal	Castor Armesto	Avery Blaxton

#### + ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE – JUNE 2024 +

### First Friday / First Saturday

Saturday,	8:15 am	Michael Turntine	Salvatore	Castor	Avery Blaxton
June 1, 2024			Saccente	Armesto	
Friday,	7:15 pm	John	Michael Turntine	Michael	Castor
June 7, 2024		Rheinheimer		Rheinheimer	Armesto

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**FROM THE WELLSPRING OF TRADITION ... SACRED HEART and the 1<sup>st</sup> FRIDAY DEVOTION** In the year 1673, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, a Visitation sister in religious life who had an intimate relationship with Christ, reported a vision in which Our Lord allowed her to rest her head against his chest. When Christ revealed his Sacred Heart to her, he said, "Behold this Heart which has so loved men that it spared nothing, even going so far as to exhaust and consume itself, to prove to them its love." She was from that moment dedicated to promoting devotion to the Sacred Heart.

She further records Our Lord's words, writing, "On Friday during Holy Communion, [Our Lord] said these words to [me]...I promise you in the excessive mercy of my Heart that its all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on nine first Fridays of consecutive months the grace of final repentance; they will not die under my displeasure or without receiving their sacraments, my divine Heart making itself their assured refuge at the last moment."

What a beautiful promise! Some of us, I am sure, are at least a little bit worried about dying in a state of grace. We worry we won't be prepared. This is a valid concern, but don't be overly anxious! Jesus has promised to supply all the grace we need in our final moments. It is our responsibility, though, to prepare ahead of time. We must live every moment as though it may be our last and never take Our Lord's Sacred Heart for granted.

Some worry that they will not make it to confession in time to be forgiven of a lingering mortal sin, and I would encourage everyone to make frequent use of the confessional. We have confession times every single day here at the oratory. Don't wait or put it off. But be assured, if we live our lives as Jesus wishes us to, he will bring us safely

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to Heaven and mortal sin will not win the day. Open your heart to Christ and he will give you his Sacred Heart as a resting place.

I want to go over the words of Our Lord to St. Margaret again, just so we understand the details. It's nice to have a simple, clear plan to follow. Our Lord says that we may obtain extra graces by 1) receiving Holy Communion on the 1st Friday on 9 consecutive Fridays, and 2) making these communions with an internal devotion to the Sacred Heart, particular to make reparations for sins.

So great was the love of St. Margaret Mary for the Sacred Heart that the last words on her lips at the time of her death were, "What have I in heaven and what do I desire on earth, but Thee alone, O my God."

The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Our Lord, so what better time to begin practicing the First Friday devotion than right now?

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LITANY TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS					
Lord, have mercy, Lord, have mercy.	Heart of Jesus, of whose fullness we have all received,				
Christ, have mercy, Christ, have mercy.	have mercy on us.				
Lord, have mercy, Lord, have mercy.	Heart of Jesus, desire of the everlasting hills, have mercy				
	on us.				
Christ, hear us, Christ, hear us.	Heart of Jesus, patient and most merciful, have mercy on				
Christ, graciously hear us. Christ, graciously hear us.	us.				
	Heart of Jesus, enriching all who invoke Thee, have mercy				
God the Father of Heaven, have mercy on us.	on us.				
God the Son, Redeemer of the world, have mercy on us.	Heart of Jesus, fountain of life and holiness, have mercy				
God, the Holy Spirit, have mercy on us.	on us.				
Holy Trinity, One God, have mercy on us.	Heart of Jesus, propitiation for our sins, have mercy on us.				
Heart of Jesus, Son of the Eternal Father, have mercy on	Heart of Jesus, loaded down with opprobrium, have mercy				
us.	on us.				
Heart of Jesus, formed by the Holy Spirit in the womb of the	Heart of Jesus, bruised for our offenses, have mercy on				
Virgin Mother, have mercy on us.	us.				
Heart of Jesus, substantially united to the Word of God,	Heart of Jesus, obedient to death, have mercy on us.				
have mercy on us.	Heart of Jesus, pierced with a lance, have mercy on us.				
Heart of Jesus, of Infinite Majesty, have mercy on us.	Heart of Jesus, source of all consolation, have mercy on				
Heart of Jesus, Sacred Temple of God, have mercy on us.	us.				
Heart of Jesus, Tabernacle of the Most High, have mercy	Heart of Jesus, our life and resurrection, have mercy on				
on us.	us.				
Heart of Jesus, House of God and Gate of Heaven, have	Heart of Jesus, our peace and our reconciliation, have				
mercy on us.	mercy on us.				
Heart of Jesus, burning furnace of charity, have mercy on	Heart of Jesus, victim for our sins, have mercy on us.				
us.	Heart of Jesus, salvation of those who trust in Thee, <b>have</b>				
Heart of Jesus, abode of justice and love, have mercy on	mercy on us.				
us.	Heart of Jesus, hope of those who die in Thee, have mercy				
Heart of Jesus, full of goodness and love, have mercy on	on us.				
us.	Heart of Jesus, delight of all the Saints, have mercy on us.				
Heart of Jesus, abyss of all virtues, have mercy on us.					
Heart of Jesus, most worthy of all praise, have mercy on	Lamb of God, who taketh away the sins of the world, spare				
us.	us, O Lord.				
Heart of Jesus, king and center of all hearts, have mercy	Lamb of God, who taketh away the sins of the world,				
on us.	graciously hear us, O Lord.				
Heart of Jesus, in whom are all treasures of wisdom and	Lamb of God, who taketh away the sins of the world, have				
knowledge, have mercy on us.	mercy on us, O Lord.				
Heart of Jesus, in whom dwells the fullness of divinity, <b>have</b>					
mercy on us.	V. Jesus, meek and humble of heart. <b>R. Make our hearts</b>				
Heart of Jesus, in whom the Father was well pleased, <b>have</b>	like to Thine.				

#### Let us pray:

mercy on us.

Almighty and eternal God, look upon the Heart of Thy most beloved Son and upon the praises and satisfaction which He offers Thee in the name of sinners; and to those who implore Thy mercy, in Thy great goodness, grant forgiveness in the name of the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, who livest and reignest with Thee forever and ever. Amen.

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#### FROM THE RECTOR

God truly is all wise, loving, and merciful. Since the celebration of the Lord's Resurrection Holy Mother Church has provided us the blessing of contemplating the riches of God. From Our Lord's glorious Ascension to today's celebration of His Sacred Body on the External Solemnity of Corpus Christi, we have set before our very eyes the depth of His wisdom, love, and mercy. It is through the mystery of the Most Holy Eucharist that the merits of the Lord's Cross are still applied to the souls of mankind. Having prepared us for His great sacrifice at the Last Supper, He leaves this great memorial of His passion, death, and resurrection that we, His faithful children, would forever have in our midst His real, true, and substantial presence. In giving us the Most Holy Eucharist the Lord fulfills His promise to be with us always until the end of time. So too, through the Most Holy Eucharist we are allowed to experience our unity with the Blessed Trinity. Pray for an increase of respect and devotion to the Blessed Sacrament and pray for our priests who make this sacrifice available to us. Through your own lived sacrifices, make reparation for all the offenses against the Most Holy Eucharist. Let us entreat God for the courage we need to protect and defend the Most Holy Eucharist against all sacrilege and profanation. Finally, let us pray that the Holy Eucharist and the Holy Mass will always be the center of our lives.

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#### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Sunday, 2 June:

- Prime @ 7:20 am
- Terce @ 9:40 am
- Corpus Christi Procession after 10 am Holy Mass
- Vespers @ 2:30 pm

#### Monday, 3 June:

- OFFICE CLOSED
- Vespers @ 6:00 pm

#### Tuesday, 4 June:

- OFFICE CLOSED
- Compline @ 7:30 pm

#### Wednesday, 5 June:

- Holy Hour @ 5:00 6:00 pm
- Compline @ 7:30 pm
- KofC Financial Planning Seminar @ 7:30 pm

#### Thursday, 6 June:

- OFFICE CLOSED
- Compline @ 7:30 pm

#### Friday, 7 June:

OFFICE CLOSED

#### Saturday, 8 June:

- Baptism @ 1:30 pm

# PILGRIM VIRGIN MARY STATUE 2024

05/19-05/26 Kenney 06/02-06/09 Hayes 06/16-06/23 Filla 06/30-07/07 D'Cunha 07/14-07/21 Stolarski 07/28-08/04 Santschi

05/26-06/02 Raymond 06/09-06/16 Schuette 06/23-06/30 Petrick 07/07-07/14 Alexander 07/21-07/28 Henry 8/04-08/11 Kiser 08/11-08/18 Buyle 08/25-09-01 Leljedal 12/01-12/08 Kenney 12/15-12/22 Hayes 12/29-01/05 Filla 08/18-08/25 Agnew 09/01-09-08 Grizzle 12/08-12/15 Raymond 12/22-12/29 Schuette 01/05-01/12 Petrick

Drop off and pick up the statue in the vestibule (back of church). Place the statue bag on the floor to left of the Oratory table. To join or to quit the schedule contact Sharon Alexander saalexa@sbcglobal.net

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#### MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, 3 June – **Octave Day of Corpus Christi** 12:15 pm: Alexander & Rita Okwuashi (d)

Tuesday, 4 June – **Octave Day of Corpus Christi** 7:00 am: Jim Griffin (d) 12:15 pm: Alexander & Rita Okwuashi (d)

Wednesday, 5 June – **Octave Day of Corpus Christi** 12:15 pm: Sebastian & Eva Susovica (d) 6:30 pm: Alexander & Rita Okwuashi (d)

Thursday, 6 June – **Octave of Corpus Christi** 7:00 am: Alexander & Rita Okwuashi (d) 12:15 pm: Donald John Mueller

#### Friday, 7 June - Sacred Heart

12:15 pm: Msgr. Morris 7:15 pm: Alexander & Rita Okwuashi (d)

Saturday, 8 June – **Octave Day of Sacred Heart** 8:15 am: Alexander & Rita Okwuashi (d)

Sunday, 9 June – **3**<sup>rd</sup> **Sunday after Pentecost** 6:30 am: Pro Populo 8:00 am: Alexander & Rita Okwuashi (d) 10:00 am: Leo & Mary Otto (d)

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 Weekly Collection Total
 \$ 7,538.32

 Online Giving
 \$ 6,647.40

 Total
 \$ 14,185.72

 Needed
 \$ 13,810.00

 Year to Date Total
 \$ 748,431.71

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



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