January 8, 2017

St. Joseph Oratory

Living the Truth in Charity

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ORATORY CLERGY & STAFF

Msgr. R. Michael Schmitz STD, JCD, Vicar General Rev. Canon Matthew Talarico, Provincial Superior Rev. Canon Michael Stein, Rector Rev. Jonathon Fehrenbacher, Deacon Mr. Michael Semaan, Music Director

Regular Schedule

Sundays 9:00 AM Low Mass, 11:00 AM High Mass, 6:00 PM Vespers & Benediction

Weekdays 8:00 AM Low Mass except Wednesdays

Wednesday 12:00 PM Low Mass & Perpetual Novena to St. Joseph

Friday 6:00 PM Holy Hour First Friday 7:00 PM High Mass

Saturday 9:00 AM Low Mass & Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Confessions daily 30 minutes before Mass; Sundays 8-8:50 AM & 10-10:50 AM





Liturgical Calendar Server Schedule Sunday, January 10 Sunday, January 8, Feast of the Holy Family 9:00 AM Low Mass with organ **Pro Populo** 9:00am Low Mass 11:00 AM High Mass **+ Gus Banks**, requested by Michael Waitkus AC1: Raymond Schmidt 6:00 PM Solemn Vespers & Benediction AC2: Anthony Skinner Monday, January 9, Feria, Votive Mass of the Holy Trinity 11:00am High Mass 8:00 AM Low Mass Poor Souls, requested by Anonymous MC: Chris Din Thurifer: Michael Alvarez Tuesday, January 10, Feria, Votive Mass of the Angels 8:00 AM Low Mass + Joseph Kachman, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Simmons AC1: Stefan von Beulow AC2: Johannes von Beulow Wednesday, January 11, Feria, Votive Mass of St. Joseph Crucifer: Freddy Woodward 12:00 PM Low Mass & Perpetual Novena to St. Joseph Thursday, January 12, Feria, Votive Mass of the Holy Eucharist 8:00 AM Low Mass + Charles Hauf Jr., requested by John Hauf Usher Schedule Friday, January 13, Baptism of Our Lord Sunday, January 10 8:00 AM Low Mass **Poor Souls,** requested by Christine Gray 9:00am Low Mass Saturday, January 14, St. Hilary, Confessor - Matt McGuire 9:00 AM Low Mass & Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help - James Kortes + Charles Hauf Jr., requested by John Hauf AC2: Anthony Skinner Sunday, January 15, Second Sunday after the Epiphany 11:00am High Mass 9:00 AM Low Mass with organ Carol Majkowski, requested by W. Majkowski - Eric Mogensen **Pro Populo** 11:00 AM High Mass 6:00 PM Solemn Vespers & Benediction - Ishmael Lebron

FROM THE RECTOR: CANON MICHAEL STEIN

Dear Oratory Faithful, Blessed Feast of the Holy Famil

Blessed Feast of the Holy Family! Today is a most important feast in this world ever hostile to the family. God, throughout history, has always raised up saints that the world needs. Today, the world needs good, solid, persevering, faithful, devout, and joyful families. This is your vocation! We need holy families and God is granting you particular graces on this feast day to renew your resolutions and fervor. A family that prayers together stays together. *Ite ad Joseph!*

Dear Helpers of the Holy Family,

Thank you for signing up to join our volunteer group. On Sat. Feb. 4th we will be having our *first* 1st Saturday Morning of Recollection. It is also the day before the Installation Ceremony with the Archbishop. Please plan on staying after the recollection to help prepare the Church

Calendar of Events

What is the history of the Feast of the Holy Family?

The Feast of the Holy Family is the annual liturgical celebration honoring Our Lord, the Blessed Virgin Mary, and Saint Joseph, as a family. The primary purpose of this feast is to present the Holy Family as a model for families. The feast was instituted by Pope Leo XIII in 1893 and set on the Sunday within the Octave of the Epiphany; that is to say, on the Sunday between January 7 through January 13. Veneration of the Holy Family was formally begun in the 17th century by St. François de Laval, the first bishop of New France. He also founded the Confraternity bearing its name. Jesus, Mary and Joseph, pray for us!

Save the Date!

On Sunday, February 5th at 11am, Archbishop Vigneron will install Canon Michael Stein as Parish Pastor. The traditional ceremony of installation will precede the Solemn High Mass. For the occasion, Rev. Canon Matthew Talarico, Provincial for the USA will also be present.

Join the Oratory Cooking Crews

The organizers of the Oratory Cooking Crews are looking for a group of generous souls to join in the new year. There will be seven crews, one for each day of the week. Initially, members will volunteer their time to prepare a dinner for Canon and Deacon once every two weeks. However, as the crews increase over time, each member will cook only every three weeks or more. Meals may be brought to the rectory a day or two in advance, may be frozen, etc., as it works with your schedule.

Please sign up in the vestibule or contact Mrs. Candace Dull at candace.l.dull@gmail.com or 248-242 -6447.

Let us care for Canon and Deacon as they nourish our souls and work tirelessly on building up our new parish and restoring the St. Joseph Oratory campus. Today! Sunday, January 8, First Communion Catechism after 11am Mass in NEW Rectory Classrooms

Wednesday, January 11, Children's Catechism at 7pm in the NEW Rectory Classrooms

Sunday, January 15, Confirmation Catechism after 11am Mass in NEW Rectory Classrooms

Wednesday, January 18, Teenage Catechism at 7pm in the NEW Rectory Classrooms

Sunday, January 22, *Lesson in Liturgy* after the 11am High Mass in the Saint Joseph Social Hall "The Asperges; a Purifying Preparation for Mass"

Thursday, January 26 - Saturday, January 28 Sursum Corda March for Life Trip, joining the Institute's Midwest Brigade. Ages 16-30 *Late registrations possible this week*. Only \$250 for round trip bus and two nights in hotel. Reserve now.

Sunday, January 29, Solemnity of St. Francis de Sales 9:00am Low Mass, 11:00am Solemn High Mass, 6:00pm Vespers & Benediction *Patron of the Institute, Gain a Plenary Indulgence!*

Sunday, January 29, Parish Ice Skating Outing following 11:00am Mass at Patterson Park ice rink in Grosse Pointe - please sign up in the vestibule for skates

Thursday, February 2, Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary, 8:00am Low Mass, 7:00pm High Mass with Candle Blessing & Procession

Sat., February 4, 1st Saturday Morning Recollection, 9am Mass and Devotions, shared breakfast & Spiritual Conference in Hall, Adoration, Rosary, Benediction

Sunday, February 5, Installation of Canon Stein as Pastor by Archbishop Allen Vigneron, at 11 am before Solemn High Mass, followed by Reception

Catechism Cycle:

1st and 3rd Wednesdays: Teenage Catechism

2nd and 4th Wednesdays: Children's Catechism

Thank you!!

Consecration Prayer to the Holy Family

O Jesus, our most loving Redeemer, who having come to enlighten the world with Thy teaching and example, didst will to pass the greater part of Thy life in humility and subjection to Mary and Joseph in the poor home of Nazareth, thus sanctifying the Family that was to be an example for all Christian families, graciously receive our family as it dedicates and consecrates itself to Thee this day. Do Thou protect us, guard us and establish amongst us Thy holy fear, true peace and concord in Christian love: in order that by living according to the divine pattern of Thy family we may be able, all of us without exception, to attain to eternal happiness.

Mary, dear Mother of Jesus and Mother of us, by the kindly intercession make this our humble offering acceptable in the sight of Jesus, and obtain for us His graces and blessings.

O Saint Joseph, most holy Guardian of Jesus and Mary, help us by thy prayers in all our spiritual and temporal needs; that so we may be enabled to praise our divine Savior Jesus, together with Mary and thee, for all eternity. Amen.

2017 Church Envelopes for St. Joseph Oratory!

We are ordering weekly envelopes for 2017 to all those families who have now registered with St. Joseph Oratory. For those who have not yet registered, but would like to receive envelopes can do so <u>by providing your</u> <u>name and address to the parish office or by email.</u>

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Daily Prayer to St. Joseph written by St. Francis de Sales

Glorious St. Joseph, spouse of Mary, grant us thy paternal protection, we beseech thee by the heart of Jesus Christ. O thou, whose power extends to all our necessities and can render possible for us the most impossible things, open thy fatherly eyes to the needs of thy children. In the trouble and distress which afflicts us, we confidently have recourse to thee. Deign to take under thy charitable charge this important and difficult matter, cause of our worries. Make its happy outcome be for God's glory and for the good of His devoted servants. Amen.

Singing is praying twice! Join St. Joseph Cappella!

St. Joseph Cappella is a four-part choir (soprano, alto, tenor, and bass) with a rich repertoire of polyphonic and orchestral Masses, motets, and Gregorian chant. Singers interested in joining the St. Joseph Cappella, <u>especially</u> <u>Sopranos and Altos</u>, are invited to contact Music Director Michael Semaan at (248) 250-6005.

Choir Practices is every Wednesday night from: 7:00-8:30 pm in the choir loft then Gregorian chant from 8:30-9:00 pm

St. Joseph Oratory Sacrament Information:

Infant Baptism: Parents requesting Baptism must be active registered members of the Oratory.

First Communion and Confirmation: Children must attend the sacramental catechism classes at the Oratory.

Holy Matrimony: Couples planning to marry at the Oratory must call the Rectory for the proper instructions.

<u>Anointing of the Sick:</u> Members facing surgery, serious illness, or even death may call (313) 784-9152. Never wait, never hesitate... remember: physical healing can also be an effect of the sacrament. Don't deprive a loved one of God's help.







