

March 19, 2017

Third Sunday of Lent

St. Joseph Oratory

Living the Truth in Charity

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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

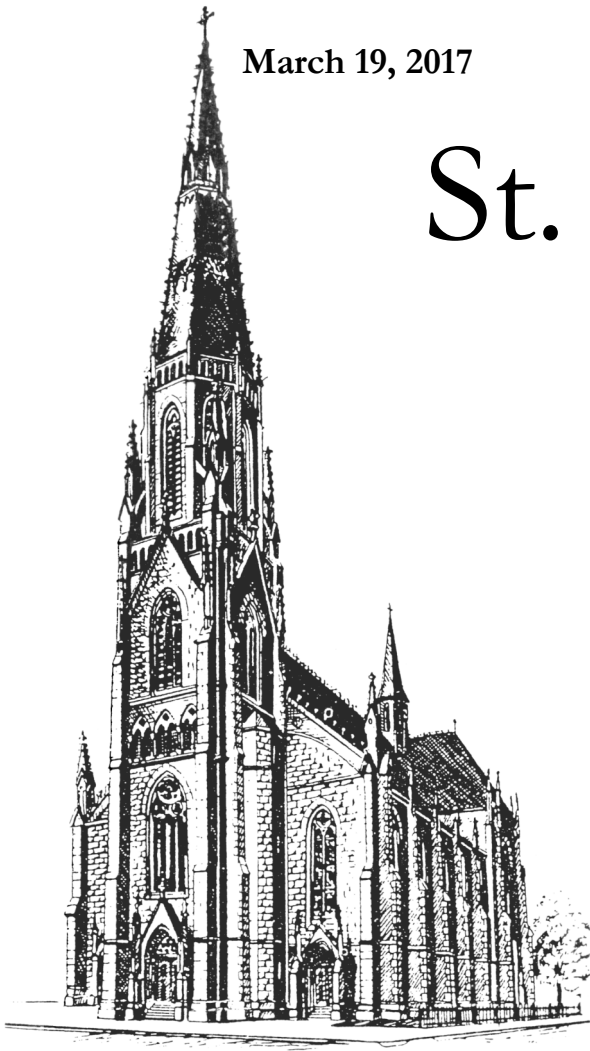
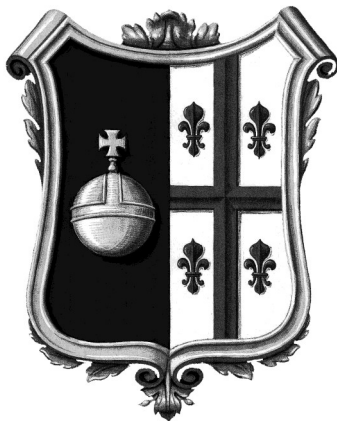
Friday 6:00 PM Holy Hour

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

*Institute of Christ the King
Sovereign Priest*



Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, March 19, Third Sunday of Lent

9:00 AM Low Mass

Jim and Nancy Wilbert

11:00 AM High Mass

Pro Populo

6:00 PM Solemn Vespers & Benediction

Monday, March 20, Solemnity of St. Joseph, Spouse of the BVM

8:00 AM Low Mass w/organ

Fr. Gordon Mann

Noon High Mass **For the Oratory**, 7:00 PM Solemn High Mass **Pro Populo**

Tuesday, March 21, Feast of St. Benedict, Patron of the Institute

8:00 AM Low Mass

Jim and Nancy Wilbert

7:00 PM Solemn High Mass **Oblates of the Institute of Christ the King**

Wednesday, March 22, Wednesday of the Third Week of Lent

12:00 PM Low Mass and Perpetual Novena

Thursday, March 23, Thursday of the Third Week of Lent

8:00 AM Low Mass

† Charles Hauf Jr., requested by John Hauf

Friday, March 24, Friday of the Third Week of Lent

8:00 AM Low Mass † Deceased of Sweeney Family, requested by Mrs. T.

6:00 PM Holy Hour, 7:00 PM Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 25, Feast of the Annunciation

9:00 AM High Mass & Novena **Taylor Kirby**, requested by Grandma & Grandpa

Sunday, March 26, Fourth Sunday of Lent, Laetare Sunday

9:00 AM Low Mass

† Deceased of Pieniazek Family, requested by W.M.

11:00 AM High Mass

Pro Populo

6:00 PM Solemn Vespers & Benediction

Server Schedule

Sunday, March 19

9:00am Low Mass

AC1: Chris Din

AC2: Anthony Skinner

11:00am High Mass

MC: Deacon Fehrenbacher

Thur: Michael Alvarez

AC1: Francisco von Buelow

AC2: Michael Carzon

Cruc.: Nicholas Alvarez

Wednesday, March 22

Noon Low Mass, Novena

MC/AC1: Chris Din

TH/AC2: Nicholas Alvarez

Usher Schedule

Sunday, March 19

9:00am Low Mass

- Andrew Fanco

- Eric Restuccia

11:00am High Mass

- Eric Mogensen

- Ishmael Lebron

FROM THE RECTOR: CANON MICHAEL STEIN

Dear Oratory Faithful,

Tomorrow is the day! Join us on the feast of our powerful patron. Honor him by attending Mass, serving the poor, processing in the streets, or by attending any number of the ceremonies and activities detailed on page 3 of the bulletin. Pray earnestly throughout the Solemnity for our Church Restoration Project. He is the Master Builder. He will hear our prayer and guide the work.

Please kindly consider volunteering for our St. Joseph Day of Prayer on Monday, March 20. Join the ranks of Altar Boys at the three Masses & grand procession. Join the ushers for the same events. Complete the kitchen and service crews for the meals as well as set-up and clean-up teams. Please email sjdetroit@institute-christ-king.org with *St. Joseph Day of Prayer Volunteering* in the subject line if you can offer to help in one of those needed areas. Thank you! *Ite ad Joseph!*

Saint Joseph Day of Prayer

Monday, March 20

7:05 am Lauds (Morning Prayer)
7:30 am Confession begins and continues throughout the day
8:00 am Low Mass with Organ
9:00 am Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament
10:00 am Rosary and Litany of Our Lady
11:15 am St. Joseph Novena Prayer
11:30 am Benediction
9-11:30 am St. Joseph Table in the Social Hall serving the community
12:00 pm High Mass with Chant Schola, Blessing of St. Joseph's Day Bread
1:00 pm Guided Tour of the Church
1-4:00 pm St. Joseph Italian Dinner in the Social Hall
3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet, Stations of the Cross
4:00 pm Organ Recital (see details below)
5:30 pm Public Procession with St. Joseph Statue to Eastern Market, Novena Devotions, Veneration of St. Joseph Relic
7:00 pm Solemn High Mass with St. Joseph Cappella
8:30 pm Dessert Reception in Social Hall
9:30 pm Compline (Night Prayer)

Organ Recital during St. Joseph Day of Prayer

4:00 pm Organ Recital, by Mr. Michael Semaan, Music Director, in honor of Mr. Thomas Kuras (1950-97), former Music Director at St. Joseph.

Meditations on the Seven Last Words of Christ, by John Huston with alternating meditations on the *Seven Last Words from the Passion and Death of Jesus Christ*, of Saint Alphonsus de Liguori, read by Deacon Fehrenbacher

Rotation of Sunday Devotions at the Oratory

1st Sunday of the Month: Men of Saint Joseph Devotions to their patron at his Side Altar.

2nd Sunday of the Month: Holy Name Society Devotions; pledge made at Main Altar.

3rd Sunday of the Month: Helpers of the Holy Family Devotions at the Altar of Our Lady.

Calendar of Events

Today! Sunday, March 19, Lesson in Liturgy after 11am Mass

Monday, March 20 Saint Joseph Day of Prayer
Full schedule in left column. ***Please Promote and Volunteer, Bring Friends and Family***

Tuesday, March 21, Feast of St. Benedict, Patron of the Institute. 8am Low Mass, 7pm Solemn High Mass, *Opportunity to gain a plenary indulgence!*

Friday, March 24, 6pm Holy Hour, 7pm Stations

Saturday, March 25, *Feast of the Annunciation*
9am High Mass and Novena

Sunday, March 26, 1st Communion Class after 11am Mass

Friday, March 31, 6pm Holy Hour, 7pm Stations

Saturday, April 1, *1st Saturday Morning of Recollection*
9am Mass & Devotions, followed by shared breakfast and spiritual conference, 11am Adoration & Rosary

***Save the Date* Friday, May 5**
Parish Gala at Eastern Market Shed 5

***Save the Date* Sun. May 21 First Communions**

Coffee in Social Hall after Sunday 11am Mass

Now available: Online Donating!
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Sunday Catechism Cycle Update

The rotation of class after 11am Mass continues:

Today, March 19: 20 minute Lesson in Liturgy "The Collect: Know what to ask for."

March 26: First Communion Class

April 2: Confirmation Class

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Wednesday Catechism Cycle

1st and 3rd Wednesdays: Teenage Catechism

2nd and 4th Wednesdays: Children's Catechism

Holy Week 2017

Palm Sunday, April 9 ~ 9:00 am Low Mass, 10:30 am Blessing of Palms and Procession (for both Masses), 11:00 am Solemn High Mass (Chant Schola), 6:00 pm Solemn Vespers and Benediction

Holy Thursday, April 13 ~ 6:00 pm Confessions, 7:00 pm Solemn High Mass (Palestrina's *Missa Aeterna Christi Munera*, St. Joseph Cappella) with Procession to the Altar of Repose, Adoration until Midnight

Good Friday, April 14 ~ 1:00 pm Confessions, 2:00 pm Stations of the Cross, 3:00 pm Solemn Liturgy of the Passion and Death of Our Lord (Chant Schola)

Holy Saturday, April 15 ~ 9:00 am Holy Office of Tenebrae with chant and polyphony, 8:00 pm Confessions, 9:00 pm Easter Vigil, Solemn High Mass (Chant Schola)

Easter Sunday, April 16 ~ 9:00 am Low Mass with Organ, 11:00 am Solemn High Mass (Palestrina's *Missa Brevis*, St. Joseph Cappella), 6:00 pm Solemn Vespers and Benediction

Easter Friday, April 21 ~ 8:00 am Low Mass, 6:00 pm Holy Hour, 7:00 pm High Mass (*St. Joseph Cappella*)

Octave of Easter, Divine Mercy Sunday, April 23 ~ 9:00 am Low Mass, 11:00 am High Mass (*St. Joseph Cappella*), 6:00 pm Solemn Vespers and Benediction

Prayer to St. Joseph by St. Francis de Sales

Novena: March 12-20

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.

St. Joseph Oratory Historical Society

Calling All History Buffs and Techies!

The story of our ancestors in the Faith at St. Joseph from 1855 to the present day is fascinating! Help is needed with an important project to research, gather, digitize, and preserve the history of the architecture, art, and parish life of St. Joseph. Not only will we protect the stories, artifacts, and photos for future generations, but this information will be used now for church tours, the parish website, the fundraising campaign, and so forth. Please speak to Canon Stein if you can assist or call the Parish Office: 313-784-9152

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.

Anointing of the Sick: 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.*

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