

August 6, 2017

Feast of the Transfiguration

St. Joseph Oratory

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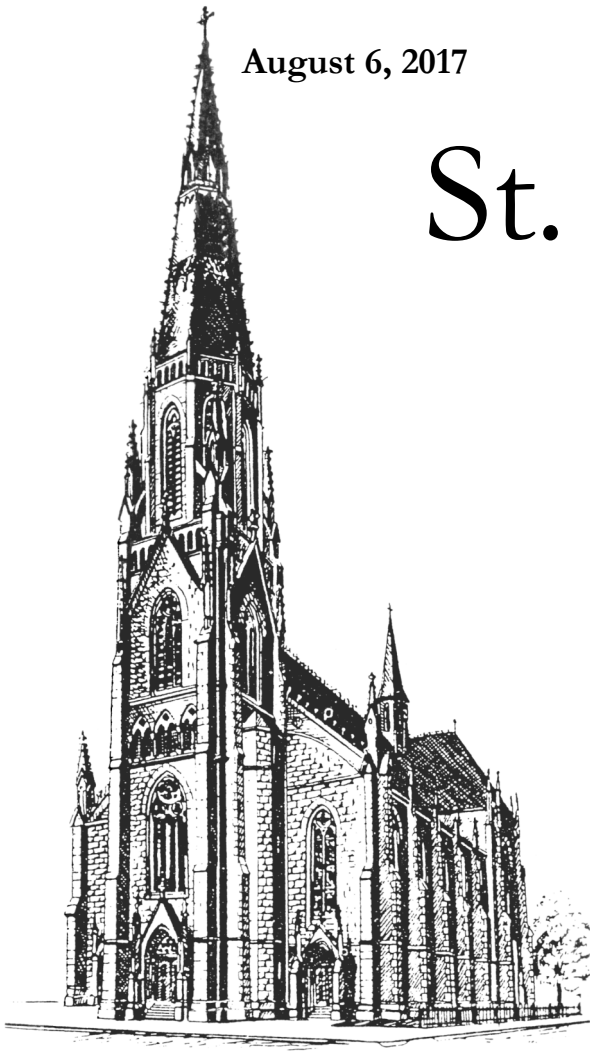
ORATORY CLERGY & STAFF

Msgr. R. Michael Schmitz STD, JCD, Vicar General

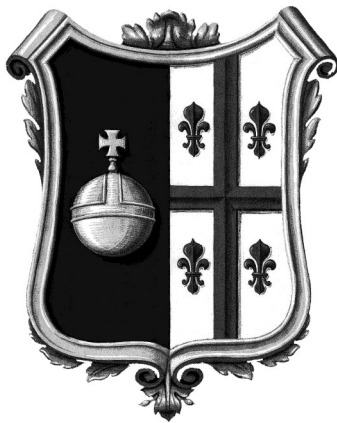
Rev. Canon Matthew Talarico, Provincial Superior

Rev. Canon Michael Stein, Rector

Mr. Michael Semaan, Music Director



*Institute of Christ the King
Sovereign Priest*



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

Sunday, August 6, Feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord

9:00 AM Low Mass w/organ Lorraine Gurta, *requested by Mary McIver*

11:00 AM High Mass Pro Populo

No Public Vespers

Monday, August 7, St. Cajetan, Confessor

8:00 AM Low Mass Kasimir Waitkus, *requested by Michael Waitkus*

Tuesday, August 8, St. John Vianney, Confessor

8:00 AM Low Mass † Maurice & Carlean House, *requested by W. Majkowski*

Wednesday, August 9, Vigil of St. Lawrence

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

Thursday, August 10, St. Lawrence, Martyr

8:00 AM Low Mass Waitkus Jr., *requested by Michael Waitkus*

Friday, August 11, Votive Mass of the Holy Ghost, *Com. of Ss Tibertius*

8:00 AM Low Mass Justin Umin, *requested by Elizabeth Locricchio*

6PM Holy Hour

Saturday, August 12, St. Clare, Virgin

9:00 AM Low Mass and Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotions

† Ralph & Martha Jackson, *requested by W. Majkowski*

Sunday, August 13, 10th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 AM Low Mass w/organ Deceased of the Golish Family

11:00 AM High Mass Pro Populo

No Public Vespers

Server Schedule

Sunday, August 6

9am Low Mass w/organ

AC1: Abbe' Marcelo

AC2: *open*

11am High Mass

MC: Johannes von Buelow

Thur: Michael Alvarez

AC1: Francesco von Buelow

AC2: Nicholas Alvarez

Crucifer: Thomas Alvarez

Wednesday, August 8

Noon Low Mass/Novena

Ac1/MC: Abbe' Marcelo

Ac2/Thur: Nicholas Alvarez

Usher Schedule

Sunday, August 6

9am Low Mass w/organ

- Eric Restuccia

- Matt McGuire

11am High Mass

- Eric Morgensen

- Ismael Lebron

FROM THE RECTOR: CANON MICHAEL STEIN

Dear Oratory Faithful,

We are very happy to welcome Canon Fehrenbacher back to St. Joseph Oratory! Be sure to greet him after the Masses. There is a light reception in the social hall after today's 11am Mass.

We offer a most special thank you to Mr. Chris Din, who has faithfully served many Detroit churches over the years, including St. Joseph. He is discerning a vocation and will begin that next step in his life this week. After today's festivities be sure to join in thanking him and assuring him of your prayers over at St. Josaphat in the early afternoon where there is a farewell party. *Ite ad Joseph!*

Please Note: Due to the different responsibilities and national activities of the season, there will be no public Sunday Vespers in the summer schedule until otherwise announced.

Heart to Heart Apostolate

Canon Stein's Conference on Marriage

"How to Make Your Marriage Happy and Holy" is now available on CD for \$7.50 in the vestibule. Refresh your catechism with the Church's perennial teaching on marriage and encourage your heart with practical resolutions following St. Francis de Sales.

Canon Fehrenbacher

Since August 1, Canon Fehrenbacher has returned to St. Joseph Oratory until the Institute of Christ the King holds its General Chapter Meeting at the Motherhouse in Gricigliano at the end of August. Then we shall know his assignment. *God's Will be done! Fiat!*

He is today's celebrant, **Deo gratias!**

Aug. 6th Update for Oktoberfest (Sun., Sept. 24)

- Do you know any individuals/businesses/organizations who would like to be a Sponsor? Please find the form for Sponsorships in the vestibule and on the new Oktoberfest tab of the Oratory website. With questions, please call Cynthia at 347-709-9689.

- The arts & crafts Vendor application form is also in the vestibule and on the website.

- Your quality donations for the Attic Treasures Tent may be brought to the Rectory basement from Aug 6. through Sept. 10. We are looking for clean, classic merchandise in good condition with great resale value, such as antiques, silver, jewelry, fine china, serving pieces, artworks, decorative glass, or general household goods. No books, clothes, very large items.

With questions, please email Janeen at janeen01@comcast.net

- Today after both Masses there will be an Authentic German Clothing & Accessories Resale Shop in the social hall.

- All hands on deck for the festival weekend! Please sign up for volunteer slots starting today in the vestibule. Thank you.

Calendar of Events

Sunday, August 6, 9am and 11am Masses offered by Cn. Fehrenbacher, Sacerdos in Aeternum *Deo Gratias!*

August 11-14, Seventh Annual Sursum Corda Weekend at Mundelein Seminary. Last chance registration information available on back cover.

Tuesday, August 15, *Feast of the Assumption*, 8am Low Mass and 7pm High Mass (with **Cantatio**)

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A special thank you to Fr. Jarvis, Fr. Mbog, and Fr. Bechill who will maintain the Oratory's entire daily liturgical schedule while the Canons are attending the General Chapter Meeting at the Motherhouse in Gricigliano, Italy

Monday, August 28 - Friday, September 1, General Chapter Meeting of the Institute of Christ the King. Thank you for keeping the Superiors and all the Canons worldwide in your prayers during this week.

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SAVE THE DATE: SEPT. 24th OKTOBERFEST
12:30PM - 8:30PM
after 11AM Orchestral Solemn High Mass

NEW GREGORIAN CHANT CD from the INSTITUTE of CHRIST the KING

Christus Regnat is the latest Gregorian Chant CD released by the seminarians of the Institute of Christ the King. It features the Mass of Christ the King and Solemn Vespers & Benediction. **The new CDs are \$15 each, 4 for \$50.**

Sung by the seminarians and recorded in Italy, this timeless chant can now come to your home!

Once the sales cover the cost of production, all profit supports the tuition fees of American seminarians. CDs are available in the Church vestibule and the gift shop located in the St. Joseph Social Hall.

Seventh Annual Sursum Corda Weekend

August 11th-14th at Mundelein Seminary

Sursum Corda is a nationwide initiative to foster the spiritual lives of young adults in the apostolates of the Institute of Christ the King. For the seventh year in a row, Sursum Corda is offering a social and spiritual weekend for young people, ages 18 and up, from August 11th to 14th. The event will be held on the beautiful grounds of Mundelein Seminary just north of Chicago. The program includes daily Mass, prayer in common, opportunities for confession, faith formation talks and discussions, and other social activities for young men and women. The weekend begins with **check-in at 3:00 PM on Friday, August 11th** at Mundelein and will end on Monday, August 14th at 12:00 PM.

To register, **please mail your check for \$250 to:**
Institute of Christ the King 2653 Ohio Ave, St. Louis,
MO 63118 **Payable to:** Institute of Christ the King
For: Sursum Corda Retreat

Important Announcement Regarding Vestibule Materials

Dear Faithful and Friends,
The vestibule of St. Joseph Oratory is the principle entrance to our beautiful Church and Parish. All material left or placed in the vestibule **must receive the explicit approval of the Pastor.** Prayer cards, pamphlets, and newsletters must all be met with individual approval. **Please respect these norms which are most necessary for a coherent and charitable expression of our spirituality.** *Thank you!*

Prayer to St. Joseph by St. Francis de Sales

Daily Novena Prayer

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!

Discern this summer if you would like to lend your voice to the Liturgy. Join and start in the Fall. *Venite!*

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 are invited to contact Music Director Michael Semaan at:
(248) 250-6005.

Choir Practice 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.

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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