

October 8, 2017

18th Sunday after Pentecost

St. Joseph Oratory

Living the Truth in Charity

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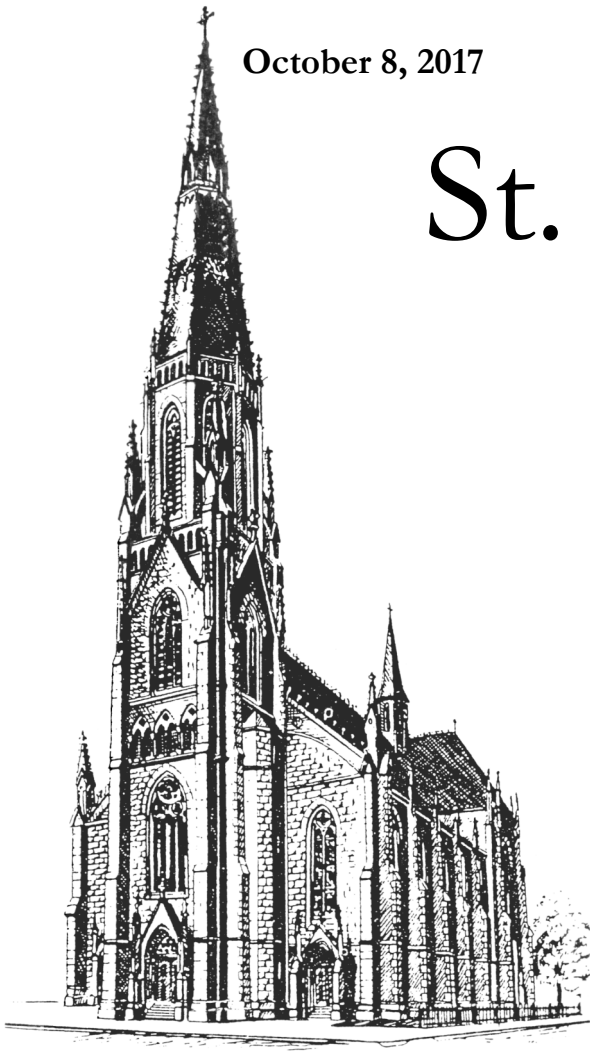
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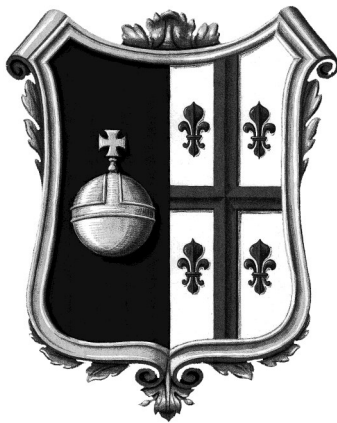
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*Institute of Christ the King
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Regular Schedule

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

Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, October 8, 18th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 AM Low Mass w/organ † **Joseph, Eleanor Merony**, *requested by K. Kubn*

11:00 AM Solemn High Mass

Pro Populo

6:00 PM Sung Vespers and Benediction

Monday, October 9, St. John Leonard, Confessor

8:00 AM Low Mass **Larry Dominique**, *requested by the Blaszak Family*

Tuesday, October 10, St. Francis Borgia, Confessor

8:00 AM Low Mass **The Pekala Family**, *requested by W. Majkowski*

Wednesday, October 11, Maternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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

Thursday, October 12, Feria, Votive Mass of the Most Holy Sacrament

8:00 AM Low Mass **Elisabeth Giles**, *requested by the Blaszak Family*

Friday, October 13, St. Edward, Confessor, *Fatima Centennial*

8:00 AM Low Mass **The Falletti Family**, *requested by W. Majkowski*

6PM Holy Hour, Renewal of the Consecration to the Immaculate Heart

Saturday, October 14, St. Callixtus I, Pope & Martyr

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

Brother Joseph, *requested by Mary McIver*

Sunday, October 15, 19th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 AM Low Mass w/organ **Archbishop Allen Vigneron**

11:00 AM High Mass **Pro Populo**

6:00 PM Sung Vespers and Benediction

Server Schedule

Sunday, October 8

9am Low Mass w/organ

AC1: Michael Carzon

AC2: Anthony Skinner

11am Solemn High Mass

MC: Johannes von Buelow

Thur: Michael Alvarez

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AC2: Thomas Alvarez

Crucifer: Eric Kash

Wednesday, October 11

Noon Low Mass/Novena

Ac1/MC: Michael Alvarez

Ac2/Thur: Nicholas Alvarez

Usher Schedule

Sunday, October 8

9am Low Mass w/organ

- Eric Restuccia

- Matt McGuire

11am Solemn High Mass

- Eric Morgensen

- Ismael Lebron

FROM THE RECTOR: CANON MICHAEL STEIN

Dear Oratory Faithful,

With the arrival of October comes the full deployment of our parish schedule. Please take note of the many save-the-dates and two important meetings. The first date of important meetings is next Sunday. **On Sunday the 15th we will be presenting our Historic Renewal Campaign to all of you** before going public on the 1st Anniversary of the Oratory's Inaugural Mass on the 16th. Please be present to share in the exciting vision of the restoration and growth of our campus; a Renaissance in all senses of the term! While there will be a brief presentation after the 9am Mass and the possibility of picking up materials, I encourage you to attend the full presentation after the 11am Mass. Refreshments will be served.

The second important meeting is Saturday, Oct. 21st. Cf. page 3 announcement. *Ite ad Joseph!*

Confirmation Reminders:

- Please submit your Baptismal and First Communion certificates.
- Please choose a Confirmation sponsor who is a practicing, confirmed Catholic with a note of good standing from the pastor of their home parish if not from St. Joseph Oratory.
- Please select a Confirmation name and submit it in writing along with your other paperwork.

SAVE THE DATE!

TODAY! Sunday Oct. 8, after the 11am Mass, there will be a mandatory class for all **Confirmandi**.

Saturday October 21st will be a very important day to prepare the parish for Confirmations and the visit of our Archbishop. After 9:00am Mass and devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 1) there will be a mandatory practice for all **Confirmandi and Altar Boys**. 2) Also, there will be a very important meeting for **Men of St. Joseph and for the Helpers of the Holy Family Oratory Groups** to discuss our mission, our spirituality, projects, organization and practical necessities to be addressed. **All members please be present for these important announcements!** These groups are a tremendous blessing for the Oratory and thus each member is enrolled in Our First Friday Evening High Mass! If you are not yet a member but are interested in joining, you are encouraged to come! Thank you for your generosity!

Nov. 5, ALL SAINTS PARTY after 11am Mass
How it works: In the St. Joseph Social Hall participants 16 and under dress like a saint of their choice and give a brief presentation allowing the audience to guess. The costume, presentation and attention to detail will be noted and a prize awarded to the best boy saint and the best girl saint. *When voting, remember parents cannot vote for their own child.* **Bring a dish to share: salad, sandwich/plate, or dessert.** Thank you for making this fun and edifying event possible through your generous sense of the family spirit that should reign in all our activities!

Calendar of Events

Today, October 8, *Obligatory Confirmation Class Meeting* after 11am Solemn High Mass for those to be confirmed on Oct. 22.

Wednesday, October 11, 7pm *Children's Catechism*

Saturday, October 14, *Sursum Corda Detroit Kickoff Event*, Noon Rosary, Introductory Conference, shared lunch. N.B. Sursum Corda will have monthly activities, the 2nd Saturday of each month

Sunday, October 15, *Important Presentation on Historic Renewal Campaign for all the faithful* in St. Joseph Social Hall after the 11am Mass. *Join the Living Legacy!*

Monday, October 16, *1st Anniversary of Institute's Inaugural Mass at St. Joseph Oratory*, **Capital Campaign Launch to General Public, 10am Press Conference**

Saturday, October 21, 9:00am Low Mass and Devotions followed by: 1) Altar Boy and Confirmandi Practice, 2) Men of St. Joseph and Helpers of the Holy Family Volunteer Meeting

Sunday, October 22, 11am Confirmations w/ Archbishop Vigneron. *Deo gratias!*

Sunday, October 29, *Feast of Christ the King* and Seminary Collection for the Institute

Wednesday, November 1, All Saints (Holy Day of Obligation) 12pm Low Mass, 7pm High Mass

Thursday, November 2, All Souls, 8:00am and 8:40am Low Masses, 7pm Solemn Requiem Mass

Friday, November 3, Commemoration of the Deceased of the Institute of Christ the King, 8:00am Low Mass, 7:00pm High Mass

Saturday, November 4, *1st Saturday Morning Recollection*, 9am Mass & Devotions, shared breakfast, spiritual conference, rosary and benediction

Getting Acquainted with Aquinas

Beginning in November the clergy of St. Joseph Oratory will be giving monthly doctrinal conferences. Discover the beauty of the Faith and enrich your understanding of it in the school of St. Thomas Aquinas.

These monthly conferences will occur on the 3rd Friday of every month at 7pm after 6pm Holy Hour and followed by a free dinner buffet for all participants. Save the Date: Friday, November 17th

Calling Seamstresses and Tailors!

The blue fabric is finally shipped (!!!)

Now we need your help getting the proper white material, lace and more blue buttons.

Your generous help is needed in sewing Institute Altar Boy cassocks for St. Joseph Oratory. As you see in pictures of the Institute Apostolates around the World, summer camp, and in St. Peter's Basilica in Vatican City our Altar Boys have a blue habit. The blue is the visible sign of our consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary. That is why it appears on the Canons' choir habit and biretta. **Servers of religious orders have always had matching garb of the community.** That's even why altar boys are in cassocks in the first place: to match the priests! Please contact Canon Stein via email or call the Rectory at (313) 784-9152 if you can assist or support the project. We are looking for those who can take measurements and sew these cassocks. If sewing is not your talent, you could also donate for the purchase of the necessary materials. **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.

Sursum Corda Detroit Kickoff!

Save the Date: October 14th, Noon Rosary, 12:30pm Introductory Conference, 1:15pm Shared Lunch

Sursum Corda is the Institute of Christ the King's Nationwide Ministry to young adults (18-35).

Sursum Corda assures the spiritual formation of participants according to the spirituality of St. Francis de Sales with the aid of other secondary patrons: St. Thomas Aquinas and St. Benedict. Events will include spiritual conferences, faith formation, retreats, recreational outings, and Works of Mercy. **Functions will be monthly: the 2nd Saturday of every month.**

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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