

December 31, 2017

Sunday within the Octave of Christmas

St. Joseph Oratory

Living the Truth in Charity

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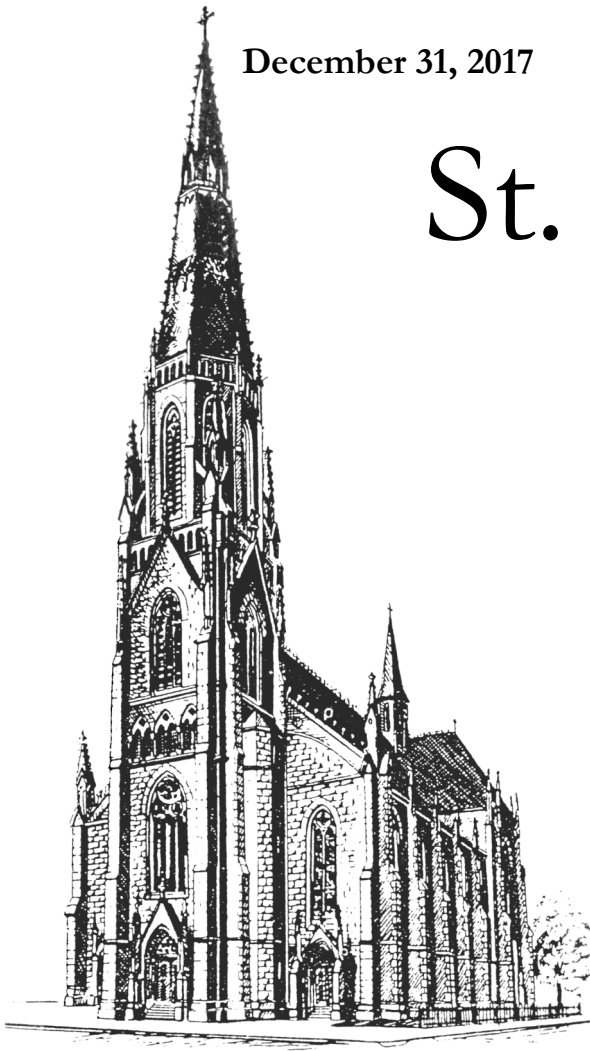
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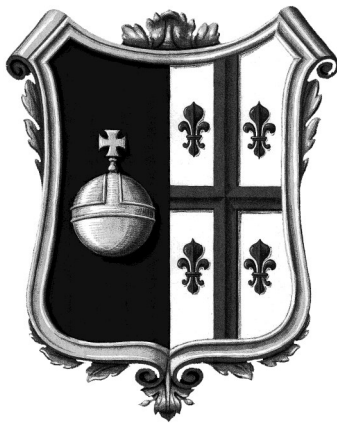
Rev. Canon Michael Stein, Rector

Rev. Canon Jonathon Fehrenbacher, Vicar

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, December 31, Sunday after the Nativity of Our Lord

9:00 AM Low Mass w/organ **Archbishop Vigneron**
11:00 AM Solemn High Mass **Pro Populo**
6:00 PM Vespers and Benediction with *Te Deum*

Monday, January 1, Octave Day of Christmas, Circumcision of Our Lord

9:00 AM Low Mass w/organ † **Edgar Quimpo**, requested by the Rogers Family
11:00 AM Solemn High Mass **Pro Populo**

Tuesday, January 2, Feast of the Holy Name

8:00 AM Low Mass **Private Intentions**, requested by the von Buelow Family

Wednesday, January 3, Feria, Mass of January 1st

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

Thursday, January 4, Feria, Votive Mass of Jesus Eternal High Priest

8:00 AM Low Mass † **Roosevelt Mazyck Jr.**, requested by Richard Mazyck

Friday, January 5, Feria, Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

8:00 AM Low Mass † **Jesus Puelan**, requested by the Rogers Family
6PM Holy Hour & 7PM High Mass **Oratory Groups**

Saturday, January 6, Feast of the Epiphany

9:00 AM High Mass † **Dora Mazyck**, requested by Richard Mazyck

Sunday, January 7, Feast of the Holy Family

9:00 AM Low Mass w/organ **Ronald Mazyck**, requested by Richard Mazyck
11:00 AM Solemn High Orchestral Mass **Pro Populo**
6:00 PM Sung Vespers and Benediction

FROM THE RECTOR: CANON STEIN

Dear Oratory Faithful,

I cannot encourage you enough to start the New Year off right! Yes, January 1st falls on a Monday (just like Christmas did) but are we really going to start the new calendar year by saying “*God, my convenience is more important than sanctifying Your day*”? As a Parish we will not start in this way, and so we have the regular Sunday/Holy Day schedule on January 1st. God must truly be first in our lives. **Tomorrow you can prove it.** Each Mass is preceded by the *Veni Creator* which gives us the possibility to gain a *Plenary Indulgence* by solemnly invoking the Holy Ghost to consecrate the year to come. **Please Note:** If you are a registered member of the Oratory Volunteer Groups you have a Christmas gift bag at the foot of the decorated tree in the social hall. Please accept this small token of our appreciation. **Merry Christmas!**

Server Schedule

Sunday, December 31

9am Low Mass w/organ
AC1: Anthony Skinner
AC2: Patrick Skinner

11am Solemn High Mass

SD: Johannes von Buelow
MC: Stefan von Buelow
Thur: Michael Alvarez
AC1: Francesco von Buelow
AC2: Nicholas Alvarez
Cruc.: Apolinar Escareno

Monday, January 1

9am Low Mass w/organ
AC1: Patrick Skinner
AC2: Anthony Skinner

11am Solemn High Mass

SD: Stefan von Buelow
MC: Johannes von Buelow
Thur: Thomas Alvarez
AC1: Nicholas Alvarez
AC2: John Nellis
Cruc.: Eric Kash

Usher Schedule

Sunday, December 31

9am Low Mass w/organ

- Nathaniel Bean
- Matt Langenderfer

11am Solemn High Mass

- Jerrold Bartholomew
- Max Douglas
- Ismael Lebron
- David Oroshi

Monday, January 1

9am Low Mass w/organ

- Matt McGuire
- Andrew Fanco

11am Solemn High Mass

- John Wilson
- Max Douglas
- Rodney Pelletier
- Nathaniel Bean

Help Spread the News of the Historic Renewal Campaign!

Take the newly printed postcards to your local neighborhood shops and friends!

Parish Christmas Reception on the Feast of the Holy Family, January 7th

After the 11am Orchestral Mass please join us in the St. Joseph Social Hall for a Parish Christmas Reception.

It is most fitting that during the Christmas Season and on the Feast of the Holy Family that **we gather together as a Parish Family** to celebrate joyfully the great mysteries of Christ's Nativity and Infancy.

Please bring a dish to share: salad/appetizers, cold dishes, warm dishes, desserts... **Thank you!**

**Monthly Activities at the Oratory
Here's How You Can Participate More in 2018**

Sursum Corda: is the Institute of Christ the King's ministry to Young Adults (ages 18-35). **We meet the 2nd Saturday of every month.** Each event involves something spiritually edifying & a recreational outing.

Getting Acquainted with Aquinas: is a monthly doctrinal conference series offered to deepen the knowledge of the faith for all faithful. **Each Conference is the 3rd Friday of every month at 7pm.** (Preceded by 6pm Holy Hour & followed by free buffet)

**Two More Upcoming Orchestral Masses
Mark your Calendars!**

- Sunday, Jan. 7th, Feast of the Holy Family, 11am
- Monday, Jan. 29th, Feast of St. Francis de Sales, 7pm

**Next Parish Skate
Sunday, January 28**

Save the date!

Marriage Banns

Teresa Henderson & Jason LaVoy will be joined in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony on Thursday, January 4th at 11am at St. Joseph Oratory.

Calendar of Events

Today, December 31, Regular Sunday AM Schedule: Masses at 9am and 11am followed by *Lesson in Liturgy* "The Offertory Part 2, What's Happening at the Altar", **6pm Vespers & Benediction with Te Deum** *Gain a Plenary Indulgence!*

Monday, January 1, *Traditionally a Holy Day of Obligation*, 9am Low Mass with Organ, 11am High Mass, *Veni Creator Spiritus* precedes each Mass *Gain a Plenary Indulgence!*

Wednesday, January 3, 7pm *Teenage Catechism*

Friday, January 5, *First Friday*, 7pm High Mass then **Traditional Epiphany Water Blessing**

Saturday, January 6, *Feast of the Epiphany*, 9am High Mass with St. Joseph Cappella, (*exceptionally the Epiphany High Mass and Homily replace the regular 1st Saturday Morning Recollection schedule*)

Sunday, January 7, *Feast of the Holy Family*, 9am Low Mass with Organ, 11am **Orchestral Solemn High Mass & Parish Christmas Reception** for all in Social Hall, and First Communion Class in Rectory Classroom

Wednesday, Jan. 10, 7pm *Children's Catechism*

Saturday, January 13, *Monthly Sursum Corda Activity*, **Noon** Conference *The Triple Epiphany* followed by outing to DIA & Midtown for Art and Coffee. All ages 18-35 are welcome!

Friday, January 19, *Getting Acquainted with Aquinas*, 6pm Holy Hour, 7pm Conference

Save the Date: Sat., February 10th at Noon
2nd Annual Oratory Talent Show

Upcoming Pilgrimages with the Institute of Christ the King!

Holy Land: A wonderful Easter Week pilgrimage to the Ancient Lands of the Holy Bible with Canon Joel Estrada from **April 3-12, 2018!** All-inclusive cost from Newark, NJ is \$3795.00. *Sign-up by Jan. 31, 2018 to save \$100.00.* Call for cost from all other cities. For info www.syversentouring.com/holyland or 1-800-334-5425

Italy: A pilgrimage to Italy for Ordinations Week 2018! Travel to Florence, San Giovanni Rotondo (St. Padre Pio) & Rome! **Dates: July 1-10, 2018!** All-inclusive cost from Chicago: \$3395.00. Call for cost from other cities. Sign-up no later than **March 15.** For info go to www.syversentouring.com/florence or call 1-800-334-5425.

SAVE THE DATE!

2nd Annual Legacy Gala

Friday, April 27th, Eastern Market Shed 5

5:30pm Cocktails, 6:00pm Benefit Dinner

Tickets: \$50 Adult, \$35 Students

Join us for a seated dinner and live entertainment provided by a live band AND Clergy Jukebox

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Prayer to St. Joseph by St. Francis de Sales

Historic Renewal Campaign 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.

Priestly Ordinations in the United States for the Institute of Christ the King

With the gracious permission of His Grace, the Most Reverend Robert J. Carlson, Archbishop of St. Louis, several American deacons will be ordained to the holy priesthood at St. Francis de Sales Oratory in St. Louis, MO, on Thursday, August 2, 2018, on the 1st Thursday of the month, day traditionally dedicated to the Priesthood of Jesus Christ. The Sacrament of Holy Orders will be conferred by His Eminence, Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke. *Deo gratias!*

St. Joseph Oratory will organize a bus, save the date now, more information to come!

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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