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INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST

"Many are called, but few are chosen."

This beautiful page of the Gospel is full of hope but it also gives us a serious statement.

For each one of us, the important question is (or should be ;)) not how many will be saved, but rather, shall each of us be saved. The Council of Trent, quoting Saint Augustine, says: "God never commands the impossible. But he warns us to do what we can, and to ask of Him the grace to accomplish what we of ourselves cannot do, and He aids us to fulfill what He commands."



What we know for sure is that God gives us what we need to go to Heaven. What would be the point of arguing about the number of the elect while we are even not working to become one of them? One day we will know the number. We had better know it, being in heaven rather than in hell.

May Our Lady, acting always as a vigilant mother, help us to keep the Grace of God and to arrive safely in Heaven. Amen

Canon Antoine Boucheron

Sunday, January 28, 2018 - Septuagesima Sunday

GAIN A PLENARY INDULGENCE ON THE FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

Monday, January 29 - 8:00am Mass

With great joy and solemnity we will celebrate this week the Feast of Saint Francis de Sales. More than ever do we need the wisdom, supernatural optimism and example of this great *saint, spiritual director and missionary*. He is one of the principal Patrons of the *Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest*.

We would like you to know that all the faithful, assisting at Holy Mass on **Monday, January 29** in one of the Institute's churches or oratories may gain a plenary indulgence under the ordinary conditions.

As a matter of fact, several years ago the Holy See privileged the Institute's members and its faithful with a **plenary indulgence** for the main feasts of the Institute, which are: **The Feast of Christ the King** (last Sunday in October) and the Feasts of the **Immaculate Conception** (Dec. 8), **St. Francis de Sales** (Jan. 29), **St. Thomas Aquinas** (Mar. 7), **St. Benedict** (Mar. 21).



BLESSING OF THROATS IN HONOR OF SAINT BLAISE

Saturday, Feb. 3rd - 9:00am Mass followed by Blessing of the Throats

Saint Blaise wrought many miracles and is invoked in dangerous diseases of the throat. The Church sanctions a special blessing of throats on his day, February 3.

Holding the blessed candles near the throat, in the form of a cross, the priest says:

"Through the merits and intercession of Saint Blaise, bishop and martyr, God deliver thee from all diseases of the throat, and preserve thee from every other evil. In the name of the Father ..., Amen."

Feast of the Purification, Candlemas Day

Friday, February 2 ~ Mass 6:00pm

On February 2 we celebrate the Feast of the Purification, as a day of purification, renewal, and hope. On this day, exactly 40 days after Christmas, we commemorate Mary's obedience to the Mosaic law by submitting herself to the Temple for the ritual purification. Mary, of course, didn't need this purification -- which Catholic women imitate, in a sense, with the rite of the Chuching of Women -- but she submitted out of obedience to the Law.

Also commemorated on this "Feast of the Candles" ("La Fête de la Chandeleur" in French) is the prophecy of Holy Simeon -- the "just and devout" man of Jerusalem who was inspired by the Holy Ghost to know that he would live to see the "consolation of Jerusalem" -- and the encounter with the aged widow, Anna the Prophetess, who lived in the Temple and confessed Christ upon meeting Him. It was Simeon to whom Mary presented Jesus, and in his prophecy to her, he told Mary her heart would be pierced with a sword, a prophecy found in the second chapter of the Gospel according to St. Luke 2:34-35.

On this day there will be the blessing of candles and a procession. The candle blessing -- one of the three principle blessings of the liturgical year, the others being the blessing of palms and ashes -- will be given by the priest wearing a purple cope. He will pray 5 prayers over the candles placed near the Altar. The candles are sprinkled three times while the *Asperges me* is sung, and then they are incensed and distributed. When we take a blessed candle from the priest's hand, we kiss the candle and then the priest's hand, just as we do on Palm Sunday when we kiss the palm and then the priest's hand when receiving the blessed palms. A procession follows with the lighted candles and the singing of anthems. Then the Mass begins, and the lighted candles are held during the reading of the Gospel and from the beginning of the Canon of the Mass to Communion.

It is customary to bring candles from home to be blessed -- at least 51% beeswax candles that one uses for devotional purposes (candles for the family altar, Advent candles, etc.) -- so they can be lit after dusk on All Saints' Day (1 November), during the Sacrament of Unction, and during storms and times of trouble.

The mystery of today's ceremony has frequently been explained by liturgists, dating from the 7th century. According to Ivo of Chartres, the wax, which is formed from the juice of flowers by the bee, always considered as the emblem of virginity, signifies the virginal flesh of the Divine Infant, who diminished not, either by His conception or His birth, the spotless purity of His Blessed Mother. The same holy bishop would have us see in the flame of our Candle, a symbol of Jesus who came to enlighten our darkness. St. Anselm, Archbishop of Canterbury, speaking on the same mystery, bids us consider three things in the blessed Candle: the wax, the wick, and the flame. The wax, he says, which is the production of the virginal bee, is the Flesh of our Lord; the wick, which is within, is His Soul; the flame, which burns on top, is His divinity.-- Dom Guéranger

Fridays During Lent!

February 16, 23 & March 2, 9, 16, 23

Eucharistic Adoration

Mass - 8:00am/Adoration - 8:45am-Noon

Stations of the Cross

Veneration of the Relic of the Cross

Lenten Meditation - 6:00pm

Stations & Veneration - 6:10pm



Eucharistic Adoration Opportunities

Friday: February 2, February 9

Mass 8:00am / Adoration 9:00am - Noon

LITURGICAL CALENDAR: JANUARY 28 - FEBRUARY 4, 2018

Sun., Jan. 28 8:00 a.m. Low Mass/organ	<h2 style="margin: 0;">SEPTUAGESIMA</h2> <h2 style="margin: 0;">SUNDAY</h2> <p style="margin: 0;">(2nd Cl., V) Commemoration for the Pope</p>	†Joseph DeGroot <i>by John & Thelma White</i>	Kaleb Kerscher Aaron Rasmussen
10:00 a.m. High Mass <u>Youth Choir</u>		†Robert Holz <i>by The Fonfereks</i>	Sacristan: Peter Kanzenbach MC: Peter Kanzenbach Thurifer: Michael Simia Acolytes: Peter Cisler & John Neumann Candle: Thomas Simia, Michael Barrington, Jean Marie & Augustine Helfenberger Crucifer: Francis Neumann
Mon., Jan. 29 8:00 a.m.	St. Francis De Sales , Bishop, Confessor, Doctor of the Church, Institute Patron (1st Cl., W)	Pour souls in purgatory <i>by Paul Kessler</i>	Nicholas Reif Tyler Reif
6:00 p.m.	~PLENARY INDULGENCE MAY BE GAINED~	Pour souls in purgatory <i>by Bill and Sue Vanevenhoven</i>	OPEN
Tue., Jan. 30 6:00 p.m.	St. Martina , Virgin & Martyr (3rd Cl., R)) Commemoration for the Pope	Mic & Helen DeVillers <i>by Paul Kessler</i>	John Kanzenbach James Kanzenbach
HOLY HOUR OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - following Holy Mass			
Wed., Jan. 31 8:00 a.m.	St. John Bosco , Confessor (3rd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope	Helen Leitermann <i>by Dave & Janet Cary</i>	OPEN
Thurs., Feb. 1 8:00 a.m.	Votive Mass of Jesus Christ Eternal High Priest (3rd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope & St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr	†Dalen Skaletski <i>by Grace Skaletski</i>	Bart Stillwell OPEN
Fri., Feb. 2 8:00 a.m.	<h2 style="margin: 0;">Presentation of Our Blessed Lord & Purification of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary,</h2> <p style="margin: 0;">(2rd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope</p>	Zach, Misty & Baby Fameree <i>by Lori and Jay Fameree</i>	OPEN
6:00 p.m. <u>Auxiliary Choir</u> <u>First Friday</u>		†Leo & Laverne LeMere <i>by Claire LeMere</i>	Sacristan: OPEN MC: Paul Jessel Thurifer: Jerry Jessel Acolytes: James Kanzenbach & John Kanzenbach Candle: Augustine Helfenberger, Sebastian Ellis, Vic & John Neumann Crucifer: Jean-M.Helfenberger
Eucharistic Adoration 9:00am - Noon			
Sat., Feb. 3 9:00 a.m. <u>First Saturday</u>	Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Mary (3rd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope & St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr <u>Blessing of throats after Holy Mass</u>	†Donald & Ruth Ann Holland <i>by Catherine Kallin</i>	Jacob Mihalski Adam Mihalski
Sun., Feb. 4 8:00 a.m. Low Mass/organ	<h2 style="margin: 0;">QUINQUAGESIMA</h2> <h2 style="margin: 0;">SUNDAY</h2> <p style="margin: 0;">(2nd Cl., V) Commemoration for the Pope</p>	Willie & Laura Kanzenbach <i>by Julia Ostermann</i>	Jacob Mihalski Gibbon Lexow
10:00 a.m. High Mass <u>Youth Choir</u>		†Eleanor Dietzler <i>by Dennis & Debra Bouchonville</i>	Sacristan & MC: Kaleb Kerscher Thurifer: Michael Simia Acolytes: Nicholas Reif & Tyler Reif Candle: Andreas Kempen, Thomas Simia, Michael Barrington, Aaron Rasmussen Crucifer: Nathan Reif

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Sunday 7:15 - 7:45 a.m. & 9:15 - 9:45 a.m.
Daily 30 minutes before every Holy Mass
Upon appointment Call the rectory

DEVOTION SCHEDULE

Tuesday..... Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday St. Joseph Novena after Holy Mass
Friday..... Sorrowful Mother Novena after Holy Mass
Monthly..... Infant Jesus Novena (17th to 25th)

Sunday, January 28, 2018 - Septuagesima Sunday

St Patrick Church - O'Brien Hall Partial Renovation

We are pleased to announce that the new flooring has been installed on the ramp and in O'Brien Hall. The Hall is now open.

** CATECHISM CLASSES **

Our weekly Catechism classes have resumed at St. Patrick's - O'Brien Hall. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 5:00-5:50 p.m. Please meet at 4:55pm in the Church for Prayers. To sign up or for any questions, please contact Canon Boucheron.

Calendar of Upcoming Events

Saturday, February 3 - CCM Meeting

9:00am Mass followed by prayers and Spiritual Instruction

Saturday, Feb. 3 - Girls & Boys Group Meetings

9:00am Mass followed activities and events

Monday, Feb. 5 - St. Jerome Book Club

6:00pm in the Rectory

Tuesday, February 13 - St. Joseph's Men's Group

Following the 6:00pm Mass in the Rectory

Wednesday, February 14 - Lent Begins

Fridays in Lent

Adoration, Meditation, Stations, Veneration

(See pg. 2 Bulletin Announcement for details)

Sunday, February 18 - FOSPO Meeting

Friends of St. Patrick's Oratory Annual Meeting

11:30am - 1:00pm in O'Brien Hall

Saturday, February 24 - Men's Retreat for Lent

Contact ststanislaus@institute-christ-king.org for details

Sunday, February 25 - LMA Meeting

Latin Mass Association Annual Meeting

Following the 10:00am High Mass in O'Brien Hall

Friday, March 16 - Young Married Couples Meet

6:00pm - 8:00pm in the Rectory

Confraternity of Christian Mothers Meeting

- Saturday, February 3 after 9:00am Holy Mass -

The Confraternity of Christian Mothers is meeting on the First Saturday, February 3, with Holy Mass, prayers and spiritual instruction from Cn. Boucheron in the Church.



St. Joseph Men's Group Event Tuesday, February 13

The next Men's Group gathering will be on Tuesday, Feb. 13, after the 6:00 p.m. Mass and Holy Hour. This will be the **2nd Annual Mardi Gras Social** held in the rectory the day before Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent.

The event, as always, starts with saying the Litany of St. Joseph and is followed by a spiritual talk from Canon. The remainder of the evening (until about 9:00 p.m.) is for socializing. Hope to see you there!

ST. JEROME BOOK CLUB

Continues Monday, February 5, 6pm in the Rectory. Improving the knowledge of the faith is important; through spiritual reading and thoughtful discussion. Everyone is welcome to attend!

The first book continues: *The Spiritual Combat*, by Lorenzo Scupoli. If interested or questions, contact Mrs. Kathy Kane (330) 631-7252

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~DON'T FORGET SCRIP~

Please Support the Oratory by using Scrip for your groceries, gas, hobbies and necessities.

Collections

Weekly Collection - Sunday, January 21st - \$2,409.34



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Join the Institute for a wonderful Easter Week Pilgrimage to the Ancient Lands of the Holy Bible with Canon Joel Estrada. Dates: April 3-12, 2018!
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Sign-up by Jan. 31, 2018 to save \$100.00.
Call for cost from all other cities.
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All-inclusive cost from Chicago: \$3395.00.
Sign-up no later than March 15.
Call for cost from other cities.
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"What does love look like? It has the hands to help others. It has the feet to hasten to the poor and needy. It has eyes to see misery and want.

It has the ears to hear the sighs and sorrows of men. That is what love looks like." - St. Augustine

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St. Patrick's Church Beautification and Restoration



Dear Faithful,

We are pleased and excited to announce, with the Blessing of The Most Reverend David L. Ricken, DD, JCL, Bishop of Green Bay, the proposed restoration and beautification of St. Patrick's Church and Oratory. The planned improvements include a restored high altar, two side altars and a communion rail as shown in the architectural drawing above.

The very nature of a Catholic Church is defined by its liturgy. The high altar, side altars, and communion rail go beyond a functional demand. With the Extraordinary Form and all the attendant rubrics and sacred spaces, the architecture transports the faithful to a higher world that reminds them of eternal life. The high altar is the font of life of the church structure, its apex and summation. It is the noblest site of the bloodless participation of Christ's sacrifice. The Communion rail is an extension of the altar, symbolizing the gateway of heaven from below. The priest, acting *in persona Christi* reaches across from heaven to Earth while the faithful kneel at this threshold in order to receive the Bread of Angels, the gift of divine life. There is a symbolic connection between the altar and rail which is why they should match in materials and in design.

Appropriate architecture safeguards the distinct sacred spaces that powerfully attract the human soul. We hope to begin this significant project this spring and ask for your support and prayers. We will provide more information as the plans progress.

Canon Antoine Boucheron

COMPANY OF THE IMMACULATE

UPCOMING GIRLS' GROUP MEETING
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

When: Saturday, February 3 after the **9:00 a.m.** Holy Mass.

Where: St. Francis Xavier Cathedral, 139 S Madison, Green Bay

Who: All girls ages 5 and up. Younger girls are also welcome if an older sibling or parent is present. Parents are also welcome join the tour as well.

What: We will have a tour of St. Francis Xavier Cathedral and the Diocesan Museum. Come see the recently renovated Cathedral and spend time with your friends!

~Please email bjneumann@tm.net to attend or with questions~

Come and join us for a day of faith and fun with friends!

ST. MICHAEL'S PATROL

UPCOMING BOYS' GROUP MEETING
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

When: Saturday, February 3 after the **9:00 a.m.** Holy Mass.

Where: Meet at St. Patrick's Oratory, Green Bay, WI 54303

Who: All boys ages 5 and up. Younger boys are also welcome if an older sibling or parent is present. Parents are also welcome to attend.

What: Event - We will conclude at approximately 12:00. A \$2 donation toward the event will be greatly appreciated!

****Please bring your own breakfast/lunches & beverages****

~Please RSVP to bbmihalski@gmail.com if you are going to attend~

Come and join us for a day of faith and fun with friends!

Friends of St. Patrick's Oratory

Annual Meeting Sunday, February 18, 2018; 11:30am-1:00pm

All Members of St. Patrick's Oratory are encouraged to attend.

What is the "Friends of St. Patrick's Oratory" ?

The Friends of St. Patrick's Oratory is a non-profit group of lay-faithful, formed specifically to help preserve the Extraordinary Form of the Classical Roman Catholic Liturgy in the Green Bay area, while supporting and working together with the Institute of Christ the King. We are committed to living and working in a spirit of faith, service, and community. As stewards of the Friends of St. Patrick's Oratory, we responsibly share our time, talents, and treasure. Our efforts are intended to foster virtue, build a sense of community, encourage brotherhood, and a spirit of family within the Oratory, while respecting the integrity of the Institute's mission.

What does the "Friends of St. Patrick's Oratory" do ?

The Friends of St. Patrick's Oratory serves as a liaison between our appointed Canon and the chairperson(s) involved in Oratory social functions and events (activities), providing needed support through leadership, fundraising, scheduling, guidelines, supplies and mentorship. The group organizes, fundraises and guides the social events that take place within or on behalf of the Oratory as a whole.

All Registered Members of St. Patrick's Oratory are automatically General Members of this Group. Please attend to learn more!

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To help us keep our records updated, make sure you & your family are registered as members of St. Patrick's Oratory
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