

# St. Mary Oratory



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VERITATEM FACIENTES IN CARITATE

## Mass Schedule:

Sunday: 7:00AM & 9:00AM

Monday - Friday: 6:30AM & 12:05PM

Saturday: 8:00AM

## Confessions:

Monday - Friday 11:25AM - 11:50AM

Saturday: After the 8am Mass & 3:30 - 5:00PM

Sunday: 8:00 - 8:45AM

## Office Hours:

Monday thru Friday

8:00AM - 4:00PM

Susan Paulsen, Secretary

## Other Sacraments:

Contact Father Bovee to  
make arrangements.

**SS. Peter and Paul Church,** 5N939 Meredith Rd. Virgil, IL 60151

Mass is on Sundays at 12:30pm - For schedule on Holy Days, please refer to bulletin or call St. Mary Oratory.

# Third Sunday after Epiphany

January 25, 2009

**I**NTROIT. *Ps. 96, 7, 8.* Adore God, all you His angels: Sion heard, and was glad; and the daughters of Juda rejoiced. *Ps. 96, 1.* The Lord hath reigned; let the earth rejoice: let many islands be glad. *V.* Glory.

**P**RAYER. Almighty, eternal God, look with mercy upon our infirmities, and stretch forth the right hand of Thy majesty to protect us. Through our Lord.

**E**PISTLE. *Rom. 12, 16-21.* Brethren, be not wise in your own conceits. To no man rendering evil for evil: providing good things not only in the sight of God, but also in the sight of men. If it be possible, as much as it is in you, having peace with all men. Revenge not yourselves, my dearly beloved; but give place unto wrath, for it is written, Revenge is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord. But if thy enemy be hungry, give him to eat; if he thirst, give him to drink, for doing this, thou shalt heap coals of fire upon his head. Be not overcome by evil, but overcome evil by good.

**G**RADUAL. *Ps. 101, 16, 17.* The Gentiles shall fear Thy name, O Lord, and all the kings of the earth Thy glory. *V.* For the Lord hath built up Sion, and He shall be seen in His majesty.

**A**LLELUIA, ALLELUIA. *V. Ps. 96, 1.* The Lord hath reigned, let the earth rejoice: let many islands be glad. Alleluia.

**G**OSPEL. *Matt. 8, 1-13.* At that time, when Jesus was come down from the mountain, great multitudes followed Him; and behold a leper came and adored Him, saying, Lord, if Thou wilt Thou canst make Me clean. And Jesus stretching forth His hand, touched him, saying, I will, be thou made clean: and forthwith his leprosy was cleansed. And Jesus saith to him, See thou tell no man: but go, show thyself to the priest, and offer the gift which Moses commanded for a testimony unto them. And when He had entered into Capharnaum, there came to Him a centurion beseeching Him, and saying, Lord, my servant lieth at home sick of the palsy, and is grievously tormented. And Jesus saith to him, I will come and heal him. And the centurion making answer, said, Lord, I am not worthy that Thou shouldst enter under my roof: but only say the word, and my servant shall be healed. For I also am a man subject to authority, having under me soldiers: and I say to this man, Go, and he goeth: and to another, Come, and he cometh: and to my servant, Do this, and he doth it. And Jesus hearing this, marveled; and said to them that followed him, Amen I say to you, I have not found so great faith in Israel. And I say to you, that many shall come from the east and the west, and shall sit down with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven; but the children of the kingdom shall be cast into the exterior darkness: there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth. And Jesus said to the centurion, Go, and as thou hast believed, so be it done to

thee: and the servant was healed at the same hour.

**O**FFERTORY. *Ps. 117, 16, 17.* The right hand of the Lord hath wrought strength, the right hand of the Lord hath exalted me: I shall not die, but live, and shall declare the works of the Lord.

**S**ECRET. May this offering, we beseech Thee, O Lord, wipe out our sins, and sanctify the bodies and minds of Thy servants for the celebration of the sacrifice. Through our Lord.

**C**OMMUNION. *Luke 4, 22.* They all wondered at these things, which proceeded from the mouth of God.

**P**OSTCOMMUNION. O Lord, Who dost give freely the enjoyment of so great mysteries, we beseech Thee that Thou wouldst vouchsafe to render us truly worthy to receive their effects. Through our Lord.

## Organ Prelude:

*Prelude in D Minor*

Composer: G.P. Telemann (1681-1767)

## Processional Hymn:

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O God, Almighty Father

O God, Almighty Father, Thou Majesty divine,  
All glory, laud and honor Eternally be Thine.

*Refrain:* O most holy Trinity, Undivided unity,  
Holy God, Mighty God, God immortal, be adored.

O Jesus Word incarnate, Redeemer most adored,  
All glory, praise and honor, Be yours O Sov'reign Lord.

And God the Holy Spirit Who dwells within the soul,  
With truth and comfort guide us to heav'n's eternal goal.

## Recessional Hymn:

Hail, Holy Queen Enthroned Above

Hail, Holy Queen enthroned above, O Maria!  
Hail, Queen of mercy, Queen of love, O Maria!

*Chorus:* Triumph, all ye Cherubim!  
Sing with us, ye Seraphim!  
Heav'n and earth resound the hymn:  
Salve, Salve, Salve Regina!

O gentle, loving, Holy One, O Maria.  
The God of Light became your Son, O Maria.

## Organ Postlude:

*Jubilate Deo, Omnis Terra*

Composer: Wladislaw Zelenski (1837-1921)

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## St. Mary's Memory Markers

æ **Bishop Doran will come for Confirmation on Sunday, February 22 at 3:30pm.** Anyone who is baptized and has made first communion, and is at least 7 years old may receive this sacrament. Please contact Sue in the Rectory ASAP#

ë **Anyone wishing to have a statement for tax purposes of donations you've made in 2008** please call Sue in the rectory.

ë **If you would like to donate your old palm branches,** please deposit them in the box in the vestibule. They will be burned and used for Ash Wednesday.

æ **Sign Pro-Life Postcards!** If you were not here last Sunday, this will be your last chance to sign postcards urging Congress to oppose the "Freedom of Choice Act" (FOCA) and to retain existing laws against government funding and promotion of abortion. Sign a postcard to your US Representative and your two US Senators.

### Mass Schedule for Jan. 25th–Feb. 1st

**Sun., Jan. 25th** – Third Sunday after Epiphany

7:00 am Paul Heideman

9:00 am Bugler Children

SS. Peter & Paul Church - Virgil

12:30 pm Mark Bovee, rip

**Monday, Jan. 26th** - St. Polycarp, *Bishop & Martyr*

6:30 am End of Abortion

12:05 pm Friends & Assoc. JJM

**Tues., Jan. 27th** – St. John Chrysostom, *Bishop, Conf.*

6:30 am John Whitfield, rip

12:05 pm Zachary Lien

**Wed., Jan. 28th** – St. Peter Nolasco, *Confessor*

6:30 am Gloria Hable, rip

12:05 pm Ami Nicosia

**Thurs., Jan. 29th**– St. Francis de Sales, *Bishop, Confessor*

6:30 am George Hroma, rip

12:05 pm Lois McLaughlin

**Friday, Jan. 30th** – St. Martina, *Virgin & Martyr*

6:30 am Bernie Paul

12:05 pm Joseph Randazzo

**Sat., Jan. 31st**- St. John Bosco, *Confessor*

8:00 am Jose Acosta, rip

**Sunday, Feb. 1st**– Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

7:00 am Barnhart Family

9:00 am Paula Hernstrom Family

SS. Peter & Paul Church - Virgil

12:30 pm Marie Walker, rip

# St. Francis de Sales

*Secondary Patron of the  
Institute of Christ the King*

Francis de Sales was born in 1567. With St. Jane de Chantal he founded the Order of the Visitation. He died 28 December 1622. Francis de Sales was beatified in 1661, and canonized by Alexander VII in 1665; he was proclaimed Doctor of the Universal Church by Pope Pius IX, in 1877.

Concerning the spirituality of St. Francis de Sales, there are two elements in the spiritual life: first, a struggle against our lower nature; secondly, union of our wills with God, in other words, penance and love. St. Francis de Sales looks chiefly to love. Not that he neglects penance, which is absolutely necessary, but he wishes it to be practiced from a motive of love. He requires mortification of the senses, but he relies first on mortification of the mind, the will, and the heart. This interior mortification he requires to be unceasing and always accompanied by love. The end to be realized is a life of loving, simple, generous, and constant fidelity to the will of God, which is nothing else than our present duty. The model proposed is Christ, whom we must ever keep before our eyes. "You will study His countenance, and perform your actions as He did" (Intro., 2nd part, ch. I). The practical means of arriving at this perfection are: remembrance of the presence of God, filial prayer, a right intention in all our actions, and frequent recourse to God by pious and confiding ejaculations and interior aspirations. (Source: *Catholic Encyclopedia 1913*)

**Prayer.** O God, Who, for the saving of souls didst will that blessed Francis, Thy Confessor and Bishop, should become all things to all men, be pleased to grant that we, being filled with the sweetness of Thy love, guided by his teachings, and helped by his merits and prayers, may attain the joys of everlasting life. Through our Lord.

## Neighborhood News

**Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Academy** will be having an Open House on Saturday, January 31st, from 9am to 1pm for parents with students interested in enrolling in grades K–12 for the 2009-2010 academic year. Free placement tests are available. Please call Matt Adas at 815-399-3021 with questions or for more details.

**Volunteers needed for Catholic Charities Long-Term Ombudsman Program.** Ombudsman visit nursing homes residents and provide information on the rights of residents and advocate for individuals to receive the highest level of care. Training will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 4th from 9am until 4pm at St. Rita Catholic Church, 6254 Valley Knoll Dr. in Rockford. For more information call Kate Donovan at 815-966-5300.