

JUNE 4, 2017

PENTECOST

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES ORATORY



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"Whenever you feel temptation or despair, turn to the Mother of Mercy for help."

- St. Francis de Sales

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday

Mass 8:00am & 10:00am

Monday - Saturday

Mass 8:00am

Tuesday

Mass 6:30pm

Wednesday

Mass 12:15pm

First Fridays

High Mass 6:30pm

Holy Days of Obligation

Mass 8:00am & 12:15pm

High Mass 6:30pm

Holy Days of Obligation on a Saturday

8:00am & 12:15pm

SACRED DEVOTIONS:

Mother of Perpetual Help

Tuesday 8:00am & 6:30pm

Adoration

Thursday 6:30pm

CONFESSIONS:

30 minutes before all Masses



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LITURGICAL CALENDAR

SUNDAY, JUNE 4

PENTECOST, 1ST CLASS

8:00am Low Mass - Eric Johnson

10:00am High Mass - Finnegan David Barry

MONDAY, JUNE 5

PENTECOST MONDAY, 1ST CLASS

8:00am Low Mass - Patricia Francis, RIP

TUESDAY, JUNE 6

PENTECOST TUESDAY, 1ST CLASS

8:00am Low Mass - Tereza Frollova

6:30pm Low Mass - Restoration & Benefactors
of the Oratory

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7

EMBER WEDNESDAY, 1ST CLASS

8:00am Low Mass - Richard Lober

12:15pm Low Mass - Georgia Wehrkamp

THURSDAY, JUNE 8

PENTECOST THURSDAY, 1ST CLASS

8:00am Low Mass - Maurizio Giangrande, RIP

6:30pm Adoration

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

EMBER FRIDAY, 1ST CLASS

8:00am Low Mass - Dan and Julie Rupp

SATURDAY, JUNE 10

EMBER SATURDAY, 1ST CLASS

8:00am Low Mass - Special Intention of
Monica Wissmann

SUNDAY, JUNE 11

TRINITY SUNDAY, 1ST CLASS

8:00am Low Mass - Matthew & Camille Daub
and Family

10:00am High Mass - Claire Cassibry

SUNDAY, JUNE 4

8:00am Low Mass

Acolytes: Alexander Unseth, Steven Gilroy

10:00am High Mass

Master of Ceremonies: Patrick Stamos

Thurifer: Wolfgang Davidson

Acolyte 1: Michael Clonts

Acolyte 2: William Cassibry

Crucifer: Raphael VandenBergh

Choir Master of Ceremonies: Timothy White

Torchbearers: Joseph Clonts, Raymond Clonts,

Liam Aufmuth, Louis VandenBergh, Sam Hu-

ber, David Clonts

THURSDAY, JUNE 8

6:30pm Adoration

Master of Ceremonies: Patrick Stamos

Thurifer: Thomas Stamos

Acolyte 1: Wolfgang Davidson

Acolyte 2: Timothy White

Torchbearers: Dominic Stamos, Mark Stamos

SUNDAY, JUNE 11

8:00am Low Mass

Acolytes: Alexander Unseth, Steven Gilroy

10:00am High Mass

Master of Ceremonies: Michael LaZella

Thurifer: Thomas Stamos

Acolyte 1: Raphael VandenBergh

Acolyte 2: Joel Miller

Crucifer: Timothy White

Choir Master of Ceremonies: Patrick Stamos

Torchbearers: Joey Huber, Dominic Stamos,

Charlie Kahre, Mark Stamos, Michael Ruggiero,

John Paul Davidson



NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

**TODAY: PENTECOST SUNDAY: FAREWELL
RECEPTION FOR CANON SILVEY**

**JUNE 11: MONTHLY TALK IN THE CHURCH HALL
AFTER THE 10:00AM MASS**

JUNE 18: CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

JUNE 23: FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART

JUNE 29: STS. APOSTLES PETER AND PAUL

MONTHLY TALK

**THE MONTHLY TALK FOR THE MONTH OF
JUNE HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED FOR**

SUNDAY, JUNE 11TH AFTER THE 10AM MASS

***'Home of the sparrow, nest of the swallow:
the medieval cathedral.'***

This 30 minute talk will be given by Mr. Richard Allington in the church hall.

THANK YOU, VOLUNTEERS!

After the successful closing of the 2017 retreat for all canons working in the US-Province of our beloved Institute, we would like to thank again all volunteers who have been preparing the convent building and cleaning up the large campus for this important event.

Thank you very much for your generosity and labor of love you continue to give us!

ORDINATIONS

The Institute of Christ the King is happy to announce that **6 future priests and 8 deacons** will be ordained on July 5 and 6 in Florence, Italy. American seminarians, Deacon Jonathon Fehrenbacher and Deacon Scott Smith will be ordained to the Sacred Priesthood.

Please pray for them and all of the seminarians who will receive both major and minor orders.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION JUNE 18, 2017

On Father's Day, Sunday, June 18, we will celebrate the External Solemnity of the feast of Corpus Christi (June 15). At the completion of the 10:00am Mass we will have an outdoor Eucharistic procession which will lead us around the block on Ohio, Sidney and Iowa Street. A special section at the front of the procession will be reserved for the **20 children who received their First Holy Communion last month**. The children are asked to wear their First Communion clothes and to bring flower petals to sprinkle on the street ahead of the Blessed Sacrament. Baskets will be provided.

Please invite family and friends to join us on this very special day!

NEW ASSIGNMENTS

FAREWELL RECEPTION TODAY

Ordained to the holy priesthood last summer, **Canon David Silvey** has served very well as vicar at St. Francis de Sales Oratory. Canon Silvey has received a new assignment in Rome as secretary to His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke. Because of the timetable of these new duties, this transition must take place in early June. A **farewell reception** for Canon Silvey will be held **today after the 10:00am Mass**. We express our sincere gratitude to Canon Silvey for his priestly service at the Oratory in the past year and assure him of our prayers for his new assignment.

With the blessing of His Grace, Archbishop Carlson, Canon Silvey will be succeeded by **Canon Adrian Sequiera** as Vicar of the Oratory. Ordained in 2015, Canon Sequiera has been serving in Italy. After he has concluded his duties there, Canon Sequiera looks forward to arriving in St. Louis during the first part of July to begin his new assignment with you at the Oratory.



STAINED GLASS WINDOWS

Our Lady of Sorrows and the Good Shepherd

The prayers and generosity of so many of you made it possible for us to pay off the repair of the stained glass windows above St. Joseph's altar. **Thank you!** The **Emil Frei company** has already come to assess the repairs needed on two of our small windows: **Our Lady of Sorrows and the Good Shepherd** (north transept). Our hope is to begin this project in Fall 2017. The surplus of **\$2,140** from the last project will give us a head start on this new project. See image and explanation of needed repairs below.



1. Window no longer shuts properly and therefore leaks air.
2. The lower portion of the window is warped.
3. Cracks are appearing in the window.

WEDDING BANNS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gebhardt of Festus, Missouri announce the approaching Marriage of their daughter, Alexandria Marie Gebhardt to Mr. Alec Adrian Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thode of St. Louis, MO on June 17, 2017 at St. Francis de Sales Oratory. If anyone knows of an existing impediment which would prevent this marriage, he is bound to let the Rector know as soon as possible.

This is the **SECOND** publication of the Banns.

PLANNED GIVING

Please remember St. Francis de Sales Oratory in your Will or Living Trust. An appropriate Will or Trust provision would be:

"I give _____ to The Friends of St. Francis de Sales Oratory, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri, for the Oratory's unrestricted use."

INSURANCE ASSESSMENT UPDATE

2016-2017

Insurance assessment is: **\$89,625.00**

By **June 30th, 2017** we will need to pay the remaining balance of **\$40,741.00**.

Because of your generosity and continued faithful support, we have been able to pay **\$48,884.00**.

Thank you very much! May Our dear Lord bless you.

STEWARDSHIP

JULY 2016 - JUNE 2017

WEEKLY COLLECTION GOAL: \$7,500.00

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION: MAY 28

ENVELOPES MAILED: 189

ENVELOPES TURNED IN: 102

LOOSE:	\$1,096.50
ENVELOPES:	\$5,690.00
TOTAL:	\$6,786.50

ASCENSION OF OUR LORD \$938.00

YTD STEWARDSHIP GOAL: \$360,000.00

YTD STEWARDSHIP: \$365,659.99

YTD SURPLUS/DEFICIT: \$5,659.99

Our Mother of Perpetual Help, pray for us!
St. Joseph, pray for us!
St. Francis de Sales, pray for us!

Insurance Assessment 2016-2017

\$89,625.00 - YTD collected: \$51,364.00



ORATORY EMAIL NEWSLETTER

TO RECEIVE OUR NEWSLETTER,
PLEASE SEND YOUR REQUEST TO:
[SFDS@INSTITUTE-CHRIST-KING.ORG](mailto:sfds@institute-christ-king.org)

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS OF THE ORATORY

We have had a number of people recently register at the Oratory who are now active members of our community. Please take a moment to welcome and introduce yourselves to the many new faces that you are seeing at church.

All are welcome after both Sunday Masses to join in fellowship during the coffee and donut hour in the church hall.

CHURCH CLEANING HELP NEEDED

The 2017 Most Beautiful Church in America doesn't keep itself clean! Every Sunday different cleaning teams take a short time after the 10:00am Mass (30 minutes maximum) to help keep the church clean by putting up kneelers, sweeping the floors and picking up any trash left behind.

If you are interested in helping us keep the church beautiful, please contact Abbé Alex at (314) 771-3100 or sfds@institute-christ-king.org. The more people that are willing to help out the less work there is for everyone.

We are extremely appreciative to all the generous volunteers who currently help in this cleaning effort and assure you of our grateful prayers. Thank you for helping to keep St. Francis de Sales Oratory as beautiful as it is!

SCRIP CORNER

Help the Oratory while you shop

SCRIP cards will be on sale in the church hall after both Mass this Sunday in the church hall. Stop by to see how easy it is to help raise funds for Oratory restoration projects. For more information contact the Rectory at: sfds@institute-christ-king.org or (314) 771-3100

You can also order cards ONLINE!

www.shopwithscrip.com

SFds Oratory ID: 7B6B613B29666

CHOIR CAMP 2017

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

For the 8th year, the Institute of Christ the King Choir Camp will take place from Sunday, August 6 to Friday, August 11, 2017. Registration is open for choristers ages 10 - 18. In the rolling hills of Maple Mount, Kentucky, the Ursuline Motherhouse in Mount St. Joseph will once again be the setting for our week-long workshop on Sacred Music. The generously hospitable facilities include air-conditioned classrooms and dormitories, a spacious dining hall and rehearsal rooms, and ample outdoor areas for organized recreational activities.

Register at:

www.institute-christ-king.org/choir-camp/



BROWN SCAPULAR ENROLLMENT

If you have not yet been enrolled in the Brown Scapular, you will have one more opportunity in the month of June to do so on **Tuesday, June 6**, you can present yourself at the *Mother of Perpetual Help Altar* and be enrolled by one of the priests at the Oratory. Please bring your own Brown Scapular!

Please let the Rectory know ahead of time if you would like to receive the scapular on either of these two days.



ORATORY ORGANIZATIONS ANNOUNCEMENTS



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Our Mission: Inspired by Gospel values, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is an international Catholic volunteer organization dedicated to helping all people in need, regardless of faith. In doing this work, we enrich our lives spiritually.

To request assistance, to make a donation, volunteer, or for more information please contact:

**Conference of St. Vincent de Paul at
St. Francis de Sales (314) 289-6101, Box 1147**

*April 2017: 40 Families Assisted
(77 Adults & 40 Children)*

Poor Box:

May 27, 2017: \$91.03

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

COFFEE HOUR

June 4:

Thomas Leith / Eric Cartwright

June 11:

Chris McCann / Dan Hinrichs

PRO-LIFE APOSTOLATE

Pro-Life Events / Activities

STAND-UP FOR LIFE

Pro-Life faithful pray the Rosary outside the Downtown Abortion clinic every Saturday at 6:30am. More participants and prayers are always needed for the mothers, children, and workers at the clinic.

Need more details or information?

Contact Dave Benjamin at:
benjaminfamily6@gmail.com or (314)706-2525



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ST. PHILIP NERI

SEMINARY SOCIETY

SEMINARIANS

NEED YOUR SUPPORT!

**PLEASE SIGN UP TODAY TO BECOME A
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FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
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GREETINGS AND GOOD WISHES
OF THE
St. Francis de Sales Benevolent Society
ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CHURCH
Gravois Ave. and Ohio Ave.



ORGANIZED APRIL 19, 1874
By 55 Members

The Benevolent Society is a Catholic Men's organization that was founded in the early years of St. Francis de Sales church for the financial help of its members in time of need.

For more information on this charitable and friendly group, please contact Mr. Wally Feld at wfeld@charter.net

ORATORY CLEANING

The Oratory Cleaning Crews put the church in order after the final Mass each Sunday. This involves light dust mopping and clearing the pews of handouts, etc. New volunteers will be most welcome and can call the office at (314) 771-3100 to sign up.

Here are the next assignments:

Sunday, June 4: St. Monica

Sunday, June 11: St. Martha

Sunday, June 18: St. Veronica

PLEASE DO NOT DELETE ANYTHING ON THIS PAGE.

INFORMATION SHEET

Church name & address

St. Francis de Sales Oratory #238950

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TO ALL OUR GUESTS...

Canon Wiener and the faithful of St. Francis de Sales Oratory welcome you, and hope that your time in the "Cathedral of South St. Louis" may be an opportunity to share in the tradition of the Roman Catholic Faith.

Please enjoy the beauty of this building dedicated to St. Francis de Sales, co-patron of the
INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST.

According to liturgical tradition, and the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite, Holy Communion is received kneeling and on the tongue. All visitors who are not of the Catholic faith are welcome to join us in prayer, but are requested not to receive Holy Communion. Because the reception of Holy Communion is the sign of Divine and Ecclesial unity, only practicing Catholics who are free of mortal sin, and in full communion with the Catholic Church should present themselves for Holy Communion.

We pray for the full visible unity among all Christians.

To receive more information about the Oratory or if you desire to become a member of the Catholic Church, contact the rectory. St. Francis de Sales Oratory is an Oratory of the INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST in the Archdiocese of St. Louis.

All contributions to the Oratory are sincerely appreciated and are tax deductible.

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES ORATORY INFORMATION:

INFANT BAPTISM:

Parents requesting Baptism must be active registered members of the Oratory.

1ST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION:

For instructions please contact the Rectory.

HOLY MATRIMONY:

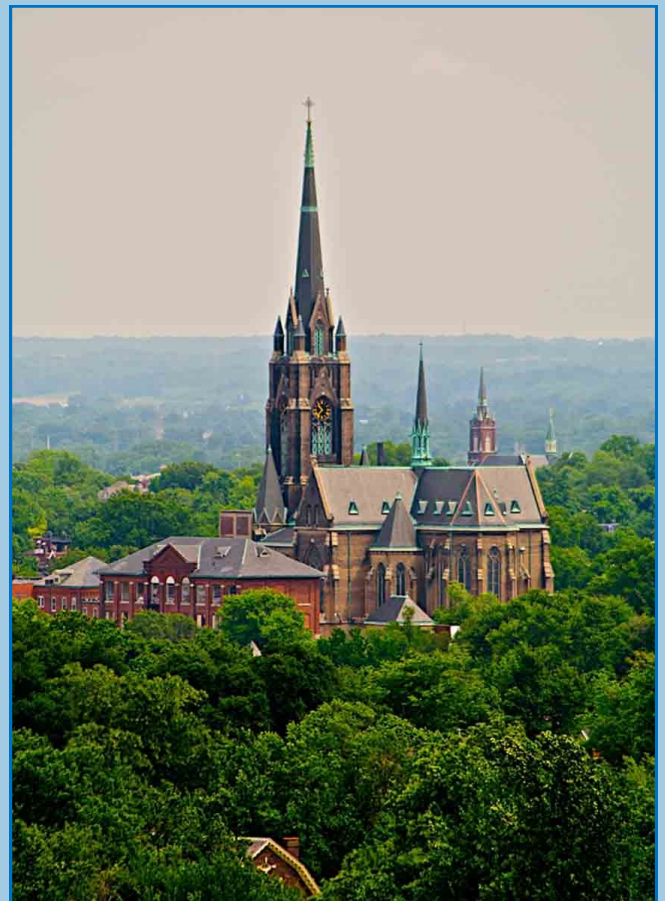
Couples planning to marry at the Oratory must call the rectory for the proper instructions.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Members facing surgery, serious illness, or even death may call (314) 771-3100.

TOURS:

Stained Glass Window Tours are on the second Sunday of every month at 12:00noon.



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