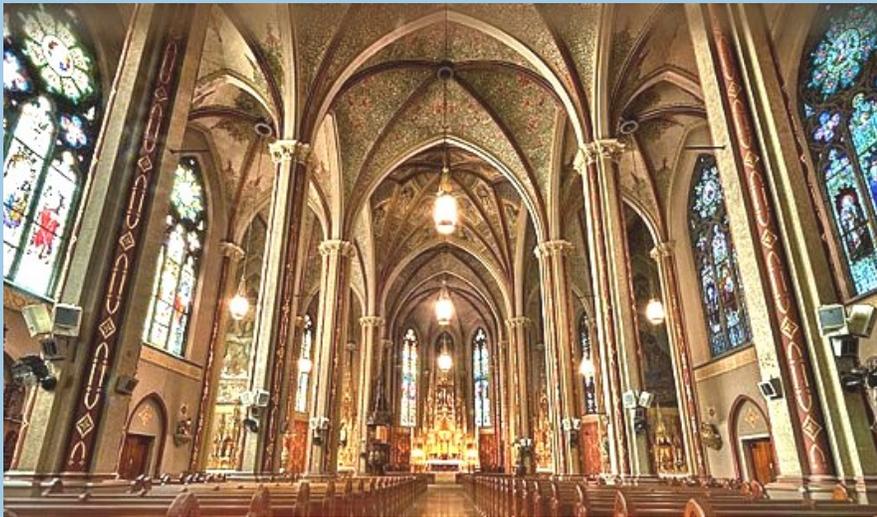


JUNE 21, 2020
3rd Sunday after Pentecost

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES ORATORY



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**“A habitual moderation in eating and drinking is much better
than certain rigorous abstinences made from time to time.”**

- St. Francis de Sales

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday

Mass 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am
and 1:00pm

Monday - Saturday

Mass 8:00am

Tuesday

Mass 6:30pm

Wednesday

Mass 12:15pm

First Fridays

Mass 6:30pm

Holy Days of Obligation

Please consult the bulletin

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

MASS INTENTIONS:

Sunday, June 21

3rd Sunday after Pentecost, 2nd Class

7:30am Low Mass - Forgotten Souls in Purgatory

9:00am Low Mass - Canon Benjamin Coggeshall

10:30am High Mass - Mary Lou Diener †

1:00pm Low Mass - Stephanie Evers

Monday, June 22

St. Paulinus, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Mr. Sostenes Santos

Tuesday, June 23

Vigil of St. John the Baptist, 2nd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Brigid Elizabeth Mackenzie

6:30pm Low Mass - Restoration &

Benefactors of St. Francis de Sales Oratory

Wednesday, June 24

Nativity of St. John the Baptist, 1st Class

8:00am Low Mass - Eddie III

12:15pm Low Mass - Adelaide Julian

Anastasia Krog

Thursday, June 25

St. William, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Rosendo Ramirez Martin

6:30pm Adoration

Friday, June 26

Sts. John and Paul, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Antonio "Tony" Jaramillo †

Saturday, June 27

Our Lady on Saturday, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Gerhard & Christina

Wallbank

Sunday, June 28

4th Sunday after Pentecost, 2nd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Dr. Theodore Dubuque † and

Mrs. Carol Dubuque

10:00am High Mass - Helen Valenza

SUNDAY MASS UPDATE

According to the latest indications by both the Archdiocese of St. Louis and the civil authorities, St. Francis de Sales Oratory will be able to resume its normal Sunday Mass Schedule beginning **SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2020**. This means that two Sunday Masses will be offered at the Oratory, one at 8:00am and the other at 10:00am. **WE WILL BE DISCONTINUING THE MASSES AT 7:30am, 9:00am, and 1:00pm.**

The Rector requests that all parishioners continue to sign up via signup genius to help guarantee that there are no more than 600 people at either Mass at the Oratory. Each Monday afternoon a schedule will be put out by way of email, the SFdS website and social media for the following Sunday liturgies.

For the Holy Family Log Church in Cahokia, the 9:00am Mass will resume on **SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2020**. We will discontinue the 5:00pm Mass. Please note that capacity is for 26 people only, all of whom must sign up on the signup genius link.

Thank you for your understanding and your patience as we move back to a more normal schedule. Please be aware that the situation is still somewhat uncertain and that the schedule could change again with little notice. Those without access to social media or email may call the Oratory office in order to be entered into the Mass of their choice.

For those who are older or who have well-founded fear for their health, you should in no way feel under any pressure to attend Mass at this time (provided, of course, that you do your best to sanctify the Lord's Day religiously at home). Those who have flu symptoms or who have reason to believe they have been exposed to the virus should NOT come to church at this time, as an act of charity to others.

Please contact the rectory if you have questions.



NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

JUNE 24: NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

JUNE 29: SS. PETER & PAUL

JULY 1: MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD

**JULY 2: PRIESTLY ORDINATIONS IN FLORENCE,
ITALY**

ORDINATIONS 2020

As some of you are already aware, the celebration of priestly ordinations at St. Francis de Sales graciously permitted by Archbishop Carlson for August 6, 2020 will no longer take place given the travel restrictions and general uncertainty related to the COVID-19 epidemic. This was a difficult decision, but a necessary one. Happily though, all of our future priests for 2020 will be ordained in Italy next month on July second. Though we cannot host that glorious ceremony here, we can still celebrate the gladness that comes with ordaining 10 young men to the priesthood. Please keep them in your prayers during these next few weeks as they make their final preparations for Holy Orders.

2020 FAMILY DIRECTORY

The Oratory Family Directories have arrived! Complimentary copies are waiting in the Oratory office for all those families who participated in the effort. Please contact the office or stop by to pick up a copy at your convenience.

CHURCH PRINTED MATERIALS

Reusable Mass booklets and other printed materials have been temporarily removed from the church as per the guidelines from the Archdiocese. We have placed a number of bulletins in the church with news and updates for your personal use but if you pick up a bulletin please take it with you to your home and not return it to the stack of other bulletins on the table in the church or leave in the pews. Please be considerate of your neighbors.

LETTER OF THANKS FROM CANON PHILIPPE MORA, RECTOR OF ST. PHILIP NERI SEMINARY

Dear Canon Coggeshall,

I thank you heartily for the Good Shepherd Collection taken up for the seminary in Gricigliano, one that you were able to do in spite of the circumstances.

In these difficult times, your zeal and the support of your faithful are very precious.

Please assure the faithful of the prayers offered by the seminarians for their intentions during our daily Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

In Christo Rege,
Canon Philippe Mora

REGISTER AT THE ORATORY

We cordially invite you to participate more fully, and to support the Oratory more effectively by becoming registered members.

With gratitude, we remember all benefactors' intentions at Mass every Tuesday, and we strive to keep everyone updated on the progress and activities of the Oratory. Through the bulletin, our Email Newsletter and on social media, we give regular updates on the life of the Institute and the Oratory community, including photos of wonderful events that are held throughout the year. For members' convenience, we offer a lower rate for weddings, church hall rental, and donation envelopes to ensure every donation you make will be recorded for tax deduction purposes.

For those who over 18 years of age, please register separately from your family members. Registering at the Oratory is an important step in growing in your faith and participating as an active member of the St. Francis de Sales community.

For more information, please call: **(314) 771-3100**
or email: **sfds@institute-christ-king.org**.



HOLY SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

November 7, 2020 at 10:30am

Confirmations at St. Francis de Sales Oratory according to the traditional ceremonies of the Church will take place on Saturday, November 7, 2020 at 10:30am.

Please contact the rectory office if you or your child(ren) would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. More information to follow.

DE SALES HERITAGE FOUNDATION

The DeSales Heritage Foundation is in existence since January 2018. This entity is a public charity, tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). All donations made to the Foundation are therefore tax deductible according to IRC Section 170. The governing instrument of this Foundation provides that its purpose is to promote and support the restoration, preservation and improvement of our church building, an historically and architecturally significant structure listed on the National Register of Historic Places. This narrow objective is meant to encourage companies, associations and other entities that may not wish to support religion, as such, to contribute to the important cause of the restoration of our magnificent church.

Many corporations match donations made by employees to a recognized non-profit, such as DeSales Heritage Foundation. Please inquire about your company's employee gift matching program and guidelines.

If you need to provide details to qualify DeSales Heritage Foundation for your company's program, please contact Mr. Charles A. Redd at (314) 259-4534 or charles.redd@stinson.com.

PIPE ORGAN CAMPAIGN 2019/20

Campaign Goal:	\$400,000.00
Pledged Amount:	\$60,547.00
Pledge Received:	\$41,027.31
Non Pledge Donations:	\$128,415.98

277 Households - 245 Households Participating

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

The Oratory's biggest annual financial obligation continues to be that of our property and liability insurance assessed by the Archdiocese of Saint Louis.

Our 2019-2020 insurance assessment is **\$96,467.00**. We are relying on your continuous prayers and generous donations which you exercise by using the "insurance envelope" and by your restricted gifts.

Please help us off set this cost by donating today. Thank you very much!

STEWARDSHIP

JULY 2019 - JUNE 2020

WEEKLY COLLECTION GOAL: \$8,000.00

COLLECTION FOR : JUNE 7

ENVELOPES MAILED: 222

ENVELOPES TURNED IN: 123

LOOSE:	\$ 2,524.00
ENVELOPES:	\$8,484.00
TOTAL:	\$11,008.00

YTD STEWARDSHIP GOAL:	\$400,000.00
YTD STEWARDSHIP:	\$419,561.70
YTD SURPLUS/DEFICIT:	\$19,561.70

Insurance Assessment 2018-2019

\$96,467.00

\$41,824.50 YTD

THANK YOU!

On behalf of the Institute superiors and our community at St. Francis de Sales, thank you for your continued support during the covid-19 pandemic. Your generosity is very much appreciated.



THE BROWN SCAPULAR

The scapular of Our Lady of Mount Carmel is an external sign of devotion to Our Lady, which consists in the consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary by the inscription in the Carmelite Order, hoping her maternal protection.

The external sign of this consecration is the small brown scapular. The scapular is a sacramental, that's means, a sacred sign according to the model of the sacraments, by means of which effects, especially spiritual ones, are obtained through the intercession of the Church.

In 1251, the Blessed Virgin Mary, accompanied by a multitude of angels, appeared to Saint Simon Stock, General of the Carmelites, with the scapular of the Order in her hands, and She said: "You and all the Carmelites will have the privilege, that whoever dies with it, will not suffer eternal fire "; that means, whoever dies with the Scapular will be saved.

Whoever wears the scapular should always try to keep the Blessed Virgin in mind and try to imitate her virtues, her life and her actions.

In addition to the promise of salvation for those who die with it, the Scapular also carries with it the so-called Saturday's privilege. According to tradition, on the death of Clement V, the Blessed Virgin appeared to Cardinal Jaime Duesa, and announced to him that he would be Pope with the name of John XXII, and She added: "I want to announce to you and all the Carmelites that: those who wear the Scapular, keep chastity according to their state of life, and pray the divine office, - or those who cannot read abstain from eating meat on Wednesdays and Saturdays - that if they go to purgatory I will release those souls as soon as possible , especially on the Saturday after their death so that their souls can enter into heaven. "

In 1950 the Venerable Pope Pius XII taught that: "Certainly, the pious Mother will not fail to make the children who expiate in Purgatory their faults, reach the celestial fatherland as soon as possible by their intercession, according to the so-called Saturday's privilege, that the tradition has transmitted us with these words of the holy Virgin:

"I will come down on the Saturday after their death and all those - religious, tertiaries and confreres – that I will find in Purgatory, I will free them and take them to the holy mountain of eternal life."

In summary: the Saturday privilege is that the Blessed Virgin will release from purgatory as soon as possible (especially on the Saturday after their death) those who have died with the Scapular and during their lives have kept chastity according to their state of life and who have prayed the office of Our Lady every day" - (This can be replaced by the abstinence from meat on Wednesdays and Saturdays, or if a priest with authority can commute it with another pious work, for example, the daily prayer of the Rosary)-. If one sins against the promises or fails to do the prescribed work one day, one can regain the privilege of confessing and doing penance (in the same way as one recovers the merits lost by mortal sin).

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CHARITY TOWARDS OTHERS

"Hold yourself well-balanced that you may not distribute your affections of favors only according to the natural qualities of others. How many there are who are not to our taste but who are agreeable to God! Charity considers true virtue and the beauty of the soul, and diffuses itself over all without partiality." —St. Francis de Sales

SUNDAY COLLECTION

The ushers will not be taking up collections during Sunday Masses as requested by the archdiocese. Your weekly donations can be placed in the black bins destined to that effect in the Church, or you may continue donating online as so many of you have generously done for the past 2 months. Thank you for your continued support!



ORATORY ORGANIZATIONS ANNOUNCEMENTS

INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING *Stay Connected to the Family*

TEXT: INSTITUTE TO 84576

To receive Institute Updates via Text & Email

CONFERENCE OF SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL **Spirituality, Friendship, Service**

SVdP at St. Francis de Sales is very happy to be able to serve our Neighbors in Need within SFDS's geographic boundaries. We would love to have your help! We meet on the 2nd and 4th Saturday mornings at 9am in the building that houses the Oratory gym. We begin with a short meeting and then pair up to visit those neighbors who have called us for help during the week. For more information, please contact Jim Shaver at: (314) 629-9650 or jim.shaver@charter.net.

PRO-LIFE APOSTOLATE **STAND-UP FOR LIFE**

Prayer Time @ Planned Parenthood

4251 Forest Park Ave 63108

* 6:30am Rosary every Saturday

* 10am 5th Saturday Jericho Walk

* 3rd Saturday after 8am Mass @ Cathedral
4431 Lindell 63108, Rosary/Walk to PP

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

COFFEE & DONUT HOUR Coffee and Donut Hour has been suspended until further notice.

HANDICAPPED PARKING ON LYNCH

Please only use the handicapped parking spaces on Lynch Street if you have city issued handicapped license plates or placards. Thank you.



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ST. PHILIP NERI
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SEMINARIANS
NEED YOUR SUPPORT!
PLEASE SIGN UP TODAY TO BECOME A PRAYER SPONSOR.

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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 21: St. Martha
Sunday, June 28: St. Veronica
Sunday, July 5: St. Benedict



(The Brown Scapular—continued from the previous page.)

The certainty of this privilege of the Scapular is based on the power of the Church that promotes and recommends it.

It should be added that various indulgences are linked to the Holy Scapular:

1) -You can earn a Plenary Indulgence:

A. On the day the scapular is received and you are enrolled in the confraternity of Mount Carmel.

B. On these Feasts:

- 1) Our Lady of Mount Carmel (July 16)
- 2) Saint Simon Stock (May 16)
- 3) Saint Elias Prophet (July 20)
- 4) Saint Teresa of Avila (October 15)
- 5) Saint Teresa of the Child Jesus (October 3)
- 6) Saint John of the Cross (November 24)
- 7) All the Carmelite Saints (November 14)

2) You can earn a partial Indulgence:

A. By devoutly wearing the holy scapular.

B. It can be also earned not only by kissing it, but by any other acts of affection and devotion.

If you have not yet been invested in the Brown Scapular, you will have an opportunity on **Friday, July 3rd and Tuesday, July 7th** after the 6:30pm evening Masses. Present yourself at the main communion rail after Mass to be enrolled in the Confraternity of the Carmelite Order by one of the priests at the Oratory. Please bring your own Brown Scapular! Contact the Rectory office if you would wish to be enrolled at this time.

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Those desiring a Mother of Perpetual Help Booklet may ask for a free copy of their own from the office. We are unable to leave them in the Church at this time. Thank you for your understanding.

For more information please contact the rectory.

WARMER WEATHER

With warm summer days approaching it is worth mentioning that the Oratory interior can get quite warm. When choosing your wardrobe for Holy Mass please keep in mind that though we need to dress for the weather, we also need to dress for the House of God. These two things can be reasonably accomplished simultaneously. Parents should instruct their children in the good practical application of this matter. It would be best that any suggestions or corrections in this domain to visitors outside of one's immediate family be left to the discretion of the Oratory canons only.

SOCIAL MEDIA VOLUNTEER NEEDED

The Rector is searching for a volunteer who could help in maintaining the various social media platforms by which Oratory events are advertised. This volunteer would work directly with the rector and Abbe Alex. Parties interested in serving the Oratory in this way may call the office at their soonest convenience.

SUNDAY ROSARY LEADERS

Beginning on Sunday, July 28th, the Rosary will be prayed before the 10:00am Mass. The Rosary leaders are listed below.

1st Sunday: Chuck Brandwein

2nd Sunday: Mark Everetts

3rd Sunday: Clary Redd

4th Sunday: Michael Hayworth

5th Sunday: Vince VandenBergh

TO ALL OUR GUESTS...

Canon Coggeshall 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:

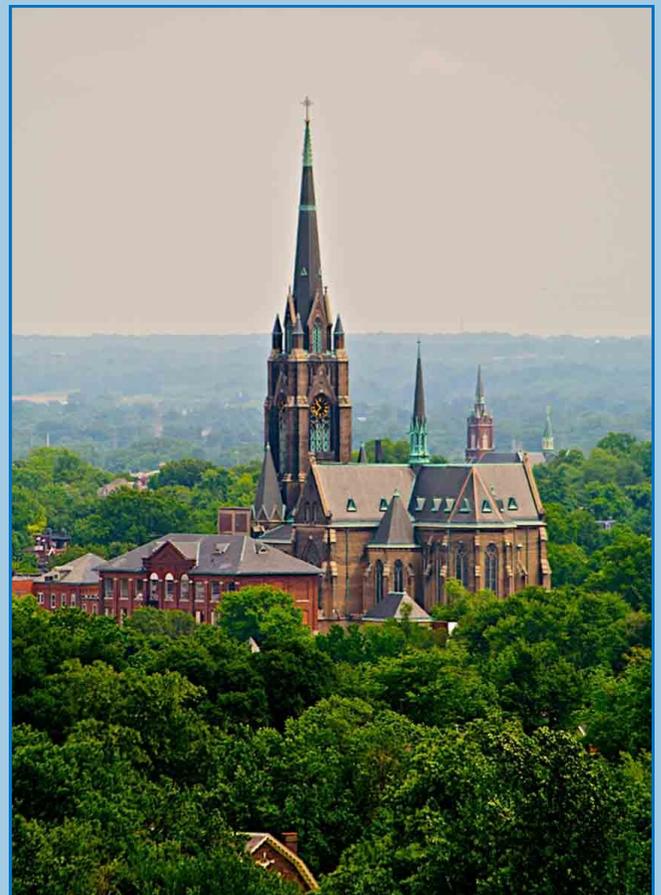
Couples planning to marry at the Oratory must call the rectory for the proper instructions.

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 after the 10:00am High Mass.



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