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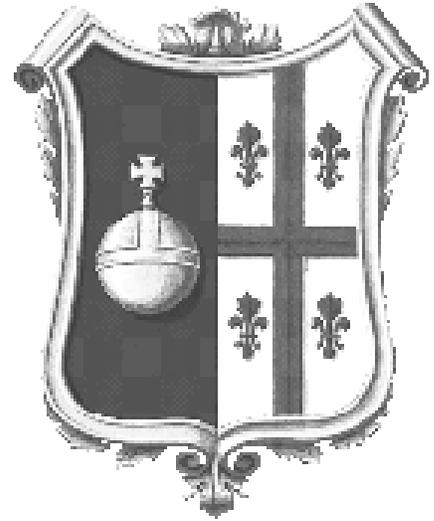
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SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY FEBRUARY 16, AD 2020

CLERGY & STAFF

Very Rev. Msgr. R. Michael Schmitz,
STD, JCD, Vicar General of the Institute

Rev. Canon Matthew Talarico, Provincial Superior of
the Institute's U.S. Province

Rev. Canon Joel Estrada, Pastor and Rector

Abbé Kevin Kerscher, Clerical Oblate and Sacristan

David Hughes, Sunday Organist and Choirmaster

Jonathan Barney, Saturday Organist and Director

Debra Guerrero, Parish and Oratory Secretary

Rectory Office Hours

Monday-Wednesday 8:30am - 3:00pm
Thursday 8:30am - 12:30pm

MASS TIMES

Saturday: 3:15-3:45 P.M. Confessions
4:00 P.M. Vigil Mass in the Ordinary Form
in English, celebrated by archdiocesan
priests

Sunday: 8:30 A.M. Low Mass (Extraordinary Form)
10:30 A.M. High Mass (Extraordinary Form)

Monday-Saturday: 8:00 A.M. Low Mass
(Extraordinary Form)

DAILY CONFESSIONS

30 minutes before each Holy Mass every day

DEVOTIONS

First Friday, an additional Mass at 6 p.m. preceded by
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament beginning at 5 p.m.

First Saturday, after Holy Mass, Exposition of the Blessed
Sacrament, Holy Rosary, 15 minute Adoration & Benediction.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, February 15

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Anticipated)

4:00 p.m. Ordinary Form English Mass

Dorothy Ianantuoni Birthday Remembrance,
requested by Frances Maisto

Sunday, February 16

Sexagesima Sunday

8:30 a.m. Low Mass

Missa Pro Populo

10:30 a.m. High Mass

† Dominick Giannotti, Jr., requested by Linda and
Joseph DelBene, Sr.

Monday, February 17

Mass of Sexagesima Sunday

8 a.m. Low Mass

Tuesday, February 18

St. Simeon, Bishop & Martyr

8 a.m. Low Mass

Wednesday, February 19

Mass of Sexagesima Sunday

8 a.m. Low Mass

Thursday, February 20

Mass of Sexagesima Sunday

8 a.m. Low Mass

Friday, February 21

Mass of Sexagesima Sunday

8 a.m. Low Mass

Saturday, February 22

Chair of Saint Peter at Antioch

8 a.m. Low Mass

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Anticipated)

4:00 p.m. Ordinary Form English Mass

† Jennie Tedesco - 3rd Yr. Anniv., requested by
family

Sunday, February 23

Quinquagesima Sunday

8:30 a.m. Low Mass

Missa Pro Populo

10:30 a.m. High Mass

† Brian Brick, requested by family

Saint Patrick Parish and Oratory Collections

Saturday February 8

4:00pm Mass: \$661.00

Sunday February 9

8:30am Mass: \$988.00

10:30am Mass: \$2531.40

**Please kindly note to make your offering
payable to "Saint Patrick Parish"**

May God reward your generosity!

We do understand that some of you go on vacation during the winter months, however, the Church bills do not go on break. Please consider mailing your regular offertory envelopes to Saint Patrick rectory even if you're away. God bless!

Schola Cantorum

Volunteer choristers are welcomed for singing at the Sunday 10:30 High Mass. Rehearsals of the chant and, as circumstances permit, polyphony will be on Sundays prior to Mass. For further information, please contact David Hughes: david@chantwith.us .

Saint Patrick Bingo: Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. in Saint Patrick Church Hall. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. Food and beverages available for purchase and progressive jackpots included.

Wisdom from Saint Francis de Sales

Patron Saint of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest

"Praise is a slow poison. How many times has it destroyed virtue."

Due to an influx of Mass Intention Requests received by the former Parish of Saint Blaise and remaining private Mass Intentions from the Pastor and Rector, Rev. Canon Joel Estrada, received prior to his recent assignment in Waterbury, CT, Saint Patrick Parish and Oratory is unable to accommodate Mass intentions at this time. However, we will open the Intention Book in early March 2020 in order to schedule new public Mass Intentions. Nevertheless, the required canonical *Missa Pro Populo* intention will be offered each Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation, unless there is an impediment, in which it will be offered during the week. Thank you for your understanding and patience!

**HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE WITH
THE INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING**

taking place April 13-22, 2020

From Bethlehem, the birthplace of Christ our King, Jerusalem, the holy city of David, Cana and Nazareth, the Sea of Galilee, River Jordan and Mount Carmel, travel to Old and New Testament sites where the greatest mysteries of our Faith have unfolded! To pray the **Traditional Holy Latin Mass each day** in these sacred places is an unparalleled privilege!

Traveling with Reverend Canon Commins

For more info call: **845-594-2222**

or visit: **stolavtravel.com**

Silence is Golden!

The church is a **consecrated** and **holy** space and edifice for God. As a courtesy of others who are praying in the church, please remember to put your portable communication devices on "Church Mode" (silent mode). In addition, please refrain from talking in the main nave of the church, and hold any necessary conversations in the enclosed vestibule of the church.

Our reverence for the Most Blessed Sacrament reserved in the church would be most honorable to our Lord and God, the Creator of All.

Please pray for the following for healing:

Diane Andrew, Anna, Arthur, Janet Blucker, Edith Bruno, Al Crochet, Jim Danauskas, Louis Dantino, Dominic, Jim and Claudette Doyle, Ellissa, Paul Grochowski, Amanda Hinrichs, Patti Hinrichs, June Johnston, David Kerscher, Karen Knapp, Dawn Laliderte, Robert Leary, Donald Maloney, Mark Pavao, Bob Piche, Jerry and Charlotte Sepe, Lorraine Shaw, Kristina Solomita, Marge Vallillo

Please pray for our Military:

Peter Crochet, United States Navy, USS Gravely (DDG 107), Mathew Nardella, United States Navy, USS Bulkley (DDG 84)

**Information for newcomers to the
Traditional Latin Mass**

Welcome to St. Patrick Parish and Oratory and to the traditional Latin Mass offered by the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest. We are pleased to have you join us in this venerable act of worship and invite you to return often. In the traditional Mass, each person has his proper role; be it celebrant, server, choir, usher, or congregation. At a High Mass, the congregation and choir makes all responses, and at Low Mass it is the function solely of the server, since this was the vision of the Church, aided by the Holy Ghost, for numerous centuries. The congregation respond internally as opposed to vocally, and this is still, according to Pope Pius XII in his encyclical "Mystici Corporis" active participation. Active participation in all its facets begins in the heart, for without it our prayers are but empty shells. While silent meditation or fervent recitation of the Rosary have always been regarded as active participation, it is highly recommended that to assist at Mass more fully, we follow the prayers of the Mass—for which purpose red missals are provided—paying particular attention to the notes in the margin. All the "propers," or parts of the Mass which are different according to the day, can be found on the printed handouts. Simply follow those around you when to stand, sit and kneel. Please keep a "holy silence" in the church at all times out of respect of Christ's presence in the tabernacle. Lastly in the Traditional Latin Mass, Holy Communion is received only on the tongue, and if physically possible kneeling at the communion rail. Also a gentle reminder, only Catholics in the state of grace (not having unconfessed mortal sins on one's souls) are free to receive our Lord at Holy Communion.

As Lent and Holy Week will be fast approaching, we will hold an informative class soon explaining the richness and symbolisms in the Rites of Holy Week.

Stay connected to the Family
TEXT **INSTITUTE** TO 84576
TO RECEIVE INSTITUTE UPDATES VIA TEXT & EMAIL

IMPORTANT: Saint Patrick's Dinner
on *Laetare* Saturday, March 21, 5:30 PM

During the upcoming penitential season of Lent, where we commit to conversion from sin to a life of grace, abstinence, fasting, and almsgiving, Holy Mother Church allows us to celebrate during the midway point of Lent on *Laetare* Sunday (4th Sunday of Lent).

Therefore, it would be opportune to hold our annual Saint Patrick Dinner in the Church Hall on Saturday, March 21, at 5:30 pm.

Please register today to attend the fundraising dinner. \$20 per adult. Children under 10 are free. No alcoholic beverages permitted.

We are in need of your help with the following:

-Volunteers to bake desserts, set-up, clean-up hall, etc. (Please see sign up sheet in Church Vestibule)

-Drawing items wanted for basket prizes.

We hope this will be a wondrous event for the life of Saint Patrick Parish and Oratory! The proceeds of this dinner will help with the operations of our Church!

Save the Date, Upcoming Events

Feb. 17th: Rectory Office Closed

Feb. 19th: Second Saint Patrick Dinner Volunteer Committee Meeting at 6pm in Church Hall, please come if interested in helping out!

Feb. 26th: Ash Wednesday, 8am Low Mass and 6pm High Mass

Mar. 21st: St. Patrick Parish Dinner, 5:30pm in the Church Hall

FROM THE PASTOR,
REVEREND CANON JOEL ESTRADA

Dear Faithful,

During this pre-Lenten season of Septuagesima, it is a good reminder for all of us to think about our Lenten penances and resolutions now. It is why Holy Mother Church has us celebrating this short pre-Lenten season of Septuagesima, in order to already think about our Lenten journey.

We always think about what we should give up for Lent. For children (and adults), we automatically think about giving up sweets such as chocolate. However, as faithful Catholics, we know that it is not enough, knowing how much our Lord endured and suffered through His Passion and Death for our sins and infidelity.

We might be stuck as what to do for Lent. Remember, we need to continually cultivate our soul and our sanctification, one step at a time. For that, we have Saint Francis de Sales to help us. He said, **“God takes pleasure to see you take your little steps; and like a good father who holds his child by the hand, he will accommodate his steps to yours and will be content to go no faster than you. Why do you worry?”**

Let us take our Lenten journey in baby steps, by thinking simply what we need to work on, such as working on increasing our kindness, patience, temperance, etc. Also let us think of penance that are more salutary for the soul, such as the Stations of the Cross, Novenas, spiritual reading along with our physical penances. Saint Francis de Sales continues, **“Examine your heart often to see if it is such toward your neighbor as you would like his to be toward you were you in his place. This is the touchstone of true reason.”** This would be a good way to practice the much needed virtue of charity.

In this busy world, people forget to be so courteous and charitable. Whenever I encounter an irate person, I simply ask them if they can practice patience and calmness of mind and body. Normally there is a misunderstanding of sorts that causes this and I simply clarify the situation in a calm way. So can you! **Through patience, we will possess our souls, as our Lord says, not through anger and frustration and ignorance. Unholy anger does not solve any problems.** Consider practicing patience and charity for Lent, for the sake of God and our neighbor.