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Mass Times

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Low Mass
10:15 a.m. High Mass
Monday-Saturday: 7:45 a.m. Low Mass
Holy Days: *please consult the bulletin*

Confessions

*30 minutes before Mass every day (Sundays
before both Masses) & First Fridays from
5:15 to 5:45 p.m. (during Adoration)*

Devotions

Every Thursday: Holy Hour at 6 p.m.
First Friday: Additional Mass at 6 p.m.,
preceded by Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament beginning at 5 p.m.
First Saturday: After Mass, Adoration
with Holy Rosary, 15-minute meditation &
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

August 21st 2022

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

Weekly Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, August 21st

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:30 a.m. - Pro Populo

10:15 a.m. - ✠ Eugene Wirkus, Sr.
requested by Gene and Donna Wirkus

* No Public Vespers *

Monday, August 22nd

Immaculate Heart of Mary

7:45 a.m. - ✠ Frances Samsel
requested by Barbara & Linda Walewski

Tuesday, August 23rd

Saint Philip Benizi

7:45 a.m. - ✠ Franklin, Irene & Paulette Ellison
requested by Irene Ellison

Wednesday, August 24th

Saint Bartholomew the Apostle

7:45 a.m. - Thomas Edward Howley
requested by Mr. & Mrs. Michael Howley

Thursday, August 25th

Saint Louis IX of France

7:45 a.m. - ✠ Tomy Collins
requested by Katie Prendergast

6:00 p.m. - Holy Hour

Friday, August 26th

Saint Zephyrinus

7:45 a.m. - ✠ Frank Berden, Jr.
requested by John Tkacik

Saturday, August 27th

Saint Joseph Calasanctius

7:45 a.m. - Helen Reback
requested by June Vendetti

Sunday, August 28th

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:30 a.m. - ✠ Edward Adam
requested by Marian Adam

10:15 a.m. - Pro Populo
* No Public Vespers *



Upcoming Events

Thursday, August 25th

Weekly Holy Hour at 6:00 p.m.

August 28th to September 4th

Canons away for the annual General Chapter meeting of the Institute in Italy
Morning Mass and confessions as usual, but no Holy Hours or First Friday evening Mass

Thursday, September 8th

NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
Traditional blessing of seeds after Mass

Sunday, September 11th

Official Start to New Pastoral Year 2022-2023
Reception in Social Hall after 10:15 a.m. Mass

Sunday, October 9th

Visit of His Excellency Bishop Caggiano to the Oratory at the 10:15 a.m. Solemn Mass
Festive reception to follow in the church hall

Faith Formation at the Oratory

Please watch the bulletin in coming weeks for information about Confirmation Catechism Class for children who need to receive this sacrament, as well as regular Adult Theology Class. Both classes will begin this fall.



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LITANY OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

*The month of August is traditionally dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.
This Litany, composed by Cardinal Newman, is suitable for private devotion.*

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father of Heaven, *Have mercy on us.*

God the Son, Redeemer of the world,

Have mercy on us.

God the Holy Ghost, *Have mercy on us.*

Holy Trinity, one God, *Have mercy on us.*

Heart of Mary, *Pray for us.*

Heart, after God's own Heart, *Pray for us.*

Heart, in union with the Heart of Jesus, *Pray for us.*

Heart, the vessel of the Holy Ghost, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, shrine of the Trinity, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, home of the Word, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, immaculate in thy creation,

Pray for us.

Heart of Mary, flooded with grace, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, blessed of all hearts, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, Throne of glory, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, Abyss of humbleness, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, Victim of love, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, nailed to the Cross, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, comfort of the sad, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, refuge of the sinner, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, hope of the dying, *Pray for us.*

Heart of Mary, seat of mercy, *Pray for us.*

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world,
Graciously hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy on us.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

∮. Immaculate Mary, meek and humble of heart.

℞. *Conform our hearts to the heart of Jesus.*

Let us Pray. O most merciful God, who for the salvation of sinners and the refuge of the wretched, hast made the Immaculate Heart of Mary most like in tenderness and pity to the Heart of Jesus, grant that we, who now commemorate her most sweet and loving heart, may by her merits and intercession, ever live in the fellowship of the Hearts of both Mother and Son, through the same Christ our Lord.
Amen.



We welcome you today the Oratory Parish of Saints Cyril and Methodius!

If this is your first time here, we look forward to meeting you. The next monthly social hour with coffee and doughnuts will be on September 11th after the 10:15 a.m. High Mass. We hope you will be able to join us. If you are interested in registering as a parishioner, forms are available at both entrances.

Holy Mass and all the sacraments at the Oratory are celebrated in the traditional Latin Rite. This form of worship, which developed many centuries ago, is a priceless treasure of our Catholic faith. On Sundays, there are handouts containing English translations of the Propers (the prayers and readings proper to the day). If you are unfamiliar with the traditional Latin Mass, please do not hesitate to approach the clergy with any questions you may have. The pastoral care of the Oratory has been entrusted by the Bishop of Bridgeport to the clergy of the Institute of Christ the King, a Catholic priestly society founded in 1990 and currently ministering in dioceses across the United States, Europe and Africa.

Holy communion may be received by practicing Catholics in the state of grace. In the traditional Roman Rite, holy communion is received kneeling at the communion rail (unless you are impaired from doing so) and directly on the tongue. The mouth should be open with the tongue slightly extended. You do not reply when the priest places the host in your mouth. The sacrament of confession is available every day 30 minutes before the start of Mass (ending approximately 5 minutes before Mass begins).

The church narthex (vestibule) functions as a cry room during Mass. As a courtesy to others, please feel free to make use of it when you have a crying child by exiting quietly down one of the side aisles.

Out of respect for God's house, please bear in mind the importance of modest and decent attire, and hold all conversations outside.

If you are not a Catholic, you are warmly invited to learn more about our faith. The Catholic Church was founded 2000 years ago by Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ to carry on His work for the salvation of souls. If you are interested in becoming Catholic or simply want to learn more about the Catholic faith, please do not hesitate to contact us. The Oratory offers individual instruction. We look forward to hearing from you.

CALL FOR CHORISTERS: Men, Women & Children of Good Will & Sound Voice!

Now is the acceptable time for a Children's Schola, a Men's Schola and an Adult Choir at Saints Cyril & Methodius!

For sung Masses each Sunday and on high Feast Days, the Men's Schola will prepare and sing the Propers, while the Adult Choir will sing the Ordinary and some polyphonic motets together. The Children's Schola will rehearse weekly and sing chant and simple polyphony for one Mass per month.

We plan to hold weekly rehearsals in the loft on Thursdays from September to Corpus Christi.

To inquire about any of these ensembles, please speak to Sam Schmitt either after Mass or via e-mail: samuel.schmitt@carlschmitt.org, or simply sign up using the clipboard in the back of the church.

Thank you, Volunteers!

Thank you all for coming to the parish picnic, especially to all our wonderful volunteers. Thank you for your contributions, your food and beverage donations, and thank you for your service with set-up and clean-up!

Annual Catholic Appeal — almost there!

Thank you to all our parishioners who have already supported the annual bishop's appeal.

This is a concrete way for the Oratory to participate in the life of the diocese and to show our appreciation to the bishop for his support. We are only 5% away from reaching our goal!

Please consider making a contribution if you have not already done so. You can visit 2022BishopsAppeal.com or call (203) 416-1470.

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