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Mass Times

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Low Mass
10:15 a.m. High Mass

Monday-Friday: 7:45 a.m. Low Mass

Saturday: 8:30 a.m. Low Mass

Holy Days: *please consult the bulletin*

Confessions

30 minutes before Mass every day

Regular Devotions

Every Thursday: Holy Hour at 6:00 p.m.

First Friday: Additional Mass at 6:00 p.m., followed by Devotions & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

First Saturday: After Mass, Adoration with Holy Rosary, 15-minute meditation & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

November 10th 2024

Resumed Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

Masses this Week

Sunday, November 10th

RESUMED FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

8:30 a.m. - ✠ Deceased Members of the
St. Joseph Society, Branch 19
requested by the St. Joseph Society, Branch 19
10:15 a.m. - Pro Populo

Monday, November 11th

Saint Martin of Tours

7:45 a.m. - ✠ John C. Adam
requested by Marian Adam

Requiem Mass

6:00 p.m. - ✠ War Dead, especially of our parish

Tuesday, November 12th

Saint Martin I

7:45 a.m. - ✠ Deceased members of Alanz
& Kinani families
requested by the Alanz & Kinani family

Wednesday, November 13th

Saint Didacus

7:45 a.m. - ✠ Mariano & Feliza Fajarda
requested by Mr. & Mrs. James T. DeSilva

Thursday, November 14th

Saint Josaphat

7:45 a.m. - Rev'd Canon Andrew Todd
requested by Neo Neal Bernardo Natividad

Friday, November 15th

Saint Albert the Great

7:45 a.m. - Bob & Laurie Furey & family
requested by JoEllen & Larry Pline

Saturday, November 16th

Saint Gertrude the Great

8:30 a.m. - ✠ Holy Souls in purgatory
requested by Neo Neal Bernardo Natividad

Sunday, November 17th

RESUMED SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

8:30 a.m. - Pro Populo
10:15 a.m. - ✠ Guadalupe R. Tudon
requested by Gary & Diana Burt



Upcoming Events

Sunday, November 10th

Vespers & Benediction at 6:00 p.m.

November 10th to 17th

Food collection for the Daughters of Charity of the
Most Precious Blood food pantry
Please drop off items (non-expired) by the back door.

Monday, November 11th

ARMISTICE DAY

Requiem High Mass at 6:00 p.m. for the War Dead,
especially of our parish

Tuesday, November 12th

Adult Theology talk at 7:00 p.m.

"The Fifth Commandment, Part 2: Anger"

Thursday, November 14th

Holy Hour & Benediction at 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, November 17th

Special second collection for the seminarians of the
diocese of Bridgeport
No Vespers or Benediction

Saturday, November 23rd

Morning of Recollection for Catholic ladies & girls
given by the Filiae Laboris Mariae Sisters after
Mass at 8:30 a.m.

November 29th to December 7th

Novena of the Immaculate Conception

Sermon every day by a visiting guest preacher

Sunday, December 1st

ADVENT SUNDAY {"Invite-a-Friend Sunday"}
Solemn Mass with guest celebrant & preacher
Father Richard Cipolla, followed by social hour
Advent book sale in the church hall

Friday, December 6th

Solemn "First Mass" of Canon Paul McKown with
Novena sermon at 6:00 p.m., followed by First
Blessings of a newly ordained priest and reception
in the church hall

Saturday, December 14th

First Holy Communion catechism class at 9:30 a.m.

NOVENA OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION 2024



the perfect way to
share in the true
spirit of Advent!



Confessions will be
available 30 minutes
before each
Novena service

Please join us for this important Novena in honor of our Immaculate Queen! Each Novena ceremony includes a Marian sermon by a special guest preacher, the Litany of Loreto, the Novena Prayer composed by Pope Saint Pius X and the traditional Novena hymn, *Tota pulchra es*.

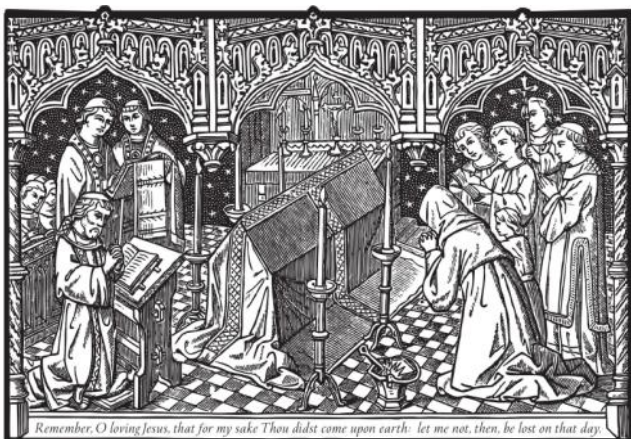
Theme of the Novena: *Apparitions of Our Lady*

- ✠ Friday, November 29th • 6:00 p.m. *Sermon & Benediction* ✠
Father Colin Lomnitzer • "Our Lady of the Pillar"
- ✠ Saturday, November 30th • 8:30 a.m. *Low Mass, Sermon & Benediction* ✠
Father Michael Novajosky • "Our Lady of Walsingham"
- ✠ Sunday, December 1st • 10:15 a.m. *Solemn Mass & Sermon* ✠
Father Richard Cipolla • "Our Lady of Guadalupe"
After Mass: *join us downstairs in the church hall for Sunday coffee hour*
- ✠ Monday, December 2nd • 6:00 p.m. *Sermon & Benediction* ✠
Father Joseph Gill • "Our Lady of Good Success"
- ✠ Tuesday, December 3rd • 6:00 p.m. *Sermon & Benediction* ✠
Father Brian Gannon • "Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal"
- ✠ Wednesday, December 4th • 6:00 p.m. *Sermon & Benediction* ✠
Father Columba Thomas, O.P. • "Our Lady of Lourdes"
- ✠ Thursday, December 5th • 6:00 p.m. *Sermon & Benediction* ✠
Father Colin Blatchford • "Our Lady of Champion"
- ✠ Friday, December 6th • 6:00 p.m. *Solemn Mass & Sermon* ✠
Canon Paul McKown, I.C.R.S.S. • "Our Lady of Pontmain"
After Mass: *First Blessings of a newly ordained priest & social in the church hall*
- ✠ Saturday, December 7th • 8:30 a.m. *Low Mass, Sermon & Benediction* ✠
Canon Paul McKown, I.C.R.S.S. • "Our Lady of Fatima"

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Monday, November 11th
ARMISTICE DAY
Requiem High Mass for the
War Dead at 6:00 p.m.

followed by Absolution at the
Catafalque and setting of a
wreath at our war memorial



Remember, O loving Jesus, that for my sake Thou didst come upon earth: let me not, then, be lost on that day.

INSTITUTE CHRISTMAS CARDS

Cost: \$20 per pack • Available in church

Please make out checks to:

INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered by the U.S. Provincial Superior on Christmas Day for all those who receive one of these beautiful Christmas cards.

Thanksgiving Food Drive

The Oratory is collecting items for the food bank run by the Daughters of Charity of the Precious

Blood here in Bridgeport. The items being collected are: non-expired canned goods, dry foods and grooming items (no perishable items or items requiring freezing or refrigeration).

Please drop off your items (in a disposable carrier bag if possible) in the back entrance to church. Thank you for your charity!

We welcome you today to Saints Cyril and Methodius Oratory!

If this is your first time here, we look forward to meeting you. We hope you will be able to join us for our next coffee hour! If you are interested in registering as a parishioner, forms are available at both entrances.

Holy Mass and all the sacraments at Saints Cyril & Methodius 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 and feasts, 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 of the Oratory 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 7 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. Everyone is kindly reminded that all conversations should be held outside.

Out of respect for God's house, please bear in mind the importance of modest and decent attire. Ladies who wish to do so may borrow a veil to wear at Mass (available in baskets by the entrances).

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 Saviour 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.

Meal Train

Thank you to the kind parishioners who provide delicious and nourishing meals to the rectory. We are grateful for your solicitude. You can pick up your tupperwares and other food containers on the table in the back sacristy.

www.mealtrain.com/trains/yv0r1y

Blessing of Sacramentals

If you have any items to be blessed, you can drop them off in the work sacristy and then pick them up the following Sunday. Please place your name on the items so they do not go astray!

MORNING OF RECOLLECTION

**Saturday, November 23rd
after the 8:30 a.m. Mass**

Mothers are welcome to bring their daughters to this **retreat morning for Catholic ladies**. The talks will be given by sisters of the Filiae Laboris Mariæ, a traditional religious community based in

Kansas. There is no charge for participation, just the option of leaving a free-will offering. At the end of the morning, Miraculous Medals will be blessed and distributed.



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