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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 {*except summer*}

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

July 27th 2025

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Masses this Week

Sunday, July 27th

SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

{*Saint Pantaleon*}

8:30 a.m. - Pro Populo

10:15 a.m. - ✠ Jean Manson

requested by Gary & Diana Burt

Monday, July 28th

Saints Nazarius & Celsus, Victor I & Innocent I

7:45 a.m. - Kevin & Trisha Simmons & Family

requested by Linda Gaboardi

Tuesday, July 29th

Saint Martha

7:45 a.m. - George & Denise Smith

requested by the Daly Family

Wednesday, July 30th

Saints Abdon & Sennen

7:45 a.m. - ✠ Edward & Mary Carney

requested by Paul McMahon

Thursday, July 31st

Saint Ignatius of Loyola

7:45 a.m. - Canon Francis X. Altieri

requested by Kate Prendergast

Friday, August 1st

Saint Peter in Chains

7:45 a.m. - Monsignor Gilles Wach

Saturday, August 2nd

Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart

8:30 a.m. - Mr. & Mrs. Bruce & Patricia Tourigny

requested by the Tourigny Family

Sunday, August 3rd

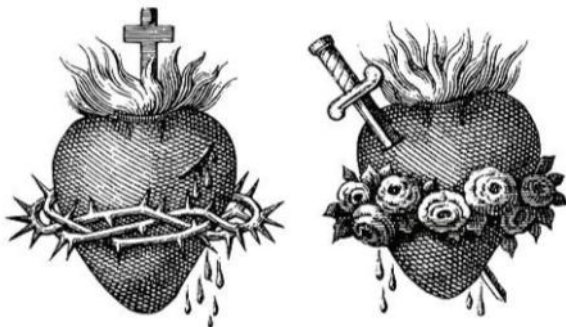
EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

{*Invention of Saint Stephen*}

8:30 a.m. - George Smith

requested by Denise Manoni-Smith & Family

10:15 a.m. - Pro Populo



Upcoming Events

Please note that during the summer months, there is no evening Mass (or confessions or devotions) on First Fridays, only the usual morning Mass and confessions.

Fridays of the Summer Months

that is, between the two feasts of the Holy Cross celebrated on May 3rd & September 14th

Weather blessing with the relic after Low Masses

Sunday, July 27th

No Vespers or Benediction (Abbé on vacation)

Thursday, July 31st

No Holy Hour or Benediction (Abbé on vacation)

Sunday, August 2nd

First Saturday devotions & Benediction after Mass

Sunday, August 3rd

No Vespers or Benediction (Abbé on vacation)

Wednesday, August 6th

TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

Blessing of grapes after Mass at 7:45 a.m.

Thursday, August 7th

No Holy Hour or Benediction (Abbé on vacation)

Sunday, August 10th

Annual Church picnic at Old Mine Park

Friday, August 15th

ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Low Mass at 7:45 a.m.

High Mass at 6:00 p.m., followed by procession & traditional blessing of herbs

September - Date to be Announced

Adult Theology class will resume

Sunday, September 14th

FEAST OF THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Procession with the relic of the True Cross after the 10:15 a.m. High Mass

September 26th to 28th

"Pilgrimage for Restoration" to the Shrine of the North American Martyrs. For information, visit:

<https://pilgrimage-for-restoration.org>

**ADORERS OF THE ROYAL HEART OF
JESUS CHRIST SOVEREIGN PRIEST**



IN CORDE REGIS

House of Saint Thomas Aquinas
Naples, July 7, 2025

Dear Friends,

"O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together." Psalm 35: 3

It is with heartfelt thanksgiving towards Almighty God that I write this letter to thank you for your warm welcome of Sister Vinishya-Marie and myself during our visit to your beautiful apostolate family. We were very touched by your thoughtfulness and kindness and so very happy and blessed to meet you. It is always a joy and a blessing to meet in person those we pray for and who pray for us, united in the same spiritual family.

Thank you very much for your generosity towards our Novitiate in Naples, Italy. Without your help, we would not be able to undertake the renovations necessary to maintain a suitable setting for the religious life and for the formation of our young sisters. May God reward you one-hundred-fold!

It is so very edifying to see the union of our canons with their faithful and the spirit of family that is so strong and palpable. Your dedication and generosity towards our canons and your apostolate family is truly something to admire and a great joy to witness. We left with warmth in our hearts, and we cherish the beautiful memories from our visit.

Dear friends, be assured of our continued prayers for each and every one of you. May the Royal Heart of our Lord, the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and the Pure Heart of Saint Joseph bless you and protect you and your beautiful families.

In Corde Regis,

*Mother Madeleine-Marie of Saint Joseph,
Guardian of the Royal Heart*

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We welcome you to Saints Cyril and Methodius!

If this is your first time here, we look forward to meeting you. We hope you will be able to join us for our barbeque next month. 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.

Sunday, August 10th

ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC

Old Mine Park

121 Old Mine Road - Trumbull



Please feel free to bring lawn games, sports equipment, children's games (bean bag toss, etc.)! *Please note: no glass bottles allowed at park*

There is a sign-up sheet for those who are able to bring items to share; envelopes are also available for donations.

Please plan to attend this fun event!

Congratulations to
Stella Marie Heise

daughter of Mr. & Mrs.

Michael Heise

who was baptized

at the Oratory on Saturday.

*There is a Meal Train for the family,
for anyone who would like to help:*

**[https://www.mealtrain.com/
trains/130r26](https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/130r26)**



July 27th 2025

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost