

SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

15TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES ORATORY



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“To wish to be poor without suffering any inconvenience is to be very ambitious, for then you aim at the honor of poverty and the convenience of wealth.”
- St. Francis de Sales

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday Schedule

Mass 8:00am and 10:30am

Monday - Saturday

Mass 8:00am

Tuesday

Mass 6:30pm

Mon. Wed. Thurs. Fri.

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
(1 hour before 8am Sun. Mass)



INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST



LITURGICAL CALENDAR

MASS INTENTIONS:

Sunday, September 10

15th Sunday after Pentecost, 2nd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Mark Serafino, Canon Heitor
Matheus & Grace Pekny
10:30am Solemn Mass - Tanya Valencia †

Monday, September 11

**Commemoration of Sts. Protus & Hyacinth,
Martyrs, 4th Class**

8:00am Low Mass - Nighisti Teclé & Dimas Family
12:15pm Mass - Philomena de Weston

Tuesday, September 12

Most Holy Name of Mary, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Kubacki Family
6:30pm Low Mass - Benefactors & Restoration

Wednesday, September 13

Votive Mass of St. Joseph

8:00am Low Mass - Joseph Fitzpatrick &
Sarah Kerrigan ††
12:15pm Mass - John & Melissa (Presswood) Chappell

Thursday, September 14

Exaltation of the Holy Cross, 2nd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Jean Marie Hoester †
12:15pm Low Mass - Paula Ziegemeir
6:30pm Adoration

Friday, September 15

**The Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
2nd Class**

8:00am Low Mass - Jon Roche
12:15pm Low Mass - Sandra Esperanza Olaya †

Saturday, September 16

Sts. Cornelius & Cyprian, Martyrs, 3rd Class

8:00am Low Mass - Browsers Family

Sunday, September 17

16th Sunday after Pentecost, 2nd Class

8:00am Low Mass - John & Sarah (Barham) Landiss
10:30am Solemn Mass - Roussin Family

SERVER SCHEDULE

Sunday, September 10

8:00am Low Mass
Acolytes: Peter Grgurich, Michael Podesta
10:30am Solemn Mass
Master of Ceremonies: Salvatore Vitellaro
Thurifer: John Paul Davidson
Acolyte 1: Ezio LaZella
Acolyte 2: Ethan Westbrook
Crucifer: Maximus AuBuchon
Choir Master of Ceremonies: Gabriel Ruggiero
Torchbearers: Oliver Purgahn, Ezio LaZella,
Dominic Ruggiero, Michael Westbrook, Patrick
Daub, Rocco Cortese

Thursday, September 14

6:30pm Adoration
Master of Ceremonies: Joseph Pekny
Thurifer: Luke Ball
Acolyte 1: Roland Purgahn
Acolyte 2: Raymond Pekny
Torchbearers: Gus Pekny, Campion Purgahn

Sunday, September 17

8:00am Low Mass
Acolytes: Liam Miller, Peter Grgurich
10:30am Solemn Mass
Master of Ceremonies: Liam Aufmuth
Thurifer: Elias Johnson
Acolyte 1: Joseph Shany
Acolyte 2: Michael Podesta
Crucifer: Mark Stamos
Choir Master of Ceremonies: Gus Pekny
Torchbearers: Ethan Westbrook, Finn Daub, Rafe
Daub, Henry AuBuchon, Charles Armstrong,
Giuseppe Cortese



NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPT 10: HOMESCHOOL CO-OP OPEN HOUSE

SEPT 11: ADULT CATECHISM AT 6:30PM

SEP 28: YOUTH CATECHISM STARTS

SEPT 29: FEAST OF ST. MICHAEL

OCT 1: SUNDAY POTLUCK AND GAMES

OCT 3: FEAST OF ST. THÉRÈSE OF LISIEUX

OCT 7: FEAST OF THE HOLY ROSARY

OCT 14: ROSARY RALLY

OCT 21: CLASSICAL MUSIC GALA

OCT 26 - NOV 2: CHOIR FESTIVAL

MUSIC NOTES

15 SUN. AFTER PENTECOST

Processional

Concerto in C minor, I: Andante Moderato
(Benedetto Marcello)

During Offertory

Variations on "Auf meinen lieben Gott" (Georg
Böhm)

During Communion

Ave Verum Corpus (Charles Giffen)
O Sacrum Convivium (Hans Leo Hassler)

Recessional

Concerto in C minor, III: Allegro (Benedetto
Marcello)

OBLATE ASSIGNMENTS FOR 2023-24

As many of you know, St. Francis de Sales Oratory is the house of formation for the oblates in the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest. This past July, three of our candidates finished their first two years of formation and received their cassocks at the Institute's Motherhouse in Gricigliano. After prayerful consideration by the superiors, all of our oblates have received their assignments for this coming year.

Abbé Alex Barga will continue to be the prefect of the oblate house of formation here at St. Francis de Sales Oratory in St. Louis.

Abbé Mark Halisky, after having spent 5 years in St. Louis, is being assigned to Old St. Patrick's Oratory in Kansas City, MO.

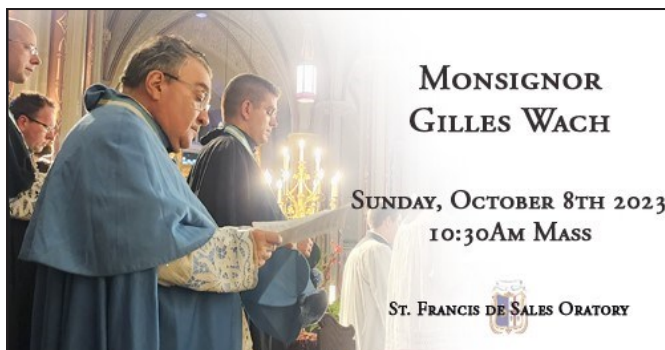
Abbé Jeffery Walton, after having spent 2 years in St. Louis, is being assigned to the Sacred Heart Retreat House in Burlington, WI.

Abbé Gilbert Repunte, after having spent 2 years in St. Louis, is being assigned to St. Francis de Sales Oratory in Sulphur, LA

Abbé Nicholas Tousignant has been assigned to St. Francis de Sales Oratory in St. Louis, MO, where he will assist the Rector in Oratory duties.

Although we will miss the three oblates being transferred, we are happy to announce that we will have two candidates in the formation house this year. Luke Ball will begin his 2nd year in St. Louis and Paul Reynolds will begin his 1st year of formation in the oblate program.

Next **Sunday, September 17 after the 10:30am Solemn Mass**, there will be a reception in the Church Hall. You will have the opportunity to say goodbye to the dear oblates before their departures later in the month. Please pray for them as they continue their good work in Institute apostolates across America.



**MONSIGNOR
GILLES WACH**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8TH 2023
10:30AM MASS**

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES ORATORY



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There is now a new and simple way to make donations securely online by using your cell phone. Open the camera function on your phone and place the screen over the QR Code below. A window banner will appear at the top from eservicepayments.com and then follow the prompts to donate to the Oratory's general fund or restoration fund. You will also have the option to donate to the U.S. Provincial Headquarters in Chicago to support the work and mission in the USA.

If you have any questions please contact the rectory office.

Thank you very much for your charitable generosity.



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 2023-2024 insurance assessment is **\$110,964.00**. We are relying on your continuous prayers and generous donations which you exercise by using your insurance envelope.

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

St. Anne's Sewing Guild

Registration is open for St. Anne's Sewing Guild Fall Sessions! Email mshabii@yahoo.com to register and for more information.

LESSONS

Machine Sewing: 1st and 3rd Saturdays, 10am -12pm

Hand Sewing & Embroidery Samplers: 2nd Saturdays, 10am -12pm

Beginners' Bobbin Lace Making: 2nd Saturdays, 1pm-4pm

WORKSHOP HOURS

Bring a personal project, get individualized help. \$25 fee for the whole season. Come and go as needed.

1st and 3rd Saturdays from 1pm-3pm

Weekly on Wednesdays and Thursdays 10am-5:30pm

NEW from the Sewing Guild of St. Anne: Beginners' Bobbin Lace Making!

2nd Saturdays from 1pm-4pm, October thru Spring. Learn one of the most ancient feminine crafts, practiced Our Lady, St. Zelig and others! \$25 fee plus supplies. Email mshabii@yahoo.com to register and for more information!

STEWARDSHIP

JULY 2023 - JUNE 2024

WEEKLY COLLECTION GOAL: \$10,500.00

ORATORY FAMILIES: 541

SEPTEMBER 3

LOOSE:	\$4,185.00
ENVELOPES:	\$12,366.40
ONLINE DONATIONS:	\$738.23
TOTAL:	\$17,289.63

VANCO DONATIONS AUGUST: \$13,006.67

YTD STEWARDSHIP GOAL:	\$105,000.00
YTD STEWARDSHIP:	\$161,907.77
YTD SURPLUS/DEFICIT:	\$56,907.77

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INSURANCE ASSESSMENT
2023-2024

\$110,964.00

\$9,247.00 MONTHLY \$2,311.75 APPROX. PER WEEKEND



CATHOLIC ART FESTIVAL

The second annual Catholic Art Festival will be held on Saturday, September 23rd from 10 am to 4 pm at Epiphany of Our Lord parish Field at 6593 Smiley Ave. in St. Louis. The festival will feature dozens of local artist vendors and performers, a craft-making booth for kids, a high-school art contest, food and drinks, and opportunities for prayer throughout the day. www.catholicartfest.com for more information.

HOMESCHOOL CO-OP OPEN HOUSE - **TODAY**

The St. Francis de Sales Oratory Homeschool Co-op will host an open house TODAY after both Masses. You are all welcome to see their wonderful space in the 1888 building.

Christ the King
Music Festival
A NEW FALL FESTIVAL
OCTOBER 26-NOVEMBER 2

SATURDAY, OCT 28
3:00PM – BAROQUE MUSIC CONCERT FEATURING KINGSBURY ENSEMBLE –
MARYSE CARLIN, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR
6:00PM – ROYAL BALL
SUNDAY, OCT 29
10:30AM – FRANZ XAVER BRIDI: MISSA BREVIS IN C
WEDNESDAY, NOV 1
6:30PM – ALEXANDRE GUILLMANT: MESSE BREVE, OP. 9
THURSDAY, NOV 2
6:30PM – W.A. MOZART: REQUIEM IN D MINOR, K626

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CATECHISM CLASSES

BEGINS SEPTEMBER 28

Thursdays, 5:00pm - 6:00pm in the 1888 building

High School Class

Ages 15-18, every Thursday

Junior High Class

Ages 12-14, every Thursday

Middle School Class

Ages 9-11, every Thursday

Grade School Class

Ages 6-8, every Thursday

Please contact the rectory office to register your child(ren) at (314) 771-3100

Chant is for BABIES!



Special thanks to Jennifer Pekny for creating a Liber "huge"-Ualis for the oratory's Preparatory Choir program. This massive, 10-foot felt mat comes with movable Gregorian notes and clefs, allowing early-childhood engagement with music literacy unique to Gregorian notation. This mat is pursuant to a long-term vision of a pre-school tier of the Preparatory Choir, so even 2-year olds can begin sinking their teeth (literally) into Gregorian melodies! Come see the mat at today's social hour, let your little one try it out!




2023 Classical Music Gala

EXPERIENCE:
 Live choral performances
 Live instrumentals
 Full Dinner Buffet
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 Convivial Revelry

WHEN:
 Saturday,
 October 21st, 2023
 6:00pm to 9:30pm

WHERE:
 St. Louis Women's Club
 4600 Lindell Boulevard
 Saint Louis, MO 63108

Purchase your tickets by October 5th.
 Space is more limited than in 2023, so do not delay!
auctria.events/MusicGala23



WEDDING BANNS

Mr. & Mrs. William Allan and Diane Marie Smith announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Jennifer Smith, to Mr. Atanasio de Erausquin, son of Mr. & Mrs. Gabriel Alejandro and Maria Laura de Erausquin on September 16, 2023 at St. Francis de Sales Oratory. If anyone knows of an existing impediment which would prevent this marriage, he is bound to let the Rector know as soon as possible.
 This is the **SECOND** publication of the Banns.

WEDDING BANNS

Mr. and Mrs. John and Susan Alicandro announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Julia Cecilia Alicandro, to Mr. Wolfgang Pierce Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul and Christina Davidson on September 30, 2023 at St. Francis de Sales Oratory. If anyone knows of an existing impediment which would prevent this marriage, he is bound to let the Rector know as soon as possible.
 This is the **FIRST** publication of the Banns.

“ENOUGH”

A MINISTRY FOR WOMEN

Enough is a regional ministry for women to rejuvenate their souls with worship, meditation, reflection, and community. Join us for our monthly night of worship on the 3rd Tuesday of the month (Sept 19) at St. John Vianney High School (1311 S Kirkwood Rd, St. Louis, MO 63122) from 7:30 PM-9:00 PM. This month we will continue our journey through 1 Thessalonians 5:23, "And the very God of peace sanctify you wholly; and I pray God your whole spirit and soul and body be preserved blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ." Our featured speaker this month is Fr. Michael Rennie.

ROSARY RALLY - OCTOBER 14

You are all invited to a Rosary Rally on Saturday, October 14 at 11:00am on the sidewalk front of the church at the Ohio entrance under the shade trees. We need your prayers because our beautiful nation needs this! All are welcome, including children.
 At each visit to Fatima, the Blessed Mother reminds the children to say the Rosary. Mark your calendars.

COFFEE & DONUT HOUR

Volunteers needed for the Coffee Hour. If you can help, leave a message for Coffee Hour coordinator, Patrick Daub, at the rectory office.
Thank You!

ORATORY EMAIL NEWSLETTER

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ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CHURCH
Gravois Ave. and Ohio Ave.

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

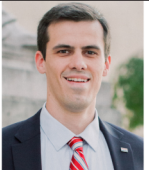
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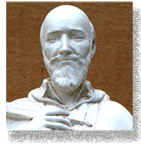
FAMILY IN SEARCH OF NANNY

Family in search of Nanny for family in Arnold, MO. Guaranteed hours and paid time off.


For additional details please text or call Samantha 314-583-9210.

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St Philomena
Crucifix and Corpus

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RECEPTION PLANNERS NEEDED

The Oratory is in need of volunteers to help with the many social events that we all enjoy throughout the year. Please contact the rectory office at (314) 771-3100 if you can help with receptions, potlucks or have ideas of family events. Thank you.

ORATORY CLEANING
September 10: St. Cecilia
September 17: St. Martha
September 24: St. Veronica

SUNDAY ROSARY LEADERS
September 10: Mark Everetts
September 17: Clary Redd
September 24: Patrick Daub



Christ the King
Music Festival
FULL EVENT SCHEDULE AT
<https://christthekingmusicfestival.com>

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:

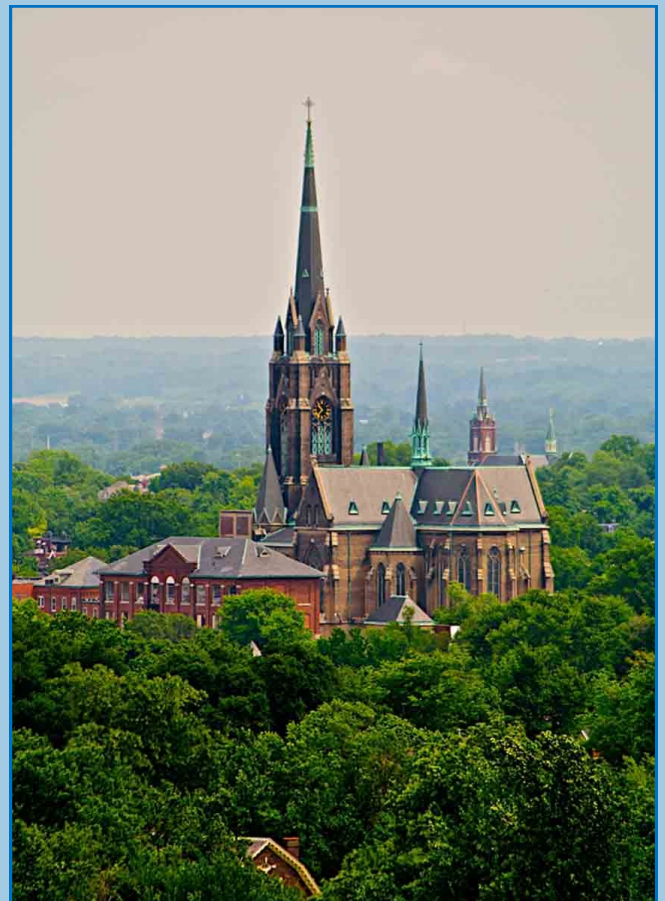
Couples planning to marry at the Oratory must call the rectory for the proper instructions.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Members facing surgery, serious illness, or even death may call (314) 771-3100.

TOURS:

Stained Glass Window Tours are given on the first Sunday of the month after the 10:30am Mass.



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