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SUNDAY MASSES

7:00 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m.
 Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m.

DAILY MASSES

Mondays thru Fridays: 6:45 a.m. and 12:10 p.m.
 Saturdays: 6:45 a.m. and Vigil Mass at 5 p.m.

MASSES ON HOLY DAYS AND HOLIDAYS

As announced inside the bulletin and/or as posted on
 the church doors

DAILY CONFESSIONS (in "the Winter Chapel")

(EXCEPT HOLY DAYS AND HOLIDAYS)

Mondays thru Fridays: 6:15 a.m. and 11:15 a.m.
 Saturdays: 6:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 4:00-4:45 p.m.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: First Monday of the Month

At All Masses (except Holy Days and holidays).

RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

Mondays at 11:45 a.m.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL

Mondays at 12:00 noon

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesdays following the 12:10 p.m. Mass until 2:00 p.m.

BAPTISMS: Second Sunday of the month. Contact the Parish Office at

least one month prior to requested date of Baptism to arrange for a
 personal interview with the Pastor. For parishioners only.

MARRIAGES: Arrangements should be made at least six months in

advance for those who have been registered, supportive parishioners
 at least two years. Contact the Parish Office for a meeting with
 the Pastor.



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"O how amiable are thy dwellings, Lord God of hosts"
 Psalm: 84:1

MEDITATION

Sunday, April 16, 2017

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord,

See Holy Week Booklet

I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord. (Psalm 118:17)

Jesus, you are the risen Lord, and all creation sings your praise today!

I hear the very stones cry out, just as you said they would, "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!" Even the stone that sealed your tomb is rolled away and proclaims a wondrous mystery. Instead of being an immovable testament to your death, it has become an indisputable witness to your resurrection.

Today, the burial cloths come alive to declare your victory. How tightly those garments of death bound Lazarus when you summoned him from the grave! They clung to him and would not release their grip until you spoke the word: "Untie him." But death had no hold on you, Lord. You broke free in a great burst of light, and left the burial cloths tidily behind. There in the tomb with Peter and the beloved disciple, your Church fixes its gaze on those discarded trappings with wonder and amazement. These cloths invite me to believe that my Redeemer lives. They urge me to stake everything on your mercy and your promise of eternal life.

Loving Savior, because of you, a cruel instrument of death now speaks to me of life. By your cross, you have destroyed the enemy and flung open the gates of salvation. Its light shines out—in our churches, in our homes, in hospital rooms, in the rubble of warfare, and in every dark and dreary place—proclaiming life to anyone who puts their faith in you.

So many transformed lives! So many signs of victory! Each one, in its own way, speaks to me of you. Help me to look, listen, and believe so that, in my own way, I too may become a sign that speaks of you to the world.

"Jesus, you have conquered death! You live and are always at my side! Help this reality sink into the core of my being. Show me one new step, however small, that I can take today to 'declare the works of the Lord' by my life and words (Psalm 118:17)."

**"Enrich the harvest of your charity."
PLEASE REMEMBER SAINT LOUIS IN YOUR WILL**



A significant portion of the costs of the Tuesday recitals for the current season was graciously given by Sharon Bigot in loving memory of **ALFRED E. BIGOT**.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, April 17

Acts 2:14,22-32; Psalm 16:1-2,5,7-11; Matthew 28:8-15

Tuesday, April 18

Acts 2:36-41; Psalm 33:4-5,18-19,20,22; John 20:11-18

Wednesday, April 19

Acts 3:1-10; Psalm 105:1-4, 6-9; Luke 24:13-35

Thursday, April 20

Acts 3:11-26 Psalm 8:2, 5-9; Luke 24:35-48

Friday, April 21

Acts 4:1-12; Psalm 118:1-2,4,22-27; John 21:1-14

Saturday, April 22

Acts 4:13-21; Psalm 118:1,14-21; Mark 16:9-15

Sunday, April 23

Acts 2:42-47; Psalm 118: 2-4,13-15,22-24; First Peter 1:3-9; John 20:19-31

ANNUAL MAY CROWNING

The annual May Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be Sunday, May 7th, in conjunction with the 11AM High Mass. We encourage your family and friends to be with us at the 11AM Mass as we celebrate our devotion to our Blessed Mother and mark the beginning of "Mary's Month" with special honor. All children of the parish are most encouraged to participate in this Mass, and to be in the procession and the crowning. At the appointed time in the Mass, the pastor will invite the children forward to the south transept, at the altar of Saint Joseph, to begin the procession and the Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

RESTORATION COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

Next weekend April 23rd and 24th will be our 4th Sunday of the month collection to help with maintenance and repair projects recently completed and currently underway. Thank you

Expenses to date	\$105,020.58
Monies collected to date	<u>\$45,555.87</u>
Amount yet needed	\$56,494.41

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DATE	REQUEST FOR	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
April 18	<i>Marty Barrett</i>	Happy Birthday	John Nasseff and Helene Houle
April 20	<i>Tommy Young</i>	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
April 22	<i>Madeline Pederson</i>	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
April 23	<i>†Bud Rooney</i>	Anniversary of Death	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg

OPEN BELL DATES: The following dates are still open in April and May for anyone wishing to have the bells rung in memory or in honor of a loved one: April 25th, 29th-30th. May 2nd-4th, 7th-9th, 15th-17th, 19th-20th, 22nd-23rd, 25th-27th. Please call the rectory during office hours to make arrangements.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon., April 17 *Monday in the Octave of Easter*

6:45 Colleen Yurek
12:10 Mary C. Katynski

Tues., April 18 *Tuesday in the Octave of Easter*

6:45 †Kate Rosengren
12:10 †Richard Burns

Wed., April 19 *Wednesday in the Octave of Easter*

6:45 Dennis and Rose King
12:10 †Louis Bidon

Thurs., April 20 *Thursday in the Octave of Easter*

6:45 †Robert W. McCoy
12:10 Evelyn Virnig

Fri., April 21 *Friday in the Octave of Easter*

6:45 †Thomas Peterson
12:10 †Edna Nowak

Sat., April 22 *Saturday in the Octave of Easter*

6:45 †Sophie Remackel
5:00 †Aunt Kay

Sun., April 23 *Second Sunday of Easter* *(Sunday of Divine Mercy)*

7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners
of St. Louis Church
9:15 †Father Tom Wrosz, OMI
11:00 †Enrique Santos, Sr.
12:30 †William Wold

PARISH CALENDAR

Apr. 17 Rosary in the Church 11:40 am
Apr. 18 No Lunchtime Recital (Next Recital April 25th)
Apr. 19 Eucharistic Exposition 12:35pm-2:00pm

OUR NEW ST. LOUIS CHURCH WEBSITE IS ONLINE NOW!

The brand new website for our church is now up and running. Please take a minute to visit it and let us know what you think. stlouisingoffrance.org

LEADING WITH FAITH AWARDS Do you know a great Catholic business owner, manager, supervisor or boss who leads by faith? Consider nominating him or her at the website: thecatholicspirit.com/LeadingWithFaith.com. The deadline is May 5. Questions? Contact Mary Gibbs, 651-251-7709 or gibbsm@archspm.org

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SPRING BIBLE STUDY – FROM COLLECTOR OF TAXES TO FISHER OF SOULS: THE GOSPEL OF SAINT MATTHEW Wednesdays, April 19 – May 24, 7 – 8:30 p.m., Holy Spirit, 515 S Albert St, St Paul. This six-week Easter Season Bible study series will examine the first of the four Gospels during this liturgical year in which the Church draws heavily upon the Gospel of Saint Matthew. We will also examine unique features and themes of this Evangelist and Gospel. Registration fee (includes materials): \$20 per person. Please visit the Events page at www.rediscover-faith.org to find more details and register. Questions? Contact Susanna Bolle at bolles@archspm.org or call 651-291-4411.

TRAINING FOR THE EARLY CATHOLIC FAMILY LIFE PROGRAM – Are you looking for a family program that assists you as a parent in passing on the Catholic faith? Be a true spiritual leader for your children. Evangelize within your own family. Fun family faith life for everyone. Attend ECFL Training Session to be a small group leader at your parish on Saturday, April 29, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m., Annunciation School (525 W. 54th St, Minneapolis). Fee: \$200 Fee includes training of two individuals (required; one for Childhood and one for Adult components). Leader guides and workbooks are an additional \$200. For additional information and to register: call or email Alan & Joanne Foley at 612.704.7306 or alanfol@gmail.com.

CARITAS

This support group is for any person or family member dealing with cancer. In an atmosphere of acceptance, freedom and caring, you'll be comfortable to discuss and exchange your concerns, questions and feelings. The program is tailored by the needs of those participating. Drop in every Wednesday from 10:30am-12:00 noon. No cost. St. Joseph's Hospital 2nd floor, maternity classroom 2500 at 45 W. 10th Street, St. Paul. No registration needed. For additional information please call 651-232-3060.

THANK YOU!

A special thanks from our Marist Fathers to those who so generously contributed to the Offering for the Society of Mary this past weekend. The total collected was \$4,074.00

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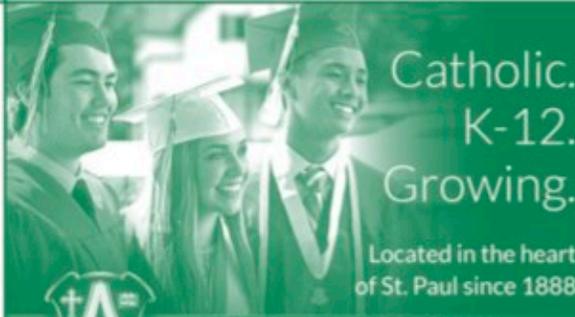
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