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John Ireland

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"

MEDITATION

Sunday, March 19, 2017

The Third Sunday of Lent,

See Worship Book 793

*Come see a man who told me everything I have done.
(John 4:29)*

Nobody likes admitting their sins. Whether you have broken a window or gotten a speeding ticket, you know how embarrassing it feels when someone points out what you have done wrong.

That's why today's Gospel reading is so striking. When Jesus spoke to the Samaritan woman about her sin, she didn't respond in fear. She didn't even seem ashamed. Quite the opposite, when Jesus told her that he knew she has had five husbands and was living in adultery with a sixth man, she was in awe. Their conversation then compelled her to run to her neighbors and tell them all about him.

Why did she respond this way? She was touched by the mercy of Jesus and transformed. Let's look at how this happened.

First, Jesus reached out to her, and his love moved her heart. He knew everything about her, the bad as well as the good, and he welcomed her. He does the same for us. Before we even admit our sins, he knows them, but he never stops reaching out to us. He waits for us, just as he waited by that well.

Second, Jesus offered her living water. It's quite possible that this woman had been living in guilt and shame. She likely came to the well at midday to avoid meeting everyone else who would draw water at a cooler hour. But Jesus saw her as a child of God who needed to be set free. He offered her his love and presence, the water of life that would fill her and change her. And it did—she left her water jar behind because her encounter with Jesus gave her a new source of life.

Jesus is ready to fill you with the living water of the Holy Spirit today. He is reaching out to you with compassion. Ask him to fill your heart and change your life.

"Jesus, thank you for welcoming me. Fill me with your Holy Spirit, and change me."

TODAY'S MUSIC

ENTRANCE HYMN 607

I heard the voice of Jesus say

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 793

If today you hear his voice, O harden not your hearts.

POSTCOMMUNION HYMN 605

O Jesus, joy of loving hearts

CHORAL MUSIC AT THE 11:00 AM MASS

Kyrie eleison

Antonio Lotti (1667-1740)

Let thy merciful ears

Mudd (before 1619-1667)

Let thy merciful ears, O Lord, be open unto the prayers of thy humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please thee; thorough Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. — *A Collect.*

Communion *Qui biberit*

Graduale Romanum

"Whosoever drinks the water that I shall offer", said the Lord (to the Samaritan woman), "shall have within him a spring of water welling up unto eternal life." — *John 4:13-14.*

Antiphon *Sub tuum praesidium*

Mode VII

Under thy protection we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God; despise not our petitions in our needs, but from all dangers deliver us always, Virgin Glorious and Blessed.

— *Oldest extant Hymn to the Blessed Virgin; circa 250 A.D.*



TUESDAY

ORGAN RECITALS

21 March ~ Christopher Ganza

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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, March 20

Second Kings 5:1-15; Psalm 42:2,3; 43:3,4; Luke 4:24-30

Tuesday, March 21

Daniel 3:25,34-43; Psalm 25:4-9; Matthew 18:21-35

Wednesday, March 22

Deuteronomy 4:1,5-9; Psalm 147:12-13,15-16,19-20; Matthew 5:17-19

Thursday, March 23

Jeremiah 7:23-28; Psalm 95:1-2,6-9; Luke 11:14-23

Friday, March 24

Hosea 14:2-10; Psalm 81:6-11,14,17; Mark 12:28-34

Saturday, March 25

Isaiah 7:10-14; Psalm 40:7-11; Luke 1:26-38

Sunday, March 26

First Samuel 16:1,6-7,10-13; Psalm 23:1-6, Ephesians 5:8-14
John 9:1-41

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

“Ring Out, O Bells . . .”

DATE	REQUEST FOR	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
March 20	†Vivian Worlein	In Memoriam	Adam Naryke
March 21	Missy Mady	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
March 22	Peter Nasseff	Happy Birthday	John Nasseff and Helene Houle
March 23	Richard Glenn McGuire	35th Birthday	Glory McGuire
March 24	Rita Hamburger	90th Birthday	From Family and Friends
March 25	†Joseph Houle	Anniversary of Death	Helene Houle
March 26	†Gwenola Fox	Memorial	Brother Jim Roszak

OPEN BELL DATES: The following dates are still open in March and April for anyone wishing to have the bells rung in memory or in honor of a loved one: March 27th, April 2nd, 4th, 6th, 9th, 11th-14th, 16th-17th, 19th, 21st, 25th-26th, 28-30th. Please call the rectory during office hours to make arrangements.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon., March 20 *St. Joseph*

6:45 †Carol Deutsch
12:10 †Leo W. Tracy & †Marguerite Tracy

Tues., March 21

6:45 Deb Vierling
12:10 †Frank Campbell

Wed., March 22

6:45 Richard Glenn McGuire
12:10 Poor and Abandoned

Thurs., March 23 *St. Toribio de Mogrovejo*

6:45 †Alvin J. Clasemann
12:10 †Joe Rheinberger

Fri., March 24

6:45 Vocations to the Religious Life
12:10 †Gerry Landgraf

Sat., March 25 *The Annunciation of the Lord*

6:45 Intentions of Pope Francis
5:00 †Bernadette Amos Cunningham

Sun., March 26 *Fourth Sunday of Lent*

7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners of Saint Louis Church
9:15 Young Adults of the Parish
11:00 Police Officers and Firefighters
12:30 †Richard and †Marguerite Burns

PARISH CALENDAR

Mar. 20 Rosary in the Church 11:40 am
Mar. 21 Lunchtime Recital following the 12:10 Mass
Mar. 21 Fr. Hurtuk’s Lenten Series 6:00pm-7:00pm
Mar. 22 Eucharistic Exposition 12:35pm-2:00pm
Mar. 23 Stations of the Cross. 5:15pm

PARENTS OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNICANTS Please let Mark at the parish office know by email or phone by April 17th if you intend for your child to make his or her First Holy Communion this year. Email address: markmstlouis@comcast.net, phone: 651-224-3379.

24 HOURS FOR THE LORD Join with the Universal Church in this 24-hour celebration of the Lord’s mercy from noon on Friday, March 24 to noon on Saturday, March 25 at the Cathedral of St. Paul, 239 Selby Ave. Reconciliation will be offered round-the-clock for the faithful. There will also be perpetual adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

LENTEN SCRIPTURE PROGRAM 2017

Thank you so much to the many parishioners, friends and visitors of St. Louis, King of France Parish who have been attending the first two meetings of our Lenten Scripture Program. The next and third session will be this coming Tuesday, March 21, 2017, from 6-7 PM in the Parish Hall. So far we have looked at some background materials of the four Gospels, as well as the Gospel of Ash Wednesday with prayer, fasting and almsgiving, and the First Sunday of Lent Gospel with the famous story of the temptations of Christ. We will continue to reflect and pray over several other key Lenten themes and Scriptures in our next sessions. Reflecting and praying over some of the Scriptures of Lent is a wonderful way to observe this sacred season, as well as a time to meet and greet fellow parishioners, visitors and friends of our community. Hope you can join us this coming Tuesday! Fr. Joe Hurtuk, SM

EASTER FLOWERS Honor your loved ones this Easter by making a donation to help with the Easter flowers in their honor or in their memory. Envelopes are available at the back of the church. **PLEASE print** your name clearly on the front of the envelope and the name(s) of those in whose honor you are making the contribution on the back. These envelopes can be dropped in any **collection basket**.

SAINT LOUIS, KING OF FRANCE LENTEN FOOD DRIVE Help us help the **FRANCISCAN BROTHERS OF PEACE** in feeding the hungry, the poor and the homeless. Donations will be collected at each Mass in the Church by the Saint Joseph Altar and in the chapel by the Lourdes Grotto. The Food Shelf is in need of **Nonperishable Foods, Personal Hygiene Products, Gift Certificates, Gift Cards, and Monetary Contributions** are always helpful.

2017 CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL Every gift is important. We can see in the example of the poor widow that, while only able to give two small coins, she gives what she can. If we have faith, God can do great things with the little we are able to give. What could God do with your gift? Take some time to view the 17 Collective Ministries served by the Catholic Services Appeal at www.csafspm.org. As of March 15th:

118 Parishioners have given/pledged	\$50,250.00
14 Friends have given/pledged	\$3,436.00
Total	\$53,686.00



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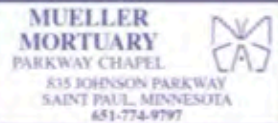
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