



CHURCH OF Saint Louis

KING OF FRANCE

The Little French Church

SUNDAY MASSES

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

DAILY MASSES

Monday-Friday
6:45 a.m., 12:10 p.m.

Saturday
6:45 a.m.

DAILY CONFESSIONS

In the Chapel
(except Holy Days & Holidays)

Monday-Saturday:
6:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m.

Saturday:
4:00 p.m.-4:45 p.m.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

First Monday of the Month
At all Masses (except Holy Days
and Holidays)

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL

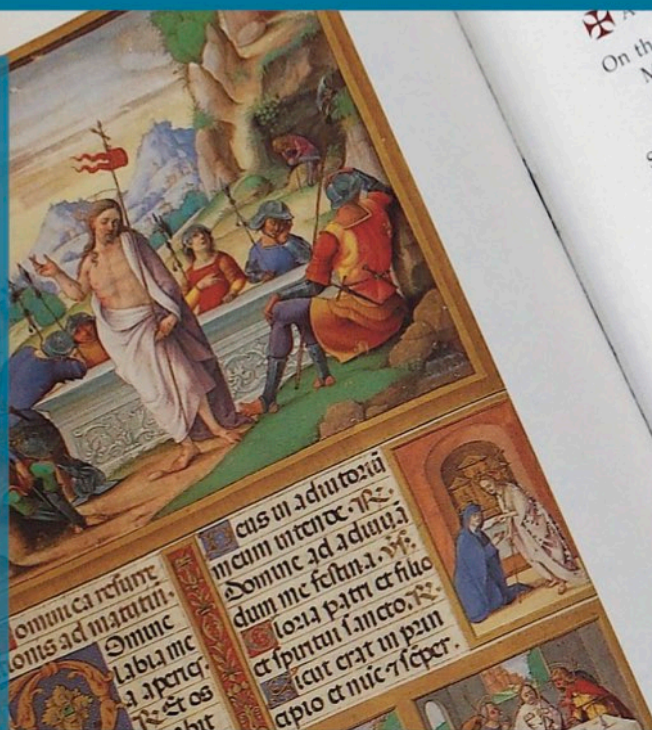
Monday 12:00 p.m.

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 for at least two years.
Contact the Parish Office for a meeting
with the Pastor.



On the first day of the week
Mary of Magdala
while it was still dark
and saw the stone rolled away
So she ran and told the other women
"They have taken away the stone
and we don't know where it is"
So Peter and the other women
They both ran, but Peter
he bent down and saw the cloth
When Simon Peter arrived at the tomb
he went into the tomb and found
the cloth that had been there
not with the burial cloths but
Then the other disciple also went in
the one who had arrived at the tomb first
and he saw and believed.
For they did not yet understand
that he had to rise from the dead.
The Gospel of the Lord.

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MEDITATION

April 3, 2022

The Fifth Sunday of Lent

Go, and from now on do not sin any more. (John 8:11)

Jesus' words to this woman who was caught in the act of adultery were more than a warning. They were more than advice to get her act together or improve herself. In saying these words, Jesus—the Word of God through whom everything came to be—was speaking a creative and healing word. He was giving her the power to go—to walk away from her former way of life—and to begin living a new way.

This is one of many stories in the Gospel of John that recount Jesus bringing healing and new life to someone. He said to a royal official, "Go; your son will live," and the boy recovered (John 4:50). He said to the man lying by the pool of Bethesda, "Rise, take up your mat, and walk," and he was healed (5:8). He said to Lazarus, "Come out," and the dead man rose (11:43). Clearly, when Jesus spoke, God's power was present to do something new.

By saying these words, Jesus wasn't just forgiving the woman. He was—as Isaiah describes in our first reading—making a way for her through the wasteland of her sin and offering her strength and restoration (Isaiah 43:19).

You can have a similar experience when you come to Jesus in repentance, especially in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. As you open your heart and your conscience to him, let him speak words of healing and restoration to you. Let him do something new in you.

So look for an opportunity to go to Confession before Easter. Trust that the One who said, "Let there be light" is ready to speak words of healing and strength into your woundedness and weakness (Genesis 1:3). As the priest prays that God would bring you "pardon and peace," know that Jesus never tires of speaking these words to you. Every time you come to him, you can be strengthened and receive the grace you need to begin again.

"Jesus, give me the grace to go and sin no more."

Isaiah 43:16-21 Psalm 126:1-6 Philippians 3:8-14

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TODAY'S MUSIC

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: 209

O Kind Creator, Bow Thine Ear

OFFERTORY HYMN: 213

O Sacred Head Surrounded

Sanctus No. 32

Memorial Acclamation C No. 35

Lamb of God No. 36

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

*Everyone who lives and believes in me will
not die for ever, say the Lord*

(Cf. Jn 11:26)

RECESSIONAL HYMN: 191

Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, April 4

Daniel 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62; Psalm 23:1-6; John 8:12-20

Tuesday, April 5

Numbers 21:4-9; Psalm 102:2-3,16-21; John 8:21-30

Wednesday, April 6

Daniel 3:14-20,91-92,95; Psalm (Daniel) 3:52-56;

John 8:31-42

Thursday, April 7

Genesis 17:3-9; Psalm 105:4-9; John 8:51-59

Friday, April 8

Jeremiah 20:10-13; Psalm 18:2-7; John 10:31-42

Saturday, April 9

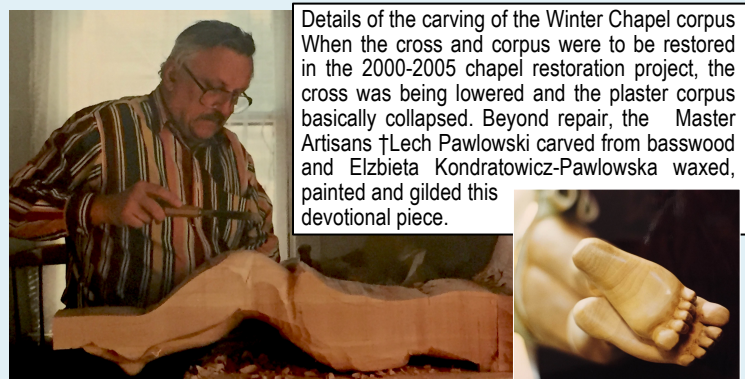
Ezekiel 37:21-28; Psalm (Jeremiah) 31:10-13; John 11:45-56

Sunday, April 10

Isaiah 50:4-7; Psalm 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Philippians 2:6-11;
Luke 22:14—23:56

Prayer Requests If you or someone you know is in need of prayers, please call or email the parish office and we will add their names to our ongoing parishioners and friends list of intentions: markmstlouis@comcast.net or call 651-224-3379.

Please pray for our parishioners and friends of St. Louis Church who are sick: Paul Anderson, Hugh Atkinson, Nancy Barrett Laris Berggren, Bill Christy, Monty Denniston, Shirley Dufresne, Greg Ennis, Linda Flury, Anne Hallgren, Mia Hasouris, Margaret Ann and Mary Ellen Hennen, Mark Hennen, Austin Hogan, Barb Kline, John D. Lamey, Bonida Lanford, Caroline Lanford, Lowell, Tom Miller, Tom Mogren, Ruth Murray, Gretchen Naegeli, Tom Nutter, Karen Olson, Randy Rauchwarter, Zachary Redland, Tamera Schwartz, Mamie Singleton, Robert Tereau, Robert VanGuilder, Jr, Michael Virnig, Brian Walstad, and Justin Woessner.



Details of the carving of the Winter Chapel corpus When the cross and corpus were to be restored in the 2000-2005 chapel restoration project, the cross was being lowered and the plaster corpus basically collapsed. Beyond repair, the Master Artisans †Lech Pawlowski carved from basswood and Elzbieta Kondratowicz-Pawlowska waxed, painted and gilded this devotional piece.

RING OUT, O BELLS...

DATE	REQUEST FOR	INTENTION	REQUESTED
April 5	†Nathan Prigge	Repose of the Soul	Tim Mullaney
April 7	Ava Lindberg	Happy Birthday (April 8)	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
April 8	†A.J. Nasseff	Memorial	Helene Houle
April 9	Dan Papin	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
April 10	Britin Lindberg	Happy Birthday	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 11th-13th, 19th-23rd, 25th-26th, 28th-30th. May 4th, 7th-8th, 10th, 13th, 15th, 17th, 19th-23rd, 25th-26th. Please call the rectory during office hours to make arrangements.

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 4 St. Isidore
 6:45 Nicholas Binderman
 12:10 †Joe Merkl

Tuesday, April 5 St. Vincent Ferrer
 6:45 †Nathan Prigge
 12:10 †Monica Hartung

Wednesday, April 6
 6:45 Robert and Gretchen Naegeli
 12:10 Phil Losinski

Thursday, April 7 St. John Baptist de la Salle
 6:45 †Marianne Lose
 12:10 †Jean Roch Vachon

Friday, April 8
 6:45 Victor Sellman & Family
 12:10 Jerry Boland, Jr.

Saturday, April 9
 6:45 †Isabel Topness
 5:00 †Valeria Hafner

Sunday, April 10 Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord
 7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners and Friends of St. Louis Church
 9:15 †Bernadette Belland Thomas
 11:00 †Edward Stewart
 12:30 †Mary C. Katynski

PARISH CALENDAR

Coffee and Donuts Second Sunday of the Month

Miraculous Medal Novena Every Monday beginning at Noon

Rosary Recited April 4th, 5th, 7th, and 8th at 11:35am

Organ Recital Tuesday, April 5th following the 12:10 Mass

Eucharistic Exposition Wednesday, April 6th 11am-12 Noon

Anointing of the Sick The First Monday of the month after the 6:45am and 12:10pm Masses.

Stations of the Cross Friday, April 8th at 5:15pm



Stations of the Cross during Lent on
Fridays at 5:15pm in the Main Church

Organ Recital Tuesday, April 5th 2022

St. Louis Church's Organ Concerts continue on Tuesdays following our 12:10 Mass. The April 5th concert recitalist is Gregory Hand. Gregory is the Associate Professor of Organ at the University of Iowa with Dr. Scott Conklin, Associate Professor of Violin at the University of Iowa. For a complete schedule of concert information, see our website at stlouiskingoffrance.org

<https://www.stlouiskingoffrance.org>

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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.

Catholic Services Appeal

Please thoughtfully consider a donation to the Catholic Services Appeal. Your donation helps to Serve the Poor, Support Life and Strengthen Faith.

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. These envelopes can be dropped in any **collection basket**.

Masses and Bells For Your Loved Ones

Please consider honoring a loved one through a Mass or Bell Ringing. The best way to submit a Mass request is to fill out a Mass Intention Envelope. Envelopes are available in the rear of the church. The Mass Intention Envelope can be dropped in any collection basket or mailed to the parish office. Please call the parish office to schedule Bell Ringing. The suggested stipend for a Mass is \$10 and \$25 for Bells.

The Annual Way of the Cross in Downtown St. Paul Friday, April 15th

The Way of the Cross Twin Cities is an annual procession held on Good Friday, emulating Christ's walk to Calvary. The Way of the Cross publicly commemorates four of the Stations of the Passion of Jesus Christ. At each station, readings from scripture will be offered along with hymns, reflections and meditations. Be prepared to walk and dress for the weather. We **gather at 9:15am at the Cathedral of St. Paul**, walk throughout downtown St. Paul making stops along the way and **return back to the Cathedral at 11:30am**. The Cathedral's Stations of the Cross begin at noon. All are welcome!

The Little Sisters of the Poor of Holy Family Residence

will be having a Drive-Through Food Drive on Saturday, April 9th. Volunteers will be available to take your donations of ham, turkey, cold cuts and bacon between the hours of 11-3:00 p.m. at 330 Exchange Street South, St. Paul. Cash donations are gladly accepted. Your help in providing these four items is greatly appreciated as we prepare for the joyful celebration of Easter with our elderly residents. May God bless you for your generosity!

Helping Ukraine

Because the situation in the Ukraine is so fluid, one of the fastest and best ways to contribute is directly to Catholic Relief Services (CRS), which has teams on the ground. Funds directed to Ukraine will go there. Please go to archspm.org/helping-ukraine to donate and to see the CRS Emergency Factsheet for more information about relief efforts already underway. Please pray for our sisters and brothers in need and for peace.

WHAT IS A CHURCH BULLETIN?

EVERY SUNDAY THE VAST MAJORITY OF CATHOLIC CHURCHES PLACE A WEEKLY BULLETIN OR NEWSLETTER IN THE HANDS OF EVERY PERSON ATTENDING A SUNDAY MASS. EACH BULLETIN IS UNIQUE TO THE SPECIFIC CHURCH AND GENERALLY CONTAINS A PASTORAL LETTER, A SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND CURRENT EVENTS. IT IS A MINI-MUST READ FOR PARISHIONERS, FRIENDS AND VISITORS WHO WISH TO STAY CURRENT WITH THE LIFE AND PEOPLE OF THE PARISH.

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*There are different kinds of spiritual gifts
but the same Spirit;
there are different forms of service
but the same Lord;
there are different workings but the same God
who produces all of them in everyone.
To each individual the manifestation of
the Spirit is given for some benefit.
1 Corinthians 12:4-7*

**Please consider sharing your gifts as a
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