

#### **SUNDAY MASSES**

7:00 a.m. 9:15 a.m.

Saturday Vigil Mass 11:00 a.m.

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.

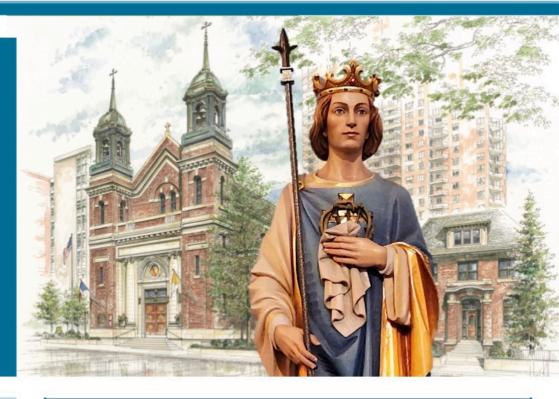
#### **DAILY CONFESSIONS**

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 one year. Contact the Parish Office for a meeting with the Pastor.

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#### MEDITATION

The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Whoever obeys and teaches these commandments will be called greatest in the kingdom of heaven. (Matthew 5:19)

What would our world be like if everyone lived out the teachings that Jesus gives us in today's Gospel? It would be a world where people work out their differences peacefully. Where husbands and wives are always faithful to one another. Where no one tells a lie or engages in dishonest deals.

Such a world might seem impossible, but this is the world that God has always intended for his people. It's the kingdom that Jesus announced was "at hand" at the beginning of his ministry (Matthew 3:2). It's the kingdom that he ushered in by his death and resurrection. If it seems hidden in some ways, that's because it's still under construction! We won't experience it fully until Jesus comes again.

But that doesn't mean we can't at least begin to experience God's kingdom today. In fact, God is calling us to build the kingdom. How? We can begin by taking Jesus' Sermon on the Mount as a blueprint for our lives. He calls us to pray and not worry about our daily needs. To care for the poor. To forgive as God has forgiven us. To love our enemies. To turn the other cheek. When we do these things, we make God's kingdom visible.

Because Jesus' teachings can be challenging, we might try to make excuses for ourselves or think that only the saints can obey them. But the more we try to live out Jesus' words, the more his Spirit fills our efforts with his divine grace—and the more we come to realize that it doesn't depend only on us, but also on God's power within us.

kingdom to the places where you live and work. Rely on his teachings to guide you and the Spirit to empower you. Above all, stay alert, because opportunities to build the kingdom of God will surely come your way!

> "Jesus, may your kingdom come through me and all your people!"

Psalm 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34 Sirach 15:15-20 1 Corinthians 2:6-10

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Marist Father Robert "Bobby" Morin (1900-1990) (photo-1940) Fr. Morin's father and brother built the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes in the Winter Chapel.



Years ago his nephew, also named Bobby\*, wrote the description of that project in these words: "First they built a wooden framework and then they dipped burlap (old gunny sacks) into liquid plaster of paris and nailed the wet material on to the wooden framework, with large-headed roofing nails. As the plaster of paris hardened, they pushed and pulled the wet burlap to form a simulated hewn stone appearance. After the material set, they "dashed" the surface with large brushes dipped into fluid plaster of paris to get a textured finish. Then the painters applied the artistic finish.

#### **TODAY'S MUSIC**

PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

Lord of All Hopefulness 272

**Kyrie** 

Gloria

#### **OFFERTORY HYMN:**

Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service 257

Sanctus No. 32

Memorial Acclamation C No. 35

Agnus Dei No. 36

#### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON**

Father, I pray that they may be one as we are also one (Cf. Jn 17: 22)

#### **RECESSIONAL HYMN:**

This Little Light of Mine 260

#### SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, February 13

Genesis 4:1-15,25; Psalm 50:1,8,16-17,20-21; Mark 8:11-13

Tuesday, February 14

Genesis 6:5-8; 7:1-5,10; Psalm 29:1-4,3,9-10; Mark 8:14-21

Wednesday, February 15

Genesis 8:6-13,20-22; Psalm 116:12-15, 18-19; Mark 8:22-26

Thursday February 16

Genesis 9:1-13; Psalm 106: 16-21,29,22-23; Mark 8:27-33

Friday, February 17

Hebrews 13:1-8; Psalm 27:1,3,5,8-9; Mark 6:14-29

Saturday, February 18

Hebrews 11:1-7; Psalm 145:2-5,10-11; Mark 9:2-13

Sunday, February 19

Leviticus 19:1-2,17-18; Psalm 103:1-4,8,10,12-13

1 Corinthians 3:16-23; Matthew 5:38-48

Today at Mass, ask the Lord how you might bring God's 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: Raymond Acesor, Paul Anderson, Peggy Anfang, Hugh Atkinson, Mary Atkinson, Laris Berggren, Bill, Christy, Monty Denniston, Shirley Dufresne, Greg Ennis, Mary and Marty Graner, Anne Hallgren, Mia Hasouris, Margaret Ann and Mary Ellen Hennen, Mark Hennen, Austin Hogan, Patty Huiras, Gloria Iverson, Analu Jurgens, Barb Kline, John D. Lamey, Bonida Lanford, Caroline Lanford, Lowell, Jennifer McMaster, Tom Miller, Tom Mogren, Tim Mullaney, Ruth Murray, Gretchen Naegeli, Tom Nutter, Karen Olson, Zachary Redland, John Schleck, Tamera Schwartz, Mamie Singleton, Robert Tereau, Bob Tesch, Allyson Tracy, Robert VanGuilder, Jr, Michael Virnig, Brian Walstad, Patty Wirth, and Justin Woessner.

Needless to say this process left quite a mess, both in the building and on the personnel. When the nails were applied, with the hammer hitting the wet plaster of paris, everything flew all over. My father had the pleasure of cleaning up the mess."

as a priest.



Fr. Morin died in 1990 and is buried in the Marist plot at Calvary Cemetery. Photo taken at the time of his silver jubilee



†Robert (Bobby\*) Morin (2020) and †Rosemary (née Andert) (2018) were married in our church on February 14, 1953.

#### RING OUT, O BELLS...

DATE
February 13
February 14
February 16

REQUEST FOR
Chris Cannon
†Laura L'Allier Houle
Sheryl Ramstad

INTENTION Happy Birthday Birthday Memorial Happy Birthday REQUESTED BY
Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
Helene Houle
Nancy and Bruce Lindberg

OPEN BELL DATES: The following dates are open in February and March for anyone wishing to have the bells rung in memory or in honor of a loved one. February 17th-19th, 23rd-24th, 27th-28th. March 1st-2nd, 4th, 7th-11th, 13th-15th, 17th-18th, 23rd-24th, 26th, Please call the rectory during office hours to make arrangements.

#### **Mass Intentions**

Monday, February 13

6:45 Steve Launiger

12:10 †Mary E. Henes

Tuesday, February 14 Sts. Cyril and Methodius

6:45 Tom Nichols

12:10 LeRoy Kircher

Wednesday, February 15

6:45 Dennis R. Johnson

12:10 †Lee Bakewell

Thursday, February 16

6:45 Steve Lauinger

12:10 †Mary C. Katynski

Friday, February 17 The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

6:45 †Luno Jennifer

12:10 Jim Reece

Saturday, February 18

6:45 Poor Souls in Purgatory

5:00 Tim Mullaney

Sunday, February 19 Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners and Friends of St. Louis Church

9:15 Alice Hamilton

11:00 Chuck Casperson

12:30 Michaela Leitner

#### **PARISH CALENDAR**

Coffee & Donuts The Second Sunday of each month
Miraculous Medal Novena Every Monday beginning at noon
Rosary Recited Feb. 13th, 14th, 16th, & 17th at 11:35am
Eucharistic Exposition Wednesday, Feb. 15th, 11am-12 noon
Anointing of the Sick The First Monday of the month after the
6:45am and 12:10pm Masses.

Lunchtime Organ Recital Tuesday, February 14th following the 12:10 Mass.

#### Organ Recital Tuesday, February 14th, 2023

St. Louis Church's renowned Organ Concerts this year continue on Tuesdays following our 12:10 Mass. The February 14th concert recitalist is Joseph Ripka. Joseph is the Canon Musician at St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral in Oklahoma City. For a complete schedule of concert information, see our website at stlouiskingoffrance.org

#### Masses and Bells

Those wishing to secure dates in 2023 for Masses or Bells should submit a Mass Intention Envelope. Envelopes are available in the vestibule of the church. The Mass Intention Envelope can be dropped in any collection basket or mailed to the parish office. Please *call or email* the parish office to schedule Bell Ringing. The suggested stipend for a Mass is \$10 and \$25 for Bells.

#### **Tax Letters Regarding Contributions**

If you would like to receive a letter with the total amount you have contributed to St. Louis Church during the 2022 calendar year, please send a request to Mark at the parish office. markmstlouis@comcast.net.

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#### Mardi Gras Dinner

Mark your calendars now for our annual upcoming Mardi Gras Dinner at Mancini's restaurant in St. Paul on Tuesday, February 21st. Tickets are on sale this weekend at all of the Masses. The cost is \$35 per ticket for dinner and dessert. You can also call the parish office to purchase tickets.

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#### Fuel and Heat Collection this weekend February 12th

There will be a second collection at all the Masses to assist with the extraordinary bills this time of year for heating the church, chapel parish hall and rectory. Our most recent Xcel Energy bill totaled \$6,376.78. Your help with this is most appreciated. Thank you.

#### St. Maria Goretti on Stage This Lent

Open Window Theatre's critically acclaimed play, *Mercy Unrelenting*, back by demand for its 10-year anniversary production. A powerful story of mercy and forgiveness, make *Mercy Unrelenting* part of your Lenten journey. Recommended for ages 13+. Group discounts available. Tickets or more info: openwindowtheatre.org or 612-615-1515.

#### Last Month's Maintenance Collection

Thank you to all of you who helped out with last month's maintenance collection on the fourth Sunday of the month. Below are the results of your generosity. The donations totaled \$2,331.00 as follows: 5pm \$231.00; 7am \$334.00; 9:15am \$131.00; 11:00am \$113.00; 12:30pm \$263.00; \$555.00 from automatic contributions and \$704.00 received directly at the parish office.

#### 2023 Investment Conference

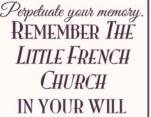
Wednesday, February 15, 7:15-10:15 a.m., University of Saint Thomas, Saint Paul and virtual event. Catholic Community Foundation of Minnesota designed this event for people who want to better understand the world of Catholic investing and philanthropy. This event is for donors who wish to live their faith through philanthropy, as well as for pastors, parish business administrators, finance council members, or trustees responsible for stewarding the gifts of parishioners, as well as professional advisors who want to provide additional value to philanthropic Catholic clients. There is an option to attend via livestream. Learn more at ccf-mn.org.

Soup Suppers on Fridays in the Parish Hall following Stations of the Cross begin Friday, February 24th.

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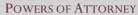
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there are different forms of service but the same Lord;

there are different workings but the same God

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the Spirit is given for some benefit. 1 Corinthians 12:4-7



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