



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.



ANOIDTING 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

January 28, 2024

Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time

*Let us not again hear the voice of the Lord.
(Deuteronomy 18:16)*

Addressing the Israelites as they are about to enter the Promised Land, Moses recalls what happened when God was about to give them the Ten Commandments on Mount Sinai. God announced his presence with lightning, thunder, a deafening shofar blast, and menacing dark smoke (Exodus 20:18-19). Terrified, the people backed away, saying, "Let us not again hear the voice of the Lord!" (Deuteronomy 18:16). They begged Moses to go and bring God's word back to them!

Now, knowing he was not going to be with them much longer, Moses promises that God will send them someone to take his place, "a prophet like me . . . to whom you shall listen" (Deuteronomy 18:15). What a relief! God promises they will never have to endure the trauma of hearing him directly.

And so it was. In every generation, God raised up prophets for the people. Deborah, Elijah, Isaiah, Jeremiah: these and others heard God directly and proclaimed what they heard.

But now, through Jesus, the living "Word" of God, everything has changed. By destroying sin and death, he has opened the pathway for us sinners to come before the all-holy God. Now, every single person can know God personally. Every single person can hear his voice—in Scripture, through the Church, and most important, in the depths of their hearts.

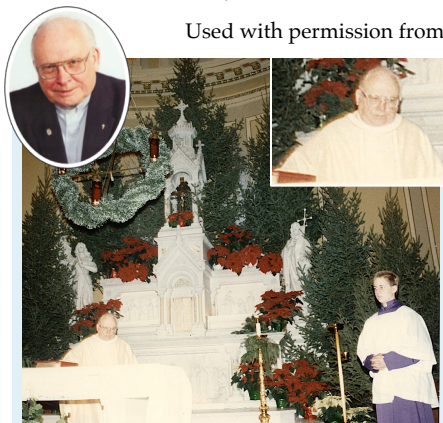
You don't ever have to be afraid of coming into God's presence! In fact, he is already present in you! Through his Spirit, he is urging you to call out to him, "Abba, Father!" (Romans 8:15). He is waiting to receive you with open arms, to wash you clean in his mercy, and to fill your heart with his joy and consolation.

Your heavenly Father has a message that he wants to speak to you today—a message meant only for you. So quiet your heart, calm your fears, and listen.

"Here I am, Lord! I long to hear your voice today!"

Psalms 95:1-2, 6-9 1 Corinthians 7:32-35 Mark 1:21-28

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commander in Woodbury, MN. "The Advent wreath was suspended from the ceiling. Bob Juare "Jr" and +Bob Juare "Sr" assembled some scaffolding, made the wreath and

CHRISTMASTIDE 1989

+Rev. Thomas O'Donnell, SM celebrating Mass on Christmas day. A regular visitor afterwards, he later returned as Parochial Vicar. The altar server is John B. Altman. **Did you know?** John was the first altar server to be taught to twirl the thurible during the Introit. Another visiting Marist +Bro. Robert Sokolowski, S.M., gave instruction and sent John home with an older thurible. He practiced in his front yard! John Altman is now a police

TODAY'S MUSIC

PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

Journey of Faith 291

Kyrie No 1

Gloria No. 5

OFFERTORY HYMN:

I Am The Bread Of Life 323

Sanctus No. 16

Memorial Acclamation

Agnus Dei No. 30

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, your will be done.

RECESSIONAL HYMN:

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You 389

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, January 29

2 Samuel 15:13-14,30:16:5-13; Psalm 3:2-7; Mark 5:1-20

Tuesday, January 30

2 Samuel 18:9-10,14,24-25, 30—19:3; Psalm 24:7-10;

Mark 5:21-43

Wednesday, January 31

2 Samuel 24:2,9-17; Psalm 32:1-2,5-7; Mark 6:1-6

Thursday, February 1

1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12; Psalm (1 Chronicles) 29:10-12;

Mark 6:7-13

Friday, February 2

Malachi 3:1-4; Psalm 24:7-10; Hebrews 2:14-18; Luke 2:22-40

Saturday, February 3

1 Kings 3:4-13; Psalm 119:9-14; Mark 6:30-34

Sunday, February 4

Job 7:1-4,6-7; Psalm 147:1-6; 1 Corinthians 9:16-19,22-23;

Mark 1:29-39

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, Odelia Conlon, Monty Denniston, Shirley Dufresne, Elzbieta, Greg Ennis, Harry Frazier, John Ganshirt, Mary and Marty Graner, Maureen Haase, Anne Hallgren, Mia Hasouris, Margaret Ann and Mary Ellen Hennen, Mark Hennen, Austin Hogan, Patty Huiras, Gloria Iverson, Judy, Ernie Jurgens, John D. Lamey, Bonida Lanford, Caroline Lanford, Steve Launiger, Lowell, Jennifer McMaster, Tom Miller, Tim Mullaney, Ruth Murray, Gretchen Naegeli, Tom Nutter, Joe Oden, Karen Olson, Zachary Redland, Jacob and Jaxson Rivera, John Schleck, Tamera Schwartz, Mamie Singleton, Maureen Sullivan, Robert Tereau, Bob Tesch, Allyson Tracy, Robert VanGuilder, Jr, Char Virnig, Michael Virnig, Brian Walstad, Jennifer Washington, Patty Wirth, and Justin Woessner.

hung it from where the ceiling lights are in the apsidal! Yes, the wreath was made with artificial greens. But, the trees that year were all "live" and it was the last year we used live trees because after Christmas, before Easter and during the summer we were still cleaning up pine needles from the then-carpeted sanctuary and church!" The full glory of the altar can be seen in the large framed photo at the back door exit in the St. Dorothy Portico.

RING OUT, O BELLS...

DATE	REQUEST FOR	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
February 1	Amy Young	February 1 (February 2)	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
February 2	†Lawrence Lenertz, Sr.	Birthday Memorial	Grandson Fred Lenertz, Jr.

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 8th, 10th-11th, 15th, 17th-19th, 23rd-24th, 27th-28th. March 1st, 4th, 7th-11th, 13th-15th, 17th-18th, 23rd-24th. Please call the rectory during office hours to make arrangements. Some dates listed as open may not be due to the normal lag in printing time.

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 29
 6:45 John Volk
 12:10 †Shirley Nelson

Tuesday, January 30
 6:45 The Kurt Schilling Family
 12:10 †Pamela Gutz

Wednesday, January 31 *St. John Bosco*
 6:45 †Jerome Herorek
 12:10 Conversion of Family Members and Friends

Thursday, February 1
 6:45 Fei Xiao Family
 12:10 †Elizabeth Harper

Friday, February 2, *The Presentation of the Lord*
 6:45 †Lawrence Lenertz, Sr.
 12:10 Kathy Leier

Saturday, February 3 *St. Blaise, St. Ansgar*
 6:45 Bob Tibesar
 5:00 †Eric Jacobson

Sunday, February 4 *The Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time*
 7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners and Friends of St. Louis Church
 9:15 †John Daniewicz
 11:00 †Maria Moryl
 12:30 The Success of the Synod

Parish Calendar

Coffee & Donuts The Second Sunday of Each Month

Miraculous Medal Novena Every Monday beginning at noon

Rosary Recited Jan. 29th, 30th, Feb 1st and 2nd at 11:35am

Eucharistic Exposition Wednesday Jan. 31st, 11am-12pm

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

Lunchtime Organ Recital Tuesday, January 30th following the 12:10 Mass

Advisory Board Meeting Monday, January 29 at 6:30pm

St. Louis Mardi Gras Dinner Tuesday, February 13th

Organ Recital Tuesday, January 30th, 2024

St. Louis Church's renowned Organ Concerts this year continue on Tuesdays following our 12:10 Mass. The January 30th concert recitalist is James D. Hicks. James is an organist in Califon, New Jersey.

St. Blaise, Blessing of the Throats

There will be a blessing of the throats after all the Masses on Saturday, February 3rd and Sunday, February 4th as part of the feast day of St. Blaise.

Masses and Bells

Those wishing to secure dates in 2024 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.

St. Louis Mardi Gras Dinner At Mancini's

Our annual Mardi Gras Party is coming up on Tuesday, February 13th. Come join us for an evening of libations, food, and fun! Tickets will be sold at the back of the church after all Masses beginning this weekend and February 3-4 and February 10-11. Tickets are \$40 per person. Buy soon as we sell out every year. Look forward to seeing you all there!

Second Collection This Weekend

There will be a 4th Sunday of the month second collection at all of the Masses for the Father Paul F. Morrissey in Memory of John Nasseff Endowment Fund. Currently our Endowment Fund stands at \$858,404.77 toward our goal of one million. Thank you for your continued support.

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 2023 calendar year, please send a request to Mark at the parish office. Do this either through the mail, by putting the request in an envelope in any of the collection baskets, or you may email your request to markmstlouis@comcast.net. Thank you.

WINE

Friday, February 9 - Saturday, February 10, St. Patrick, Edina. WINE: Women In the New Evangelization invites women of all ages and stages to refresh their hearts at the WINE: Catholic Women's Conference. The conference begins with Mass and includes inspirational talks by amazing Catholic speakers, Debbie Herbeck (author, speaker, and convert from Judaism to the Catholic Church), Anne Trufant (speaker, musician, and co-founder of Change Lives Now), and Melissa Overmyer (author, vlogger, and founder of Something Greater Ministries) will light our hearts on fire with faith-filled inspirational talks. Find more information and registration at wineconference.org/conference-info-copy.

Known By God Unborn Child Loss Retreat

Saturday, February 10, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., Cathedral of Saint Paul. All mothers grieving the loss of an unborn baby through miscarriage or stillbirth are invited to the 4th annual Known By God unborn child loss retreat. The retreat includes small group sharing, discussion, large group talks on spiritual growth in grief, personal prayer time, lunch, shared resources, and more. Learn more at cathedralsaintpaul.org/events-news.

Come Away With Me Retreat

Tuesday, February 27, 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., Dunrovin Retreat Center, Marine on Saint Croix. Consider a short time away to listen for the whisper of God's love for you. Consider time away – for only a day – to refresh your spirit, mind, and body and to listen for the whisper of God's personal love. This will be a quiet time of guided prayers, very short talks, and Eucharistic Adoration. Learn more and register dunrovin.org/visit/adult-retreats/come-away-with-me-retreat.

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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*

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