

#### SUNDAY MASSES

7:00 a.m.

10:00 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.

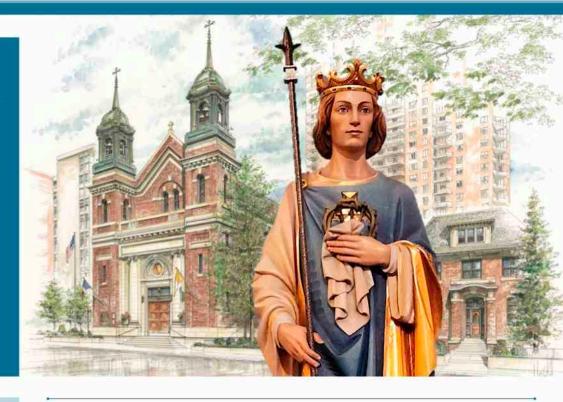
Saturday 6:45 a.m.

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

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#### **MEDITATION**

Sunday, May 11, 2025

Fourth Sunday of Easter

The Lamb . . . will shepherd them. (Revelation 7:17)

Have you ever heard of a lamb that was also a shepherd? Today's second reading tells us that Jesus, the Lamb of God, will shepherd the saints who stand before the heavenly throne. Although this Lamb still bears the wounds of his sacrifice, he will protect the saints, lead them to life-giving water, and wipe away their tears (Revelation 5:6; 7:17). How odd!

Actually, it's not so odd. Jesus, the Lamb of God, is a perfect shepherd for us. Here's why:

- This Lamb is a shepherd who lived has life completely obedient to the will of his Father. Every moment, he united himself with God's will. He alone perfectly walked in the path of righteousness, so of course, he knows how to lead us on the same path!
- This Lamb is a shepherd who defeated the powers of darkness through his humble selfoffering. He freely handed himself over to death on the cross. When he rose from the dead, he defeated sin and death! He is uniquely able to protect us in the face of whatever trouble or foe comes our way.
- This Lamb is a shepherd who poured out his own blood on the cross to cleanse us from all The water that flowed from his impurity. pierced side is the living water of Baptism and new life. It is to this life-giving water that he leads us.
- This Lamb is a shepherd who has suffered in every way we have. He embraced our weakness and frailty. His experience of sorrow makes him all the more attentive to our own, and he tenderly wipes away our tears.

As you celebrate Good Shepherd Sunday today, spend some time considering Jesus, the Lamb who is your shepherd. Rejoice that he has not left you to make your way on this journey alone. He has gone before you, and he will lead you home.

"Jesus, Good Shepherd of my soul, thank you for your love and protection!"

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#### PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

For the Conclave of Cardinals gathered in Rome to elect a new Pope; may they be guided by the Holy Spirit in their decision making, let us pray to the Lord.

#### POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfillment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized.

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

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: Be Joyful, Mary, Heavenly Queen #240

> Kyrie #1 Gloria #5

Sequence #228

OFFERTORY HYMN: Holy, Holy, Holy #324

Sanctus #16

Agnus Dei #30

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON** 

The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.

RECESSIONAL HYMN: All People That On Earth Do Dwell #326

#### SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, May 12 Acts 11:1-18 Psalms 42:2-3; 43:3-4 John 10:1-10 Tuesday, May 13 Acts 11:19-26 Psalm 87:1b-7 John 10:22-30 Wednesday, May 14 Acts 1:15-17, 20-26

Psalm 113:1-8 John 15:9-17

Thursday, May 15 Acts 13:13-25

Psalm 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27

John 13:16-20

Friday, May 16 Acts 13:26-33 Psalm 2:6-11 John 14:1-6

Saturday, May 17 Acts: 13:44-52 Psalm 98:1-4 John 14:7-14 Sunday, May 18 Acts 14:21-27 Psalm 145:8-13 Revelation 21:1-5a John 13:31-33a

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: omannstlouis@gmail.com or call 651-224-3379.

We ask that you kindly let us know when the names of people should be removed. Many, many thanks.

Please pray for our parishioners and friends of St. Louis Church who are sick: Raymond Acesor, Paul Anderson, Peggy Anfang, Mary Atkinson, Laris Berggren, Odelia Conlon, Monty Denniston, Gretchen Dertz, Jenny Dufner, Elzbieta, Greg Ennis, Harry Frazier, Anne Hallgren, Mia Hasouris, Margaret Ann Hennen, Mary Ellen Hennen, Mark Hennen, Austin Hogan, Patty Huiras, Doria Johnson, John Johnson, Brian Junker, Ernie Jurgens, Marilyn Krass, John D. Lamey, Bonida Lanford, Caroline Lanford, Steve Launiger, Lowell, Henry Lyons, Jennifer McMaster, Tom Miller, Dick Mogren, Cathy Mullaney, Tim Mullaney, Ruth Murray, Gretchen Naegeli, Tom Nutter, Joe Oden, Karen Olson, Zachary Redland, Jacob Revera, Jaxson Rivera, John Schleck, Mamie Singleton, Lana Sloan, Maureen Sullivan, Robert Tereau, Robert Tesch, Allyson Tracy, Robert VanGuilder, Jr, Michael Virnig, Brian Walstad, Jennifer Washington and Justin Woessner.

RING OUT, O BELLS					
DATE	REQUEST FOR	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY		
May 12	Anthony DahDah	Happy Birthday	Helene Houle		
May 15	Betty and John Cardinal	60th Wedding Anniversary	Kimberly Bajardi		
May 17	†Josh Etten	Birthday Memorial	Rob and Amy Etten		
May 18	Tom Walrath	Happy Birthday	Helene Houle		

**OPEN BELL DATES:** The following dates are open in May for anyone wishing to have the bells rung in memory or in honor of a loved one: 13, 14, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 29 and 30. Please call the rectory during office hours to make arrangements. Some dates listed as open my not be available due to the normal lag in printing time.

	Mass Intentions			
Monday	, May 12 Saint Nereus; Saint Achilleus			
6:45	Mothers' Day Novena			
12:10	Mothers' Day Novena			
Tuesday, May 13 Our Lady of Fatima				
6:45	Mothers' Day Novena			
12:10	Mothers' Day Novena			
Wednesday, May 14 Saint Matthias				
6:45	Mothers' Day Novena			
12:10	Mothers' Day Novena			
Thursday, May 15 Saint Isidore				
6:45	Mothers' Day Novena			
12:10	Mothers' Day Novena			
Friday, May 16 Easter Weekday				
6:45	Mothers' Day Novena			
12:10	Mothers' Day Novena			

Saturday, May 17 Easter Weekday Mothers' Day Novena 6:45

5:00 Mothers' Day Novena

Sunday, May 18 Fourth Sunday of Easter 7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners of Saint Louis Church

Mothers' Day Novena 10:00 12:30 Mothers' Day Novena

#### Parish Calendar

May 11	. Air Conditioning Collection All Masses
May 11	May Crowning 10:00 AM Mass
May 11	Schoen Baptism 1:15 PM
May 12	Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
	Novena Miraculous Medal 12:00 PM
May 13	Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
May 13	Lunchtime Organ Recital 12:35 PM
May 13	Synod Book Club 6:30 PM
May 14	Eucharistic Adoration 11-12 PM
May 15	Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
May 16	Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
May 19	Synod Scripture Group 6:30 PM

#### **Mass Intentions**

We ask that for any Mass Intention that you kindly fill out the envelope in its entirety and so that the envelope is readable. Sadly, we occasionally receive intentions that are unreadable and have no phone number to call for clarification on the spelling of the name(s). Your 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.

#### **ELECTRONIC DONATION**

You can now make an electronic donation to St. Louis Church by scanning the QR code to the right. The code is linked to our online giving page on the website.



#### TUESDAY LUNCHTIME CONCERT

This Tuesday, May 13, 2025, the Tuesday Lunchtime Concert Series presents Kathrine Handford. Kathrine is Director of Music and Organist at the Church of St. Mark, St. Paul, MN and is University Organist and Instructor at Concordia University, St. Paul, MN.

#### COFFEE AND DOUGHNUTS SUNDAY

Coffee and Doughnuts Sunday is today, Sunday, May 11, 2025 in the parish hall after the 7:00 AM and 10:AM Masses. Please stop in for some conversation and fellowship and to honor our Mothers on Mothers' Day.

#### **MOTHERS' DAY NOVENA**

The Mothers' Day Novena will begin on Sunday, May 11, and will continue for 8 days through Sunday, May 18. Cards and envelopes to honor mothers both living and deceased are located at the back of the church. Please write your names legibly on the envelopes. You can drop them in the collection basket or mail them to the parish office.

#### MARIST FATHERS COLLECTION

The Marist Fathers extend a hearty thank you for your generous contributions to the Society of Mary. The total amount collected is \$ 3612.00.

#### SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

There will be a second collection at all Masses this weekend for the air conditioning fund. Our costs continue to increase. Your continued generosity and support is greatly appreciated.

#### SYNOD BOOK CLUB

The Synod Book Club will be meeting on Tuesday, May 13, from 6:30 - 7:30 PM in the parish hall. The group will be discussing the book "The Quotidian Mysteries" by Kathleen Norris. The group will also discuss the 12 short reflections in "Beautiful Eucharist" about Jesus being truly present in the Eucharist and present in our lives. Everyone is welcome to join the group.

#### SYNOD SCRIPTURE GROUP

The Synod Scripture Group will be meeting on Monday, May 19 at 6:30 PM in the Parish Hall. The group will be continuing their discussion on the Old Testament and King David. Everyone is welcome to attend.

#### LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED

We are in need of more Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers for all masses. Training will be provided. If you are interested, please contact the parish office; omannstlouis@gmail.com or telephone 651-224-3379.

#### WANT TO JOIN THE CHOIR?

Our Choir Director/Organist is looking for more people to join the volunteer choir. The choir sings at the 10:00 AM Mass on Sunday with rehearsal at 9:00 AM beginning the Sunday after Labor Day through Corpus Christi Sunday. The choir takes the last Sunday of the month off. If you are interested, please contact the parish office; email omannstlouis@gmail.com or telephone 651-224-3379.

# Eastertide 2025

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