

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.

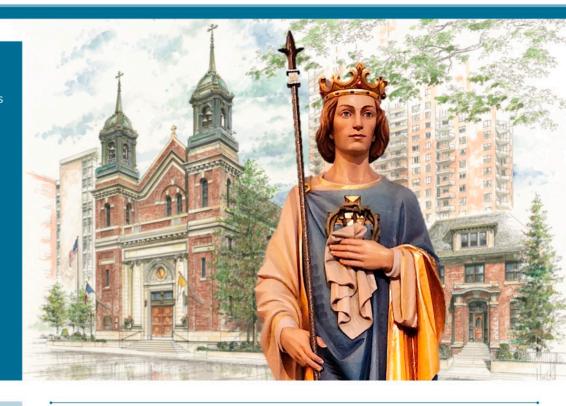
#### BAPTISMS

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.

> Founded A.D. 1868. Present Church built A.D. 1909. Entrusted to the pastoral care of the Society of Mary (Marists) in 1886 by Archbishop John Ireland.



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## **MEDITATION**

#### Sunday, May 4, 2025

Third Sunday of Easter

#### You have filled Jerusalem with your teaching. (Acts 5:28)

The Acts of the Apostles contains such amazing stories that it can sometimes seem like we are reading a work of fiction. But that's just not the case. Take today's first reading, for example. There really were men and women who, in the face of severe persecution, kept filling Jerusalem with the good news. Peter and the apostles really were questioned, tortured, and imprisoned. But they didn't back down. Instead, they replied, "We must obey God rather than men" (Acts 5:29).

It might be hard to relate to such boldness. So let's imagine how, in our own day and age, we can "fill" the places we inhabit with the good news of Jesus Christ.

Think about a place that involves some waiting. Maybe it's the school pickup line or a subway ride or the time between classes. Now picture those places as your own "Jerusalem" (Acts 5:28). Imagine the good news of the saving love and mercy of God bubbling up inside of you, filling you with life and joy. You feel as if you can't contain it. So instead of scrolling on your phone, you hold your head high, your smile widens, and you look around for someone to share it with.

As you keep this posture of openness and connection to the joy of the gospel, you will naturally start getting to know some of the people who are also waiting with you. That will lead to new friendships. After a while, the crossing guard might tell you about her upcoming surgery, opening up a space for you to offer to pray for her. Some of your classmates might appreciate your openness, and you could strike up a conversation about your faith. Or maybe you end up engaging with a fellow subway passenger.

This is you, filling your own "Jerusalem" with the gospel!

#### "Holy Spirit, give me the boldness to share the good news wherever I go."

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# PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

## For migrants fleeing their homes

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them. Let us pray to the Lord.

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

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: I Know That My Redeemer Lives #235

Kyrie #1

Gloria #5

Sequence #228

OFFERTORY HYMN: Alleluia! Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise #241

Sanctus #16

Agnus Dei #30

COMMUNION ANTIPHON The disciples recognized the Lord Jesus in the breaking of the bread, alleluia.

RECESSIONAL HYMN: Crown Him With Many Crowns #232

#### SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, May 5 Friday, May 9 Acts 6:8-15 Acts 9:1-20 Psalm 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 Psalm 117:1b-2 John 6:22-29 Iohn 6:52-59 Tuesday, May 6 Saturday, May 10 Acts 7:51-8:1a Acts 9:31-42 Psalm 31:3cd-4, 6ab, 7b, 8a, 17, 21a Psalm 116:12-17 Iohn 6:30-35 Iohn 60:60-69 Wednesday, May 7 Sunday, May 11 Acts 8:1b-8 Acts 13:14, 43-52 Psalm 66:1-3a, 4-7a Psalm 100:1-2, 3, 5 John 6:35-40 Revelations 7:9, 14b-17 Thursday, May 8 John 10:27-30 Acts 8:26-40 Psalm 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 Iohn 6:44-51

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, Hugh Atkinson, 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.

## **REQUEST FOR**

May 5+Brian SullivanMay 6Brian KrechMay 10+Gloria IversonMay 11Celeste Houle

DATE

#### RING OUT, O BELLS .... INTENTION Memorial Happy Birthday

In Memory

Happy Birthday

#### **REQUESTED BY** John Sullivan Helene Houle Dee Hobbie 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: 7, 8, 9, 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 5 Easter Weekday 6:45 †Brian Sullivan 12:10 †Rose Mary Satack Tuesday, May 6 Easter Weekday 6:45 †Mary Graner 12:10 +Gloria Iverson Wednesday, May 7 Easter Weekday 6:45 +Sharon Claussen 12:10 †Ann Gallivan Thursday, May 8 Easter Weekday 6:45 †Monica Hartung 12:10 +Susie Abarno Friday, May 9 Easter Weekday Emilio Angel Bossi 6:45 Stephen Lauinger 12:10 Saturday, May 10 Easter Weekday Saint John of Avila 6:45 †Mary C. Katynski 5:00 †David Graff Sunday, May 11 Fourth Sunday of Easter 7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners of Saint Louis Church

10:00 Mothers' Day Novena

12:30 Mothers' Day Novena

## Parish Calendar

May 5 Anointing	of the Sick 6:45AM and 12:10 PM Masses
May 5	Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
May 5	Novena Miraculous Medal 12:00 PM
	Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
	Lunchtime Organ Recital 12:35 PM
May 7	Eucharistic Adoration 11-12 PM
	Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
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	Coffee and Doughnuts 7:00 and 10:00 AM
May 11	Schoen Baptism 1:15 PM
May 11	Air Conditioning Collection All Masses

## **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 <u>readable</u>. 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 6, 2025, the Tuesday Lunchtime Concert Series presents Richard Gray. Richard is Director of Music at St. John the Evangelist Episcopal Church, Saint Paul, MN.

#### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Anointing of the Sick will take place on Monday, May 5, 2025, after the 6:45 AM and the 12:10 PM Masses.

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

The Mothers' Day Novena will begin on Sunday, May 11, 2025 and will continue for 8 days through Sunday, May 18, 2025. 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.

#### **COFFEE AND DOUGHNUTS**

Sunday May 11th is Coffee and Doughnuts Sunday after the 7:00 and 10:00 AM Masses in the parish hall. Please stop by for some conversation, fellowship and, of course, the doughnuts.

#### AIR CONDITIONING COLLECTION

Next weekend, there will be a second collection for the air conditioning fund. As always, your continued generosity and support is greatly appreciated.

#### IN MEMORIAM

#### A Reflection on Pope Francis on Devotion to Mary

Pope Francis stated that, "True devotion to Mary always 'points to Jesus.'" He said, "The Mother of God is an instrument of the Holy Spirit in his work of sanctification. Mary is the one who said 'yes' to God and, with her example and by her intercession, pushes us to say 'yes' to him too."

As "the first disciple and figure of the Church," the Holy Father hopes that Christians today will allow Mary to "see Jesus," "open our hearts" to him, and "arise in haste" to help others in need.

Describing Mary, Pope Francis echoed the words of the patron of his pontificate, St. Francis of Assisi: "Daughter and handmaid of the heavenly Father, the almighty King, Mother of our most high Lord Jesus Christ, and spouse of the Holy Spirit." Pope Francis said, "The unique relationship between Mary and the Trinity could not be illustrated in simpler words."

Eternal rest grant unto Pope Francis, O Lord, And let perpetual light shine upon him. Amen.

# 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.

