



# CHURCH OF Saint Louis KING OF FRANCE

The Little French Church

## 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, November 24, 2024

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

*I am...the one who is and who was and who is to come. (Revelation 1:8)*

Today's feast of Christ the King marks the culmination of everything that our readings over the past month have been leading up to. Even as we live in the "Already" (Jesus has come!) and the "not yet" (Jesus will return and establish his reign forever!), we take time today to declare that Jesus is King, both now and forever. He is "the one who was and who is to come" (Revelation 1:8).

Just as Jesus is our eternal King, his kingdom is an everlasting kingdom. It reaches beyond time and space. And its population is unique: the "poor in spirit" are given places of honor, along with those who mourn and who are meek and lowly of heart (Matthew 5:3-5).

So what does it mean for us to be citizens of this wonderful, everlasting kingdom? How can the "already," the "right now," and the "not yet" truths of this kingdom affect our lives?

- Jesus has *already* freed you from sin by his blood (Revelation 1:5). You can receive this freedom by faith and Baptism, by repentance, and by staying united to him through the sacraments.
- Nothing can separate you from his love (Romans 8:39). Today, *right now*, you can invite Jesus to remove any barriers that keep you from experiencing the joys of his kingdom.
- You will *one day* reign with the Lord (2 Timothy 2:12). It's awe-inspiring to think of, but in Jesus' kingdom, "Whoever humbles himself will be exalted" (Matthew 23:12). If you try to stay close to him in this life, he promises to give you a place near him as he reigns eternally (25:34).

Rejoice today that Jesus is your eternal King. Invite him to reign in your heart even more, as you await his reign of love over the whole world.

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### POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION

#### For anyone who has lost a child

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.

### PRAYER INTENTION

For Pope Francis, Archbishop Bernard Hebda, and all Church Leaders: That they may be filled with the wisdom and strength of the Holy Spirit as they lead the Church in its missionary and synodal journey. Let us pray to the Lord.

## TODAY'S MUSIC

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

*Lift High the Cross #235*

Kyrie #1

Gloria #5

### OFFERTORY HYMN:

*The King of Love #199*

Sanctus No. 16

Agnus Dei No. 30

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

*The Lord sits as King forever.*

*The Lord will bless his people with peace.*

### RECESSIONAL HYMN:

*To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King*

## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, November 25

Revelation 14:1-3, 4b-5; Psalm 24:1-6; Luke 21:1-4

Tuesday, November 26

Revelation 14:14-19; Psalm 96:10-13; Luke 21: 5-11

Wednesday, November 27

Revelation 15:1-4; Psalm 98:1-3, 7-9; Luke 21:12-19

Thursday, November 28

Sirach 50:22-24; Psalm 138 1-2a, 2bc-3, 4-5;

1 Corinthians 1:3-9; Luke 17:11-19

Friday, November 29

Revelation 20:1-4, 11-21:2; Psalm 84:3-6a, 8a; Luke 21:29-33

Saturday, November 30

Romans 10:9-18; Psalm 19:8-11; Matthew 4:18-22

Sunday, December 1

Jeremiah 33:14-16; Psalm 25:4-5, 8-10, 14;

1 Thessalonians 3:12—4:2; Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

**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](mailto: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, Bill, Christy, Odelia Conlon, Monty Denniston, Jenny Dufner, Elzbieta, Greg Ennis, Dorothy Ernster, Harry Frazier, Mary and Marty Graner, Anne Hallgren, Mia Hasouris, Margaret Ann and Mary Ellen Hennen, Mark Hennen, Austin Hogan, Patty Huiras, Gloria Iverson, Judy, Brian Junker, Ernie Jurgens, Marilyn Krass, John D. Lamey, Bonida & Caroline Lanford, Steve Launiger, Lowell, Henry Lyons, Jennifer McMaster, Tom Miller, Shirley Milliman, Richard Mogren, Cathy Mullaney, Tim Mullaney, Ruth Murray, Gretchen Naegeli, Tom Nutter, Joe Oden, Karen Olson, Zachary Redland, Jacob and Jaxson Rivera, Jim Sampair, John Schleck, Mamie Singleton, 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
November 28	Nancy Lindberg	Happy Birthday (November 30)	Barb Schaer-Mady and Mike Mady
November 29	Kate Dripps	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
November 30	Nancy Lindberg	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
December 1	Corey Pederson	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg

**OPEN BELL DATES:** The following dates are open in November and December for anyone wishing to have the bells rung in memory or in honor of a loved one: November 25, 26, 27; December 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 14, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 28, 29, 30, and 31. 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, November 25 *Saint Catherine of Alexandria*

6:45 Ellie Sophia Speltz

12:10 †Paulette Gartner

Tuesday, November 26

6:45 Brecken Blakely

12:10 †Janet Anderson

Wednesday, November 27

6:45 Greg Snelling

12:10 †Raymond Vipond

Thursday, November 28 *Thanksgiving Day*

10:00 Mary Breault

Friday, November 29

6:45 †Helen Wagner

12:10 †Michael Groppoli

Saturday, November 30 *Saint Andrew*

6:45 Long Vo

5:00 †Helen McCumber

Sunday, December 1 *First Sunday of Advent*

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

10:00 †Teddy Altman

12:30 †Michael and †Marie Paslawski

### PARISH CALENDAR

Maintenance Fund Collection ..... Weekend Nov. 23 and 24

Miraculous Medal Novena...Monday, November 25 12:00 PM

Rosary Recited.....Monday, November 25 11:35 AM

Rosary Recited ..... Tuesday, November 26 11:35 AM

Eucharistic Exposition .....Wed., Nov. 27 11:00AM-12:00 PM

Rosary Recited.....Friday, December 29 11:35 AM

Anointing of the Sick...Monday, Dec. 2 6:45 AM and 12:10 PM

Annual Bake Sale .....December 7 and 8 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 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.

**Reminder:** Going forward the 9:15am Sunday Mass and the 11:00am Sunday Mass have been combined into one Mass at 10:00am with music.

**Parish Office Hours 7:00am – 3pm Monday through Friday**

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### THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Thursday, November 28, Thanksgiving Day

One Mass at 10:00 am with music

Mass will be in the main church

No scheduled Confessions on Thanksgiving Day

Friday, November 29, Friday after Thanksgiving

Mass at 6:45 AM in the chapel

Mass at 12:10 PM in the chapel

No scheduled Confessions on Friday after Thanksgiving

Saturday after Thanksgiving, November 30

Mass at 6:45 AM (in the chapel) and 5 PM (in the church)

Confessions today: 6:15 AM, 11:15 AM and 4:00-4:45 PM

### PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

The parish office will be closed on Thursday, November 28 and Friday, November 29 in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

### TUESDAY LUNCHTIME CONCERT SERIES

There is no Lunchtime Concert on Tuesday, November 26.

### VOLUNTEERS APPRECIATED!

Do you like to sing? I invite you to sing in our volunteer choir! We rehearse on Sundays at 9 AM in the music room above the parish hall. We generally take the last Sunday of each month off. Please call or text me at 612-360-1027 to let me know of your interest. Thanks!  
Larry Martin, Choir Director and Organist

### JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL BAKE SALE

On Saturday, December 7th (Vigil Mass) and Sunday, December 8th after all Masses. Bake Sale Items can be dropped off on Friday, December 6th in the Parish Hall between 1-3 PM and on Saturday, December 7th between 2-4 PM. All proceeds will be given to the Franciscan Brothers of Peace.

### MASS AND BELL REQUESTS 2025

Mass Intentions and Bell Requests for 2025 will be scheduled starting on December 1, 2024. Please call the parish office at 224-3379 or email your requests to [ramonadasilvawoessner@gmail.com](mailto:ramonadasilvawoessner@gmail.com). Thank you.

### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

I asked for strength that I might achieve;

I was made weak that I might learn humbly to obey.

I asked for health that I might do greater things;

I was given infirmity that I might do better things.

I asked for riches that I might be happy;

I was given poverty that I might be wise.

I asked for power that I might have the praise of men;

I was given weakness that I might feel the need of God.

I asked for all things that I might enjoy life;

I was given life that I might enjoy all things.

I got nothing that I asked for but everything I hoped for.

Almost despite myself, my unspoken prayers were answered.

I am, among all men, most richly blessed.

*Written by an Unknown Confederate Soldier*



# St. Louis, King of France



2024  
Christmas  
Bake Sale

*Saturday, December 7th  
Sunday, December 8th  
After all Masses while supplies last!*



Please bring your baked items to the Parish Hall  
Friday, December 6th between 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm  
Saturday, December 7th between 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Please have all items covered and priced before you drop them off.

If you would like to volunteer for the weekend please  
contact the parish office at 651-224-3379

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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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