



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.



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 two years.
Contact the Parish Office for a meeting
with the Pastor.

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MEDITATION

Sunday, September 29, 2019

The Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

See Worship Book 942

*Lying at his door was a poor man named Lazarus.
(Luke 16:20)*

How many times do you think this rich man walked past Lazarus every day? Yet it's as if the man never really saw him; he was little more than part of the "landscape." The rich man just accepted Lazarus' presence as a fact of life.

The rich man in Jesus' parable dies and ends up in torment in the netherworld. But it's not simply because he was rich. It was because he didn't care for this other human being who was, in a way, part of his daily life. We all know that being a Christian means caring for the less fortunate. There are so many needy people that we can feel overwhelmed. And besides, most of us aren't policy experts with the know-how needed to lift people out of poverty. Even if we gave away all of our possessions, it would hardly make a dent.

It's helpful, then, to remember that Jesus didn't have some grand strategy for solving the problem of poverty either. He just reached out to people, one by one. If the rich man in Jesus' parable had done the same thing by caring for the beggar at his door, his life might have ended much differently.

That's where we can start too—by helping one person at a time, especially those whom we encounter as part of our daily lives. If every person did that, think about how many people would be reached!

Remember too that God wants you to help those people who may not be lacking in material goods but are still "poor." As St. Teresa of Calcutta said, "There are many people in the world dying for a piece of bread, but there are many more dying for a little love." Your care and presence for these people are just as important.

At Mass today, ask the Lord to open your eyes to someone who may be at your "door," without you even realizing it. You can make a real difference!

*"Jesus, show me the 'Lazarus' in my life who
needs my help."*

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FEATURED ON THE COVER The Old Rectory. 'Arriving in St. Paul August 30, 1886, Fr. John Baptist Bigot, previously superior of Jefferson College in LA, and Fr. John Mary Portal, vicar at Lawrence, MA, took over the parish of St. Louis. Poor fellows! They needed shoes, which they purchased at a cost of \$10.50 for both pairs. There were no alarm clocks so they bought two for \$4.00. When they arrived there was the tidy sum of \$120.00 on hand. A new school had been built and under their administration it was furnished. Foreseeing the necessity of expansion, Father Bigot bought a house and some additional land on Cedar Street.' *Excerpt edited from The Three Corners of God.*

ENTRANCE HYMN 512

Immortal, invisible

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 942

Praise the Lord, my soul, praise the Lord!

POSTCOMMUNION HYMN 525

Joyful, joyful, we adore you

CHORAL MUSIC AT THE 11:00 AM MASS

Praise ye the Lord

John Rutter (b. 1945)

Praise ye the Lord. Praise God in his holiness : Praise him in the firmament of his power. Praise him in his noble acts : Praise him according to his excellent greatness. Praise him in the sound of the trumpet : Praise him upon the lute and harp. Praise him in the cymbals and dances : Praise him upon the strings and pipe. Praise him upon the well-tuned cymbals : Praise him upon the loud cymbals. Let every thing that hath breath praise the Lord. *Praise the Lord, praise ye the Lord.* — Psalm 150.

Communion *Memento*

Gregorian, Mode IV

Be mindful of your word to your servant, O Lord, in which you caused me to hope; this has been my comfort in my affliction.

— Psalm 118:49,50.

Antiphon *Sub tuum praesidium*

Mode VII

Under thy protection we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God; despise not our petitions in our needs, but from all dangers deliver us always, Virgin Glorious and Blessed.

— Oldest extant Hymn to the Blessed Virgin; circa 250 A.D.

O taste and see

Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

O taste and see how gracious the Lord is. Blessed is the man that trusteth in him. — Psalm 34:9.

TUESDAY ORGAN RECITALS, 12:35 pm — 1:05 pm

1 October — Carolyn Diamond

Organ and Piano Recitalist;

Guest Musician, Wayzata Community Church, Wayzata, MN

*A significant portion of the costs of the Tuesday recitals
for the current season was graciously given by*

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SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, September 30

Zechariah 8:1-8 Psalm 102:16-21; Luke 9:46-50

Tuesday, October 1

Zechariah 8:20-23; Psalm 87:1-7; Luke 9:51-56

Wednesday, October 2

Exodus 23:20-23; Psalm 91:1-6,10-11; Matthew 18:1-5,10

Thursday, October 3

Nehemiah 8:1-12; Psalm 19:8-11; Luke 10:1-12

Friday, October 4

Baruch 1:15-22; Psalm 79:1-5,8,9; Luke 10:13-16

Saturday, October 5

Baruch 4:5-12,27-29; Psalms 69:33-37; Luke 10:17-24

Sunday, October 6

Habakkuk 1:2-3,2:2-4; Psalm 95:1-2,6-9; Second Timothy 1:6-8,13-14;

Luke 17:5-10

Please pray for our parishioners and friends of St. Louis Church who are sick: Mark Joseph Acesor, Bill, Christy, Ginny Collins, Monty Denniston, Estrella DeVeyra, Shirley Dufresne, Barb Arland-Frye, Greg Ennis, William F. Faulkner, Anne Hallgren, Margaret Ann Hennen, Jim Hobbie, John Johnson, Ruth Murray, Tom Nutter, Mary Bartel O'Connell, Joan Schmitt, Roy Sheehan, Paul Steffel, Evelyn Virnig, Brian Walstad, Justin Woessner.

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.

RING OUT, O BELLS...

DATE	REQUEST FOR	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
October 1	Sandy Klas	Best Wishes	Fred Lenertz, Jr.
October 2	Mike Gehlen	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
October 3	Raymond, Delores and Linda Houle	Happy Birthday	Helene Houle
October 4	Emma Damasco	Happy Birthday (October 3)	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
October 6	Dixie Simpson Lacy	Happy Birthday	Fred Lenertz, Sr.

OPEN BELL DATES: The following dates are still open in October for anyone wishing to have the bells rung in memory or in honor of a loved one: October 8th-9th, 15th-16th, 24th-25th, 28th and 31st. Please, call the rectory during office hours to make arrangements.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 30 *St. Jerome*
 6:45 Cynthia and Tom Speltz
 12:10 Margaret Ann Hennen

Tuesday, October 1 *St. Therese of the Child Jesus*
 6:45 Cynthia and Tom Speltz
 12:10 †Helen Ruth Speakman

Wednesday, October 2 *The Holy Guardian Angels*
 6:45 Marion Linn
 12:10 Judith and Beni

Thursday, October 3
 6:45 Evelyn Lecher
 12:10 Bruce Schreiber

Friday, October 4 *St. Francis of Assisi*
 6:45 Paul Francis Plasch
 12:10 Marion Linn

Saturday, October 5 *Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos*
 6:45 †Roberto Gomez Hernandez
 5:00 †Margaret E. Amos

Sunday, September 29 *Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Respect Life Sunday
 7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners and Friends of St. Louis Church
 9:15 Dixie Simpson Lacy
 11:00 Barbara Klein
 12:30 Mike Mullaney

PARISH CALENDAR

Tuesday, October 1 *Lunchtime Organ Concert* 12:35pm
Wednesday, October 2 *Adoration* from 11:00am to 12:00pm
Wednesday, October 2 *St. Louis Shawl Knitters* Parish Hall 1:00pm
Monday, October 7 *Anointing of the Sick, After All Masses*
Monday, October 7 *Fr. Sajdak's Bible Study* Parish Hall 6:00pm
Monday, October 13 *Coffee and Doughnuts* after All Sunday Masses

St. Louis Church's Website

To view the most update information on Masses, Concerts and other events please visit our parish website at:

www.stlouiskingoffrance.org

Altar Servers Needed!!!

We are looking for altar servers for all of the weekend Masses. Training is available and we ask that you be in at least 3rd grade or higher. Please contact the parish office if you are interested. 651-224-3379.

Thinking of a way to serve your parish?

We are looking for a few more Eucharistic Ministers to help out at the weekend Masses. Training is available and **being a reader at Mass is not required.** Please contact Cindy Schweiger at (612) 834-0049 or email Cindy at cynthiajean@aol.com.

Holy Hour for Vocations -Tuesday, October 8, 7-8 p.m., Nativity of Our Lord, St. Paul Come spend an hour with Jesus each month to pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, consecrated life and diaconate. For more information, please contact the Office of Vocations at 651-962-6890 or visit 10000vocations.org.

Bible Study with Fr. Sajdak

Fr. Sajdak and fellow parishioners will be exploring Genesis, the first book of the Bible on five consecutive Mondays beginning Oct 7. We will look at such questions as: How long did it really take God to create the universe? Why are there two completely different accounts of creation in Genesis? What was so terrible about eating an apple? Who did Cain marry when he was banished from the Garden? And many other intriguing questions. We meet in the Parish Hall at 6:00 PM. Come and join us.

17th Annual Candlelight Rosary Procession

October 4, 7 p.m., Gather at the State Capital at 6:30 p.m. In honor of Our Lady of Fatima, join us for the annual Candlelight Rosary Procession on Friday, October 4, led by Archbishop Bernard Hebda. Gather at the State Capitol at 6:30 p.m. The procession to the Cathedral of Saint Paul begins at 7 p.m. Those who cannot walk the route may go directly to the Cathedral to pray the Rosary.

Archdiocesan Synod - Upcoming Prayer and Listening Events

What's working and what's not in the Archdiocese? Archbishop Hebda wants to hear from you! Please prayerfully consider attending an upcoming Prayer and Listening Event, as part of the Pre-Synod Process and make your voice heard. Your input will help guide the Archdiocese over the next 5-10 years. There are 20 Prayer and Listening Events. The next three are: **Sat., Sept. 28, 9 a.m.-noon at St. Michael (St. Michael); Fri., Oct. 11, 6-9 p.m. at Guardian Angels (Oakdale); Sat., Oct. 12, 9 a.m.-noon at Our Lady of Guadalupe (St. Paul) – bilingual event: Spanish/English** Learn more about the Synod and see a full listing of Prayer and Listening Events at archspm.org/synod.

A Visit From Father Morrissey

Father Morrissey will be returning for a visit to St. Louis Church in the month of October. He will be celebrating the Saturday evening 5pm Mass on October 19th. After Mass there will be an unveiling of a portrait and plaque in the St. Dorothy Portico honoring Father for his 30 years of service to St. Louis Parish. There will be a reception in the parish hall following the unveiling. All our parishioners and friends are invited to attend.

Cathedral Festival of Lights Gala Thursday, October 3, 6 - 9:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of Saint Paul, St. Paul, MN The Cathedral Heritage Foundation invites the community to a special evening of tours, music, a spotlight presentation, fine dining catered by the Saint Paul Hotel, and a live auction at "Minnesota's most iconic building," according to *Architectural Digest* in 2018. www.cathedralheritagefoundation.org.

Thank you! We appreciate the generosity of our parishioners and friends who support the 4th Sunday collection for the continued restoration of our Church, Chapel and Rectory. The donations totaled \$2,820.33 as follows: 5pm \$371.58; 7am \$430.50; 9:15am \$400.00; 11:00am \$332.25; 12:30pm \$296.00; \$755.00 from automatic contributions and \$235.00 received directly at the parish office.



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