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**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  
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with the Pastor.

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## MEDITATION

November 27, 2022

The First Sunday of Advent

*Come, let us walk in the light of the Lord! (Isaiah 2:5)*

Welcome to Advent! All of us here at *The Word Among Us* pray that you will be deeply blessed during this season as you prepare for the coming of Christ. And what better way to begin this season than with the invitation in today's first reading: "Come, let us walk in the light of the Lord!" (Isaiah 2:5).

At Mass today, the first candle on the Advent wreath will be lit. Then, for the next three Sundays, the light coming from that wreath will grow stronger as one more candle is lit. And that's how Advent is supposed to be for us spiritually: four whole weeks of coming more and more deeply into the light of Christ. There are lots of ways you can let that light grow stronger in you as Christmas approaches.

- Bring yourself to the light through daily prayer. Spending just a few minutes a day in Jesus' presence can open your heart to the warmth of his love.
- Enlighten your heart and mind through spiritual reading or a Bible study. Let Jesus "instruct [you] in his ways" so that you can "walk in his paths" (Isaiah 2:3).
- Ask the Lord to shine a light on those parts of your life where you are content to live in the shadows. Then, take those areas to the Sacrament of Reconciliation and do as St. Paul says: turn from darkness and "put on the armor of light" (Romans 13:12).
- Spread the light of Christ by joining other believers to serve those in need. Provide them with meals or Christmas gifts. Bring supplies to a homeless shelter. Pray for them.

We don't have to walk in darkness! Every time you turn to the Lord in these ways, his light in you becomes brighter and shines out more clearly. So let the Advent wreath remind you that Jesus, the light of the world, can overcome all darkness.

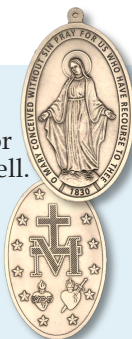
Come and walk in the light of the Lord!

*"Lord, let your light in me grow throughout Advent!"*

Psalm 122:1-9 Romans 13:11-14 Matthew 24:37-44

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**November 28 the Feast of St. Catherine (Zoe) Labouré (1806-1876)** In 2004, a bell in the Carillon (South Tower facing west) was dedicated to St. Catherine; a gift in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary from Mary Catherine Bakewell. In the main church, the Mary Altar statue of Our Lady of Grace memorializes the Miraculous Medal. "As I was busy contemplating Her, the Blessed Virgin fixed Her eyes upon me, and a voice said in the depths of my heart: 'This globe which you see represents the whole world, especially France, and each person in particular.' There now formed around the Blessed Virgin a frame rather oval in shape on which were



## TODAY'S MUSIC

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

*O'Come, O'Come, Emmanuel* 182

### KYRIE 30

### GLORIA 31

### OFFERTORY HYMN:

*Gift of Finest Wheat* 305

*Sanctus* No. 32

*Memorial Acclamation C* No. 35

*Lamb of God* No. 36

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Father, I pray that they may be one as we are also one  
(Cf. Jn 17: 22)

### RECESSIONAL HYMN:

*Immaculate Mary* 331

## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, November 28

Isaiah 4:2-6; Psalm 122:1-9; Matthew 8:5-11

Tuesday, November 29

Sirach 44:1,10-15; Psalm 24:1-6; Mark 10:17-21

Wednesday, November 30

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

Thursday December 1

Isaiah 26:1-6; Psalm 118:1,8-9,19-21,25-27;

Matthew 7:21,24-27

Friday, December 2

Isaiah 29:17-24; Psalm 27:1,4,13-14; Matthew 9:27-31

Saturday, December 3

Isaiah 30:19-21,23-26; Psalm 147:1-6;

Matthew 9:35-10:1,5,6-8

Sunday, December 4

Isaiah 11:1-10; Psalm 72:1-2,7-8,12-13,17; Romans 15:4-9;

Matthew 24:37-44

**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](mailto: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, Monty Denniston, Shirley Dufresne, Greg Ennis, Linda Flury, Mary and Marty Graner, Anne Hallgren, Mia Hasouris, Margaret Ann and Mary Ellen Hennen, Mark Hennen, Austin Hogan, Patty Huiras, Gloria Iverson, Barb Kline, John D. Lamey, Bonida Lanford, Caroline Lanford, Lowell, Jennifer McMaster, Tom Miller, Tom Mogren, Tim Mullaney, Ruth Murray, Gretchen Naegeli, Tom Nutter, Karen Olson, Zachary Redland, Tamera Schwartz, Mamie Singleton, Cindy Speltz, Robert Tereau, Allyson Tracy, Robert VanGuilder, Jr, Brian Walstad, Patty Wirth, and Justin Woessner.

written in letters of gold these words: 'O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to Thee.' Then a voice said to me: 'Have a medal struck upon this model. All those who wear it, when it is blessed, will receive great graces especially if they wear it round the neck. Those who repeat this prayer with devotion will be in a special manner under the protection of the Mother of God. Graces will be abundantly bestowed upon those who have confidence.'

The brass invocation plaque for the B.V.M. Shrine was restored in 1991 as a memorial to Delma Lucy Plante Vander Heyden a former student of our parish school and in honor of her husband William Frank Vander Heyden. (+1993).



## RING OUT, O BELLS ...

DATE	REQUEST FOR	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
November 28	Mark Lindberg	Happy Birthday (November 30th)	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
November 29	Kate Dripps	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
November 30	†John Nasseff and Helene Houle	Wedding Anniversary	Jacqueline and Brian Krech
December 1	Corey Pederson	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg

**OPEN BELL DATES:** The following dates are still open in December for anyone wishing to have the bells rung in memory or in honor of a loved one. December 4th-8th, 13th-14th, 16th-18th, 22nd-24th, 28th-31st. Please call the rectory during office hours to make arrangements.

### Mass Intentions

#### Monday, November 28

6:45 Parishioners' Personal Intentions  
12:10 †Bishop (Emeritus), Malcolm Galt, CSSP

#### Tuesday, November 29

6:45 †Jimmy Leary  
12:10 Rick and Ann Endris

#### Wednesday November 30 *St. Andrew, Apostle, Bl Miguel Agustin Pro*

6:45 †Penny Fries  
12:10 Carol Cunningham

#### Thursday, December 1

6:45 †Lois Leary  
12:10 Rick and Ann Endris

#### Friday, December 2

6:45 Jason Doyle  
12:10 Katie Dufner

#### Saturday, December 3 *St. Francis Xavier*

6:45 The Poor Souls in Purgatory  
5:00 Tim Mullaney

#### Sunday, December 4 *The Second Sunday of Advent*

7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners and Friends  
of St. Louis Church  
9:15 †Shirley Yunker  
11:00 Peace and Justice  
12:30 Victims of Human Trafficking

### PARISH CALENDAR

**Coffee & Donuts** The Second Sunday of each month  
**Miraculous Medal Novena** Every Monday beginning at noon  
**Rosary Recited** Nov. 28th, 29th, Dec. 1st, 2nd at 11:35am  
**Advisory Board Meeting** Monday, November 28, 2022  
**Eucharistic Exposition** Wednesday, Nov. 30th 11am-12 noon  
**Anointing of the Sick** The First Monday of the month after the  
6:45am and 12:10pm Masses.  
**Lunchtime Organ Recital** Tuesday, December 6th following  
the 12:10 Mass.

#### Next Organ Recital Tuesday, December 6, 2022

St. Louis Church's renowned Organ Concerts this year continue on Tuesdays following our 12:10 Mass. The December 6th concert recitalist is Raymond Johnston, a Canon Musician at St. Mark's Cathedral, in Minneapolis, Minnesota. For a complete schedule of concert information, see our website at [stlouiskingoffrance.org](http://stlouiskingoffrance.org).

**Mass and Bell Book Opens December 1st. for 2023 Intentions**  
There are still open dates for Masses and Bell Ringing Intentions for 2022, however for those wishing to secure dates for 2023 the Mass and Bell books will be open on December 1st.

The best way to submit a Mass request for this year or next is to fill out 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 the parish office to schedule Bell Ringing. The suggested stipend for a Mass is \$10 and \$25 for Bells.

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#### Join Us For Our Annual Bake Sale December 3rd and 4th After All The Masses.

Please bring your bake sale items to the Parish Hall Friday December 2 from 1-3pm and Saturday December 3rd between 3-5pm. Please have all items covered and priced before you drop them off. If you are available to help with the bake sale please call Mark in the parish office and let him know. **All proceeds will be donated to Joseph's Coat.**

#### Restoration and Maintenance Collection This Weekend

Thanks to all of you who help out our efforts to keep St. Louis Church one of the most beautiful churches in the Archdiocese. This weekend we will have our fourth Sunday of the month second collection for the ongoing maintenance, restoration and repair of the parish buildings both inside and out.

#### Archbishop Hebda's Pastoral Letter

Please consider taking some time to read Archbishop Hebda's Pastoral Letter *You Will Be My Witnesses*. Archbishop Hebda reflects on our Synod journey outlining a plan for the next three years aimed at helping us to be vibrant witnesses to all that Jesus has lovingly done for you. Our hope is that a prayerful reading of the Pastoral Letter might increase your desire to labor alongside Jesus. You can read Archbishop Hebda's Pastoral Letter by going online to [archspm.org/synodletter](http://archspm.org/synodletter).

#### Cor Jesu Friday, Dec. 2, 8 p.m.

#### St. Mary's Chapel at The Saint Paul Seminary, St. Paul

Eucharistic adoration, confession, prayer ministry, praise and worship music and fellowship with young adults, college-age and older. Deacon Joseph Michalak will preside. Parking is waived on South Campus surface lots at the University of St. Thomas. For more information, call the Office of Vocations at 651-962-6890 or see the link below.

#### Catholic Charities Giving Tree at Mall of America

December 17-18, Mall of America, Bloomington. For 30 years, the Giving Tree has brought people together during Advent to ensure their neighbors have access to essential items as they receive supportive services from Catholic Charities. Visitors can shop for someone in need, participate in a quick volunteer activity, and learn a little bit about Catholic Charities.

#### Advent Lessons and Carols

Saturday, December 10, 7 p.m., Holy Cross Church, Minneapolis  
A Lessons & Carols service is musical celebration combining seasonal carols, choral music, and Scripture readings. Though the tradition is English in its origins, Holy Cross observance of it has a delightfully Polish flare, featuring beloved kolędy and even a couple of readings in Polish! This program features choral music by Palestrina, Wood, Manz, Goldschmidt, Carter, as well the premiere of a new carol by Holy Cross Director of Music, Samuel Backman. Free and open to the public.

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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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