



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, August 10, 2025

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Provide . . . for yourselves . . . an inexhaustible treasure in heaven. (Luke 12:33)

Jesus makes big promises in today's Gospel! First, he tells his disciples not to be afraid. "Your Father is pleased to give you the kingdom" (Luke 12:32). Then he says they can also expect "an inexhaustible treasure in heaven that no thief can reach nor moth can destroy" (12:33)! There's just one condition: "Sell your belongings and give alms" (12:33). That's a tall order!

Jesus is not speaking metaphorically here. Just as he asks us to trust God to provide all that *we* need (Luke 12:31), he also expects us to be generous with what he gives us. So, what might that kind of generosity look like?

First, it's important to ask the Spirit to remind you of times when you have *already been* a generous disciple. Think back to the ways you have given in the past—your money, your time, a listening ear, a willingness to help, even giving up your own preferences for the sake of another. Remember, too, the peace and joy you experienced by giving. In each instance, God saw how attentive you were to the needs of those around you. He saw how you valued him above other things. And he filled you with his grace in response.

Then ask the Lord, "Are there possessions you would like me to sell so that I can donate a little bit more? Or, "Are you asking me to give a little more of my income to charity?" You may sense him leading you to spend a little more time with a lonely neighbor or helping out in your parish.

Lastly, consider any "belongings" that God may be inviting you to surrender to him: a hope for the future, perhaps, or even a prayer request that has gone unanswered. Perhaps it's your concern over your image or reputation in other people's eyes. Know that, whatever you give, God will reward you with "an inexhaustible treasure," both now and in eternity.

"Jesus, you are my treasure!"

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Monday, August 11, is the **Feast of St. Clare of Assisi**, a disciple of St. Francis. She founded the Poor Clares, whose first convent she directed as abbess for forty-two years. She led an austere life, rich in the practice of charity and loving care.

Tuesday, August 12, is the Feast of **St. Jane Frances de Chantal**. As a widow, with St. Francis de Sales as her spiritual director, she founded the Visitation Nuns and established some eighty-five monasteries before her death.

POPE LEO'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST

For mutual coexistence

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons.

TODAY'S MUSIC

PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

O God, Our Help in Ages Past #243

Kyrie #1

Gloria #5

OFFERTORY HYMN:

One Bread, One Body #290

Sanctus #16

Agnus Dei #30

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The bread that I will give, says the Lord, is my flesh for the life of the world

RECESSIONAL HYMN:

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee #269

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, August 11

Deuteronomy 10:12-22

Psalm 147:12-15, 19-20

Matthew 17:22-27

Tuesday, August 12

Deuteronomy 31:1-8

Psalm (Dt.) 32:3-4b, 7-9, 12

Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday, August 13

Deuteronomy 34:1-12

Psalm 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17

Matthew 18:15-20

Thursday, August 14

Joshua 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17

Psalm 114:1-6

Matthew 18:21—19:1

Friday, August 15

Revelation 11:19a, 10ab

Psalm 45:10bc, 11-12ab, 16

1 Corinthians 15:20-27

Luke 1:39-56

Saturday, August 16

Joshua 24:14-29

Psalm 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 11

Matthew 19:13-15

Sunday, August 17

Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10

Psalm 40:2-4, 18

Hebrews 12:1-4

Luke 12:49-53

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, Odellia 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, Gloria Iverson, 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 Rivera, Jaxson Rivera, 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
August 16	Jack Henry Dudley	Happy Birthday	Helene Houle
OPEN BELL DATES: The following dates are open in August for anyone wishing to have the bells rung in memory or in honor of a loved one: 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 19, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 31. Please call the rectory during office hours to make arrangements . Some dates listed as open may not be available due to the normal lag in printing time.			

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 11 *Saint Clare of Assisi*
 6:45 †John and †Claire Lagowski
 12:10 †Maggie Miguel-Polydore

Tuesday, August 12 *Saint Jane Frances de Chantal*
 6:45 †Mark Johnson
 12:10 Tom Hurley

Wednesday, August 13 *Saints Pontian and Hippolytus*
 6:45 †Aurora R. Bugarin
 12:10 Stephen Lauinger

Thursday, August 14 *Saint Maximilian Kolbe*
 6:45 †Don Sowada
 12:10 Fr. Roland Lajoie, S.M.

Friday, August 15 *The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
 6:45 †Dennis Johnson
 12:10 Shelley Hoffman
 5:15 †Arlene Germscheid

Saturday, August 16 *Saint Stephen of Hungary*
 6:45 †Mary C. Katynski
 5:00 †David Graff

Sunday, August 17 *Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time*
 7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners
 of Saint Louis Church
 10:00 Rosemary Bucy
 12:30 Thomas Gustafson

PARISH CALENDAR

August 10..... Coffee and Doughnuts 7:00 and 10:00 AM Masses
 August 11Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
 August 11 Novena Miraculous Medal 12:00 PM
 August 12Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
 August 12 Synod Book Club 6:30 PM
 August 13.....Eucharistic Adoration 11:00 AM -12:00 PM
 August 14.....Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
 August 15.....Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
 August 24.....Parish Picnic 12:00 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.



Wedding Banns

SECOND ANNOUNCEMENT
 Ann Schueppert and Jack Gilligan

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

Friday, August 15 is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be at 6:45 AM and 12:10 and 5:15 PM. All Masses will be in the main church. There are no scheduled confessions on the Holy Day.

PARISH PICNIC AUGUST 24

The parish picnic is fast approaching. This year's picnic will be on Sunday, August 24th at Cherokee Park starting at 12:00 PM. Tickets are on sale after all Masses this weekend. A single ticket will be \$20.00 and \$50.00 for a family. Donations for door prizes are most welcomed. Volunteers are needed and appreciated to sell tickets after one of the Masses or to help out during the picnic itself. If you can donate a door prize or can volunteer to help sell tickets or help out at the picnic, please call Kathy at the parish office: 651-224-3379 or email omannstlouis@gmail.com.

COFFEE AND DOUGHNUTS SUNDAY

Coffee and Doughnuts Sunday is this weekend after the 7:00 and 10:00 AM Masses in the parish hall. Everyone is welcome for some refreshment and fellowship. This is a good time to get to know your fellow parishioners and make new friendships.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

There will a second collection this weekend for the Maintenance Fund. This fund is used for the maintenance and repairs for the church, chapel, rectory and parish hall. Your continued generosity and support is greatly appreciated.

SYNOD BOOK CLUB GROUP

The Synod Book Club Group will be meeting on Tuesday, August 12 from 6:30 until 7:30 PM in the parish hall. The group will discuss the book "Therese: A Life of Therese of Lisieux" by Dorothy Day. Everyone is welcome to attend.

THE FATHER PAUL F. MORRISSEY IN MEMORY OF JOHN NASSEFF ENDOWMENT FUND

The amount in the Endowment Fund as of June 30, 2025, is \$1,024,442.52. Now that the goal of one million dollars has been reached, any contribution placed in an Endowment Fund envelope will be considered a contribution for general operating expenses. Going forward, there will be no second collection for the Endowment Fund and there will not be any Endowment Fund envelopes in your envelope packets next year. A most hearty thank you to all of our parishioners and friends and visitors who have contributed to the Endowment Fund. It truly is a significant accomplishment.

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.

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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*

Please consider sharing your gifts as a Lector or Eucharistic Minister.

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