



# 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 one year.  
Contact the Parish Office for a meeting  
with the Pastor.

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# MEDITATION

May 12, 2024

The Ascension of the Lord

... far above every principality, authority, power, and dominion. (Ephesians 1:21)

As we celebrate the Ascension of the Lord, let's heed the words of St. Augustine: "Today our Lord Jesus Christ ascended into heaven; let our hearts ascend with him" (*Sermon on the Ascension*, 1). So let's lift our hearts and let Jesus give us a glimpse of all that he has accomplished by his ascension to heaven. Let's praise him for his heavenly glory!

"Jesus, you are seated at the Father's right hand (Ephesians 1:20)! As the eternal Son of God, you have glory beyond my wildest imagination. Angels bow before you and sing your praises. Let my voice be one with theirs as I proclaim your praises today!

"When you ascended, Jesus, you gave us access to the Father's house. Now I can have confidence that where you have gone, I can also follow—not just in spirit, but as you did, in bodily form. I praise you, Lord, because your ascension shows me that I can have hope of the resurrection of my own body.

"In your heavenly splendor, Jesus, you continue to love me and give yourself for me. Now I know that you are the eternal high priest. Your glorified body still bears the marks of your crucifixion, and your sacrifice never ceases to bring glory to your Father. Thank you, Jesus, that you are always interceding for me, for my loved ones, and for all people everywhere.

"Jesus, your dominion and glory and heavenly kingdom will never end. You have been enthroned, and all of creation has been placed beneath your feet. Now I can look to you in hope, trusting your power to act. Glory to you, Lord Jesus, who fill all things in every way (Ephesians 1:23)!"

"Jesus, I lift my heart to you, to worship you and praise your heavenly glory!"

Acts 1:1-11 Psalm 47:2-3, 6-9 Mark 16:15-20

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*Maddy Schweiger*  
petite couronneuse

*May Crowning*  
of the  
*Blessed Virgin Mary*



## TODAY'S MUSIC

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN:**  
*Alleluia! Sing to Jesus 233*

Kyrie No 1

**OFFERTORY HYMN:**  
*Where Charity and Love Prevail 299*

Sanctus No. 16  
Memorial Acclamation

Agnus Dei No. 30

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON**  
Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, your will be done.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN:**  
*Hail, Holy Queen Enthroned Above 383*

## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, May 13

Acts 19:1-8; Psalm 68:2-7; John 16:29-33

Tuesday, May 14

Acts 1:15-17,20-26; Psalm 113:1-8; John 15:9-17

Wednesday, May 15

Acts 20:28-38; Psalm 68:29-30,33-36; John 17:11-19

Thursday, May 16

Acts 22:30;23:6-11; Psalm 16:1-2,5,7-11; John 17:20-26

Friday, May 17

Acts 25:13-21; Psalm 103:1-2,11-12,19-20; John 21:15-19

Saturday, May 18

Acts 2:44-47; Psalm 131:1-3; Luke 12:22-31

Sunday, May 19

Acts 2:1-11; Psalm 104:1,24,29-31,34;  
1 Corinthians 12:3-7,12-13; John 20:19-23

**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, Odella Conlon, Monty Denniston, Jenny Dufner, Elzbieta, Greg Ennis, Dorothy Ernster, Eileen Fahrenkrug, 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, John D. Lamey, Bonida Lanford, Caroline Lanford, Steve Launiger, Lowell, Jennifer McMaster, Tom Miller, Shirley Milliman, Tim Mullaney, Ruth Murray, Gretchen Naegeli, Tom Nutter, Joe Oden, Karen Olson, Zachary Redland, Jacob and Jaxson Rivera, John Schleck, Mamie Singleton, Maureen Sullivan, Robert Tereau, Bob Tesch, Allyson Tracy, Robert VanGuilder, Jr, Michael Virnig, Brian Walstad, Jennifer Washington, Patty Wirth, and Justin Woessner.



## RING OUT, O BELLS...

DATE	REQUEST FOR	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
May 13	Melissa and BenMichels	Happy Anniversary (May 14)	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
May 14	Kellen Lindberg	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg
May 18	Tom Walrath	Happy Birthday	Nancy and Bruce Lindberg

**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. May 15th-17th, 19th-23rd, 25th-26th, June 3rd-4th, 6th, 11th, 13th-14th, 16th, 19th-24th, 26th-30th. 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, May 13 *Our Lady of Fatima***

6:45 Mother's Day Novena

12:10 Mother's Day Novena

**Tuesday, May 14 *St. Mathias***

6:45 Mother's Day Novena

12:10 Mother's Day Novena

**Wednesday, May 15 *St. Isidore***

6:45 Mother's Day Novena

12:10. Mother's Day Novena

**Thursday, May 16**

6:45 Mother's Day Novena

12:10 Mother's Day Novena

**Friday, May 17**

6:45 Mother's Day Novena

12:10 Mother's Day Novena

**Saturday, May 18 *St. John I, Pope***

6:45 Mother's Day Novena

5:00 Mother's Day Novena

**Sunday, May 19 *Pentecost Sunday***

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

9:15 The Mother's Day Novena

11:00 The Mother's Day Novena

12:30 The Mother's Day Novena

### Parish Calendar

<b>Coffee &amp; Donuts</b>	Moved to May 26th
<b>Miraculous Medal Novena</b>	Every Monday beginning at noon
<b>Rosary Recited</b>	May 13th, 14th, 16th, & 17th at 11:35am
<b>Eucharistic Exposition</b>	Wednesday May 15th, 11am-12pm
<b>Anointing of the Sick</b>	The first Monday of the month after the 6:45am and 12:10pm Masses.
<b>Lunchtime Organ Recital</b>	Tuesday, May 14th, following the 12:10 Mass.

**Organ Recital Tuesday, May 14th, 2024**

St. Louis Church's renowned Organ Concerts continue on Tuesdays following our 12:10 Mass. The May 14th concert recitalist is Kathrine Handford. Kathrine is the Director of Music and Organist at the Church of St. Mark in St. Paul Minnesota. She is also University Organist and Instructor of Organ at Concordia University in St. Paul, Minnesota.

**Masses and Bells**

Those wishing to secure dates in 2024 for Masses or Bells should submit 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 or email* the parish office to schedule Bell Ringing. The suggested stipend for a Mass is \$10 and \$25 for Bells.

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**Parish Employment Opportunity**

St. Louis Church is looking for a fulltime office manager with benefits to assist the pastor in the daily tasks of parish administration. If you or someone you know would be interested in this position and wish to know more about the job, please call the parish office at 651-224-3379.

**Mother's Day Novena**

St. Louis will begin its Mother's Day Novena on Sunday, May 12th and will continue through Monday, May 20th. Cards and envelopes to honor mothers both living and deceased are in the vestibule of the church and can be dropped in any collection basket.

**Are You Graduating This Year?**

We are compiling a list to honor those who will graduate this year from elementary, high school, college or graduate school. Please send your name, a photo and the school from which you are graduating. If you are graduating from college, what field your degree is in and what is next for you? The quickest way would be to send an email with a photo and text to Mark at [markmstlouis@comcast.net](mailto:markmstlouis@comcast.net) or you may send it regular mail. Thank you for your help. The deadline is June 3rd.

**Ordination to the Priesthood**

Saturday, May 25, 10-11:30 a.m., Cathedral of St. Paul. All are welcome to attend the Presbyteral Ordination at the Cathedral of St. Paul. Thirteen Theology IV seminarians from the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis are scheduled to be ordained to the Priesthood of Jesus Christ! With a special congratulations to our very own Frankie Floeder. For more information, go to [10000vocations.org/ordinations](http://10000vocations.org/ordinations)

**The Synod Book Club**

The St. Louis book club is meeting on Tuesday, May 14 from 6:30 - 7:30pm. in the parish social hall to discuss Evelyn Waugh's *Brideshead Revisited* and the Catholic themes in the English novel. Please join us if interested that evening.

**West Fest on 7th**

On Saturday June 8th the West Seventh Neighborhood hosted by St. Stan's Catholic Church will celebrate people, places and history from 2pm to 9pm with Mass at 4pm celebrated by Archbishop Hebda. For more information go to [westfeston7th.com](http://westfeston7th.com).



## 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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