



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, May 25, 2025

Sixth Sunday of Easter

I have told you this . . . (John 14:25)

Grief, fear, and anxiety. What a range of emotions the disciples must have felt as they listened to Jesus' final words before his arrest and crucifixion! And yet in today's Gospel, Jesus is also making a number of promises that surely sustained them in the days and years ahead. Amazingly, these same promises are also meant for us.

Whoever loves me will keep my word . . . and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him (John 14:23). Jesus will be put to death, rise, and then ascend to heaven, but he is still present to us. When we follow him, he promises not just to accompany us but to live *in us!* He is as close to us as we are to ourselves.

The Advocate, the Holy Spirit, . . . will teach you everything (John 14:26). Jesus taught his followers many things that the Gospels record, but he wants to continue speaking to *our* minds and hearts. That's why he sent us the Holy Spirit. He will lead us and guide us in every situation we face.

My peace I give to you (John 14:27). After Jesus' ascension, the disciples will face persecution and even martyrdom. But despite these trials, Jesus' peace will remain with them. They will know a wholeness and tranquility that can only come from the Lord. This is the gift to us as well.

How have you seen these promises fulfilled in your walk with the Lord? Think of all the times you have felt his presence in your heart. Recall when the Holy Spirit helped you understand more about the Lord or guided you in a specific way. Remember how God's peace descended on you in a hectic or difficult time.

God always fulfills his promises. So wherever you find yourself today, believe what Jesus has "told you" (John 14:25, 29). Then look for how he is working in your life, just as he said he would!

"Jesus, help me to trust in your promises!"

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PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

For those who are facing persecution for their faith, may the Holy Spirit grant them the gifts of courage and fortitude; let us pray to the Lord.

POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfillment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized.

TODAY'S MUSIC

PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

For the Healing of the Nations #303

Kyrie #1

Gloria #5

Sequence #228

OFFERTORY HYMN:

I Am the Bread of Life #335

Sanctus #16

Agnus Dei #30

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord, and I will ask the Father and he will send you another Paraclete, to abide with you forever, alleluia.

RECESSIONAL HYMN:

Sing with All the Saints in Glory #309

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, May 26

Acts 16: 11-15
Psalm 149:1b-6a, 9b
John 15:26—16:4a

Tuesday, May 27

Acts 16:22-34
Psalm 138:1-3, 7c-8
John 16:5-11

Wednesday, May 28

Acts 17:15, 22-18:1
Psalm 148:1-2, 11-14
John 16:12-15

Thursday, May 29

Acts 18:1-8
Psalm 98:1-4
John 16:16-20

Friday, May 30

Acts 18:9-18
Psalm 47:2-7
John 16:20-23

Saturday, May 31

Zephaniah 3:14-18a
Psalm: Isaiah 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6
Luke 1:39-56

Sunday, June 1

Acts 1:1-11
Psalm 47:2-3, 6-9
Ephesians 1:17-23
Luke 24:46-53

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, Odella 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, 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 Revera, Jaxson Rivera, John Schleck, Mamie Singleton, Lana Sloan, 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
May 28	Barb Juelich	Happy Birthday	Helene Houle
May 31	John Thode	Happy Birthday	Helene Houle
June 1	†John T. Finley	Anniversary of Death	Jackie Finley

OPEN BELL DATES: The following dates are open in May and June for anyone wishing to have the bells rung in memory or in honor of a loved one: May 26, 27, 29, 30; June 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29 and 30. 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, May 26 *Saint Philip Neri*
 6:45 †Franklin Barrett
 12:10 †Robert Hofer
- Tuesday, May 27 *Saint Augustine of Canterbury*
 6:45 †Herbert Kieffer
 12:10 †Sr. Marie Antoinette Chouinard, CSJ
- Wednesday, May 28 *Easter Weekday*
 6:45 Julie Hurley
 12:10 †Sr. Jane Fischer, SSND
- Thursday, May 29 *Saint Paul VI*
 6:45 Thomas Gustafson
 12:10 Fr. John Sajdak, SM
- Friday, May 30 *Easter Weekday*
 6:45 Stehen Lauinger
 12:10 †Stephen 'Fritz' Eckman
- Saturday, May 31 *The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
 6:45 †Rose Mary Satack
 5:00 †David Graff
- Sunday, June 1 *Seventh Sunday of Easter*
 7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners of Saint Louis Church
 10:00 †John Finley
 12:30 In Honor of Saint Joseph

Parish Calendar

- Weekend May 24-25 ...Endowment Collection All Masses
- May 26 Memorial Day – Parish Office Closed
- May 26 Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
- May 26 Miraculous Medal Novena 12:00 PM
- May 27 Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
- May 28 Eucharistic Adoration 11-12 PM
- May 29 Rosary Recited 11:40 AM
- May 30 Rosary Recited 11:40 AM

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.



SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

There is a second collection this weekend for the Father Paul F. Morrissey in Memory of John Nasseff Endowment Fund. As of April 30, 2025, the amount in the fund is \$969,758.14. Your continued generosity and support is very much appreciated.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Monday, May 26, 2025 is Memorial Day. The parish office will be closed. Masses will be at 6:45 AM and 12:10 PM. There will be no confessions on Memorial Day.

MEMORIAL DAY MASSES

On Monday, May 26, 2025, a Memorial Day Mass will take place at the following cemeteries: Calvary Cemetery, St. Paul; Gethsemane Cemetery, New Hope; Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota Heights, and St. Mary's Cemetery, Minneapolis. All are welcome to attend The Catholic Cemeteries' annual Memorial Day Mass. This year, the Mass at St. Mary's Cemetery in Minneapolis will be bilingual (Spanish and English).

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

The parish picnic is fast approaching. This year's picnic will be on Sunday, August 24th at Cherokee Park starting at 12:00 PM. Further details to come.

LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED

We are in need of more Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers for all masses. Training will be provided. If you are interested, please contact the parish office at 651-224-3379 or email the parish office at omannstlouis@gmail.com.

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? Send an email with a photo and text to Kathy at omannstlouis@gmail.com or you may sent it via the mail. The deadline is June 13, 2025. Many thanks.

A CELEBRATION OF ST. PHILIP NERI

The aspiring Lowertown Oratory at St. Mary's Church, 261 E. 9th Street, invites you to an evening of prayer, reflection, and celebration in the spirit of St. Philip Neri on Wednesday, May 28 from 4:00 PM to 9:00 PM. A Holy Hour and celebration of Mass will precede a catered dinner, with featured speakers, testimonies and conversation to follow. This evening is a wonderful opportunity for community connection, spiritual enrichment, and support for the Oratory. Infants are welcome. We look forward to your presence as we gather to celebrate St. Philip! Find more information and registration at donorbox.org/events/75420/steps/choose_tickets.

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.

Training and ongoing coaching is available to help you proclaim God's Word and/or distribute Holy Communion at our Little French Church.

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