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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, October 12, 2025

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### ***One of them . . . returned, glorifying God. (Luke 17:15)***

Jesus had healed ten people afflicted with leprosy, but only one of them returned to give him thanks. We might wonder why the others didn't come back. Maybe they couldn't connect the dots: God himself had healed them on their way. It seems that only this one person—a Samaritan—realized that he had been in the presence of the divine. And he didn't just say, "Thank you," either. He fell at Jesus' feet and worshipped God "in a loud voice" (Luke 17:15).

This can be a model for us. Our own gratitude can lead us to worship the One who has given us abundant life, both now and forever.

We can worship the Lord in many ways, but today let's imitate the Samaritan in today's Gospel:

*He glorified God in a loud voice (Luke 17:15).* You can worship the Lord in silent prayer, but giving praise to God out loud expresses your gratitude in a deliberate, concrete way. As your praise reaches the heavens, your heart will be lifted up as well. That's why the palmist write, "Bless our God, you peoples; loudly sound his praise" (66:8).

*He fell at the feet of Jesus (Luke 17:16).* Worship also involves our posture. That's why we stand and kneel at Mass. Maybe you like to pray in your favorite chair each morning. But occasionally, especially when you are offering praise and thanksgiving to the Lord, you might try standing, kneeling, or even lying prostrate on the floor. In all these ways, you are expressing your love and gratitude to the Lord with your body.

At Mass today, sing our your praise! Join the choir "*in a loud voice*" (Luke 17:15) and worship the Lord with all your heart. Kneel in adoration before the King of kings. Rejoice because the Lord says to you, as he did to the Samaritan, "*Your faith has saved you*" (17:19).

***Sing to the Lord a new song,  
for he has done wondrous deeds' (Psalm 98:1)***

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Wednesday, October 15 is the **Feast of Saint Teresa of Jesus**. Teresa of Avila was a Spanish mystic, who with Saint John of the Cross, founded the reformed (Discalced) Carmelite friars and nuns, for which she had to endure great trials. She authored *Way of Perfection*, *Interior Castle*, and an autobiography. She was the first woman declared "Doctor of the Church". She is the patroness of Spain.

### **POPE LEO'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER**

#### **For the collaboration between different religious traditions**

Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice and human fraternity.

### **TODAY'S MUSIC**

PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

*Amazing Grace #229*

Kyrie #1

Gloria #5

OFFERTORY HYMN:

*Now Thank We All Our God #227*

Sanctus #16

Agnus Dei #30

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

***When the Lord appears, we shall be like him,  
For we shall see him as he is.***

RECESSIONAL HYMN:

*Go to the World! #358*

### **SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

#### **Monday, October 13**

Romans 1:1-7

Psalm 98:1b-4

Luke 11:29-32

#### **Tuesday, October 14**

Romans 1:16-25

Psalm 19:2-5

Luke 11:29-32

#### **Wednesday, October 15**

Romans 2:1-11

Psalm 62\_2-3, 6-7,9

Luke 11:42-46

#### **Thursday, October 16**

Romans 3:21-30

Psalm 130: 1b-6b

Luke 11:47-54

#### **Friday, October 17**

Romans 4:1-8

Psalm 32:1b-2, 5, 11

Luke 12:1-7

#### **Saturday, October 18**

2 Timothy 4:10-17b

Psalm 145:10-13ab, 17-18

Luke 10:1-9

#### **Sunday, October 19**

Exodus 17:8-13

Psalm 121:1-8

2 Timothy 3:14—4:2

Luke 18:1-8

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](mailto: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, Margie Atkinson, Mary Atkinson, Laris Berggren, Mike Campion, Odelia 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 Lauinger, 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, 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 . . . .**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>REQUEST FOR</b>	<b>INTENTION</b>	<b>REQUESTED BY</b>
October 17	†Raymond and †Laura Houle	Wedding Anniversary Memorial	Helene Houle

**OPEN BELL DATES:** The following dates are open in October for anyone wishing to have the bells rung in memory or in honor of a loved one: 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 30 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, October 13  
 6:45 Stephen Lauinger  
 12:10 †Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus

Tuesday, October 14 *Saint Callistus I*  
 6:45 Madison and Mercedes Gohl  
 12:10 Fr. Roland Lajoie, SM

Wednesday, October 15 *Saint Teresa of Jesus*  
 6:45 †Ed Letendre  
 12:10 †Dennis Johnson

Thursday, October 16 *Saint Hedwig*  
*Saint Margaret May Alacoque*  
 6:45 †Mary C. Katynski  
 12:10 Peggy Anfang

Friday, October 17 *Saint Ignatius of Antioch*  
 6:45 †Jimmy Leary  
 12:10 Patrick Abarno

Saturday, October 18 *Saint Luke the Evangelist*  
 6:45 †James Patrick Dougherty  
 5:00 †David Graff

Sunday, October 19 *Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 7:00 Living and Deceased Parishioners  
 of Saint Louis Church  
 10:00 †Liliane Schultz  
 12:30 †Tom Kline

**PARISH CALENDAR**

October 11-12..... Fuel and Heat Collection All Masses  
 October 12..... Coffee and Doughnut Sunday 7:00 and 10:00 AM  
 October 13..... Rosary Recited 11:40 AM  
 October 13..... Novena Miraculous Medal 12:00 PM  
 October 14..... Rosary Recited 11:40 AM  
 October 14..... Lunchtime Organ Recital 12:35 PM  
 October 14..... Synod Book Club 6:30 PM  
 October 15..... Eucharistic Adoration 11-12 PM  
 October 16..... Rosary Recited 11:40 AM  
 October 17..... Rosary Recited 11:40 AM  
 October 18-19..... World Mission Sunday  
 October 20..... Synod Scripture Group 6:30 PM

**MASS INTENTIONS**

We ask that for any Mass Intention that you kindly fill out the envelope in its entirety, and 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.



**TUESDAY LUNCHTIME CONCERT**

This Tuesday, October 14, the Tuesday Lunchtime Concert Series features Nils C. Halker, II. Nils is the Parish Organist for St. Clement's Episcopal Church, Saint Paul, MN.

**COFFEE AND DOUGHNUTS SUNDAY**

This Sunday, Coffee and Doughnuts will be served in the parish hall after the 7:00 AM and 10:00 AM Masses. Please join us for some fellowship and refreshment.

**FUEL AND HEAT COLLECTION**

This weekend, there will be a second collection for Fuel and Heat Fund. As winter approaches, our electric bills will increase. Your continued Generosity and support is greatly appreciated.

**SYNOD BOOK CLUB**

The St. Louis Synod Book Club will be meeting on Tuesday, October 14 from 6:30 PM until 7:30 PM in the parish hall. The group will be discussing the book *The Diary of a Country Priest* by Georges Bemanos. The group will also discuss upcoming book selections. New members are always welcome. Come and join us.

**SYNOD SCRIPTURE GROUP**

The Synod Scripture Group will meet on Monday, October 20 in the parish hall from 6:30 PM until 7:30 PM. every month. For the next six meetings, the group will discuss Bishop Robert Barron's Series: CONVERSION: Following the Call of Christ, illustrated by six biblical stories:

- Bartimaeus
- The Rich Young Man
- Matthew
- Jonah
- The Woman at the Well
- The Journey of the Magi

It is a great opportunity to meet and develop friendships with fellow parishioners while participating in discussions on scripture.

It is also a faith-filled experience. Everyone is invited to join the group.

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY NEXT WEEKEND**

The theme of World Mission Sunday this year is –Missionaries of Hope Among the Peoples—was chosen by Pope Francis before his death and is obviously tied to the Jubilee of Hope. That hope is the lived reality of priests, sisters, and lay faithful who are bringing the light of Christ into places darkened by suffering, war, poverty and other existential difficulties. That hope is also a call addressed to us as shepherds, to renew in our people the fire of missionary love as together we seek to bring Christ, our Hope, to the ends of the earth.

Envelopes are located at the back of the church. You can drop them in the collection basket or mail your contribution to the parish office.

**ICE CREAM SOCIAL**

There will be an ice cream social on Sunday, October 12 after the 8 and 10 AM Masses and 12 PM Mass at the Cathedral of St. Paul celebrating the 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis. All are welcome.

## 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*

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