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THE ORATORY OF SAINTS

GREGORY & AUGUSTINE

MASS

Sunday: 6:30, 8:00 & 11:30am
Monday & Friday: 12:15pm
Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00am
Wednesday: 6:30pm
First Friday: 7:15pm
First Saturday: 8:15am

ADORATION

Wednesday: 5:00 - 6:00pm
First Friday: 1:00 - 6:00pm

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CONFESSION

Monday & Friday: 11am - 12pm
Wednesday: 5:00 - 6:00pm
First Friday: 6:00 - 7:00pm
First Saturday: 7:00 - 8:00am

DIVINE OFFICE

Sunday Prime: 7:20am
Sunday Terce: 11:10am
Sunday Vespers: 4:30pm
Wednesday Compline: 7:15pm

Welcome to the Oratory of Saints Gregory and Augustine

The Oratory of Saints Gregory and Augustine is pleased to welcome you. We are an apostolate of the Archdiocese of Saint Louis faithful to the teachings of the Church and striving to grow as a family of faith through the celebration of the Traditional Latin Mass and other Sacraments.

In the First Book of *The Confessions*, the other great St. Augustine (of Hippo) wrote the following: “Thou hast made us for Thyself and our hearts are restless until they find rest in Thee.” Whether you are curious about the traditional Latin Mass and interested in exploring its beauty, searching for a parish community where you and your family will feel at home, or seeking rest for your heart, we hope that the Oratory of Saints Gregory and Augustine can provide that respite for you.

Our bulletin serves to provide information about the weekly activities occurring here at the Oratory. Along with our website (www.stlouislatinmass.com), the bulletin is your point of contact with the ever-increasing activities at the Oratory. I hope this will give you some sense of the grace of God, the love of Jesus Christ, and work of the Holy Spirit in our midst. I am delighted that God has brought you here! *Oremus pro invicem!*

—The Very Reverend Monsignor C. Eugene Morris, Rector

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MASS AND SACRAMENTS

Sunday Masses

- 6:30 am (Low Mass)
- 8:00 am (Low Mass)
- 11:30 am (High Mass)

Weekday Masses

- Monday & Friday: 12:15 pm
- Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00 am
- Wednesday: 6:30 pm
- First Friday: 7:15 pm
- First Saturday: 8:15 am

Confession

- Monday & Friday: 11:00 am – 12:00 pm
- Wednesday: 5:00 – 6:00 pm
- First Friday: 6:00 – 7:00 pm
- First Saturday: 7:00 – 8:00 am

Infant Baptism – Baptisms are normally scheduled on the 2nd and 3rd Saturdays of the month beginning at 10:00 am. Families expecting newborns and anticipating that they will be baptized here at the Oratory should schedule their baptism at the earliest convenience by contacting the Oratory office.

Adult Baptism – If you are interested in becoming Catholic or an adult Catholic not yet confirmed, please contact the Oratory office for more information about adult catechesis.

Matrimony – Please contact the Oratory office at least six months prior to the desired date for the rite of marriage. The date is reserved after consultation and confirmation from the Rector of the Oratory.

Extreme Unction/Visitation of the Sick – Contact the Oratory to arrange the sacrament either at home or in the hospital.

STAFF

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FROM THE RECTOR

Gaudete in Domino semper: iterum dico, Gaudete! Rejoice always in the Lord; I say again, Rejoice! This is the opening verse of the Introit for Holy Mass on this Third Sunday of Advent, traditionally known as Gaudete Sunday. We are exhorted to rejoice because our King will soon be with us. At the coming of Our Lord there should be great rejoicing with hearts full of joy and peace. It is hoped that we have used these days of the Advent season to properly prepare ourselves for the presence of the Incarnate Word among us. Through Her wisdom, Holy Mother the Church provides us this opportunity to make manifest our joy, but also to continue to prepare ourselves for His coming. Today we encounter the great prophet, St. John the Baptist. Through his exhortation to penance, his example of profound humility and his awareness of the Lord's presence, St. John the Baptist continues to assist us in being prepared for the coming of the Just Judge. Let us pay heed to his exhortation to remove sin from our lives to better receive the light of Christ. Moreover, through growth in the virtue of humility, let us pray for the strength to be the herald's voice crying out in the wilderness. The world is in desperate need for more St. John the Baptists to preach the truth. Through Our Blessed Mother, our constant companion in Advent, let us ask for the grace needed to open our hearts to the Lord and to rejoice in Him always.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sunday, 11 December: Coffee Hour after 11:30 am Holy Mass (In school)
- Sunday, 11 December: Prime @ 7:20 am; Terce @ 11:10 am; and Vespers @ 4:30 pm
- Wednesday, 14 December: Holy Hour @ 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm; Compline @ 7:15 pm
- Saturday, 17 December: Decorate Church @ 10:00 am
- Sunday, 18 December: Coffee Hour after 8:00 am Holy Mass (in school)
- Sunday, 18 December: Prime @ 7:20 am; Terce @ 11:10 am; and Vespers @ 4:30 pm
- Monday, 19 December: Server Practice @ 4:15 pm
- Monday, 19 December: Troops of St. George @ 6:30 pm
- Wednesday, 21 December: Holy Hour @ 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm; Compline @ 7:15 pm
- Saturday, 24 December: Vigil of Christmas: Holy Mass @ 8:15 am; Confessions @ 7:00 am
- Sunday, 25 December: Midnight Mass (Solemn High Mass); 6:30 am (Sung Mass); and 8:00 am (Sung Mass)
- Monday, 26 December: **Normal Monday Schedule**
- Tuesday, 27 December: Holy Mass @ 12:15 pm; (confessions @ 11:00 am) **in lieu of the 7:00am Holy Mass**
- Wednesday, 28 December: Holy Mass @ 12:15 pm; (confessions @ 11:00 am) **in lieu of the normal Wednesday schedule**
- Thursday, 29 December: Holy Mass @ 12:15 pm; (confessions @ 11:00 am) **in lieu of the 7:00am Holy Mass**
- Friday, 30 December: **Normal Friday Schedule**

- Saturday, 31 December: Holy Mass @ 8:15 am (confessions @ 7:00 am)

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PILGRIM VIRGIN MARY STATUE 2022

11/27-12/04 Horan 12/04-12/11 Schuette

12/11-12-18 Filla 12/18-12/25 Petrick

Drop off and pick-up statue at back of church. Place on the floor to left of the Oratory table. Be in contact with each other to ensure that the statue will transfer on schedule.

PLEASE CONTACT SHARON ALEXANDER
saalex@sbccglobal.net TO BE ADDED OR TAKEN OFF THE
 PILGRIM STATUE SCHEDULE. NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS
 WELCOME!

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, 12 December – *Our Lady of Guadalupe*
 12:15 pm: Anthony G. Bundschuh (d)

Tuesday, 13 December – *St. Lucy*
 7:00 am: David J. Murphy (d)

Wednesday, 14 December – *Octave Day*
 6:30 pm: David J. Murphy (d)

Thursday, 15 December – *Octave of The Immaculate Conception*
 7:00 am: Sherry Tunteri (d)

Friday, 16 December – *St. Eusebius*
 12:15 pm: Patricia Pervan-Elmore (d)

Sunday, 18 December – *4th Sunday of Advent*
 6:30 am: Pro Populo
 8:00 am: Ann Morris-Kenney (d)
 11:30 am: Colton Marks

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~ 12/04/2022 ~

ACTUAL

Weekly Collection Total	\$ 10,208.25
Online Giving	\$ 6,078.00
Total	\$ 16,286.25
Needed	\$ 11,500.00 (\$4,786.25)
Year to Date Total	\$ 259,212.98

Our Lady of Walsingham, intercede for us who have recourse to thee!
Ss. Gregory and Augustine, pray for us!

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