

THE ORATORY OF SAINTS

GREGORY & AUGUSTINE

MASS

Sunday: 6:30, 8:00 & 10:00am
Monday - Friday: 12:15pm
Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00am
Wednesday: 6:30pm
Saturday: 8:15am
First Friday: 7:15pm

ADORATION

Wednesday: 5:00 - 6:00pm

CONFESSION

Sunday: 7:00 - 7:45am and
9:15 - 10:30 am
Monday - Friday: 11am - 12pm
Wednesday: 5:00 - 6:00pm
Saturday: 7:00 - 8:00am
First Friday: 6:00 - 7:00pm

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DIVINE OFFICE

Sunday:

- Prime: 7:20am
- Terce: 9:40am
- Vespers: 2:30pm

Monday:

- Vespers: 6:00pm

Tuesday - Thursday:

- Compline: 7:30pm

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

MASS AND SACRAMENTS

Sunday Masses

- 6:30 am (Low Mass)
- 8:00 am (Low Mass)
- 10:00 am (High Mass)

Weekday Masses

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

Confession

- Monday thru Friday: 11:00 am – 12:00 pm
- Wednesday: 5:00 – 6:00 pm
- First Friday: 6:00 – 7:00 pm
- Saturday: 7:00 – 8:00 am
- Sunday: 7:00 -7:45 am; 9:00 am – 10:30 am

Infant Baptism – Baptisms are normally scheduled on the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th 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.

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FROM THE RECTOR

The final weeks of the liturgical year turn our minds to a contemplation of the Kingdom of God. There are a great many parables about the Kingdom that Our Lord uses to instruct us about the life of the Church and the Lord's kingdom, desired here on earth and realized in Heaven. As we struggle to cooperate with the victory of the Lord's Cross, we are confronted with the reality of a Church composed of both saints and sinners. The juxtaposition of such goodness with the rampant and unchecked nature of evil can often cause confusion and sow doubt about the efficacy of the Kingdom. However, this tension reveals to us the goodness of God who lovingly desires that all men might be saved. The work of salvation for all mankind is the work of Divine Providence and not according to the timetable of humankind. We want perfection now. While this desire is praiseworthy, the realization of it requires diligence, fidelity, and cooperative industry with the manifold graces the Lord bestows upon us. Moreover, the patience the Lord practices with the sinner, leading him toward salvation, is certainly a profound and powerful exhortation for us to continue to strive for holiness. After all, as much as we might at times appear to be saints, we are also acutely aware of our sinfulness. We need the mercy of our Heavenly Father as much as the next individual. Let us pray for the strength to use well the gifts given to us so that we might achieve the holiness God desires for all His creation. Let us pray for the graces to seek His mercy when we fall short of this call to holiness. Let us give Him thanks for His mercy, strength, and love!

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sunday, 12 November: Prime @ 7:20 am; Terce @ 9:40 am; and Vespers @ 2:30 pm
- Sunday, 12 November: Coffee Hour after the 10:00 am Holy Mass
- Monday, 13 November: Girls' Guild @ 4:30 – 6:00 pm
- Monday, 13 November: Servers' practice @ 4:30 pm
- Monday, 13 November: Vespers @ 6:00 pm
- Tuesday, 14 November: Choir Practice @ 7:00 – 9:15 pm
- Tuesday, 14 November: Compline @ 7:30 pm
- Wednesday, 15 November: Holy Hour @ 5:00 – 6:00 pm; Compline @ 7:30 pm
- Thursday, 16 November: Girls' Guild Tea Party @ 6:00 pm
- Thursday, 16 November: Compline @ 7:30 pm
- Saturday, 18 November: Women of Nazareth @ 9:00 am
- Sunday, 19 November: Prime @ 7:20 am; Terce @ 9:40 am; and Vespers @ 2:30 pm
- Sunday, 19 November: Coffee Hour after the 8:00 am Holy Mass
- Monday, 20 November: Vespers @ 6:00 pm
- Tuesday, 21 November: Choir Practice @ 7:00 – 9:15 pm
- Tuesday, 21 November: Compline @ 7:30 pm
- Wednesday, 22 November: Holy Hour @ 5:00 – 6:00 pm; Compline @ 7:30 pm
- Wednesday, 22 November: CCD @ 6:30 – 7:30 pm
- Thursday, 23 November: THANKSGIVING DAY: Holy Mass @ 7:00 am **ONLY**; **NO** Confessions @ 11 am or Holy Mass @ 12:15 pm. Compline @ 7:30 pm

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PILGRIM VIRGIN MARY STATUE 2023

11/05-11/12 Haulard	11/12-11/19 Catalano
11/19-11/26 Kenney	11/26-12/03 Raymond
12/03-12/10 Hayes	12/10-12/17 Schuette
12/17-12/24 Filla	12/24-12/31 Petrick

Drop off and pick up the statue at back of church. Place bag on the floor to left of the Oratory table. To join the schedule or be taken off contact Sharon Alexander: saalexa@sbcglobal.net

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MASS INTENTIONSMonday, 13 November – **St. Didacus**

12:15 pm: Julie Hermann (d)

Tuesday, 14 November – **St. Josaphat**

7:00 am: Ushers of the Oratory

12:15 pm: Mary Kelly Cooney (d)

Wednesday, 15 November – **St. Albert the Great**

12:15 pm: Mary Kelly Cooney (d)

6:30 pm: John J. Bultas (d)

Thursday, 16 November – **St. Gertrude**

7:00 am: Donald John Mueller

12:15 pm: Mary Kelly Cooney

Friday, 17 November – **St. Gregory the Wonderworker**

12:15 pm: Joan Koman (d)

Saturday, 18 November – **Dedication of the Basilica of****Sts. Peter & Paul**

8:15 am: Robert Mooney (d)

Sunday, 19 November – **6th Sunday after Epiphany (Resumed)**

6:30 am: Pro Populo

8:00 am: The Ashlock Family

10:00 am: Joan Koman (d)

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~ 11/05/2023 ~

ACTUAL

Weekly Collection Total	\$ 11,470.55
Online Giving	\$ 7,830.00
Total	\$ 19,300.55
Needed	\$ 13,810.00
Year to Date Total	\$ 276,390.13

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Ss. Gregory and Augustine, pray for us!*

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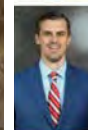
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