

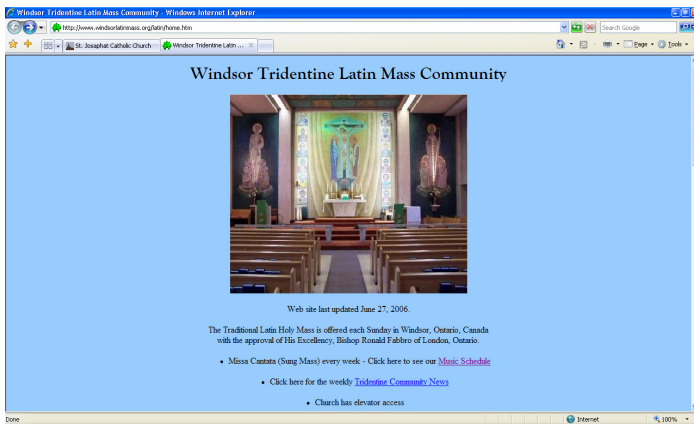
Tridentine Community News

July 9, 2006

News From the Press

The Tuesday, June 27, 2006 edition of the Windsor Star newspaper featured a front page article entitled "Stifle Modern Music in Mass, Pope Says," concerning Pope Benedict XVI's June 24 statement: "An authentic updating of sacred music can take place only in the lineage of the great tradition of the past, of Gregorian chant and sacred polyphony." St. Michael's member Barry Rafferty responded with an eloquent Letter to the Editor of the Star, published July 1, in which he informed readers that one can experience the kind of reverent liturgy that our Holy Father espouses every Sunday in Windsor at the St. Michael's Tridentine Mass.

Web Site Improvements

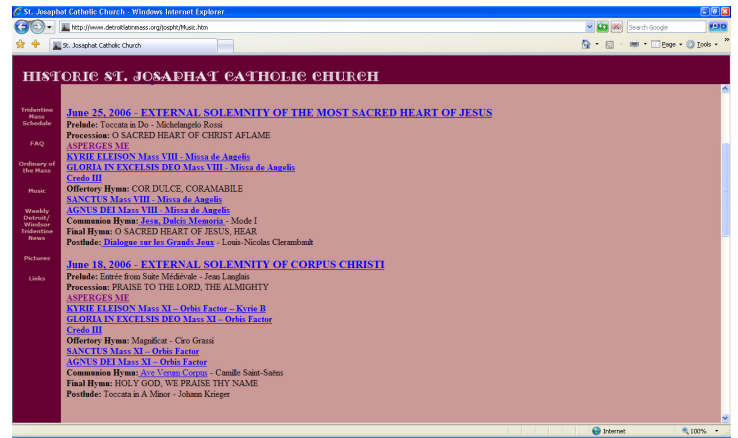


Since 1998, the Windsor Tridentine Mass Community has had its own humble web site at www.windsorlatinmass.org. That site was made more interesting in 2005 with the addition of a Music section, which lists all of the scheduled pieces for each week's Mass. You can even click on certain music selections and hear recordings of them.

Across the river, St. Josaphat has just launched a new web site for the Tridentine Community. If you go to the main St. Josaphat web site at www.stjosaphatchurch.org and click on Tridentine Mass, you will be taken to the new www.detroitlatinmass.org, designed to be a comprehensive source of information about the Tridentine Mass in our corner of the world.



Following Windsor's model, there is a Music section displaying the selections scheduled on previous and subsequent Sundays. Many titles are clickable links to recordings. In addition, you can download that week's Latin/English Propers handout in PDF format by clicking on the date of the Mass.



All of the weekly Tridentine Community News handouts are available as downloadable PDF files on another page. The Windsor Tridentine site also links to this page, as the news pages are now distributed at St. Michael's as well as in the cluster.

A Links page displays a slew of Latin Mass resources, including interviews with Church leaders, providing a glimpse into the growing Tridentine Mass movement.



Finally, a word must be said about the photography. Take a look through the Pictures page, and you will be struck by some impressive interior and exterior shots of St. Josaphat and its neighboring churches on Canfield Ave.

Special thanks to St. Josaphat member Chris Stuckey for taking many, many hours to photograph, design, and maintain the new site. Help make it a tool than can benefit you and others who may be curious about the Traditional Latin Mass: If you have any suggestions for improving the site, please e-mail Chris at detroitlatinmass@detroitlatinmass.org

Questions? Comments? Ideas for a future column? Please e-mail tridnews@stjosaphatchurch.org with your thoughts.