

# Tridentine Community News

May 5, 2024 – Fifth Sunday After Easter

## Ann Arbor Priest Training Report – Round 2



Congratulations to Fr. Roger Chikri, regional superior of the Maronite Order of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Chaplain of the Ave Maria University Chapel at Domino's Farms Office Park, who celebrated his first Traditional Latin Mass at Old St. Patrick's Church in Ann Arbor, Michigan, on Friday, April 26, after training from Extraordinary Faith. Fr. Roger will help to celebrate the Tridentine Masses in Ann Arbor and hopefully beyond in metro Detroit. Special thanks to Ann Arbor Tridentine Mass coordinator Joe Lipa [second from left in above photo] for encouraging Fr. Roger through the process. Fr. Roger will celebrate his first public High Mass at Old St. Patrick's next Sunday, May 12 at 12:30 PM.

Despite being located in an office building, the Ave Maria Chapel offers four [Ordinary Form] Masses per weekday, at 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, and 5:00 PM. On Saturdays Mass is offered at 8:00 AM and 9:30 AM. These Masses are well-attended, and the chapel is often full. No Masses are offered on Sundays. Confessions are offered before or after each Mass. For full information, visit: <https://www.avemariachapel.org/>

The training was held in a chapel in the woods near Domino's Farms that Fr. Chikri's order uses, pictured below.



Comments? Ideas for a future column? Please e-mail [info@windsorlatinmass.org](mailto:info@windsorlatinmass.org). Previous columns are available at [www.windsorlatinmass.org](http://www.windsorlatinmass.org).



If you know of a priest or seminarian interested in learning the Traditional Mass, please invite him to e-mail [info@extraordinaryfaith.tv](mailto:info@extraordinaryfaith.tv). Training is provided at no charge for time, travel, or materials, anywhere in the English-speaking world.

## Training Event Offer for Children's Choir Directors

2ND ANNUAL  
SOUNDS  
OF  
HEAVEN  
GREGORIAN CHANT INTENSIVE  
July 7-11  
San Diego,  
California  
SPOTS FILLING  
QUICKLY!!  
[www.canticle.org/soh](http://www.canticle.org/soh)

The January 7, 2024 edition of this column discussed the amazing success of children's chant training entrepreneur Mary Ann Carr Wilson and her Canticle operation.

Mary Ann has asked that we spread the word about an offer her organization is making: Sounds of Heaven is a Gregorian Chant training event to be held July 7-11, 2024 at San Diego's historic Our Lady of the Rosary Church, intended to teach music educators how to build a sacred music program. She is making available a limited number of scholarships for this event for youth schola directors in metro Detroit and Windsor. If you are such a choir director, or you know of one who might be interested in attending, contact Mary Ann via her web site at [www.canticle.org/soh](http://www.canticle.org/soh) and mention you are from the Detroit area.