



Mary Help of Christians Traditional Roman Catholic Church

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September 7th, 2025 † 13th Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, Sept. 7, HOLY MASS 9:00 am – St. Cloud, C

Pro Populo

Mon., Sept. 8, No Mass in Springs – Nativity of the BVM

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Tues., Sept. 9, HOLY MASS 8:15 am – St. Peter Claver, C

Grace of a Holy Death for Maureen Walker (Nosko)

Wed., Sept. 10, HOLY MASS 8:15 am – St. Nicholas Tolentino, C

Kateri Rooks Family Intentions (Kaltenbacher)

Thurs., Sept. 11, HOLY MASS 8:15 am – Feria (Ss. Protus & Hyacinth, Mm)

Private Intention (S Kosovich)

Fri., Sept. 12, HOLY MASS 8:15 am – Holy Name of Mary

The Shaw Family (Martinez)

Sat., Sept. 13, No Mass in Springs – BVM Saturday

Kateri Rooks Family Intentions (Kaltenbacher)

Sunday, Sept. 14, HOLY MASS 9:00 am – Exultation of the Holy Cross

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Serving Schedule:

Sun., Sept. 7th: Anthony Kosovich, Alexander Vigil

Tues., Sept. 9th: Joseph Fries, Jude Vigil

Thurs., Sept. 11th: Anthony & Hugo Vigil

Sun., Sept. 14th: Steven Kosovich, Joseph Fries

Sun., Sept. 21st: Anthony Vigil, John Fries

Wed., Sept. 10th: Alexander Vigil, John Fries

Fri., Sept. 12th: Tobias Vigil, Joseph Fries

“Mary means Star of the Sea, for as sailers are guided to port by the ocean star, so Christians attain to glory through Mary’s maternal intercessions.” - St. Thomas Aquinas

Confessions: Sundays – 8:00 am and after Mass

Tues. & Wed: 7:45am

Wed: 2:00p

Ending Hymn: Immaculate Mary

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Catechism Classes: today, Sept 7th, from 8:15 – 8:45am

Blessing of Religious Articles: Following Holy Mass on the Third Sunday of each month.

PRAY FOR: Anna Ahern, Gerard Crochet, Frank Eberwein, Rose Borders, Mark Gilmor, Arlin Wertish, the Slusher Family, Alex and Xavier Trujillo, Pauline Buonocore, Mary Allie, Kyle Kaltenbacher, Elijah Nosko, Joshua Potts, Cynthia Bernard, Michael Micklich, our Military and Police, RIP Gabriel Trujillo, RIP Mary Watson, RIP Timothy Pogar, RIP Don Hopkins, RIP Roger McCarville, RIP Joe Vogel, RIP Tom Gallegos, RIP Mike Felthager, RIP Mary Gilmor, RIP Maria Atwood, RIP Charles Lambrecht and family, RIP Jose Raul Flores, RIP Frances Kwitek, RIP Susan Walz, RIP Matias & Ben Trujillo, RIP Richard Micklich, RIP Edward Ponder and all those in need. (Contact Sister to add to this list.)

USHERS and MEN'S MEETING: will be held this Wednesday at 7pm in the Church basement to discuss safety measures and procedures.

ROD IRON FENCING: has been purchased for the Church to replace the chain link. A work party will be scheduled to install it. Please watch for a date to be announced. September 13th and 27th are being discussed as options.

CAR WASH: is scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 20th, at the Ace Hardware on Circle and Galley. Help is greatly appreciated!

911 MEMORIAL CLIMB: up the Incline is this Thursday, Sept. 11th, at 10am if you wish to join the Academy.

St. Alphonsus Liguori on the Holy Name of Mary

Richard of St. Laurence states "there is not such powerful help in any name, nor is there any other name given to men, after that of Jesus, from which so much salvation is poured forth upon men as from the name of Mary." He continues, "that the devout invocation of this sweet and holy name leads to the acquisition of superabundant graces in this life, and a very high degree of glory in the next." Hence Richard of St. Laurence "encourages sinners to have recourse to this great name," because it alone will suffice to cure them of all their evils; and "there is no disorder, however malignant, that does not immediately yield to the power of the name of Mary." The Blessed Raymond Jordano says, "that however hardened and diffident a heart may be, the name of this most Blessed Virgin has such efficacy, that if it is only pronounced that heart will be wonderfully softened." Moreover, it is well known, and is daily experienced by the clients of Mary, that her powerful name gives the particular strength necessary to overcome temptations against purity. "The Blessed Virgin herself revealed to St. Bridget "that there is not on earth a sinner, however devoid he may be of the love of God, from whom the devil is not obliged immediately to fly, if he invokes her holy name with a determination to repent." Consoling indeed are the promises of help made by Jesus Christ to those who have devotion to the name of Mary; for one day in the hearing of St. Bridget, He promised His most holy Mother that He would grant three special graces to those who invoke that holy name with confidence: first, that He would grant them perfect sorrow for their sins; secondly, that their crimes should be atoned for; and, thirdly, that He would give them strength to attain perfection, and at length the glory of paradise. And then our Divine Savior added: "For thy words, O My Mother, are so sweet and agreeable to Me, that I cannot deny what thou askest." St. Ephrem goes so far as to say, "that the name of Mary is the key of the gates of heaven," in the hands of those who devoutly invoke it. Let us, therefore, always take advantage of the beautiful advice given us by St. Bernard, in these words: "In dangers, in perplexities, in doubtful cases, think of Mary, call on Mary; let her not leave thy lips; let her not depart from thy heart." Let us conclude with the tender prayer of St. Bonaventure: "I ask thee, O Mary, for the glory of thy name, to come and meet my soul when it is departing from this world, and to take it in thine arms."

