



**Sacred Heart Apostolate Monthly Newsletter
June 2021**

FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART

“Without doubt, the most important of all the apparitions made to St. Margaret Mary was that of June 1675, during the octave of the Feast of Corpus Christi. As she was praying before the Blessed Sacrament, our Lord suddenly appeared to her, showed her His Heart, and spoke these never-to-be-forgotten words: “Behold this Heart which has loved men so much that it has spared itself nothing, even to exhausting and consuming itself, in order to testify its love. In return, I receive from the greater part only ingratitude, by their irreverence and sacrilege, and by the coldness and contempt they have for me in this Sacrament of Love. And what is most painful to me is that they are hearts consecrated to me who treat me thus. It is for this reason that I ask that the first Friday after the octave of the Feast of Corpus Christi be set aside as a special feast, to honor my Heart by communicating on that day, and making reparation for the indignity it has received. And I promise that my Heart will expand itself to pour out abundantly the influences of its love on all those who will give it his honor and get others to do the same.”

**Quote from Jesus to St. Margaret Mary
Rev. Francis Larkin, SS.CC. *Enthronement of the Sacred Heart***

Sacred Heart Enthronement News

On May 4th, Fr. Neil Pezzulo, the pastor of St. Teresa of Kolkata, and also Pastor of the mission church John Paul II in Rutledge, celebrated the ceremony of the Enthronement of the Sacred Heart of Jesus at the Tennessee Therapeutic center in Maynardville. Agnes Abella, the owner of Tennessee Therapeutics, made the decision to enthrone Jesus as King of her practice which brings healing and strength to so many in the area. What a beautiful witness this is as people come in for help and healing... thank you Agnes and Fr. Neil



As a result of this enthronement Fr. Neil wants to have a bilingual mass on Sunday, June 27 at 10 AM inviting both the Anglo and Hispanic Community and celebrate the enthronement ceremony during that mass, enthroning Jesus as King of the parish of Saint Teresa of Calcutta and then have a picnic following the ceremony!

Prayer Intentions:

For the upcoming mission in Gulfport, Mississippi September 12-15, 2021.

For the enthronement mass at St. Teresa of Calcutta on June 27, 2021.

Several of our Sacred Heart missionaries/promoters have been praying the 24-hour rosary on First Fridays and they have invited all of us to this powerful prayer of unity and an easy way to sign-up if you would like to be a part of this. The rosary will start at 12:01 am each first Friday and end at midnight the close of the day. Please email or text back an hour in central standard time that you would like to cover. Thanks!

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How blessed are we on this first Friday to meditate, honor, praise, and console that pierced Sacred Heart which was opened for us! Let us return love for love in this 24-hour rosary covering all hours of Good Friday. Please text back the hour you would like to cover.

Peace in the wounded Heart of Christ

Malise

Night Adoration in the Home:

One beautiful part of the Enthronement devotion is night adoration in the home. This was started by Fr. Mateo after 20 years of promoting the Enthronement. Shortly before he died, Fr. Mateo told his Superior General, "Tell everyone that Fr. Mateo preaches from his bed and that he insists on nocturnal adoration, the most beautiful flower of his work. This is the prayer of the home, in union with the Heart of Jesus, prayers in the spirit of reparation, at night, during the hours of darkness."

This is the perfect devotion for our times as our homes have truly become domestic churches and refuges from the many storms. It involves one hour of prayer, one night a month between 9 pm and ending at 6 am. Below are some links with information on the history, general information, the prayers and a contact form. You can sign up on the contact form or just pray on your own. The prayers can be printed out. There has been a prayer pamphlet available in

the past, but it is currently out of print and is being revised. We will let you know when it becomes available. For now, you can print the prayers from the prayers link.

<https://sacredhearthyhour.com/history.html>

<https://sacredhearthyhour.com/info.html>

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Important Dates in the Church and saints who promoted devotion the Heart of Jesus.

June:

4-First Friday

5– First Saturday

6 – Corpus Christi Sunday

10 – St. Damien of Molokai (1840 – 1889)

11 – Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

12 – Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

17 – The Eucharistic Heart of Jesus

27 – Our Lady of Perpetual Help

“I will bestow abundant blessing upon your undertakings.”

Do we truly believe this promise?