



Sacred Heart Apostolate Monthly Newsletter August 2021

“Our Lord wishes us to have great charity for our neighbor, for whom we should pray as for ourselves; it is one of the characteristic effects of this devotion to reconcile hearts and to bring peace to souls.”

St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

Sacred Heart Enthronement News

Pictures of Mary and Joseph Roth’s EnthronementFather Michael Hendershott is Mary’s older brother and performed the ceremony which was well attended by family members.



Prayer Intentions:

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

For the upcoming mission at Our Lady of Fatima in Alcoa TN, December 13-15, 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.

August:

- 1 – St. Alphonsus Liguori (1696 – 1787); founded the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer; the Redemptorists
- 2 – St. Peter Julian Eymard (1811 – 1868)
- 6 - First Friday
Transfiguration
- 7 – First Saturday
- 8 – St. Dominic (1170 – 1221); founded the Dominicans
- 12 – St. Jane Frances de Chantal (1572 – 1641); founded the Congregation of the Visitation
- 15 – The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 19 – St. John Eudes (1601 – 1680)
- 20 – St. Bernard of Clairvaux (1070 -1153)
- 24- Fr. Mateo received a healing in Paray-le-Monial and wrote the Enthronement Ceremonial (1907)

“Tepid Souls shall become fervent.”

Do we truly believe this promise?