



Mary Help of Christians Traditional Roman Catholic Church

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June 12th, 2022 † Trinity Sunday

Sunday, June 12, HOLY MASS 9:00 a.m. - St. John of San Facundo, C

Pro Populo

Mon., June 13, No Mass in Springs - St. Anthony of Padua, CD

For my children, husband and grandchildren

Tues., June 14, No Mass in Springs - St. Basil the Great, BCD

Thanksgiving for our precious Catholic Faith, for daily and final perseverance for our entire family

Wed., June 15, No Mass in Springs - Feria (Ss. Vitus, Modestus & Crescentia, Mm)

Poor Souls

Thurs., June 16, No Mass in Springs - CORPUS CHRISTI

Pro Populo

Fri., June 17, No Mass in Springs - Feria (St. Avitus, AbC)

RIP Marilyn Soisson

Sat., June 18, No Mass in Springs - St. Ephrem, Deacon, CD

Special Intentions of Hai Tseng

Sunday, June 19, HIGH MASS 9:00 a.m - Corpus Christi Sunday

Pro Populo

Serving Schedule:

Sun. June 12th: Anthony Griess, Steven Kosovich

Sun. June 19th: Andrew Fries, Anthony Kosovich, Procession: Thomas, Oliver, Anthony, Alexander, Jude,
Toby and Hugo Vigil, Anthony Griess, John Fries

Sun. June 26th: Thomas Vigil, Oliver Vigil

“To those who honor My Sacred Heart I will comfort them in all their afflictions and be their secure refuge during life and especially in death.” - 3rd and 4th promises of the Sacred Heart to St. Margaret Mary

Confessions: Sundays - 8:00 am and after Mass **Tues. & Wed.** - 8:30 am

Ending Hymn: God Father Praise and Glory # 58, Pg. 59

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Robert Bernard, Kyle Kaltenbacher, Elijah Nosko, Sarah Watterson, Rebekah Hibdon, Michael Micklich, Christopher, Jimmy, Camron and Stephanie Howe, our Military and Police, RIP Eugene Kauhane, Maria Atwood, Tom Gallegos, RIP Marilyn Soisson, RIP Anita Grasins, RIP Joshua Baert, RIP Susan Chenoweth, RIP George Trahan and all the sick. (Contact Sister to add to this prayer list.)

ENDING HYMN: please join us in singing the final hymn at the end of Mass from the new Hymn Books in your pews. The weekly hymn will be listed on the front of your bulletin below the Confession times.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION: around the block will follow Holy Mass next Sunday, weather providing.

RETREAT: The priests and religious will be on their annual retreat Tuesday – Thursday of this week. Please keep them in your prayers and avoid calling during this time unless it is an emergency. The annual retreat is the spiritual recharging so necessary for a successful apostolate!

PARISH MEETING: It has been decided to hire professionals to finish the rectory. The total amount needed may be closer to \$25,000. Details will follow in an email once we hear back from the engineer and the concrete company. Pledges so far are \$10,000+. Fundraisers discussed include sending letters (available in the Church basement and by email) to local businesses, a pie fundraiser hosted by a local pie company on July 16th (helped needed – please call Sr. Catherine to volunteer), and personal requests for support from friends. Any other ideas and help welcome. It is a great privilege to have a parish priest, but we desperately need the rectory finished for the benefit of the entire parish.

BUILDING COLLECTION: will be taken today for the finishing of the rectory. You can also give your donation privately in the building fund box by the confessionals or to Father, Jeani, or Sr. Catherine this week or next week.

THANKS BE TO GOD By Rev. Daniel Considine, S.J.

WHAT is a point of view which will put everything into its proper perspective, and is fitted for every sight, weak as well as strong? *Thankfulness*, in all places, in all circumstances, always. God is ever with us, we are ever with Him, we cannot help forming some opinion of Him: we must have some theory about Him if He ever enters our thoughts. What is it to be? A good opinion, a sense of how much we owe Him. Even if we feel that we do very little for Him, and, indeed, are of very little account ourselves, we can at least thank Him for His kindness, we need not be ashamed to acknowledge it. Good manners teach us to say 'thank you for a service rendered. And God is at our service, tends us, provides for us all day, all night long. We can surely say so much in our hearts without any loss of dignity on our part. We may kiss the Hand that feeds us. We need undertake no new obligations, we need make no promise, we only meet a gift, a never-ending succession of gifts, with an expression of gratitude. We do not refuse His presents, we cannot refuse His presents if we are to retain our being; we give Him in return simply our thanks. A beggar would do no less and we need do no more. Of course, He does not require a repetition of acts, but a disposition, a temper of thanksgiving. We can have His mercies for the asking, or unasked, if only we will acknowledge them. On what easy terms does the Eternal God open to us His stores! It needs no long practice of austerity or high contemplation to tell him that we are grateful for what we have received. All His gifts are not equally pleasant, but they are all from His Hand, and we know that they are bestowed for our good, although we do not see how. If we ran our course with eyes always open to God's favors showered upon us and with grateful hearts, we should not have run in vain and should receive the prize.

Thankfulness ripens into love and love is the fulfilling of the law. How fond Jesus Christ was of publishing His thanks to His heavenly Father! How deeply He felt the slights put upon Him by Simon the Pharisee and, on the other hand, the atonement made for them by Magdalen's love! 'Thou gavest Me no water for My Feet, but she with tears hath washed My Feet, and with her hairs hath wiped them. Paradise was His thank-offering to the Good Thief for his defense of Him on Calvary. It will also be the sure reward of all whom no contradictions, no perplexities, can hinder from always praising, always thanking God.

