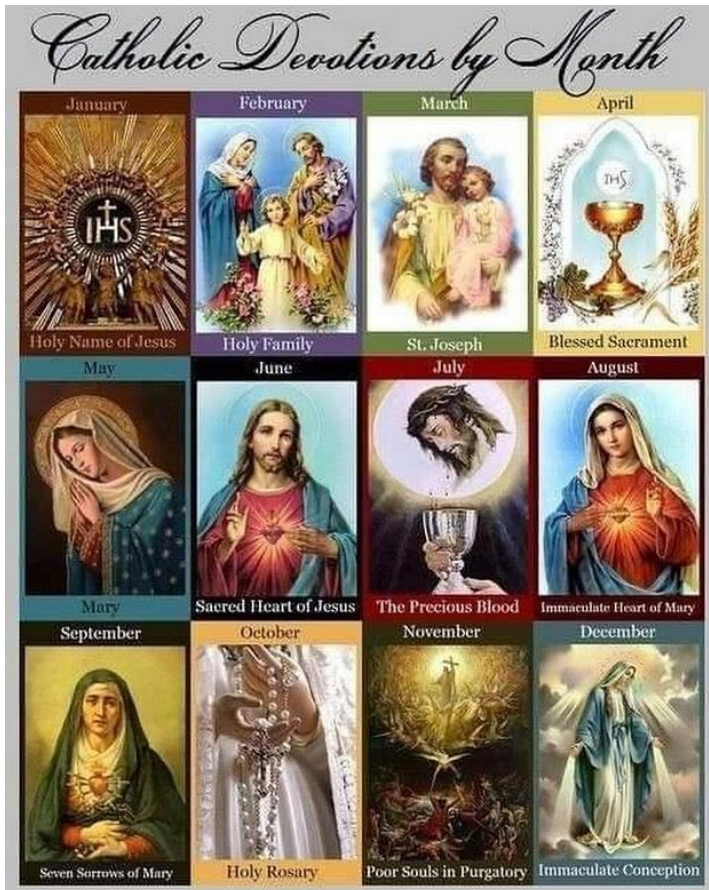


Tridentine Community News

September 1, 2019 - Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost

Catholic Devotions by Month



We often hear about certain months of the year being associated with various secular causes. As with so much of our western culture, the concept of dedicating months to certain themes originates with the Holy Catholic Church. A poster which has been making its way across the Internet depicts these monthly devotions in a clear and vivid manner:

- January is dedicated to the Holy Name of Jesus.
- February is devoted to the Holy Family.
- March is dedicated to St. Joseph.
- April is devoted to the Blessed Sacrament.
- May is dedicated to Our Lady.
- June is devoted to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.
- July is devoted to the Precious Blood.
- August is dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.
- September is devoted to the Seven Sorrows of Mary.
- October is devoted to the Holy Rosary.
- November is devoted to the Poor Souls in Purgatory.
- December is devoted to the Immaculate Conception.

Lansing TLM Community Purchases Church

Via Juventútem Michigan comes word that the Lansing Latin Mass community has bought its own church. The group has been holding its Masses in the low-ceilinged, hotel conference room-style atmosphere of the basement of St. Mary Cathedral in

Lansing, arguably the most dismal setting for the Extraordinary Form in our region. Financed in part by a loan from the Diocese of Lansing, a former Protestant church was purchased on July 1. Remodeling will commence soon. Originally known as the St. John XXIII Community, the Lansing TLM group has been renamed in conjunction with this move to the St. Gregory the Great Community. Further information is available at: www.gregorythegreat.com



Fr. Greg Villaescusa of St. Joseph Parish, Crescent City, California Celebrates First Tridentine Mass



Congratulations to Fr. Greg Villaescusa, Administrator of St. Joseph Parish in Crescent City, California, who celebrated his first Holy Mass in the Extraordinary Form on August 28, after training from Extraordinary Faith. Deacon Aadam Trask participated in the training and learned how to serve the Traditional Mass. Usually a priest's first Mass is private, but this time parishioners were so enthusiastic to learn that Fr. Greg was learning the TLM, around 25 of them showed up unexpectedly on a Wednesday afternoon to be part of this event. Fr. Greg is wasting no time: weekly public Low Masses start this Monday, September 2. In an interesting connection to home, St. Joseph was formerly led by Fr. Adam Kotas, a young priest who had studied at Orchard Lake Seminary and who used to attend the Windsor Tridentine Mass when it was based at Assumption Church.

Tridentine Masses This Coming Week

Tue. 09/03 7:00 PM: Low Mass at *Holy Name of Mary*, Windsor (St. Pius X, Pope & Confessor)

Fri. 09/06 7:00 PM: Solemn High Mass at *Old St. Mary's* (Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart) – Celebrant: Fr. Jake Van Assche, Deacon: Deacon David Pellican. Reception follows in the hall.

Sat. 09/07 8:30 AM: Low Mass at *Miles Christi* (Saturday of Our Lady)

Sat. 09/07 7:00 PM: High Mass at *St. Mary, Royal Oak, Michigan* (Saturday of Our Lady) – Celebrant: Fr. John McKenzie. Reception for young adults age 18-35 follows Mass, organized by Juventútem Michigan

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