

The life of Mary being now at its close, the most delicious music was heard in the apartment where she lay; and the room was filled with a brilliant light. The sweet music, and the unaccustomed splendor, warned the holy Apostles that Mary was departing. This caused them to burst forth in tears and prayers; and raising their hands, they exclaimed, O Mother, thou already goest to Heaven; thou leavest us; give us thy last blessing and never forget us." Mary, turning her eyes around upon all, said, "Adieu, my children; I bless you, fear not, I will never forget you." And now death came, not indeed clothed in mourning and grief, but adorned with light and gladness.

But what do we say? Why speak of death? Let us rather say that Divine Love came and cut the thread of that noble life. And as a light, before going out, gives a last and brighter flash than ever, so did this beautiful creature, on hearing her Son's invitation to follow Him, give a last sigh of still more ardent love, and breathing forth her soul, expired. Thus was that great soul, that beautiful dove of the Lord, loosed from the bands of this life; thus did she enter into the glory of the blessed, where she is now seated, and will be seated, Queen of Paradise, for all eternity.

"Mary, then, has left this world; she is now in Heaven. Thence does this compassionate Mother look down upon us. She pities us, and, if we wish it, promises to help us. Let us always beseech her by the merits of her blessed death to obtain us a happy death.

O most sweet Lady and our Mother, thou hast already left the earth and reached thy Kingdom, where, as Queen, thou art enthroned above all the choirs of Angels, as the Church sings: *She is exalted above the choirs of Angels in the celestial Kingdom.* We well know that we sinners are not worthy to possess thee in this valley of darkness; but we also know that thou, in thy greatness, hast never forgotten us miserable creatures, and that by being exalted to so great glory thou hast never lost compassion for us poor children of Adam; nay even, that it is increased in thee. From the high throne, then, to which thou art exalted, turn, O Mary, thy compassionate eyes upon us, and pity us. Remember also, that in leaving this world thou didst promise not to forget us. Look at us and succor us.



See in the midst of what tempests and dangers we constantly are, and shall be until the end of our lives. By the merits of thy happy death obtain for us holy perseverance in the divine friendship, that we may finally quit this life in God's grace; and thus we also shall one day come to kiss thy feet in Paradise, and unite with the blessed spirits in praising thee and singing thy glories as thou deservest. Amen.



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Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost



"All the faithful should be aware that to participate in the Mass is their chief duty and supreme dignity." Pope Pius XII

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MASS SCHEDULE

Month of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Sunday, August 9

8:00 AM

10:00 AM

4:00 PM in Roland

11th Sunday after Pentecost / St John Marie Vianney, C

Pro Populo

Breen Williams

Private Intention

Monday, August 10

no Mass

St Lawrence, M

Private Intention

Tuesday, August 11

8:00 AM

St Philomena, VA / Ss Tiburtius & Susanna, Mm

Breen Williams

Wednesday, August 12

8:00 AM

6:00 PM

CONFESSIONS

St Clare, V

RIP Holy Souls

Rosary, OMPH devotions, Prayer for Priests

~ for our priests and for many fervent vocations!

Thursday, August 13

8:00 AM

Feria / Ss Hippolytus & Cassian, Mm

Lehew family

Friday, August 14

8:00 AM

Vigil of the Assumption / St Eusebius, C

Lehew family

Saturday, August 15

9:00 AM

Assumption BVM / St Tarcisius, M

RIP Stanislava, Josef and Jan Pelzcar

Sunday, August 16

8:00 AM

10:00 AM

4:00 PM in Roland

St Joachim, C Father BVM / 12th Sunday after Pentecost

Pro Populo

Lehew family

Private Intention

If you would like to have a Mass offered for a specific intention, the intention may be submitted to the Priest. If it is for a person, please specify whether the person is living or deceased, and Catholic or non-Catholic. The customary stipend for offering the Mass is \$25.00.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Saturday is a Holyday of Obligation. One Mass will be offered, at 9am.
- The Banns of Matrimony are announced for the third time for John Perkins and Hannah Taber. If anyone knows of any impediment to this marriage, they are obligated to contact Father.
- Closing hymn for August: O Mary of Graces, p 97, #53.

St John Vianney on the Blessed Virgin Mary

- "Happy is he who lives and dies under the protection of the Blessed Virgin."
- "Humility is like a pair of scales: the lower one side falls, the higher rises the other. Let us humble ourselves like the Blessed Virgin and we shall be exalted."
- "Let us live as the Blessed Virgin lived: loving God only, desiring God only, trying to please God."
- "The Blessed Virgin is like a good mother who, not content with looking after all her children in general, watches over each one separately."
- "Avarice is an inordinate love of riches and the good things of this life. Jesus Christ, to cure us of it, was born in extreme poverty, deprived of all comforts. He chose a Mother who was poor. He willed to pass as the Son of a humble workman."



➤ "JESUS CHRIST, after having given us all He could give, that is to say, the merit of his toils, His sufferings, and His bitter death; after having given us His Adorable Body and Blood to be the Food of our souls, willed also to give us the most precious thing He had left, which was His holy Mother."

- "It is impossible to meditate with devotion upon the Mysteries of the Rosary and live in a state of sin."



Notice - The church library was gifted a wide selection of DVDs, all of which are now available for everyone to take, view, and return for others to enjoy.

There is no requirement to sign any DVDs out since we will no longer track them as part of our inventory.

Feel free to browse the boxes in the library and borrow what you want without limit.

Pray for the living: Joan Taber, Jayme Shedenhelm, Daniel Kramer, Mark Narlesky, Tony Gable, Jones family, Amaranta Torres Rodriguez, Cecilia Rodriguez and baby, Melvin Geckle, Joe Dias, Manuel Cordova, Mickey Ellis, Shelby Littlejohn, those affected by Hurricane Helene, Don & Babette Lobban, Gil Credeur, Diane & John Pawlowski, Luis Martinez, Kristine Neal

Pray for the faithful departed: Fred Nardecchia, Evelyn Craney, Manuel Cordova (Fr Ephrem's father), Audrey Hockel, Sr Mary Claretia, Fr Leo Carley, Linda Io, Milt Nelson, Ted Jones, Nancy Ciccone, Gerald Crochet, "Ernest," Eddie Solomon, Mary Tarnowski, Guillaume Bega, Joseph Vogel, Patsy Nash, Josie Mascarenas, Fr James Thielen, Carlos Zepeda Sr, Kathy Winter

Monthly Collection

May 2026: \$8,978.85

June 2026: \$4,170.81

July 2026: \$5,456.72

"For from the rising of the sun even to the going down, my name is great among the Gentiles, and in every place there is sacrifice, and there is offered to my name a clean oblation: for my name is great among the Gentiles, saith the Lord of hosts." *Malachi 1:11*