

ENTHRONEMENT GUILD

UPDATES

October 2020

Christ the King Celebration to Include Enthronement Ceremony

A Mass in honor of Christ the King which will also be an Enthronement Mass is scheduled for Sunday, November 22, at 3 P.M. at the Oblates of St. Joseph Chapel.

Fr. Dan Toomey, Spiritual Director of the Enthronement Guild and Fr. Joseph Sibilano, OSJ will concelebrate the Mass. Packets will be available at a table in the vestibule for those having an Enthronement.

If you or anyone you know has been waiting for an Enthronement, now there is an opportunity to invite the Sacred and Immaculate Hearts into your home in this most special way. Please contact Maria Pappa, Guild Coordinator at (570) 587- 0805 to register for a packet which includes everything you need for the Enthronement. You can pick up the packet before Mass.



October 10th Rosary Rally at the Oblates And Other Events

As part of Marian Devotion outreach an event has been held every month this year since June. The events were held outside at St. Mary of Mount Carmel in Dunmore, Our Lady of the Abingtons in Dalton, Lackawanna County Courthouse, St. Lucy's in Scranton, and the Oblates of St. Joseph in Pittston. Attendees at these events ranged from 12 to 90+. The events were held on the 13th of the month when possible or a date near the 13th. Josie Roman and our Guild President, Patrick Williams assisted at many of these events with Fr. Joseph Sibilano, OSJ leading the events at the Oblates.

Two Rallies were held on Saturday, October 10th with first Rally held at the Lackawanna County Courthouse at noon. More than 30 people attended. A second Rally was held at 3 PM at the Oblates in the Cova. More than 90 people were in attendance and a balloon Rosary was launched. This event was videotaped by Fr. Paul McDonnell, OSJ. The video is available on the Oblates of St. Joseph Facebook page...check it out! A Mass in the Chapel followed the Rosary.



Healing Mass – October 25th

A Healing Mass will be held at the Oblates of St. Joseph Chapel on Sunday, October 25th at 3 PM. Fr. Joseph Sibilano, OSJ will be the Celebrant. All are welcome to come and pray for healing for themselves, family and friends, especially those fighting the virus. Please join in this special Liturgy.

Marian Devotion Ministries

Marian Devotion Ministries was recently formed by Guild Communications Director, Ernie Pappa. The mission is to spread devotion to Jesus and Mary through the Rosary. Many of you participate in our Apostolate of the Sick and Night Adoration to keep your Enthronement alive. Praying the Rosary, especially daily, is another way to stay close to the two Hearts.

This new ministry is offering several ways to assist you with praying the Rosary. Everyone is invited to attend the Third Monday Rosary Evening at the Oblates of St. Joseph which involves the recitation of the Rosary with sung Scriptural Mysteries, Hymns and prayers and sung Chaplet of Divine Mercy. You can host a similar event in any parish. Simply call or text Ernie Pappa at (570) 241-8171 to request information. Our Lady continues to call us to step out of our comfort zone and make a difference, stand up for our shared Faith, and promote devotion to Jesus.

Marian Devotion Ministries is about encouraging prayer and providing tools that

assist in prayer. The Rosary with prayers over soft music and sung scriptural mysteries are being aired on JMJ Radio. A free Rosary CD will be sent to anyone who requests one. If you would like a free Rosary CD sent to you, simply call or text (570) 241-8171.

CDs are also available for purchase. There are CDs for each set of Mysteries as well as The Chaplet of Divine Mercy in song. Streaming of these is also available on iTunes, Spotify, YouTube and other streaming companies. Digital downloads are also available. Just search any of these for Ernie Pappa. Please see the Ad in this Newsletter and in the Catholic Light. A portion of these sales is donated to the Enthronement Guild.

Looking Ahead to 2021

Due to the effects of Covid-19, as in many activities in our world, much of the Enthronement Guild ministry has been on hold. We did host a streaming Mass on the Feast of the Sacred Heart from our Lady of Victory in Harvey's Lake with our spiritual Moderator Fr. Dan Toomey and we continue to reach out to all of you, our members, with reports of what we are doing and our upcoming plans.

As things open up, and we pray that they do as soon as possible, we hope to begin plans for our Annual Mass and Dinner in June of 2021. Thursday, June 10th, is the Vigil of the Feast of the Sacred Heart. We will also have our annual Mass on the Feast at the Oblates of St. Joseph on Friday, June 11.

In person meetings of the Guild Board will hopefully resume early 2021 depending on conditions. Our mission and devotion will move forward, even if meetings are not possible. Let us keep praying for a return to normal activity. We will also work on outreach for Enthronement Masses when parishes return to full activity. May the Sacred Heart and Immaculate Heart continue to bless all that we plan and put into action on their behalf. We pray also that the two Hearts profoundly bless and protect all of our members and families now and in the New Year.

Election Prayer: Please Pray Daily Until the Election

Lord Jesus Christ, You told us to give to Caesar what belongs to Caesar, and to God what belongs to God. Enlighten the minds of our people in America. May we choose a President of the United States and other government officials according to your Divine Will. Give our citizens the courage to

choose leaders of our nation that respect the sanctity of unborn human life, the sanctity of marriage, the sanctity of marital relations, the sanctity of the family, and the sanctity of aging. Grant us the wisdom to give You, what belongs to You, our God. If we do this as a nation, we are confident You will give us an abundance of Your blessings through our elected leaders. Amen. Composed by Father John Anthony Hardon, S.J. - 1962



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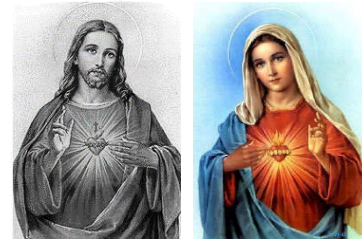
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