



DEAR PILGRIMS

It is so good to have you here during this month dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows. I remember when I was in High School, one of my teachers gave the class a little ditty which goes:

*Life is like a strip of bacon
A little lean, a little fat.
Life's like that.*

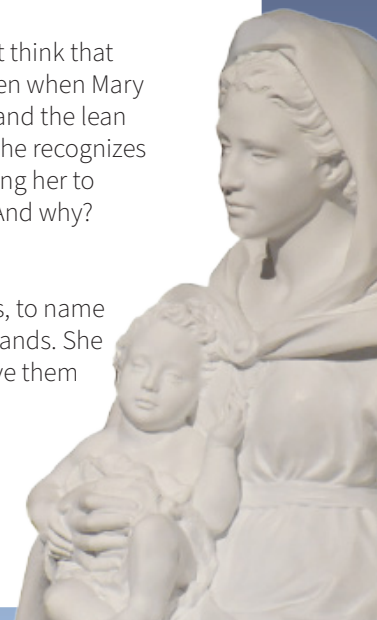
I see the truth of those words when I look on the two feasts of Mary that we celebrate this month.

On September 8, we celebrate Mary's birthday. Birthdays speak about possibilities, and I can't help but think that the words spoken to Mary by Simeon when she presented Jesus in the Temple, could have been spoken when Mary was born: "...and your own soul a sword will pierce" – Luke 2:35. Mary has indeed experienced the fat and the lean – the pain and the pleasure in life. But definitely she has not removed herself from painful situations. She recognizes when the wine has run out and she turns to her Son. She knows in difficult moments that Son is pointing her to behold her sons and daughters and she draws them to her Immaculate Heart, pierced by that sword. And why? Because she will always do what her Son tells her.

Many come to this Shrine because they are burdened by so many things – sin, sorrow, shame, sickness, to name a few. They seek solace and refuge. And here they find it – the warm embrace of a Mother who understands. She stood by the Cross and shared His suffering. With confidence they can lay down their burdens and leave them here. What would you like to leave behind today? You have come to the right place.

Yours in Jesus and Mary,

R. Anthony Aarons



MASS TIMES

MONDAY — FRIDAY

MASSES: 9:00AM | NOON

CONFESSIONS: 10 AM-11:30AM | 2PM-4PM

SATURDAYS

MASSES: NOON | 6PM (CHOIR)

CONFESSIONS: 10AM-4PM

SUNDAYS

MASSES: 8 AM | 10AM (CHOIR) | NOON (CHOIR)

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MONDAY-FRIDAY: 9:30AM-4PM

SATURDAYS: 11:30AM-7PM

SUNDAYS: 8 AM-2PM



UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER IS THE MONTH OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS

SEPTEMBER 1

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY WITH
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION 7 P.M.

SEPTEMBER 2

FIRST SATURDAY WITH THE
BLESSED MOTHER, 9 A.M. – 12 P.M.

SEPTEMBER 4

LABOR DAY - NO AFTERNOON CONFESSION.
CHURCH WILL CLOSE AFTER THE NOON MASS

SEPTEMBER 8

FEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF THE
BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

SEPTEMBER 9

MEMORIAL OF SAINT PETER CLAVER, PRIEST

SEPTEMBER 13

MEMORIAL OF SAINT JOHN CHRYSOSTOM,
BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 14

FEAST OF THE EXALTATION OF
THE HOLY CROSS

SEPTEMBER 15

MEMORIAL OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS

SEPTEMBER 16

MEMORIAL OF SAINTS CORNELIUS, POPE,
AND CYPRIAN, BISHOP, MARTYRS

SEPTEMBER 20

MEMORIAL OF SAINTS ANDREW KIM
TAE-GON, PRIEST, AND PAUL CHONG
HA-SANG, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS

SEPTEMBER 20-30

30TH ANNIVERSARY PILGRIMAGE,
LOURDES AND FATIMA

SEPTEMBER 21

FEAST OF SAINT MATTHEW,
APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST

SEPTEMBER 23

MEMORIAL OF SAINT PIUS OF PIETRELICINA,
PRIEST

SEPTEMBER 27

MEMORIAL OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL,
PRIEST

SEPTEMBER 29

FEAST OF STS. MICHAEL, GABRIEL, AND
RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS &
EUCCHARISTIC CENACLE 7:30 P.M.

SEPTEMBER 30

MEMORIAL OF SAINT JEROME,
PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH



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