



# THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

June 7, 2026



## WELCOME TO HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Served by the Mercedarian Friars USA ([www.orderofmercy.org](http://www.orderofmercy.org))



### PARISH OFFICE, 588 W. Gay Street, Columbus, OH 43215

Open .....Monday – Thursday: 8:00 am – 12 noon  
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Main No.....614-221-4323 Fax No: 614-221-9818

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### PERSONNEL STAFF

Father Michael J. Donovan, O. de M...Pastor

Father Daniel Bowen, O. de M.....Vocation Director

Brother Kevin Cush, O. de M.....Seminarian

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Secretary.....Mary Gamble

Maintenance.....Tim Kearns

Music Director / Organist.....Shawn Kenney

OCIA (RCIA) Coordinator.....Linda Hamilton

Religious Education.....Sr. Bozena Tyborowska LSIC

### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Altar Servers – *Br. Kevin Cush, O. de M., Director*

Confraternity of Christian Mothers – *Rita Martinez, President*

Diocesan Center for the Guard of Honor

of the Sacred Heart of Jesus – *Rebecca Rector, Zelatrix*

Eucharistic Adoration – *Sarah Hill, Coordinator*

Holy Family Young Adults – *Bear Bates, Coordinator*

Hospitality – *Kathy McKinniss & Linda Hamilton, Coordinators*

Knights of Columbus – *Br. Kevin Cush, O. de M., Grand Knight*

Liturgical Ministry – *Linda Hamilton, Coordinator*

Mercedarian Lay Third Order – *Fr. Michael J. Donovan, O. de M.,  
Spiritual Director*

Respect Life – *Jake & Kennedy Olinger, Coordinators*

Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary – *Sr. Bozena Tyborowska, Director*

### SOUP KITCHEN – (backyard of Parish Center building)

Donations...Monday – Friday

8:00am – 12noon, preferred (back of building)

12noon – 3:00pm, optional (please call in advance)

Main No.....614-221-4323

Web.....[www.hfsk.org](http://www.hfsk.org)

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[soupkitchen@holyfamilycolumbus.org](mailto:soupkitchen@holyfamilycolumbus.org)

[maintenance@holyfamilycolumbus.org](mailto:maintenance@holyfamilycolumbus.org)

### BAPTISM

Call the Parish office to schedule a Baptism. Children over the age of 6 will require some special instruction.

### MARRIAGE

Please call the Parish Office at least six months before the wedding.

Diocesan Pre-Cana and Natural Family Planning classes are required and six meetings with the priest.

### THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Call the Parish Office during general office hours. Otherwise, call Parish Office and select "Sacramental Emergency" option.

### RECEPTION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Those who desire Holy Communion at home should call the Parish Office.

### MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays: 12:15pm

Saturday: 9:00 a.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.

### Convent of St. Birgitta – 40 N. Grubb St., Columbus

Weekly: 7:00 a.m. Mon. Tues. Thurs. Friday

4:00 p.m. Wednesday

(Each day is open to the public)

### THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Weekdays: 11:30 a.m. – 12 Noon

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m.

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION SCHEDULE

#### Holy Family Church

Weekly: 1:00 p.m. Thursday – 12 Noon Friday

#### First Friday Adoration in Reparation to the

Sacred Heart – 8:00 p.m. – 8:45 a.m. First Saturday

Please contact Sarah Hill at 740-418-0517 or

[thehills1936@gmail.com](mailto:thehills1936@gmail.com) if you have interest in being scheduled weekly or monthly in either location

#### Convent of St. Birgitta (CSB)

40 N. Grubb St., Columbus

Weekly: 9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. Tuesday

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Mass Wednesday

4:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. following 4pm Mass

9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. Friday

### MOST HOLY ROSARY

Weekdays: 11:30 am (Tuesday is Respect Life Rosary)

Chaplet of Divine Mercy follows Rosary

Saturday: 8:30 a.m. before 9:00 a.m. Marian Mass

8:15 a.m. before 9:00 a.m. First Saturday Mass

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m. (before Mass)

Please contact the Parish Office if you wish to be scheduled to lead before 9am Saturday or 9am; 5pm Sunday Mass.

### REGULAR DEVOTIONS



Each Tuesday following the 12:15 p.m. Mass there are Devotions to **St. Anthony of Padua**.



Each Saturday novena Prayers to **Our Lady of Mercy** following 9:00 a.m. Mass.



On First Wednesday of each month a 7:00 p.m. Mass is offered in honor of **Good Saint Joseph**.



On First Friday of each month following the 12:15 & 7:00 p.m. Masses there is **Act of Consecration of the Human Race to the Sacred Heart of Jesus**.

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## MASS INTENTIONS JUNE 7—JUNE 14, 2026

**Sun June 7 THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST**  
 9:00 AM \* People of the Parish  
 11:00 AM \* Unborn Children and All Priests and Religious, by Knights of Columbus #13428  
 5:00 PM \* All Those Suffering From Cancer, by ARD  
 8:00 PM Repose of the Soul of Diane Krueger by Brian & Connie Swigert

**Mon June 8**  
 7:00 AM **CSB—NO MASS**  
 12:15 PM Susan Morris and Living Family Members by Eric & Christy Conklin

**Tues June 9 Feast of the Most Holy Redeemer Saint Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor**  
 7:00 AM **CSB—Complete Healing of Jennifer Dempsey** by Jane Sowers  
 12:15 PM Father Anthony Baetzold by The Rudolph Family

**Wed June 10**  
 12:15 PM Repose of the Soul of Mary Rojtas by Greg Everett  
 4:00 PM **CSB—Living and Deceased Members of The Mascarenhas Family** by Sean & Jody White

**Thurs June 11 Saint Barnabas, Apostle**  
 7:00 AM **CSB—Repose of the Soul of Robert Henry Kaising, by The Wolcott Family**  
 12:15 PM Repose of the Soul of Donald E. Neymeyer by Mary A. Neymeyer

**Fri June 12 THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS**  
 7:00 AM **CSB—Thomas and Haley Autenrieb** by Brandan & Krista Litman  
 12:15 PM Repose of the Soul of John Glass by Anna Glass  
 7:00 PM Expectant Mothers

**Sat June 13 The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest & Doctor**  
 9:00 AM Michael Mary Dahl and Family by The Bucher Family  
 11:00 AM **Special Saint Anthony Mass (see page 6)**

**Sun June 14 ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
 9:00 AM \* Joyce Johnson by The Gabriel & Johnson Families  
 11:00 AM Deceased Members of Holy Family Alumni  
 5:00 PM Jim and Juanita Lisska by Bill & Theresa Warren  
 8:00 PM People of the Parish

\* Incense will be used at this Mass

## HOMEBOUND AND/OR ILL IN NEED OF PRAYERS

Andre Bond	Theresa Piatt
Melody Christ	Joe Pinto
Sarah Conway	Eleanor Rabideau
JoAnn Cormack	Maura Renouf
Mary Jo Fetch	Michelle Stewart
Jack Gookin	Josh Stroud
John Keller	Genny Temple
Larry Lorms	Celeste Trautman
Charles McKinniss	Bill Warren
Debbie Newell	Mary Ann Wirsching




*“Let us offer everything to Jesus – every sorrow, humiliation, discomfort. In this way, you too, can take your stand at the Cross with Mary, our Mother.” - St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta*

We would like to start sharing wedding anniversaries beginning with the 10<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, etc. (every five years following the 20<sup>th</sup>). Please send the amount of years and date to the Parish Office **a month in advance** so all can be shared for each upcoming month. Contact the Parish Office with any questions.



### LECTOR SCHEDULE

	<b>June 7</b>	9:00 am	Susan Lau
		11:00 am	Knights of Columbus
		5:00 pm	Rebecca Rector
	<b>June 12</b>	7:00 pm	Rebecca Rector
	<b>June 14</b>	9:00 am	Brandan Litman
		11:00 am	Brett Ballantyne
		5:00 pm	Thomas Martello

### SERMON ON THE AMOUNT

*Giving for May 25 – May 31, 2026*

Offertory	
Collection	\$ 4,230
On-Line	3,320
Mail	+ 1,500
Total	\$ 9,050
Less: Assessment (10%)	- 905
Net	\$ 8,145
Soup Kitchen	\$ 1,465
Total Capital Campaign Donations	\$707,201
The Appeal Pledges	\$ 8,523
The Appeal Goal	\$ 75,987

*God Reward your Generosity*



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## HOLY FAMILY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #13428

We continue to collect aluminum cans for the Seminarians. All proceeds will go to these young men of Christ. Please drop the cans off at the entrance of the Church and/or Parish Center.

Our monthly Corporate Mass for the Unborn Children and All Priest and Religious is today June 7, 2026 at the 11am Mass.

Our monthly Council meeting is also today June 7, 2026 after the 11am Mass in the Parish Center.

We would like to Thank all of you who came to last Sunday's Pancake Breakfast. We appreciate your support.

If you are interested in becoming a Knight of Columbus at Holy Family, please contact Jack Gookin at (614) 309-2519.



## HOLY FAMILY RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

### **The traveling St. Raymond statue is back!**

**St. Raymond Nonnatus** was a Mercedarian friar and is the patron saint of Mercedarian novices, the falsely accused, expectant mothers, Christian family life, and of the unborn. Please consider signing up to pray intentionally for the unborn and for women facing abortion in Columbus **by taking home our traveling St. Raymond statue for 9 days!** A sign up sheet is in the vestibule near the Holy Family statue.

### **Calendar reminders:**

- 1. Saturday, June 27th after the 9 am Mass**, the Women's Care Center on Broad St. is hosting a private tour of their pregnancy center to Holy Family parishioners. **Please join us!**
- 2. Our upcoming meeting is Monday, July 6 from 7-8 pm** in the Parish Center. Please stand for life by joining us!
- 3. Please drop off any baby donations** for the Women's Care Center and Pregnancy Decision Health Center in the undercroft **in the St. George room** or in the **donation box outside in the parking lot.**

## HIS INCREDIBLE SENIORS EXERCISE PROGRAM

Regular class schedule this week is **1:30—2:30pm on Tuesday June 9** in the Parish Center.

On **Wednesday, June 10<sup>th</sup>** will be a shorter class **1:30—2:00pm**. Then following class will be our quarterly potluck. Join our class and learn how to have fun!

**HFYA (18—35)** meets weekly, with a rotation of activities including prayer/spirituality, talk, adoration, and social nights. **Use this QR Code to connect with this group.**



## CONFRATERNITY OF CHRISTIAN MOTHERS & LADIES GUILD

Serving the Women of Holy Family Since 1887

### **Consecration of a Christian Mother to the Most Sorrowful Mother.**

Most Holy Virgin, conceived without sin, Mother of Sorrows, to show my love and veneration towards you, I consecrate and devote myself as your perpetual servant. I resolve henceforth to be your true child, and fulfill towards you all the duties of a child, reverence, love, and obedience. Take me therefore, O Mother, under your motherly care. By your intercession and merits aid and protect me in all my necessities, and make me always know and accomplish with all my heart what is pleasing to you, and what you wish me to do. Especially teach me how to educate my children according to your mind. Let them, and all the children of the other members of our Confraternity and of Holy Family Church be recommended to your Sorrowful Heart. Be henceforth to them a loving Mother, full of grace and tenderness. Have pity, too, on all my family, help us in every need, save us from every evil body and soul, and obtain for all of us a happy death. Amen

**Mother Love Book page 76 \***

**Last Sunday for Father's Day Novena sign ups** is today, **June 7<sup>th</sup>**. We will be available at most Masses. You can use the QR code or contact us at **holyfamilyccm@yahoo.com**.



There will be a viewing of **"Sacred Heart: His Reign Has No End"** at the Grove City AMC 14 theatre on **June 9<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00pm. Advanced sales only. You have to search by name of movie.

Our next meeting is **June 20<sup>th</sup>** in the undercroft after the 9:00 AM Mass. **There will be no meeting in July.**

**Our monthly Mass and St. Gerard Blessing** is **Sunday, June 21<sup>st</sup>** after the 11:00 AM Mass in front of Our Lady's Altar.

**Holy Family T-shirts and New version of Christian Mothers T-shirts** can now be ordered at our cost of \$20.00 each. Contact **holyfamilyccm@gmail.com** for an order form.

**Columbus Diocese Christian Mothers Retreat** will be held **September 19<sup>th</sup>** at Holy Family. Both Father Donovan and Father Stash will be speakers.

We are always welcoming new members. Please send us information to **holyfamilyccm@yahoo.com** or join us at a meeting! Next meeting is **June 20<sup>th</sup>**.

\* We still have **Mother Love books** available for sale at cost. They are wonderful prayer books.

### **Holy Family Confraternity of Christian Mothers Officers**

Rita Martinez, President / Louise Popich, Vice President  
Anita Van Order, Treasurer / Kandy Troiano, Secretary  
Father Michael J. Donovan, O. de M. Director

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### West Deanery Celebration of Corpus Christi

Catholics from all parishes of the West Deanery are invited to a common celebration of the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi). Please join us in adoring Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. This year's celebration takes place at **St. Mary Magdalene Church on Sunday, June 7.**

A Holy Hour of Adoration will take place from 5pm to 6pm, concluding with Vespers, followed by a procession. Come join Catholics from many other parishes in prayer before Our Eucharistic Lord, our source of unity!

**Women's Care Center** has an **immediate position open for a childcare aide** so mom's can attend classes:

- **Women 18+** are welcome to apply
- **Staff-to-child ratio:** 1:6
- **No diapers or bathroom assistance** required.
- **Any distressed child is returned to their mom.**
- **Pay:** \$15/hour
- **Please note:** There are **steps leading to the childcare room.**

Please contact **Jordy Deptowicz 330-827-4034** if interested in applying and to learn of the set hours.

**Bishop Ready High School** is excited to offer a variety of **Summer Athletic Camps** for our younger Silver Knights supporters in grades 3 – 8! These camps are a great opportunity for young athletes to build their skills, make new friends, and experience what it means to be part of the Bishop Ready community.

Led by our dedicated coaches and student-athletes, each camp focuses on skill development, teamwork, and fun in a positive and encouraging environment. Participants will also receive a camp t-shirt and enjoy friendly competition throughout the week.

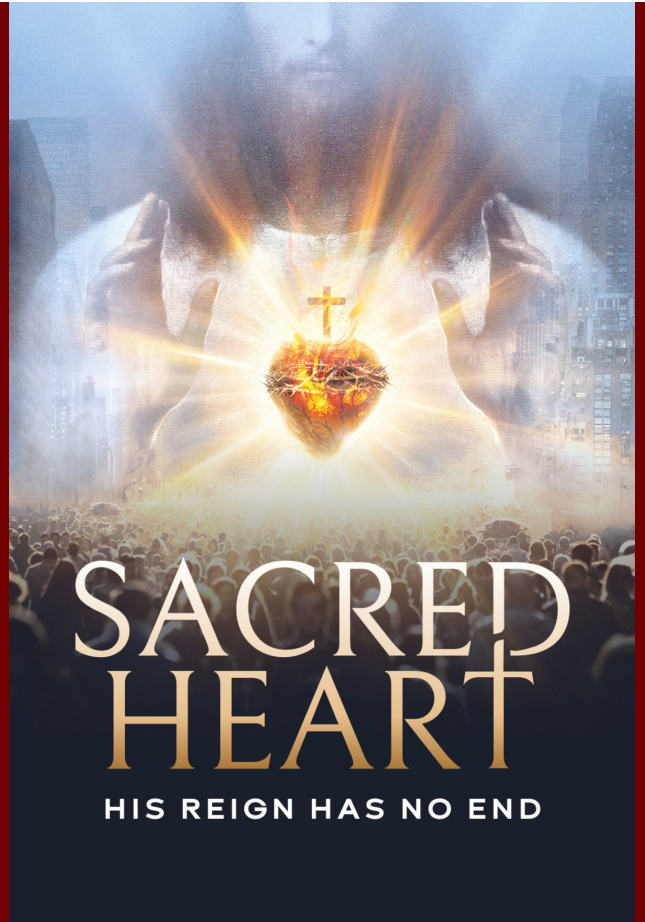
We invite your students to join us this summer and spend a few days as a Silver Knight! For questions, please contact **David Oddi** at [doddi2@cducation.org](mailto:doddi2@cducation.org).

### **Sign-ups for Western Irish Cheer Camp and the 2026 Tackle Football Cheer Season are open!**

Camp will be **July 20 – 24<sup>th</sup>** 6:30 – 7:30pm at Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Grove City. All students entering Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome.

The fee for Camp is \$25 per student and includes a camp t-shirt and the opportunity to cheer in the Arts in the Alley Parade in the fall.

Email **Angie Acox** [angie\\_acox@yahoo.com](mailto:angie_acox@yahoo.com) for the registration link.



**In the 17th-century, St. Margaret Mary has been hand-picked by Jesus to be His special disciple of His Sacred Heart. Through a series of apparitions at Paray-le-Monial, Jesus reveals His Heart to her. Through the centuries, countless others have been drawn to encounter the transformative power and beauty of the Sacred Heart.**

**June 9—14, 2026 1 hour 35 minutes**

**Director: Steven Gunnell**

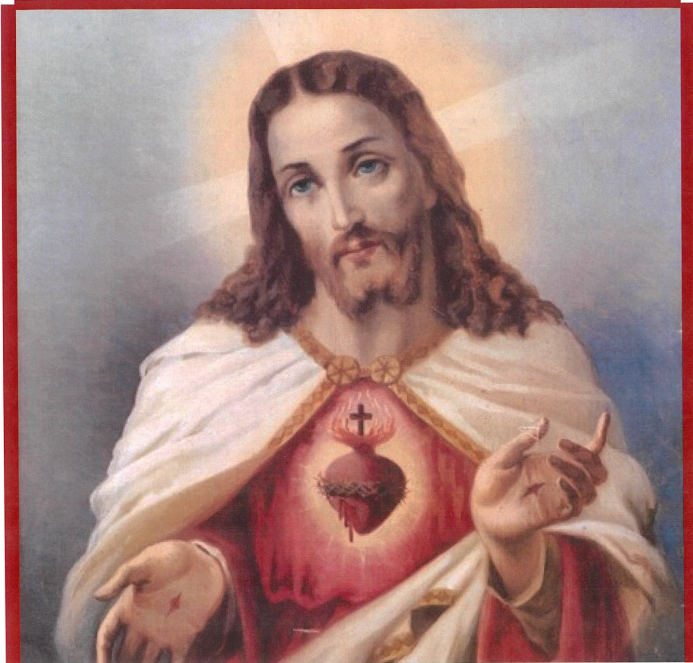
**AMC Grove City 14  
AMC Easton Town Center 30  
Marcus Crosswoods Cinema  
AMC Dublin Village 18  
Marcus Pickerington Cinema**

**On behalf of Rebecca Rector, Zelatrix of the Guard of Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, this is a parish invite for **June 9<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00 p.m. showing in Grove City.**

***Get your tickets Now!***

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*Holy Family Church invites you*

Friday, June 12

*Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus*



- + Mass at 7:00 p.m.
- + Exposition
- + Litany of the Sacred Heart
- + Parish Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus (including members, families, parish endeavors, parish buildings, and parish territory)



## Saint Anthony Festival

Saturday June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026

11:00 am Mass at Holy Family Church followed by a procession to the Convent of Saint Bridget

584 W BROAD ST. COLUMBUS OH

Following the Procession :

Blessing of the bread

Food truck available for purchase

Snacks, desserts and drinks provided

Outdoor activities for kids



*Springs of Love*  
CATHOLIC FOSTER & ADOPTION SUPPORT

**Springs of Love  
Family Mass & Picnic**

**Celebrating Foster, Adoptive,  
and Kinship Families**

Join us **Saturday, July 25**, at St. Matthew's for a joyful evening celebrating foster, adoptive, and kinship families in the Diocese of Columbus.

Families considering foster care or adoption, as well as parishioners and friends who want to support these families, are warmly invited to attend. Children's activities will be provided during the adult conversation.

### Evening Schedule:

- 5:00 PM Vigil Mass
- 6:00 PM Picnic dinner and family fellowship
- 6:45 PM Building Belonging preview and small group conversation for adults

**Children's activities provided during the adult session.**

Register at [springsoflove.org/events](http://springsoflove.org/events) before July 17.



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To accompany his constant calls for peace in the world, Pope Leo XIV led the prayer of the Holy Rosary on May 30 at 7:00 PM from the Vatican Gardens.

He led the faithful in Shrines around the world in praying the Joyful Mysteries, with each decade being dedicated specifically for those affected by war and violence and entrusting them to the intercession of Mary, Queen of Peace.

The first mystery prays for the victims of war, especially the most vulnerable, while the second is for those who bring words of hope and the comfort of faith to populations affected by war. The third recalls the medical and paramedical personnel and volunteers who bring humanitarian aid every day.

The fourth mystery prays for those who suffer the violence of war, for prisoners and for all who endure humiliations that violate human dignity. The fifth and final Joyful Mystery is dedicated to praying for an end to war and the establishment of lasting peace in the world.

<https://www.vaticannews.va/.../pope-preside-over-rosary> - EWTN

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**Holy Family Church** is in need of additional Rosary leaders; especially before 9:00 a.m. Saturday and 5:00 p.m. Sunday Mass. This flexible ministry allows you and others to open up to the Holy Spirit before Mass begins. What better way to prepare than with Our Lady, who teaches us the way?

Simple Rosary pamphlets are provided, which includes each prayer and decade, in addition to the Fruit of each Mystery. Leaders are scheduled to lead on a rotated basis just 30 minutes before Holy Mass begins, **only** when available. Please contact the Parish Office if interested in trying this out independently or as a family. Our Church **needs** to be supported through Jesus and Mary **and** the Holy Spirit. The Month of Mary just ended. Soon after summer escapes us, October, the Month of the Rosary will arrive. Please consider opening yourself up to the Holy Spirit and lead the Rosary before Mass (9am Saturday, 9am or 5pm Sunday). What a gift it would be to our Church. And oh, what a gift to Our Lady!

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*Remember, just keep Calm,  
and Pray the Rosary*



## Five Major Benefits of the Rosary

- 1) Mary will be your constant companion, and you will have peace in your soul.** When we pray the Rosary well, using mental prayer, the very first act is to call to mind the presence of Mary and to enter with her into the mysteries of Jesus Christ. Just having Mary close to you calms the soul, but she does more than just put her arm around us. She helps us to encounter Jesus Christ. In this, God opens His Heart to us. His Will to us. He doesn't just convict us of what needs to be done, but He also provides the grace and strength to do it.
- 2) You will experience an increase of gifts of the Holy Spirit.** The Church teaches that at Baptism we all receive specific charisms, gifts for building up the Church. Some extravagant and some simple, but they are all necessary and work together in harmony for the salvation of souls. We grow in these gifts as we grow in holiness. All the charisms exist in Jesus Christ; by spending time with Him—especially as we encounter Him in the mysteries of the Rosary and in the Gospels—His gifts grow in us.
- 3) Your faith in, and love for, the Eucharist will exponentially increase.** Bl. Bartolo Longo said, "The Rosary in a gentle, subtle way leads one to the Eucharist. Those who approach Jesus in thought, yearn to approach Him in reality." This is what Our Lady wants most for her children. When you begin to pray the Rosary faithfully, you will find that the Mother of God has you in front of the Eucharist more and more. You will find yourself at Mass more than just Sundays and days of obligation, and you will seek Him out at other times in Adoration.
- 4) Praying the Rosary saves countless souls!** Our Lady of Fatima, by her persistent request of the Rosary and sacrifice, has made it clear that these are effective means to reach souls. During every Rosary, we petition Jesus to save us and "especially those in most need of your mercy." Our Lady brilliantly added this petition specifically because she knew it would be efficacious. When we pray the Rosary for our own intentions, Mary uses those graces to help souls all over the world.
- 5) Praying the Rosary helps us to reach the heights of holiness.** The most difficult lesson in the spiritual life is to embrace the Cross. We must not just be resigned to God's Will; we must love God's Will. Through the Rosary, Mary helps us persevere, consoling and mothering us. She prepares us to walk our own way of the Cross.