

Our Lady of the Rosary Roman Catholic Church

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Fifth Fatima Apparition

SEPTEMBER 13, 1917

A crowd estimated at 20,000 observed atmospheric phenomena similar to those of the previous apparitions: the sudden cooling of the air, a dimming of the sun to the point where the stars could be seen, and a rain resembling iridescent petals or snowflakes that disappeared before touching the ground.

This time, a luminous globe was noticed which moved slowly and majestically through the sky from east to west and, at the end of the apparition, in the opposite direction. The seers saw a light, and, immediately following this, they saw Our Lady over the holm oak.

Our Lady: Continue to pray the Rosary to obtain the end of the war. In October, Our Lord will also come, as well as Our Lady of Sorrows and Our Lady of Mount Carmel, and Saint Joseph with the Child Jesus, to bless the world. God is pleased with your sacrifices, but He does not want you to sleep with the ropes; wear them only during the day. (The children were wearing ropes around their waists as a sacrifice for sinners.)

Lucia: They have requested me to ask you for many things, for the cure of some sick persons, of a deaf-mute.

Our Lady: Yes, I will cure some, others not. In October, I will perform a miracle for all to believe.

And rising, she disappeared in the same manner as before.

Seven Sorrows of the BVM

Mary stood at the foot of the Cross where Jesus was hanging and, as Simeon had prophesied, a sword of sorrow pierced her soul. Powerless, "she saw her sweet child desolate in the anguish of death, and she received His last breath." The compassion which her maternal heart felt at the foot of the Cross obtained for her as its reward the

palm of martyrdom without death. This feast was celebrated with great solemnity by the Servites in the seventeenth centruy. In 1817 it was extended by Pius VII to the whole Church so as to recall the sufferings she had undergone in the person of her exiled and captive head, delivered by the protection of the Blessed Virgin. Just as the first feast of the Sorrows of Mary, in Passiontide, shows us how she had her share in the sacrifice of Jesus, the second feast, in the Season after Pentecost, tells us of all the compassion which the Mother of the Saviour feels for the Church, the spouse of Jesus who is crucified in her turn and whose devotion to the Sorrows of Mary increases in these calamitous times.



Wisdom of the Saints

Let us make the Sign of the Cross boldly and courageously. When the demons see it, they are reminded of the crucified; they take to flight; they hide themselves and leave us. - St. Cyril of Jerusalem

A Christian has a union with Jesus Christ more noble, more intimate and more perfect than the members of a human body have with their head. - St. John Eudes

Announcements

September 21, 23, and 24 are the Fall Ember Days. For those bound, these are days of fast. Ember Wednesday and Saturday are days of partial abstinence and Friday is full abstinence.

If interested in joining the choir email chain, please contact Caroline Hilliard at carlbriggs80@gmail.com!

Father is current accepting Mass intentions. Customary offering is \$25 per Mass.

Prayer List

Please remember the following intentions:

Kathleen Weidner Dennis Smith Theresa Fishman Father Trough Success of the Mission

Upcoming

Sept 12: Mass, 8 AM Sept 24: Mass, 10 AM Oct 9: Mass, 7:30 PM Oct 10: Mass, 8 AM

If you are not receiving the mission newsletter, please contact Christy Hilliard, cahilliard7@gmail.com.

Collections

Last Mass: \$2,690 Year-to-Date: \$7,889

Rosary

Please join us for the Rosary. Sundays at 9 AM on Discord. https://discord.gg/K42TYCr

Dress Code

Welcome! Out of respect for the True Presence of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament, and for the edification of our neighbor, we kindly request that all who come to our parish observe the basic traditional Catholic standards of dress for church attendance:

 -Women and girls must cover their heads.
 -Women and girls must wear dresses or skirts that cover the knee completely when standing or sitting. Slacks, shorts, sleeveless, tight or low-cut clothing, and dresses or skirts with long slits above the knees are not permitted.

-It is recommended for men and boys to wear suit coats and ties for Sunday Mass. Jeans and other casual attire are inappropriate for attendance at church.