

Our Lady of Lourdes

Diocese of Covington's Latin Mass Parish

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"I do not promise you happiness in this life, only in the next"

"Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven; but he who does the will of My Father in heaven shall enter the kingdom of heaven."

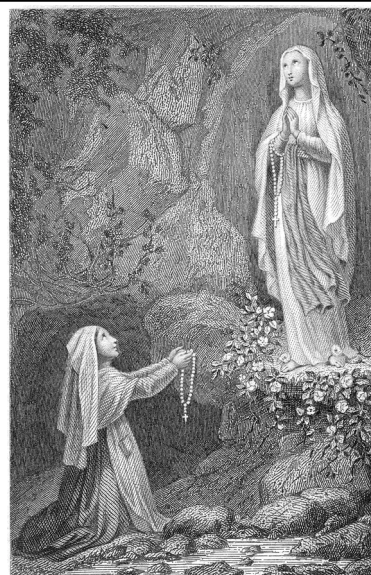


THE CORE OF THE CHRISTIAN RELIGION is the love of God and perfect obedience to His laws and His Will, which is an effect of the love of God. True friendship signifies that one has the same likes and dislikes as his friend. Therefore, since charity and obedience are so closely related, Christ has said: "If you love Me, keep My commandments." Again, He says: "He that hath My commandments and keepeth them, he it is that loveth Me." Perfect obedience and perfect conformity of wills make a man a servant of God.

Promptness of obedience should characterize the servant of God in regard to all that God commands or that which is commanded by those who stand in the place of God, and it is not only a question of obeying what God has commanded in so many words, but also in those things that He signifies by His inspirations, as long as we understand these inspirations in conformity with Scripture and the teaching of the Church. [...] The same thing is true in regard to all adversities, trials, afflictions, and aridities of spirit. We should in all things conform to the Divine Will, always placing ourselves in God's hands and always ready to accept the chalice that He offers us. Accordingly, it is impossible for the Divine Will to reign in us perfectly if we do not first kill our own self-will. We have said that in order to attain divine love it is necessary to mortify and renounce self-love; so also, if the Will of God is to rule us, we must destroy our self-will. Both wills cannot reign in us nor live together, but what is more fitting than that

Mass Calendar & Intentions

SUNDAY	July 12: 7th Sunday after Pentecost
7:00 AM	(+) Robert Bell
(Union) 7:00 AM	** No Mass
9:30 AM	Pope Leo XIV
11:30 AM	Pro Populo
MONDAY	July 13: Votive of the Most Holy Trinity
6:30 AM	St. John of God Armi intentions
12:10 PM	Dr. James L. Peugh
TUESDAY	July 14: St. Bonaventure, Bishop, Confessor & Doctor
6:30 AM	(+) Bernice Ames
12:10 PM	Nichole Jenkins
WEDNESDAY	July 15: St. Henry II, Emperor & Confessor
12:10 PM	Maria Downes
THURSDAY	July 16: Our Lady of Mount Carmel
6:30 AM	Intentions of our Blessed Mother
12:10 PM	Holy Souls in Purgatory
FRIDAY	July 17: St. Alexius, Confessor
6:30 AM	(+) Robert Bell
12:10 PM	Dr. James L. Peugh
SATURDAY	July 18: St. Camillus de Lellis, Confessor
9:00 AM	The Houston family



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Adoration of Bl. Sacrament

Mondays: 1-6:30pm

Perpetual Novenas

Tuesday—Our Lady of Lourdes
Thursday—Holy Face of Jesus

Confessions

30 minutes before Masses

Baptism and Marriages

All Sacraments at Our Lady of Lourdes are performed according to the *usus antiquior* of the Roman Rite, with the 1962 liturgical books being normative. Contact the pastor for any sacramental needs.

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the Will of God should live and not the will of man, that God should reign and not man?

To achieve this, there is nothing more suitable than to strive always to dispossess ourselves of our own will so that the Will of God may more sweetly be done in all things. This holy practice is commended to us by the saints under various names. Sometimes it is called resignation; at other times, mortification or self-abnegation, but they all signify the same thing. It is called abnegation because we deny our own will and liberty and place them in the hands of God. We despoil ourselves of our own will, so to speak, and this is the greatest sacrifice we can offer to God. It is called mortification because we kill our own inclinations and desires, and this is not done without pain and a struggle. It is called resignation, which is the most significant description, because it places man in the hands of God and makes him subject to God, despoiling him of self, as one does who resigns from some office or honor and places himself at the disposal of his superior. In this way the saints and saintly Christians have rid themselves of self and their own wills and subjected themselves to God so that they seemed always to be saying with the Apostle: "Lord, what wilt Thou have me do?" – Ven. Louis of Granada

Weekly Financial Report Week of Sunday July 5, 2026

Sunday Collection:	
Checks	\$6835.00
Cash & Coin	\$1002.00
Other Donations	\$0.00
Candles	\$94.50
TOTAL	\$7931.50
Weekly Budgetary Needs	\$4,940

† Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament resumes this Monday, July 13th. Come and adore His Majesty!

† League of St. Martin meets this Sat., July 18th, at 8am.

† **ATTENTION PLEASE:** We are asking that everyone treat the hillside grotto-area as set aside for Our Lady as a place of prayer and reflection. We especially ask that children not be allowed to be alone here or play in this area. Please keep in mind that the fountain uses a pump to circulate spring water, passing it through a sediment filter. This pump and fountain can easily be damaged (e.g., by children throwing rocks inside the bowl). Keep in mind that although the fountain water is refreshed frequently with spring water, it is not constantly being refreshed. Thus we ask that no one play with the water or wash hands or face with it over the bowl. Even though it is passed through a sediment filter, we ask everyone to help us keep it clean. *Thank you. May God reward you!*

To dress becomingly for God and neighbor, and in keeping with the reverence due to the Blessed Sacrament, kindly refrain from wearing shorts, tee-shirts, tank-tops, revealing blouses, sleeveless or backless dresses, or form-fitting clothing of any sort. Please wear dresses and skirts that fall below the knee when sitting even with leggings (around mid-calf). With due regard to time and circumstance, all are encouraged to wear decorous attire befitting sacred and divine worship.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

SIXTH DAY: JULY 12

WITH LOVING PROVIDENT CARE, O MOTHER MOST AMIABLE, you covered us with your Scapular as a shield of defense against the Evil One. Through your assistance, may we bravely struggle against the powers of evil, always open to your Son Jesus Christ. *(mention petitions) Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be...* Our Lady of Mount Carmel, *pray for us.*



SEVENTH DAY: JULY 13

O MARY, HELP OF CHRISTIANS, you assured us that wearing your Scapular worthily would keep us safe from harm. Protect us in both body and soul with your continual aid. May all that we do be pleasing to your Son and to you. *(mention petitions) Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be...* Our Lady of Mount Carmel, *pray for us.*

EIGHTH DAY: JULY 14

YOU GIVE US HOPE, O MOTHER OF MERCY, that through your Scapular promise we might quickly pass through the fires of purgatory to the Kingdom of your Son. Be our comfort and our hope. Grant that our hope may not be in vain but that, ever faithful to your Son and to you, we may speedily enjoy after death the blessed company of Jesus and the saints. *(mention petitions) Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be...* Our Lady of Mount Carmel, *pray for us.*

NINTH DAY: JULY 15

O MOST HOLY MOTHER OF MOUNT CARMEL, when asked by a saint to grant privileges to the family of Carmel, you gave assurance of your Motherly love and help to those faithful to you and to your Son. Behold us, your children. We glory in wearing your holy habit, which makes us members of your family of Carmel, through which we shall have your powerful protection in life, at death and even after death. Look down with love, O Gate of Heaven, on all those now in their last agony! Look down graciously, O Virgin, Flower of Carmel, on all those in need of help! Look down mercifully, O Mother of our Savior, on all those who do not know that they are numbered among your children. Look down tenderly, O Queen of All Saints, on the poor souls! *(petitions) Our Father, Hail Mary & Glory Be...* Our Lady of Mount Carmel, *pray for us.*

Happy Anniversary Our Lady of Lourdes Parish!!

July 16, 2016 — July 16, 2026



Our parish will be celebrating our 10th anniversary with a potluck social on Sunday, July 19th, following High Mass. All are invited to bring a dish and attend!

