

**PENTECOST X**  
**AUGUST 2, 2026**  
**LOW MASS**

**Priest & People:** Hail, Holy Queen, \* Mother of Mercy, \* hail, our life, \* our sweetness and our hope. \* To Thee do we cry, \* poor banished children of Eve. \* To thee do we send up our sighs, \* mourning and weeping \* in this vale of tears. \* Turn then, most gracious advocate, \* thine eyes of mercy towards us. \* And after this our exile, \* show unto us \* the blessed Fruit of thy womb, \* Jesus. \* O clement, \* O loving, \* O sweet Virgin Mary.

**AN AUGUST ACT OF CONSECRATION TO THE IMMACULATE HEART  
OF MARY**

**Priest & People:** O Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary \* Mother of Jesus and my Mother, \* here prostrate at thy feet \* and in the presence of the heavenly court, \* I consecrate myself anew to thy service. \* I choose thee for my Mother and my Queen. \* Accept me for thy servant \* and receive the offering of my body and soul, \* of my heart and mind, \* and of all I am and possess. \* Heart of Mary, heart of my Mother, \* I unite to thy purity and thy sanctity, \* thy zeal and thy love, \* all my thoughts, words, acts, and sufferings \* and especially of this month \* that there may be nothing in me \* which may not become, through thee \* a pleasure to Jesus and a gain to souls. Amen. *(Taken from the Redemptorist Manual, written in the spirit of St. Alphonsus)*

**PRAYER TO ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI**

**Priest:** O glorious St. Alphonsus, who didst toil and suffer so abundantly to assure to man the fruits of the Redemption, behold the miseries of my poor soul and have pity on me. By thy powerful intercession with Jesus and Mary, obtain for me true repentance for my sins together with their pardon and remission, a deep hatred of sin and strength evermore to resist all temptations. Share with me, I pray, at least a spark of that fire of love wherewith thy heart did ever burn; and grant that, following thy example, I may make the Will of God the only rule of my life. Obtain for me likewise a fervent and lasting love of Jesus, and a tender and childlike devotion to Mary, together with the grace to pray without ceasing and to persevere in the service of God even to the end of my life, that so I may finally be united with thee in praising God and most Holy Mary through all eternity.

**R. Amen.**

## PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

**Priest & People:** St. Michael the Archangel, \* defend us in battle. \* Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. \* May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; \* and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, \* by the power of God, \* cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, \* who wander about the world, \* seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

*V.* Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, **R. Have mercy on us.**

*V.* Holy Child Jesus, Doctor of the Sick, **R. Have mercy on us.**

*V.* Mother of Good Counsel, **R. Pray for us.**

*V.* Our Lady of Consolation, **R. Pray for us.**

*V.* Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary,

**R. Pray for us who have recourse to thee.**

*V.* Pure Heart of St. Joseph, **R. Pray for us.**

*V.* Ss. Peter & Paul, **R. Pray for us.**

*V.* St. Alphonsus Liguori, **R. Pray for us.**

*V.* St. Stephen I, **R. Pray for us.**

*V.* May the Divine assistance remain always with us,

**R. And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.**

## CLOSING HYMN:

### COME HOLY GHOST

1. Come, Holy Ghost, Creator blest,  
And in our hearts take up Thy rest;  
Come with Thy grace and heav'nly aid,  
:To fill the hearts which Thou hast made.:

2. O Comforter to Thee we cry,  
Thou heav'nly Gift of God Most High;  
Thou fount of life and fire of love,  
:And sweet anointing from above.: