

Bulletin Quotes ~ Saint for the Week

June 24

How I wish your bearing and conversation were such that, on seeing or hearing you, people would say: "This man reads the life of Jesus Christ."

- St. Josemaria Escriva de Balaguer (1902-1975), Founder of Opus Dei, Feast Day June 26

July 1

All my life I have wanted to be a missionary. I have wanted to carry the gospel message to those who have never heard of God and the kingdom he has prepared for them.

- St. Junipero Serra (1713-1784), Patron of Vocations, Feast Day July 1

July 8

Whenever you begin any good work you should first of all make a most pressing appeal to Christ our Lord to bring it to perfection.

-St. Benedict of Nursia (480-547), Patron Protector of Europe, Feast Day July 11

July 15

A man should turn his full attention to this throne of mercy, and should gaze at him hanging on the cross, full of faith, hope and charity, devoted, full of wonder and joy, marked by gratitude, and open to praise and jubilation.

- St. Bonaventure (1221-1274), Doctor of the Church, Feast Day July 15

July 22

There is no sinner in the world, however much at enmity with God, who cannot recover God's grace by recourse to Mary, and by asking her assistance.

- St. Bridget of Sweden (1303-1373), co-Patron Saint of Ireland, Feast Day July 23

July 29

There are three things, my brethren, by which faith stands firm, devotion remains constant, and virtue endures. They are prayer, fasting and mercy. Prayer knocks at the door, fasting obtains, mercy receives. Prayer, mercy and fasting: these three are one, and they give life to each other.

- St. Peter Chrysologus (380-450), Patron Saint against fever, Feast Day July 30

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