

WHAT IS NECESSARY TO ENTHRONE OURSELVES TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS?

ACKNOWLEDGE JESUS AS OUR KING

Christ should be the center of our lives in how we live, work and play and in this enthronement, we commit to having Him as the center of our lives.

PLACE THE IMAGE OF THE SACRED HEART IN OUR HOME

Put the image of the Sacred Heart in a place where it is a constant reminder that Christ is the center of our lives.

MAKE REPARATION TO JESUS

Attend Reconciliation / Confession prior to The Enthronement.

ATTEND ADORATION

Attend adoration before the Enthronement ceremony at home. Ask Our Lord for strength to guide our hearts daily.

PREPARATION AS A FAMILY

- Set a date with the Pastor or Deacon for the Enthronement Ceremony. Call the office and leave a message to schedule.
- Purchase an image of the Sacred Heart in our home. Put it in a place where it is a constant reminder that Christ is the center of our lives.
- Attend Reconciliation, recite the Rosary and attend The Mass together as a family within one week of the Enthronement Ceremony.

FOLLOW UP TO THE ENTHRONEMENT

- Live a life of love and confidence in Jesus Christ. Look to Him as a source of strength and glorify Him in all we do.
- Renew our Consecration Daily in morning prayer or the Rosary.
- Share Christ with others.
- Increase our devotion to the Holy Eucharist. Attend Adoration regularly.
- Celebrate First Fridays during the first nine months of the Enthronement Ceremony. Do so by attending Mass and receiving the Eucharist on those Fridays.
- Attend Reconciliation regularly.

Whenever challenged, take time at the image of the Sacred Heart and turn to Him for peace. Christ is always with us to walk through whatever we encounter in this world. He is the center of our lives and desires us to be with Him always; here and in the Kingdom of God.

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Enthronement of the Sacred Heart



May He reign in our homes and in our lives

WHAT IS THE SACRED HEART ENTHRONMENT?

The Sacred Heart Enthronement is an opportunity to continue our spiritual journey by enthroning Jesus Christ in our homes and life and strengthen our relationship with Our Lord.

Enthronement means “the act of putting a king on the throne to mark the official beginning of power and to reign.”

We are embracing the power of Christ to reign in our lives and guide our family in every aspect of life (work, school, home and out with friends).

The Enthronement is a way to increase our love and devotion for Jesus through His love, received His graces for us, our families, our friends and all aspects of our lives.

HOW IT CAME ABOUT

St. Margaret Mary Alacoque was born in L’Hautecour, Burgundy, France in 1647. When she was 8 years old, she was stricken with rheumatic fever and the resulting paralysis forced her to be bedridden until the age of 15. During that time, she developed an intense devotion to the Blessed Sacrament and made a vow to the Blessed Virgin Mary to consecrate herself to religious life. During these hard times, Christ made His presence known by revealing Himself to her. Jesus promised her that He “will bless the home in which the image of my Sacred Heart shall be exposed and honored.”

If we follow St. Margaret Mary’s vision by enthroning the image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in a prominent place, it becomes our way of committing that Jesus is the King, friend and brother of our family and

we are responding to the invitation of the Church to make our homes a domestic Church where Jesus is the center and source of love for all. We consecrate ourselves as a family to the heart of God Himself.



**CHRIST’S SACRED HEART
WHAT ST. MARGARET MARY SAW**

THE SACRED HEART

Christ exposed His Heart to St. Margaret Mary to show His true love for us.

“For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life” (Jn3:16).

He sent His only Son to teach, to guide and to die for us so that we may turn to Him, be forgiven of our sins and to spend eternal life with the Lord God.

THE SYMBOLS OF HIS SACRED HEART

CROWN OF THORNS

Around His Sacred Heart is a crown of thorns exposing the painful burden of suffering He received when He was mocked prior to His crucifixion.

WOUND

There is a wound from the soldier’s spear, showing that our sins hurt Him in the heart.

FLAMES

The flames coming from His Heart show the intensity of His love for us.

THE CROSS

Above the flames is a cross showing that His love for us was so great that He died a brutal death for us on the cross.

These are the symbols of His passion. We are redeemed by the cross and we will be saved by it. His death and resurrection delivered us from the curse of sin.

