

Mary's Feast Days

January 1, Mother of God

- Council of Ephesus

February 11, Our Lady of Lourdes

- Bernadette
- Cures – one recently in the Omaha newspaper

March 25, Annunciation

- Angelus
- 9 month later = Dec. 25th
- Feb/Mar – Pisces (sign of the fish) & to Hebrews a sign of the Messiah
- March 19, St. Joseph

April

- Regina Caeli
- Prayer/Hymn with Pope

May 31, Visitation

- 1st Corpus Christi procession
- May month of Mary, but May 1st is feast of St. Joseph the Worker
- May 13, Fatima, John Paul II's attempted murder

June, Immaculate Heart

July 16, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

August 15, Assumption

- August 5, Dedication of Mary Major church, Rome
- Our Lady of Knock, August 21
- Coronation, August 22
- Czestochowa, August 26

September 8, Mary's Birthday & September 15, Mary's 7 Sorrows

- Mary's Seven Sorrows
 1. Simeon's Prophecy
 2. Flight into Egypt
 3. Loss of Christ Child in the Temple
 4. The Way of the Cross, Station #4
 5. The Crucifixion
 6. Taking down Jesus' Body
 7. Jesus' Burial
- Stabat Mater hymn/sequence

October 7, Our Lady of the Rosary

- Don Jan @ Lepanto

November 21, Mary's Presentation

- Sts. Joachim & Anne

December 8, Immaculate Conception

- Patroness of United States: St. John Neumann's idea, 1st Baltimore Council, Pius IX – 1854 plus link to Mary's title given to Bernadette at Lourdes
- Our Lady of Guadalupe, December 12
- Orthodox Catholics – Mary's season is Advent