

2026 Our Lady of Champion Pilgrimage

August 8-6, 2026

Schedule

Take Heart

Thursday, August 6<sup>th</sup>

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| 12:00 PM       | Check-in/Registration  |
| 2:15 – 3:25 PM | Talk   |
| 3:30 PM        | Advance, Transportation & Hospitality Meeting – Lobby  |
| 4:00 PM        | Meet in Lobby to leave for Mass at St. Francis Cathedral   |
| 5:00 PM        | Opening Mass presided by Bishop Ricken; led by the American Association ( <i>Members wear Robes/Capes w/ Decorations</i> ) |
| 6:30 PM        | Cocktails – Hyatt Ballroom   |
| 7:00 PM        | Dinner – Welcome by Bishop Ricken  |
| 7:45 PM        | Reflections Led by the American Association  |
| 8:00 PM        | Nightly Prayer Led by the American Association   |

Friday, August 7<sup>th</sup>

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| 6:30 PM  | Buffett Breakfast – Hyatt Ballroom  |
| 8:00 AM  | Board Buses; depart when full, Morning Prayer   |
| 8:45 AM  | Robe in Mother of Mercy Hall and line up for procession   |
| 9:00 AM  | Mass- Apparition Chapel; presided by the Western Association ( <i>Members wear robes/capes with decoration</i> )  |
| 10:00 AM | Confessions- Mother of Mercy Hall; free time  |
| 10:45 AM | Talk - Mother of Mercy Hall   |
| 11:30 AM | Box Lunch- Mother of Mercy Hall   |
| 12:45 PM | Board buses to Shrine of St. Joseph's   |
| 2:00 PM  | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament; Eucharistic Procession; Litany of St. Joseph; Eucharistic Healing Service- Chapel; Benediction; Led by the Western Association |
| 3:00 PM  | Chaplet of Divine Mercy; Confessions/Free time to explore St. Joseph's  |
| 4:00 PM  | Board buses for return to Hyatt   |
| 5:30 PM  | Ministry Fair/Cocktails   |
| 6:30 PM  | Dinner – Hyatt Ballroom – Update on Order of Malta Hospitality Center and Medical Association by Joe Sanders from the Western Association                           |
| 7:15 PM  | Reflection by the Western Association   |
| 7:30 PM  | Night Prayer Led by the Western Association   |

Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup>

6:30 AM	Buffett Breakfast – Hyatt Ballroom
8:00 AM	Board buses for National Shrine of Our Lady of Champion; Morning Prayer
8:45 AM	Rosary Procession; Group Photo, weather permitting
11:00 AM	Mass with Anointing of the Sick led by the Federal Association
12:15 PM	Boxed Lunch/Free Time
2:00 PM	Reflection led by Fr. Girotti, American Association – Mother of Mercy Hall
3:00 PM	Free Time
4:00 PM	Vigil Mass led by the Federal Association; Mother of Mercy Hall
5:00 PM	Board buses for return to Hyatt
6:30 PM	Cocktails – Hyatt Ballroom ( <i>Business Casual Attire</i> )
7:00 PM	Closing Dinner
8:00 PM	Reflection led by the Federal Association
8:15 PM	Night Prayer led by the Federal Association