



July at a Glance

Dedication for July: Precious Blood

July's Liturgical Color

Patron Saints of the Month

July 3: St. Thomas the Apostle

July 4: Independence Day

July 14: Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha and Celebration Table Ideas

July 15: St. Swithun

July 22: St. Mary Magdalene

July 23: St. Bridget of Sweden

July 25: St. James the Apostle

Dedication for July: Precious Blood

We all have blood in our bodies that helps us live. Blood is important, or precious, to us. When Jesus suffered and died for us, he gave up his body and its blood. When we think about all Jesus has done for us, we are thankful that he gave us everything he had to give.

Liturgical Color

Ordinary Time: Green

The liturgical color used is green, the color of hope and life.

Patron Saints of the Month

July 3: Thomas the Apostle: architects and stone cutters, East Indies

July 11: Benedict: Europe

July 23: Bridget of Sweden: Sweden

July 25: James the Greater: Pilgrims

July 26: Anne: Canada, homemakers, women in labor, cabinet makers