

Seven Dolors Shrine

FRANCISCAN FATHERS

Valparaiso, Indiana

Divine Services

SUNDAY MASSES: 9:00 and 11:00

HOLYDAY MASSES: 7:00 and 9:00

BENEDICTION: Sunday 3:00 P.M.

THIRD ORDER MEETING: 4th Sunday at 3 P.M.

NOVENAS:

St. Anthony — Every Tuesday

Sorrowful Mother — Every Friday

All Souls — Daily Mass in November

N.B. Weather permitting, Holy Masses are celebrated outdoors from May thru September.

Facilities

Ample facilities have been provided for the convenience of visitors. These include: spacious black topped parking areas, outdoor picnic tables, clean rest rooms and refreshment machines.

Souvenirs

A wide variety of religious articles and souvenirs of the Shrine are available in the Religious Article Shop.



Pilgrimages

WHAT IS A PILGRIMAGE?

A pilgrimage is a spiritual visit to a well known Shrine for the purpose of honoring God through one of His saints. At Seven Dolors, the center of religious devotion is the Mother of God under her title as the Sorrowful Mother. Those who make a pilgrimage to Seven Dolors may acquire a plenary indulgence under the usual conditions of receiving the Sacraments and praying for the intention of the Holy Father.

ARRANGEMENTS

Pilgrimages are conducted during the months from May to October. Address all inquiries and requests to: Father Guardian, Seven Dolors Shrine, Valparaiso, Ind.

PROGRAM

10:00 A.M. Confessions

10:30 A.M. Holy Mass and Sermon

12:00 Noon Dinner

1:30 P.M. Way of the Cross

2:30 P.M. Sermon 3:00 P.M. Benediction

N.B. On Sundays Holy Mass is at 11:00 A.M.

Meals

Soda and ice cream refreshments are always available. Meals, however, are served only upon request. All reservations must be made in advance.

Travel Guide

Seven Dolors Shrine is located one mile south of U.S. Highway 6 midway between Highway 49 and 51. For easiest directions, follow the signs to South Haven Estates. The Shrine is easily accessible from the Indiana Toll Road. From Chicago and points west, get off at the Gary East interchange; from points east, get off at the Valparaiso interchange. Both interchanges lead into U.S. 6 and are approximately 7 miles from the Shrine.

