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Devotion to the Blessed Sacrament.



THE Month of the Sacred Heart, with all its accompanying graces, its numerous aids to piety, its holy practices, its stirring appeals, its noble examples, its solemn displays and public manifestations of love to the Adorable Heart of Our Lord, is again upon us. Upon us, but not as the storm-cloud that breaks in a deluge carrying devastation before it, but as the summer shower which is greedily drunk up by the parched soil, a gentle shower that beats down neither blossom nor bud, nor lays low the young harvest, yet forcible enough to drench every sprig, and leaf, and flower, and cleanse them of dust and parasite: so that when the sun bursts forth again, as suddenly as it disappeared, every growing thing glistens in its rays and gives signs of fresh vigour and life.

This is what the Month of the Sacred Heart is to do for