THE CROSS.

Weekly Calendar.

June 18—Sunday within the Octave of Corpus Christi, II. after Pentecost.
　19—Monday, S. Juliana of Falconeri, Virg
　20—Tuesday, S. Silverius, Pope & Martyr.
　21—Wednesday, Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Confessor.
　22—Thursday, Octave day of Corpus Christi.
　23—Friday, Vigil. Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.
　24—Saturday, Nativity of St. John Baptist.

A Repetition of Baptismal Vows,

WHICH MAY BE USEFULLY MADE ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF OUR BAPTISM.

I. N. N. prostrate in spirit before that Divine Majesty at whose presence the whole choir of angelical spirits tremble, humbly beg leave to renew Baptismal Vows and to consecrate the remainder of my life to the holy service of my bountiful and gracious Father.

In the first place, I return you, O my God, my most affectionate gratitude for having been born of Catholic parents, in the bosom of your holy church (or for having been called to the knowledge of your living faith) in preference to so many millions who are going astray in the darkness of infidelity and error. And as you have declared by your apostle, that "without faith it is impossible to please you" I most firmly believe all that this unerring church proposes to my belief.

I believe in one God, the Almighty Father and creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ his only Son, who descending from the bosom of his Father into the chaste womb of the ever Virgin Mary, assumed human flesh for the salvation of mankind.

I believe that after a painful and rigorous life of thirty three years, he suffered himself to be delivered into the hands of sinners, to be cruelly scourged, spit upon, crowned with thorns, and crucified between two malefactors, thus, by his bitter death, restoring life to the world.

I believe that after his soul was separated from the body, it descended into Limbo, to comfort the just who were there detained in expectation