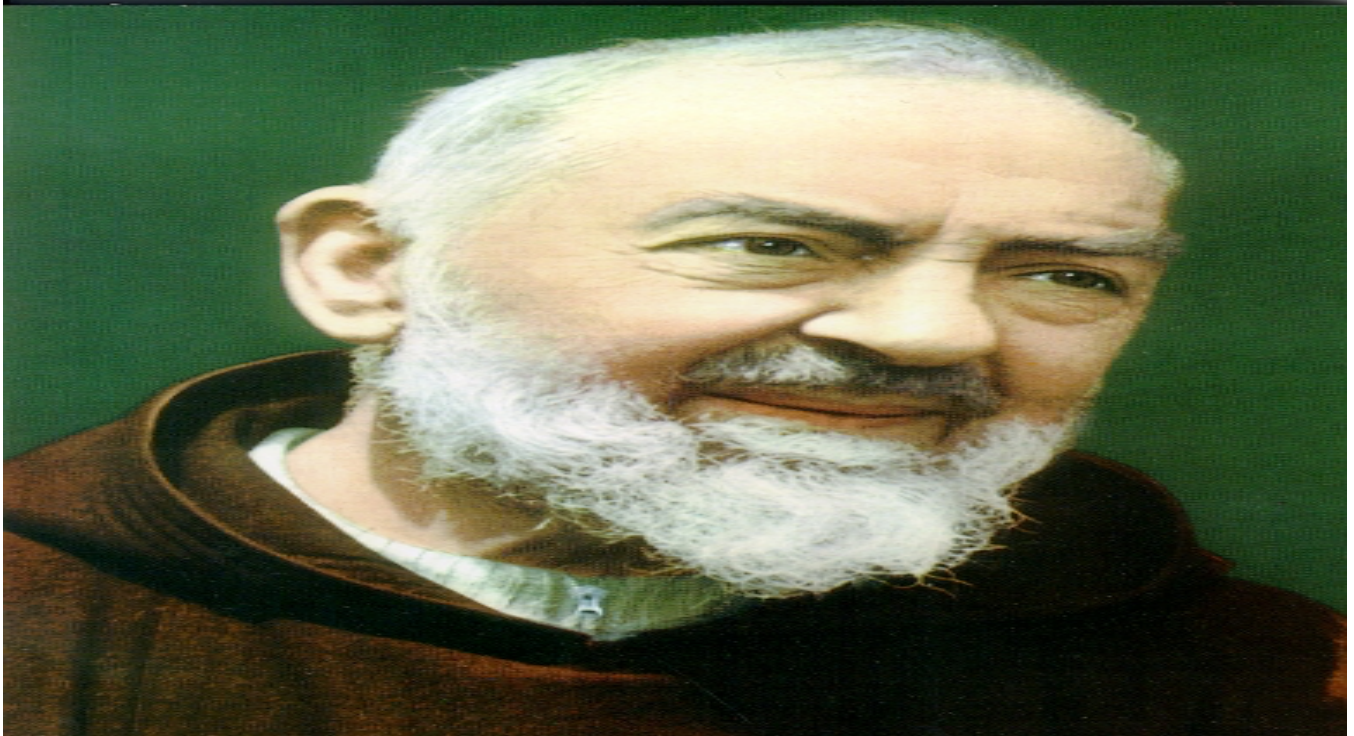


SAINT PADRE PIO ONE-DAY PILGRIMAGE



Relics of St. Padre Pio are coming to La Crosse, WI in September

And we are going to go! The Cathedral of St. Joseph the Workman will be a stop on a U.S. tour of the relics of St. Padre Pio on **Wednesday, September 20.**

Some of the relics to be exhibited include a reliquary with Padre Pio's hair, a shirt with the blood of the stigmata, his habit and priestly vestments, and one of his gloves, used to cover his stigmata.

According to the Saint Pio Foundation, the five marks of our Lord's passion appeared on Padre Pio's body on September 20, 1918, making him the only stigmatized priest in the history of the Catholic Church. Many people were attracted to his confessional and many

more received his saintly counsel and spiritual guidance through correspondence.

The tour of Padre Pio's relics celebrates the 130th anniversary of his birth and the 15th anniversary of his canonization as a saint.

For more information about Padre Pio, visit www.saintpiofoundation.org

- What:** Pilgrimage to LaCrosse, WI
When: September 20, 2017
Departing St. Victoria at 7:30am
Returning at 5:30pm (approximately)
Cost: \$10 per person for transportation plus spending money for lunch, free will offering to St. Pio Foundation and gift shop
Where: 530 Main St.
La Crosse, WI 54601