

July 30

Blessed Solanus Casey, Priest

[Capuchin, Simplex priest, Porter 1870-1957; Beatified on November 18, 2017]

The memorial is celebrated using the readings from that day along with prayers from the Commons section of the Roman Missal: *Of Holy Men and Women, "D," For Religious.*

The following propers provided from the Capuchin Missal may also be used:

Entrance Antiphon

May all your works thank you, O Lord,
and all your Holy ones bless you.
They shall speak of the glory of your reign,
and declare your mighty deeds.

see Psalm 144:10-11

Collect

O God, who in your providence
conformed Blessed Solanus Casey to the image of your Son
making him tireless in service to the poor,
by his intercession and example, grant also to us
the same generosity and joy in giving of ourselves
in service to our neighbor.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.

**Prayer over
the Offerings**

Receive, O Lord, the offerings of your people,
and grant that we, who celebrate
your Son's work of boundless charity,
may, by example of Blessed Solanus,
be confirmed in love of you and of our neighbor.
Through Christ our Lord.

**Communion
Antiphon**

The greatest among you must be your servant,
says the Lord.

Matthew 23:11

**Prayer after
Communion**

Make us, who have been nourished
by this sacred meal, almighty God,
always follow the example of Blessed Solanus
in serving you with constant devotion
and assisting all with untiring charity.
Through Christ our Lord.