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Trusting in God's Love

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June is a month that is more heart-shaped than February because it is centered on the greatest love being poured from Jesus' Sacred Heart.

It consolingly reminds us that our God has a heart – a very human heart like yours and mine – that continues to beat with love for us in Heaven. God has wanted to have a heart like ours so that we may grow in our trust in Him, for everything.

This is also perhaps why June celebrates fatherhood, because it also invites us to see how God's fatherly providence misses out on nothing for our good, especially for attaining our heavenly goal.

It is a good time to ask for the grace of trusting more in God and His fatherly plans for us. One way to grow in trust is to imagine how the heart is like a portal to our Lord's Sacred Heart. When our hearts experience moments of joy, sorrow, anger and despair, etcetera, these become switches that open our Lord's Heart to receive our powerful heartfelt moments in family prayer, the sacraments and our work.

May Jesus' Sacred Heart pour its mercy and compassion upon us and our families.