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Thousands visit St. Maria's relics

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The bells pealed during the services at Our Lady of Mercy Church in Baton Rouge on Oct. 21. An Our Lady of Mercy relic was placed in the casket and the crowd's excitement quickly turned to prayer for the saint.

St. Maria Goretti, whose body was placed in the casket, was the Virgin Mary who was killed in a town near Anagnino in 1920. She was placed in the casket in front of the altar, where people regularly stopped by through the glass to pray for her. She was placed in the casket in front of the altar, where people regularly stopped by through the glass to pray for her. She was placed in the casket in front of the altar, where people regularly stopped by through the glass to pray for her.

Thousands of people gathered at Our Lady of Mercy Church in Baton Rouge, Oct. 21 - Nov. 1. Photo: Debbie Shelby

St. Elizabeth sisters use eggshells to hatch fund-raising idea

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