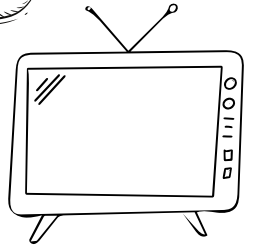




ST. CLARE OF ASSISI



Feast: August 11
Patronage: eye disease,
goldsmiths, laundry,
television, bicycle
messengers, good weather,
and needle workers.

"We become what we love and who we
love shapes what we become."

-St. Clare of Assisi



Near the end of her life on
Christmas Eve in the year
1252, Clare felt sad because
she couldn't go to Mass at
the new Basilica of St.
Francis because she was
sick. But then, something
amazing happened! She saw
and heard the Mass right on
her wall, even though she
was several miles away. It
was like a special gift just
for her.

