

## **THE MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY:**

The Joyful Mysteries (recited on Mondays and Saturdays)

The Annunciation

The Visitation

The Nativity

The Presentation

The Finding of Jesus in the Temple

The Sorrowful Mysteries (recited on Tuesdays and Fridays)

The Agony in the garden

The Scourging

The Crowning with thorns

The Carrying of the cross

The Crucifixion

The Glorious Mysteries (recited on Tuesdays and Fridays)

The Resurrection

The Ascension

The Coming of the Holy Spirit

The Assumption of Mary

The Coronation of Mary

The Luminous Mysteries (recited on Thursdays)

Christ's baptism in the Jordan River.

Christ's self-manifestation at the wedding of Cana.

Christ's proclamation of the kingdom of god. With his call to conversion

Christ's transfiguration on mount tabor.

Christ's institution of the most holy Eucharist as the sacramental expression of the paschal mystery—his passion, death and resurrection.

How to pray the Rosary

(On the cross) make the sign of the cross and say the Apostles' Creed.

(On the first big bead) say the Our Father.

(On the little beads) say three Hail Mary's.

(On the second big bead) announce the first mystery and then say the Our Father.

(On the little beads) say ten Hail Mary's.

(Between the last little bead and the big bead) say the glory be to the father. After the glory be you may say the Fatima Prayer, which is (optional).

Repeat (4), (5) & (6) for the next four mysteries and decade's

After the rosary you may pray the Hail, Holy Queen.

## THE PRAYERS OF THE ROSARY

### The Apostles Creed

I believe in god, the father almighty, creator of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, his only son, our lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, Born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified; died and was buried. He descended into hell; the third day he rose again from The dead; he ascended into heaven; sits at the right hand of god, the father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic Church the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins. The resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

### The Our Father

Our father. Who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread: and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation. But deliver us from evil. Amen.

### The Hail Mary

Hail Mary. Full of grace. The lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women. And blessed is the fruit of thy womb. Jesus. Holy Mary. Mother of god. Pray for us sinners. Now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

### The Glory Be

Glory be to the father, and to the son. And to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. World without end. Amen.

### Fatima Prayer

“Oh my Jesus, pardon our sins, save us from the fire of hell, and bring all souls to heaven, especially those who have most need of your mercy.”

### Hail Holy Queen

Hail, holy queen, mother of mercy. Hail our life, our sweetness and our Hope. To you do we cry, poor banished children of eve. To you do we send up Our signs, mourning and weeping in this valley tears. Turn then, most gracious advocate, your eyes of mercy toward us. And after this our exile Show unto us the blessed fruit of your womb. Jesus. O clement O loving. O Sweet Virgin Mary. Queen of the most holy rosary, pray for us.

### Rosary Prayer

God. Whose only-begotten son. By his life. Death and resurrection. Has purchased for Us the rewards of eternal life; grant, we beseech thee, that meditating upon these Mysteries of the most holy rosary of the blessed virgin Mary, we may learn to imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise. Through the same Christ Our lord. Amen

### Other prayers we should know

#### Grace before meals

Bless us, O lord, and these your gifts, which we are about to receive from your bounty, through Christ, our lord. Amen.

### Grace after Meals

We give you thanks. O almighty god. For all your benefits, who lives and reigns now and forever  
amen

### To my Guardian Angel

Angel of god. My guardian dear. To whom his love commits me here. Ever this day be at my  
side. To light and guard. To rule am) guide. Amen.

### Prayer to Saint Michael

Saint Michael. The archangel. Defend us in battle: be our defense against the wickedness and  
snares of the devil. May god rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do you. O prince of the heavenly  
host, by the power of god. Thrust into hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the  
world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

### Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Come Holy Spirit; fill the hearts of your faithful. And kindle en them the fire of your love.

V. Send forth your spirit and they shall be created.

R. And you shall renew the face of the earth.

Let us pray: O god. You have taught the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit; grant  
us. In the same spirit, to have a taste for what is Right, and to rejoice always in his consolation.  
Through Christ our lord. Amen.

### Act of Contrition

O my god, I am heartily sorry for having offended you, and I detest all  
My sins, because of your just punishments, but most of all because they  
Offend you, my god. Who are all good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve. With the  
help of your grace. To sin no more and to avoid the near Occasions of sin. Amen.

### Nicene Creed

We believe in one god. The father the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen  
and unseen. We believe in one lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally Begotten of the  
father. God from god, light from light, true god from true God, begotten, not made one in being  
with the father. Through him all Things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came  
down from Heaven: by the power of the Virgin Mary. And became man. For our sake he was  
crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered, died, and was buried. On the third day he arose  
again in fulfillment of the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of  
the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will  
have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the lord, the Giver of life, who proceeds from the  
father and the son. With the father and son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken  
through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge  
one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the Dead, and the life of  
the world to come. Amen.

### Act of Faith

O my god, I firmly believe that you are one god in three divine persons,  
Father, son. And Holy Spirit. I believe that your divine son became man and Died for our sins,  
and that he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe these and all the truths, which  
the holy Catholic Church teaches. Because you revealed them. Who can neither deceive nor be  
deceived. Amen.

#### Act of Hope

O my god. Trusting in your infinite goodness and promises. I hope to obtain pardon of my sins. The help of your grace, and life everlasting. Through the merits of Jesus Christ. My lord and redeemer. Amen

#### Act of Love

O my god, I love you above all things, with my whole heart and soul. Because you are all good and worthy of all my love. I love my neighbor as myself for love of you. I forgive all who have injured me. And I ask pardons of all which I have injured amen.

#### Morning Prayer

O Jesus. Through the immaculate heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys and sufferings of this day in union with the holy sacrifice of the mass throughout the world. I offer them for all the intentions of your sacred heart; the salvation of souls, reparation for sin, the reunion of all Christians. I offer them for the intentions of our bishops and for all our Associates, and in particular for those recommended by our holy father this month.

#### Evening Prayer

O my god, I adore you. And I love you with all my heart. I thank you for having created me and saved me by your grace, and for having preserved me during this day. I pray that you will take for yourself whatever good I might have done this day, and that you will forgive me whatever evil I have done. Protect me this night, and may your grace be with me always. Amen