

The Rosary

O God, come to my assistance;
O LORD, make haste to help me!
Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Queen of the Most Holy Rosary,
thou hast deigned to come to Fatima
to reveal to the three shepherd children there
the treasures of grace hidden in the Rosary.
Inspire my heart with a sincere love of this devotion,
in order that by meditating on the Mysteries of our Redemption which are recalled in it,
I may be enriched by its fruits and obtain peace for the world,
the conversion of sinners and of Russia,
and the graces which I ask of thee in this Rosary.
(Here mention your request)
I ask this for the greater glory of God, for thine own honor,
and for the good of souls, especially for my own.
Amen.

I offer this Rosary for...

For those who don't believe, I pray:
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;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will 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.

For the needs of the Catholic Church, and for the intentions of Pope Francis, I pray:

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.

For an increase of Faith, Hope, and Charity in our souls and in our world, I pray:

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.

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The Luminous Mysteries

1. The Baptism of the Lord

Spiritual fruit: openness to the holy spirit

We offer Thee, O Lord Jesus, this decade in honor of Thy baptism by John the Baptist, and we ask of Thee, through this Mystery and through the intercession of Thy holy Mother, the opening of our hearts and minds to the guidance and inspiration of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

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1. John is baptizing in the Jordan proclaiming a baptism of repentance.
2. "I am the voice of one crying in the desert, make straight the way of the Lord."
3. "One mightier than I is coming after me."
4. "I have baptized you with water, He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit."
5. Seeing Jesus, John exclaims: "Behold the Lamb of God."
6. Against protests of his unworthiness, John baptizes Jesus in the Jordan.
7. After Jesus' baptism a voice from Heaven: "This is my beloved Son in whom I am well pleased."
8. The Spirit descends upon Jesus in the form of a dove.
9. In this heavenly manifestation is instituted the sacrament of baptism.
10. The divine Trinity is manifested: the voice of the Father is heard as the Spirit descends upon the Son.

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forgive us our sins,
save us from the fire of hell,
lead all souls to heaven,
especially those who are in most need of Thy mercy.
Amen.

2. The Miracle at Cana

Spiritual fruit: to Jesus through Mary, love, the sacrament of holy matrimony

We offer Thee, O Lord Jesus, this decade in honor of Thy miracle at the wedding feast of Cana, done at Thy Mother's behest, and we ask of Thee, through this Mystery and through the intercession of Thy holy Mother, that we may come to find Thee and become Thy worthy servants, through Mary's guidance and care. Amen.

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1. Jesus, His Mother and disciples were invited to a wedding in Cana.
2. During the wedding feast the wine ran short.
3. Mary turned to Jesus: "They have no wine."
4. Jesus replied: "What would you have Me do? My hour has not yet come."
5. Mary said to the waiters: "Do whatever He tells you."
6. There were six stone water jars, each holding fifteen to twenty gallons.
7. Jesus bids the waiters to fill the jars with water, and then draw some out and take it to the chief steward.
8. The chief steward said to the groom: "Every man serves the good wine first... but you have saved the good wine until now."
9. At Mary's request, Jesus worked His first miracle.
10. By His presence, Holy Matrimony was raised to the dignity of a Sacrament.

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3. The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God

Spiritual fruit: repentance and trust in god, christian witness and conversion

We offer Thee, O Lord Jesus, this decade in honor of Thy proclamation of the Kingdom of God, and we ask of Thee,
through this Mystery and through the intercession of Thy holy Mother,
that we may obtain true repentance for our sins within our hearts, striving our hardest to obey God's will,
while placing our full and unhindered trust in Him.
Amen.

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1. "Repent, for the kingdom of God is at hand."
2. "My kingdom is not of this world."
3. "Unless a man be born again of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of heaven."
4. "Whoever does not accept the kingdom of God as a little child will not enter into it."
5. "I have come to call sinners, not the just."
6. "Love your enemies, pray for those who persecute you."
7. "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."
8. "Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for justice, for they shall be satisfied."
9. "Blessed are they who suffer persecution for justice' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."
10. "You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build My church... I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven."

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4. The Transfiguration

Spiritual fruit: desire for holiness, spiritual courage

We offer Thee, O Lord Jesus, this decade in honor of Thy Transfiguration, showing Thy divine nature and the confirmation of it by the Father, and we ask of Thee, through this Mystery and through the intercession of Thy holy Mother, that we may obtain within our hearts a true desire for holiness and the strength to live it out. Amen.

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1. Jesus took Peter, James and John up a high mountain to pray.
2. Jesus was transfigured before them.
3. "His face became as dazzling as the sun, his clothes as radiant as light."
4. This was to fortify their faith to withstand the coming tragedy of the Passion.
5. Jesus foresaw the 'scandal of the cross,' and prepared them for it by this manifestation of His glory.
6. Moses and Elias (representing the Law and the prophets of the Old Testament) were conversing with Jesus about His Passion.
7. "Do not think I have come to destroy the Law or the Prophets... but to fulfill them."
8. From a cloud came a voice: "This is my beloved Son, listen to Him."
9. Jesus admonishes them not to tell the vision to anyone until the Son of Man rises from the dead.
10. We too will behold the transfigured Jesus on the Last Day.

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5. The Institution of the Eucharist

Spiritual fruit: love of our eucharistic lord, eucharistic adoration

We offer Thee, O Lord Jesus, this decade in honor of Thy institution of the Eucharist during the last supper, and we ask of Thee, through this Mystery and through the intercession of Thy holy Mother, that we may obtain undying love, reverence, and a true desire for union with Thee in the Eucharist. Amen.

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1. I have eagerly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer.
2. Jesus took bread, blessed it: "Take and eat, this is My Body."
3. Taking the wine: "This cup is the new covenant in my Blood, shed for you."
4. At that eucharistic meal, Jesus celebrated the first Mass.
5. At every Mass the sacrifice of Calvary is made present.
6. At the Last Supper Jesus instituted the sacrament of Holy Orders to perpetuate this sacrifice.
7. "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him."
8. The Eucharist is a sacrifice inasmuch as it is offered up, and a sacrament inasmuch as it is received.
9. In the Mass we offer ourselves to God, and God gives himself to us.
10. The Mass will be fruitful in the measure of our surrender to the Father.

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Amen.

Hail, holy Queen, mother of mercy,
our life, our sweetness, and our hope.
To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve.
To thee do we send up our sighs,
mourning and weeping in this valley of tears.
Turn, then, most gracious advocate,
thine eyes of mercy toward us;
and after this, our exile,
show us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.
Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.
That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.
Amen.

Let us Pray.

O 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 on these mysteries of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
we may imitate what they contain, and obtain what they promise, through the same Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle;
be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray: and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts,
thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world, seeking the ruin of souls.
O Angel of God, my Guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here.
Ever this night be at my side, to light, to guard, to rule, and to guide.
Amen.

May the Divine Assistance remain always with us,
and may the souls of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen.

To you, O blessed Joseph,
do we come in our tribulation,
and having implored the help of your most holy Spouse,
we confidently invoke your patronage also.
Through that charity which bound you
to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God
and through the paternal love
with which you embraced the Child Jesus,
we humbly beg you graciously to regard the inheritance
which Jesus Christ has purchased by his Blood,
and with your power and strength to aid us in our necessities.
O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family,
defend the chosen children of Jesus Christ;
O most loving father, ward off from us
every contagion of error and corrupting influence;
O our most mighty protector, be kind to us
and from heaven assist us in our struggle
with the power of darkness.
As once you rescued the Child Jesus from deadly peril,
so now protect God's Holy Church
from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity;
shield, too, each one of us by your constant protection,
so that, supported by your example and your aid,
we may be able to live piously, to die in holiness,
and to obtain eternal happiness in heaven.
Amen.

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary,
that never was it known that anyone who fled to your protection,
implored your help, or sought your intercession, was left unaided.
Inspired with this confidence, I fly unto you, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother.
To you do I come; before you I stand, sinful and sorrowful.
O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in your mercy hear and answer me.
We fly to thy protection, O Holy Mother of God.
Do not despise our petitions in our necessities, but deliver us always from all dangers,
O Glorious and Blessed Virgin.
Amen.