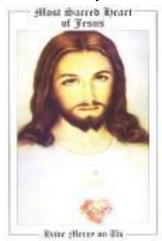
# PERPETUAL LITURGICAL NOVENA TO THE

## SACRED HEART OF JESUS



**Leader** (Greeting): My dear brothers & sisters in Christ let us begin our Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus... IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER, AND OF THE SON, AND OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

All: AMEN.

L: God, come to our assistance; All: Lord, make haste to help us.

L: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

All: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

Song (related to the Sacred Heart): L & All (all kneel)....:

# **CONSECRATION**

O Heart of Jesus, fountain of every blessing. I adore you, I love you, and with a lively sorrow for my sins, I offer you this poor heart of mine.

Make me humble, patient, pure, and wholly obedient to your will.

Grant that I may live in you and for you.

Protect me in the midst of danger, comfort me in my afflictions, give me health of body, assistance in my temporal needs, your blessing on all that I do, and the grace of a holy death. Amen.

## INDULGENCED EJACULATIONS

O Most Merciful Jesus, we consecrate ourselves today and always to Your Most Sacred Heart.

Jesus, meek and humble of heart, make our hearts like Your Heart. (Indulgence of 500 days, no.227)

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus we implore, that we may ever love You more and more.

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, we trust in You!

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us! (Indulgence of 500 days. No. 242).

# **NOVENA PRAYER**

Divine Jesus,/ You have said,/ "Ask, and you shall receive;/ seek, and you shall find;/ knock, and it shall be opened unto you,"/ behold me, kneeling at Your Feet,/filled with a lively faith and confidence/ in the promises dictated by Your Sacred Heart/ and pronounced by Your adorable lips./ I come to ask this favor:/ (Here silently mention your petitions.)

To whom can I turn if not to You/ whose Heart is the source of all graces and merits?/ Where should I seek if not in the treasure/which contains all the riches of Your kindness and mercy?/ Where must I knock / if not at the door through which God gives Himself to us/ and through which we go to God?/ I have recourse to You, Heart of Jesus./ In You I find consolation when afflicted,/ protection when persecuted,/ strength when burdened with trials,/ and light in doubt and darkness.

Dear Jesus,/ I firmly believe/ that You can grant me the grace I implore,/ even though it should require a miracle./ You have only to will it,/ and my prayer will be granted/ I admit that I am most unworthy of Your favors,/ but this is not a reason for me to be discouraged./ You are the God of mercy/ and You will not refuse a contrite heart./ Cast upon me a look of mercy,/ I beg of You,/ and Your kind Heart will find in my miseries and weakness/ a reason for granting my prayer.

O Sacred Heart,/ whatever may be Your decision with regard to my request,/ I will never stop adoring, loving, praising, and serving You./ My Jesus,/be pleased to accept this my act of perfect resignation/ to the decrees of Your adorable Heart/ which I sincerely desire may be fulfilled in and by me and all Your creatures forever.

Sacred Heart of Jesus,/ I know that there is but one thing impossible to You:/ to be without pity for those who are suffering or in distress./ Look upon me,/ I beg of You, dear Jesus,/ and grant me the grace for which I humbly implore You/ through the Immaculate heart of Your most sorrowful Mother./ You have entrusted me to her as her

child,/and her prayers are all powerful with You. Amen.

# PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

O Lord, I pray that in my home, peace, quiet and well being may prevail under the shadow of Your holy mantle. Bless and protect, O Lord, my endeavors, my enterprises, and all those who depend on me and everything that I long for and desire. Banish from my mind and my heart false ideas and evil sentiments. Infuse in me a love of my neighbor and grant me the means to help him/her. Give me resignation and fortitude of spirit in time of adversity, so that I may rise above the contradictions of life. Guide and protect, O Lord, my own who are exposed to the dangers and contingencies of the world, do not forget, O my Jesus, our loved ones with whom we were united in life and whose departure from this earth caused us sorrow, at the same time consoled by the thought that, because they remained faithful to You, You did not abandon them at the hour of death. Have pity on them, 0 Lord, and bring them to

# their eternal glory in heaven. Amen.

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After Communion...:

## NOVENA OF CONFIDENCE TO THE SACRED HEART

(To be prayed in silent by the individual after communion)

O Lord, Jesus Christ, To your Most Sacred Heart I confide this intention...

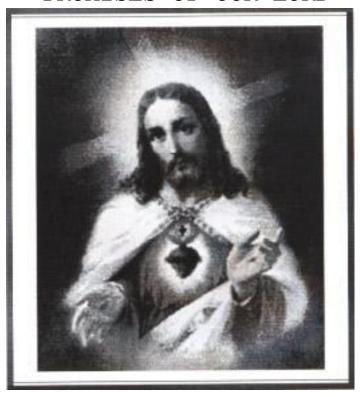
(Here mention your request)

Only look upon me then do what Your Heart inspires. Let Your Sacred Heart decide. I count on it. I trust in it. I throw myself on its mercy. Lord Jesus! You will not fail me. Sacred heart of Jesus, I trust in Thee. Sacred Heart of Jesus, I believe in Thy love for me. Sacred Heart of Jesus, Thy Kingdom Come.

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, I have asked for many favors, but I earnestly implore this one. Take it, place in it thy Sacred Heart. When the Eternal Father it sees covered with Thy Precious Blood, He will not refuse it. will be no longer prayer but Thine, 0 Jesus. 0 Heart of Sacred Jesus, place my trust In Thee. Let me never be confounded. Amen.

Nihil Obstat: P.L. Biermann Imprimatur: + George Cardinal Mundelein

#### PROMISES OF OUR LORD



"I promise you, in the excessive mercy of my heart that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Friday for nine consecutive months, the grace of final repentance; they shall not die in my disgrace nor without receiving the sacraments; my divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in that last moment."

- 1. I will give them all the graces necessary for their state in life.
- 2.1 will give peace in their families.
- 3. I will console them in all their troubles.
- 4. They shall find m My Heart an assured refuge during life and especially at the hour of death.
- 5. I will pour abundant blessings on all their undertakings.
- 6. Sinners shall find in My Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
- 7. Tepid souls shall become fervent.
- 8. Fervent souls shall speedily rise to great perfection.

- 9. I will bless the homes in which the image of My Sacred Heart shall be exposed and honoured.
- 10. I will give to priests the power to touch the most hardened hearts.
- 11. Those who propagate this devotion shall have their name written in My Heart, and it shall never be effaced.
- 12. The all-powerful love of My Heart will grant to all those who shall receive Communion on the First Friday of nine consecutive months the grace of final repentance; they shall not die under My displeasure, nor without receiving their Sacraments; My Heart shall be their assured refuge at the last hour.

# The Twelve Promises Of the Sacred Heart to Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque

Image - Holy Communion - First Fridays



Our Lord appeared to St. Margaret Mary and revealed the devotions to His Sacred Heart. She was favoured with many apparitions, the most special ones took place between 1673 and 1675.

They took place as St. Margaret was praying before the Blessed Sacrament and Our Lord revealed all the Love that is enclosed in His Sacred Heart for humanity. He requested her to receive Him in Holy Communion of the first Friday of every month and to meditate the passion on Thursdays between 11 and 12 p.m.

"And He showed me that it was His great desire of being loved by men and of withdrawing them from the path of ruin into which Satan hurls such crowds of them, that made Him form the design of manifesting His Heart to men."

As Good Catholics, we should honour the Sacred Heart of Jesus by doing this devotion for 9 consecutive Fridays and then by attending Holy Communion as often as possible, daily if our gift is such, we must enthrone an image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in our homes as Our King and also an image of the Immaculate Heart of Mary our Mother and Queen.

We should also practice devotions to the Immaculate Heart of Mary on the First Saturdays of the months as she has requested through Sister Lucy.

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Please Keep In Mind...

# SACRED HEART OF JESUS

**NOVENA & MASS** 

Every First Friday of the Month 7:00 P.M.

At:

St. Kevin's Catholic Church 50 Oaks Avenue, DEE WHY