# PRAYERS OF THE HOLY ROSARY

Blessed are you, O' Virgin Mary, Mother of God deserving of all praise; from you rose the Son of Justice, Jesus Christ our Lord and King. Forever and ever. Amen

The Holy Rosary .. In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

Come Holy Spirit fill the hearts of the faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your spirit and they shall be created and you shall renew the face of the earth

Let us pray. Oh God who has taught the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant that by the gift of the same spirit, we may always be truly wise, and ever rejoice in his consolation. Through Christ our Lord Amen

We unite ourselves with all the Saints in heaven and with all the just on earth, we unite ourselves with you our Jesus, in order to praise your Mother worthily, and to praise you in her, and by her; We renounce all the distractions that may come to us while we are praying this Rosary. Amen

Holy Mother, we ask for your intercession, for all of the intentions that we now mention in the stillness of our hearts...(pause)

### (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 Pilot, was crucified died and was buried, He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence 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

(1) Our Father...

For an increase in Faith, Hope and Charity

(3) Hail Mary full of grace...

#### Glory be the Father...

**O my Jesus,** forgive us our sins, save us from the fire of hell, lead all souls to heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy. And Jesus by Your Precious Blood protect and save the unborn and console the souls in purgatory especially those most abandoned.

(Mon & Sat) The ( ) Joyful Mystery..

(1<sup>st</sup>) The Annunciation – Mary learns that she has been chosen to be the Mother of God (Fruit of the mystery- Humility)
(2<sup>nd</sup>) The Visitation - Mary visits Elizabeth, who tells her that She will always be remembered as Blessed. (Fruit of the mystery- Love of Neighbor)
(3<sup>rd</sup>) The Nativity - Jesus Our Savior is born in a poor stable in Bethlehem. (Fruit of the mystery- Humility and Poverty of Spirit)
(4<sup>th</sup>) The Presentation - Mary and Joseph take the infant Jesus to the Temple to present him to God. (Fruit of the mystery-Obedience to Superiors)
(5<sup>th</sup>) The Finding of Jesus in the Temple -

Jesus is found in the Temple discussing his

faith and the Messiah with the teachers. (Fruit of the mystery- Piety, the Love of God)

(Tues & Fri) The ( ) Sorrowful Mystery..

(1<sup>st</sup>) The Agony in the Garden - Jesus sorrowfully sweats tears of blood for the conversion of all sinners through His suffering so the gates of salvation might be re-opened by God's divine mercy. (Fruit of the mystery -Heartful Contrition for Sin) (2<sup>nd</sup>) The Scourging at the Pillar - Jesus is brutally beaten with whips to the point of death, suffering all without opening His mouth, for our sins and redemption. (Fruit of the mystery- Mortification of the Flesh) (3<sup>rd</sup>) The Crowning with Thorns - Jesus is mocked as a king and painfully crowned with thorns. (Fruit of the mystery- Moral Courage)

(4<sup>th</sup>) **The Carrying of the Cross** - Near death from the relentless scourging, Jesus carries His Cross that will be used to crucify Him for our sinfulness. (Fruit of the mystery- Patience in Suffering) (5<sup>th</sup>) **The Crucifixion**- Jesus arms and legs are stretched horrifically, and He is nailed to the cross and suffers in silence. After three hours He prays to His Father.. "Into Your hands I commit my Spirit". Having said this, He breathed His last. (*pause*) (Fruit of the mystery- Redemption and Salvation of Mortals through Faith)

## (Wed & Sun) The ( ) Glorious Mystery..

(1<sup>st</sup>) **The Resurrection:** God the Father raises Jesus His Only Begotten Son body and body from the dead into eternal life. (**Fruit of the mystery: Faith in Jesus**)

(2<sup>nd</sup>) **The Ascension:** And the angel told them, "This Jesus who has been taken up from you into heaven will return in the same way to you from heaven. (**Fruit of the mystery: Hope for Eternal Life**)

(3<sup>rd</sup>) **The Descent of the Holy Spirit:** And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim. (**Fruit of the mystery: The Gift of Wisdom**)

(4<sup>th</sup>) **The Assumption of Mary:** And like Blessed Mary, if we believe that Jesus died and rose, so too will God through Jesus, bring with Him those who have fallen asleep in faith. (**Fruit of the mystery: Grace of a Happy Death**)

(5<sup>th</sup>) The Coronation of Mary: A great sign appeared in the sky, a women clothed with the sun, with the moon under Her feet, and on Her head a crown of twelve stars. (Fruit of the mystery: Trust in Mary's Intercession)

(Thur) The ( ) Luminous Mystery..

(1<sup>st</sup>) The Baptism of Jesus in the River
Jordan - God proclaims that Jesus is His
beloved Son. (Fruit of the mysteryOpenness to the Holy Spirit)
(2<sup>nd</sup>) The Wedding Feast at Cana – By the
will of Jesus, Mary requests that Jesus

perform His first miracle by changing the water into wine. (Fruit of the mystery- To Jesus through Mary) (3<sup>rd</sup>) The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God - Jesus calls all to conversion and service into His Kingdom. (Fruit of the mystery- Repentance, Trust in God) (4th) The Transfiguration of Jesus - Jesus is transformed into His glory which is witnessed by Peter, James, and John. (Fruit of the mystery- Desire for Holiness) (5<sup>th</sup>) The Institution of the Eucharist - At the Last Supper Jesus consecrated bread and wine as His true Body and Blood to be present with us as our heavenly nourishment as we journey with Him toward everlasting life. (Fruit of the mystery- Adoration of God through the Eucharist)

(After 5<sup>th</sup> Decade)

## Hail Holy Queen

*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 unto 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.

*Let us pray*: O God, whose only-begotten Son, by His life, death and resurrection, has purchased

for us the rewards of eternal salvation; grant, we beseech Thee, that, meditating upon 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

## The Memorare

**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 by this confidence we fly unto you, O Virgin of Virgins, our Mother. To you do we come, before you we stand, sinful and sorrowful. O' Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer us. Amen.

# Prayer to St. Michael

**St. 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 thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

(3) *Most Sacred Heart of Jesus*, have mercy on us.

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