

*Begin this Novena (02/12/23) to end on Shrove Tuesday (02/21/23) in honor of the  
The Holy Face of Jesus*

## A Marian Novena in honor of the Eucharistic Face of Jesus

### Day 1: THE PROMISED FACE

Lord, let the light of your Eucharistic Face shine upon us  
through the Heart of Mary!

*You have said, "Seek my face". Hide not your face from me. Psalm 26.8,9*  
Our Father, 5 Hail Marys and the Glory be... while meditating on this verse:

Seek the Holy Face of God,  
The promised face of the prophets' cry  
The One to come, in time and space  
Seek his Holy Face...  
The sacred face, the human face,  
The Holy Face of God.

O Mary, the Church has been called to contemplate the Face of Christ and to contemplate it with you. Since the mystery of the Holy Face of your Son is preserved in your heart, we ask that you open your heart and show us the Eucharistic Face of Jesus. Open the eyes of our hearts, enlarge our hearts, fix the eyes of our hearts on the Eucharistic Face of Jesus, and enthrone him in our hearts as he is in yours. As 'Woman of the Eucharist', form our hearts into shrines of his

Eucharistic Face. Amen

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to contemplate his Holy Face and truly make us one.

### Day 2: THE INCARNATE FACE

Lord, let the light of your Eucharistic Face shine upon us  
through the Heart of Mary!

*Behold, a virgin shall conceive... and name him Emmanuel. Isaiah 7:14*  
Our Father, 5 Hail Marys and the Glory be... while meditating on this verse:

Announce the Holy Face of God,  
The humble face of Emmanuel  
In Him both Heaven and Earth embrace  
Announce his Holy Face...  
The sacred face, the human face,  
The Holy Face of God.

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### **Day 3: THE JOYFUL FACE**

Lord, let the light of your Eucharistic Face shine upon us  
through the Heart of Mary!

*He will save the people from their sins. Matthew 1.21*

Our Father, 5 Hail Marys and the Glory be... while meditating on this verse:

Behold the Holy Face of God  
The joyful face of a newborn babe  
Sent here to raise our fallen race  
Behold his Holy Face...  
The sacred face, the human face,  
The Holy Face of God.

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### **Day 4: THE LUMINOUS FACE**

Lord, let the light of your Eucharistic Face shine upon us  
through the Heart of Mary!

*This life was the light of the human race. John 1.4*

Our Father, 5 Hail Marys and the Glory be... while meditating on this verse:

Proclaim the Holy Face of God  
The luminous face of the Living Word  
Light of the world in every place  
Proclaim his Holy Face...  
The sacred face, the human face,  
The Holy Face of God.

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### **Day 5: THE SORROWFUL FACE**

Lord, let the light of your Eucharistic Face shine upon us  
through the Heart of Mary!

*Christ made peace through the blood of his cross. Colossians 1.20*

Our Father, 5 Hail Marys and the Glory be... while meditating on this verse:

Revere the Holy Face of God  
The sorrowful face of the Savior scorned  
Our sins to bear, our guilt erase  
Revere his Holy Face...

The sacred face, the human face,  
The Holy Face of God.

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### **Day 6: THE GLORIOUS FACE**

Lord, let the light of your Eucharistic Face shine upon us  
through the Heart of Mary!

*His face became like the sun. Matthew 17.2*

Our Father, 5 Hail Marys and the Glory be... while meditating on this verse:

Exalt the Holy Face of God

The glorious face of the risen King

His victory won over death's disgrace

Exalt his Holy Face...

The sacred face, the human face,

The Holy Face of God.

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### **Day 7: THE EUCHARISTIC FACE**

Lord, let the light of your Eucharistic Face shine upon us  
through the Heart of Mary!

*"It is my Father who gives the true bread from heaven." John 6.32*

Adore the Holy Face of God

The loving face of the Bread of Life

True gift of heaven and font of grace

Adore his Holy Face...

The sacred face, the human face,

The Holy Face of God.

Our Father, 5 Hail Marys and Glory be, while meditating on the above verse.

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### **Day 8: THE BEATIFIC FACE**

Lord, let the light of your Eucharistic Face shine upon us  
through the Heart of Mary!

*Their angels in heaven continually behold his face. Matthew 18:10*

Our Father, 5 Hail Marys and the Glory be... while meditating on this verse:

Praise the Holy Face of God

The radiant face of our heavenly hope

Upon whom saints and angels gaze

Praise his Holy Face...

The sacred face, the human face,

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### **Day 9: THE VENERABLE FACE**

Lord, let the light of your Eucharistic Face shine upon us  
through the Heart of Mary!

*Pray and seek my face... then I will hear from heaven. 2 Chronicles 7.14*

Our Father, 5 Hail Marys and the Glory be... while meditating on this verse:

Invoke the Holy Face of God

The merciful face of our blessed Lord

May Christian hearts in every place

Invoke his Holy Face...

The sacred face, the human face,

The Holy Face of God.

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