

Group Rosary

Leader (V): ✠ In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

The Apostles' Creed:

V: 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.

Respondent (R): 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.

Our Father:

V: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

R: 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.

Hail Mary:

V: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

R: Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

Glory be:

V: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

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

O my Jesus (Fatima Prayer):

All (A): O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, especially those most in need of thy mercy.

Hail, Holy Queen:

A: 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.

Rosary Prayer:

A: 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 while 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.

St. Michael the Archangel (optional):

A: St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our safeguard 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, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls.

How to Pray The Rosary

6. Pray the Glory Be and the O my Jesus (Fatima Prayer). Then announce the Next Mystery and pray one Our Father.

5. Pray ten Hail Mary

8. Pray the Hail, Holy Queen, the Rosary Prayer, and the St. Michael the Archangel Prayer (optional).

4. Pray the Glory Be. Then announce the First Mystery and pray one Our Father.

3. Pray three Hail Mary

7. Repeat until the five decades are prayed

2. Pray the Our Father

1. Make the sign of the cross and say the Apostles's Creed

9. Finish with making the sign of the cross.



Mysteries of Rosary

The Joyful Mysteries (Mon. and Sat.)

1. **The Annunciation** - "And he came to her and said, 'Hail, O favored one, the Lord is with you!'" (Lk 1:28)
2. **The Visitation** - "And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit and she exclaimed with a loud cry, 'Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb!'" (Lk 1:41-42)
3. **The Nativity** - "[Mary] gave birth to her first-born[a] son and wrapped him in swaddling cloths, and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn." (Lk 2:7)
4. **The Presentation** - "And when the time came for their purification according to the law of Moses, they brought him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord" (Lk 2:22)
5. **The Finding in the Temple** - "After three days they found him in the temple, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions; and all who heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers." (Lk 2:46-47)

The Sorrowful Mysteries (Tues. and Fri.)

1. **The Agony in the Garden** - "Watch[a] and pray that you may not enter into temptation; the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak." (Mt 26:41)
2. **The Scourging at the Pillar** - "[Pilate said] 'I am innocent of this righteous man's blood; see to it yourselves.' And all the people answered, 'His blood be on us and on our children!' Then he... having scourged Jesus, delivered him to be crucified." (Mt 27:24, 26)
3. **The Crowning with Thorns** - "They stripped him and put a scarlet robe upon him, and plaiting a crown of thorns they put it on his head, and put a reed in his right hand. And kneeling before him they mocked him, saying, 'Hail, King of the Jews!'" (Mt. 27:27-29)
4. **The Carrying of the Cross** - "So they took Jesus, and he went out, bearing his own cross, to the place called the place of a skull" (Jn 19:17)
5. **The Crucifixion** - "But standing by the cross of Jesus were his mother, and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Mag'dalene" (Jn 19:25)

The Glorious Mysteries (Wed. and Sun.)

1. **The Resurrection** - "Entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe; and they were amazed. And he said to them, 'Do not be amazed; you seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen, he is not here; see the place where they laid him.'" (Mk 16:5-6)
2. **The Ascension** - "So then the Lord Jesus, after he had spoken to them, was taken up into heaven, and sat down at the right hand of God." (Mk 16:19)
3. **The Descent of the Holy Spirit** - "And there appeared to them tongues as of fire, distributed and resting on each one of them." (Acts 2:3)
4. **The Assumption of Mary** - "My beloved speaks and says to me: 'Arise, my love, my fair one, and come away; for lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone.'" (Songs 2:10-11)
5. **The Coronation of Mary** - "And a great portent appeared in heaven, a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars;" (Rv 12:1)

The Luminous Mysteries (Optional – Thurs.)

1. **The Baptism of Jesus in Jordan** - "When Jesus was baptized, he went up immediately from the water, and behold, the heavens were opened and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and alighting on him; and lo, a voice from heaven, saying, 'This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.'" (Mt. 3:16-17)
2. **The Wedding Feast at Cana** - "His mother said to the servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.'" (Jn 2:5)
3. **The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God** - "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent, and believe in the gospel." (Mk 1:15)
4. **The Transfiguration** - "He was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his garments became white as light." (Mt 17:2)
5. **The institution of the Eucharist** - "[Jesus] took bread, and blessed, and broke it, and gave it to them, and said, 'Take; this is my body.' And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, and they all drank of it." (Mk 14:22-23)

Full List of Scriptural References

Joyful Mysteries

1. Annunciation
 1. Mt 1:18-25
 2. Lk 1:26-58
2. Visitation
 1. Lk 1:39-43
 2. Lk 1:46-56
3. Nativity

Luminous Mysteries

1. Baptism
 1. Mt 3:1-17
 2. Mk 1:1-11
 3. Lk 3:1-22
 4. Jn 1:19-34
2. Wedding at Cana
 1. Jn 2:1-12
3. Preaching of the Kingdom
 1. Mt 4:12-17
 2. Mk 1:14+15

Sorrowful Mysteries

1. Agony in the Garden
 1. Mt 25:31-35 + 26:36-46 + 26:47-56
 2. Mk 14:26-31 + 14:32-53
 3. Lk 22:31-34 + 22:39-46 22:47-53
 4. Jn 16:16-33 + 17:1-25
2. Scourging at the Pillar
 1. Mt 27:11-26
 2. Mk 15:1-15
 3. Lk 23:1-25
 4. Jn 18:28-19
3. Crowning of Thorns
 1. Mt 27:27-30
 2. Mk 15:16-20

Glorious Mysteries

1. The Resurrection
 1. Mt 28-25
 2. Mk 16:1-13
 3. Lk 24:1-59
 4. Jn chapter 20 & 21
2. Ascension
 1. Mt 28:16-20
 2. Mk 16:19-20
 3. Lk 24:50-53
 4. Acts 1:6-11

1. Mt 2:1-12
2. Lk 2:1-20
3. Jn 1:1-18
4. Presentation
 1. Lk 2:21-40
5. Finding in the Temple
 1. Lk 2:41-52

3. Lk 4:14+15
4. The Transfiguration
 1. Mt 17:1-8
 2. Mk 9:2-13
 3. Lk 9:28-36
5. The institution of the Eucharist
 1. Mt 26:17-30
 2. Mk 14:12-25
 3. Lk 22:7-23
 4. Jn 6:22-71

3. Jn 19:2-26
4. Carrying the Cross
 1. Mt 27:32-44
 2. Mk 15:21-24
 3. Lk 23:26-31
 4. Jn 19:17
5. Crucifixion of Our Lord
 1. Mt 27:45-56
 2. Mk 15:25-41
 3. Lk 23:32-49
 4. Jn 19:19-37
 5. Ps 22

3. Descent of the Holy Spirit
 1. Acts 2:1-4
4. Assumption of the BVM
 1. Sg 2:10-11
 2. Rv 11:19
5. Coronation of the BVM
 1. Rv 12:1-6
 2. 1 Kgs 2:19-20
 3. Lk 1:42-43

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