FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

To Our Lady Of Fatima



Let us acknowledge the overflowing love of the Holy Triune God and His presence in our midst as we make the sign of the cross ... *In the name of the Father, & of the Son & of the Holy Spirit. Amen.*

Almighty Father, I place the Precious Blood of Jesus before our lips before we pray, that our prayers, may be purified before they ascend to Thy divine altar. (St. Mary Magdalen de Pazzi)

OPENING PRAYER

L: Most loving Father in Heaven, as we acknowledge Your Holy presence. We come before You to heed the request of Our Lady of Fatima to offer this meditated rosary in reparation for the blasphemies against the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus and her Immaculate and Sorrowful Heart that has been so offended. Send forth Your Holy Spirit to be with us, to guard us, and sanctify our prayers as we meditate the Joyful Mysteries.

We offer this Holy Rosary for the Conversion of sinners, Peace in the World, Protection of the Unborn and For our own Personal intentions.

Prayer to Our Lady of Fatima

ALL: Most Holy Virgin, you came to Fatima to reveal to three little children the treasure of graces hidden in the recitation of the Rosary. Inspire my heart with a sincere love of this devotion so that, by meditating on the mysteries of our redemption that it recalls, I may gather the fruits and obtain the special grace which I ask of you during these fifteen minutes for the greater glory of God, for your honor, and for the good of souls. Amen.



Let us now meditate on the Joyful Mysteries...

L: 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; sits at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from there He shall come to judge the living and the dead. **ALL:** 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.

L :For the guidance, wisdom and protection of Pope Francis, Our Father (once)...

L: For an increase of faith, hope and love, Hail Mary (3X) ...

L: Glory Be (once)...
ALL: O my Jesus...

L: Jesus, Protect and Save the Unborn. R: Amen.

L: O Mary conceived without sin,

R: Pray for us who have recourse to thee.

Chant Fatima Ave, Ave, Ave...

1st Joyful Mystery – The Annunciation

(Luke 1:26-38)

Let us consider in this mystery – how the Angel Gabriel was sent from God to a town called Nazareth to a virgin, whose name was Mary, and who was betrothed to a man named Joseph. And when the angel had come to her, he said: "Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women."

When Mary had heard these words, she was troubled, and kept pondering what manner of greeting this might be.

But the angel drew near and said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. Behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall name him Jesus. He will be great and will be called Son of the Most High." And Mary said to the angel: "How can this be, since I have no relations with a man?" And the angel answered and said to her, "The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you.

Therefore, the child to be born will be called holy, the Son of God. And behold, Elizabeth, your relative, has also conceived a son in her old age, and this is the sixth month for her who was called barren; for nothing will be impossible for God."

Mary, bowing her head in humility, answered: "Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord. May it be done according to your word." And the Angel departed from her.

Prayer:(all together)

Immaculate Heart of Mary, by the message of an Angel, the Holy Spirit overshadowed you. Your most pure and virginal womb became the sacramental tabernacle sheltering the Son of God. At Fatima, the Angel of Portugal came with a message for the three shepherd children to prepare them for your heavenly visit: "Do not be afraid! I am the Angel of Peace. Pray with me: My God I believe, I adore, I hope, and I love you! I ask pardon of You for those who do not believe, do not adore, do not hope, and do not love You." Help me to pray and live the Angel's prayer at Fatima.

Grace of the mystery: Trust and conformity to the adorable Will of God.

Recite: L: Our Father; x1 Hail Mary; x10

Glory be; x1

ALL: O my Jesus...

L: Jesus, Protect and Save the Unborn.

R: Amen.

L: O Mary conceived without sin,

R: Pray for us who have recourse to thee.

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2nd Joyful Mystery - The Visitation

(Luke 1:39-56)

Let us consider in this mystery – how the Blessed Virgin Mary arose and went into the hill country, to a town of Judah, to visit her cousin Elizabeth, who in her old age, was soon to give birth to Saint John the Baptist.

No sooner did Mary enter into the house than Elizabeth, filled with the Holy Spirit, cried out with a loud voice saying, "Most blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. And how does this happen to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?

For at the moment the sound of your greeting reached my ears, the infant in my womb leaped up for joy. Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled." Whereupon Mary replied with that canticle of canticles, The Magnificat.

The Magnificat (all together)

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, my spirit rejoices in God my Savior. For He has looked upon His handmaid's lowliness; behold from now on will all ages will call me blessed.

The Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is His Name.

His mercy is from age to age to those who fear Him. He has shown might with His arm, dispersed the arrogant of mind and heart.

He has thrown down the rulers from their thrones, but lifted up the lowly. The hungry He has filled with good things, the rich he has sent away empty.

He has helped Israel His servant, remembering His mercy according to His promise to our fathers, to Abraham and to his descendants forever.

Prayer: (all together)

Immaculate Heart of Mary, your visit to your cousin, Elizabeth, filled her heart with song and praise. At Fatima, you visited the three little shepherds. They, too, were captured by your love: "Do not be afraid. I will do you no harm. Pray the Rosary every day in order to obtain peace for the world, and the end of the war." "When you pray the Rosary, say after each mystery: O my Jesus forgive us, save us from the fire of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, especially those who are most in need." Abide in my heart, also, and grant me the grace to remain faithful to your Rosary.

Grace of the Mystery: True charity towards our neighbor.

Recite: L: Our Father; x1 Hail Mary; x10

Glory be; x1

ALL: O my Jesus...

L: Jesus, Protect and Save the Unborn.

R: Amen.

L: O Mary conceived without sin,

R: Pray for us who have recourse to thee.

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3rd Joyful Mystery – The Nativity

(Luke 2: 1-19)

Let us consider in this mystery – how Joseph and his wife, Mary, who was with Child, went into Bethlehem, the city of David, to register according to a decree sent out by the Roman emperor commanding a census of the whole world.

And it came to pass while they were there that the days of Mary to be delivered will be fulfilled. But there was no room for them at the inn. Therefore, they took shelter in a stable where she brought forth her first born and laid Him in a manger. This was the first Christmas.

A multitude of heavenly host sang: "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace to those on whom His favor rests."

Shepherds came to adore the newborn king. And all who heard marveled at the things told by the shepherds But Mary kept in mind all those things, pondering them in her heart.

Prayer: (all together)

Immaculate Heart of Mary, heaven's angels sang in jubilation to witness the birth of Our Lord. The shepherds knelt at the manger. Soon after, the great star gleamed in the sky guiding the Magi. At Fatima, you promised a miracle for all to believe. The clouds parted on October 13th, and the great solar star danced through the heavens, once again showering favors of light upon the earth. Abide with me as I pray the interior prayer the little shepherds received in their hearts as they fell to their knees: "O Most Holy Trinity, I adore Thee! My God, my God, I love Thee in the most Blessed Sacrament!"

Grace of the Mystery: *The spirit of poverty, humility and model for families.*

Recite: L: Our Father; x1 Hail Mary; x10

Glory be; x1

ALL: O my Jesus...

L: Jesus, Protect and Save the Unborn.

R: Amen.

L: O Mary conceived without sin,

R: Pray for us who have recourse to thee.

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4th Joyful Mystery - The Presentation (Luke 2:22-39)

Let us consider in this mystery – how the Blessed Virgin Mary, on the day of her purification, together with her husband Joseph, took Jesus up to the Temple in Jerusalem to present Him to the Lord. They carried with them a pair of turtle doves, an offering which the poorest obliged to make. Now, there was in Jerusalem a devout man named Simeon. It had been revealed to this just and devout man by the Holy Spirit that he should not see death before he had seen the Messiah.

And he came by the inspiration of the Spirit into the Temple at the time when Mary and Joseph brought in the Child Jesus.

Simeon took the Child in his arms and blessed God saying: "Now, Master, you may let your servant go in peace, according to your word, for my eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in the sight of all the peoples, a light for the revelation to the Gentiles, and glory for your people Israel."

Joseph and Mary marveled at the things spoken concerning Him. Simeon blessed the Holy Family, and said to Mary: Behold this Child is destined for the fall and rise of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be contradicted (and you yourself a sword will pierce) so that the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed."

And when they had fulfilled all things as prescribed in the Law, they returned to Nazareth.

Prayer: (all together)

Immaculate Heart of Mary, your Holy Family fulfilled all precepts of the law with profound humility and God's favored blessings, yet your own soul was to be pierced by a sword. Your words to Sister Lucia grieve me deeply: "Look, my daughter, at my heart surrounded with thorns..." It is my great desire to console you and remove these thorns. I pray that your words to Sister Lucia may be applied to me: "You, at least, try to console me..."

Grace of the Mystery: *Obedience and chastity.*

Recite: L: Our Father; x1 Hail Mary; x10

Glory be; x1

ALL: O my Jesus...

L: Jesus, Protect and Save the Unborn.

R: Amen.

L: O Mary conceived without sin,

R: Pray for us who have recourse to thee.

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5th Joyful Mystery – The Finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple

(Luke 2:41-52)

Let us consider in this mystery – how the Blessed Virgin Mary, when Jesus was twelve years old, took Him to Jerusalem according to the custom of the Feast of the Passover. And after they had fulfilled the days, when they were returning, the boy Jesus remained in Jerusalem, and His parents did not know it.

But thinking that He was in the caravan, they had come a day's journey before it occurred to them to look for Him among their relatives and friends.

And they sought Him for a space of three days, and found Him in the Temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, disputing with them. And all who were listening to Him were amazed at His answers.

And when Joseph and Mary saw Him they were astonished. And His mother said to Him, "Son, why have You done this to us? Your father and I have been looking for You with great anxiety."

And He said to them, "Why were you looking for me? Did

you not know that I must be in my Father's house?"
He arose and returned with His parents to Nazareth, and was subject to them. And Jesus advanced in wisdom and age and grace before God and men.

Prayer: (all together)

Immaculate Heart of Mary, what joy filled your heart upon finding Him in the Temple. Intercede for me with your Divine Child that I may remain always faithful to the Church and never lose Jesus through mortal sin. If I should offend Him, may I seek the Sacrament of Reconciliation immediately with a contrite heart. I pray for the grace to respond to your request at Fatima: Are you willing to offer yourselves to God and bear all the sufferings He wills to send you, as an act of reparation for the sins by which He is offended, and of supplication for the conversion of sinners? Then you are going to have much to suffer, but the grace of God will be your comfort."

Grace of the Mystery: *Fidelity to our duties.*

Recite: L: Our Father; x1 Hail Mary; x10

Glory be; x1

ALL: O my Jesus...

L: Jesus, Protect and Save the Unborn.

R: Amen.

L: O Mary conceived without sin,

R: Pray for us who have recourse to thee.

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15-Minute Quiet Meditation...

In response to the request of our Lady, our Blessed Mother Mary, we are now going to quiet ourselves for 15 minutes to meditate on the Joyful Mysteries we just prayed... When it's over, I will prompt you in praying the Hail, Holy Queen...

The 15-minute meditation starts now...



ALL: HAIL! HOLY QUEEN, Mother of Mercy, hail our life, our sweetness and our hope. To you do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To you do we send our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, O most gracious advocate, your 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.

L: Pray for us, O most Holy Mother of God.

ALL: That we may be worthy of the promises of Christ.

LET US PRAY

ALL: 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 upon these mysteries, in 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 Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Leader:

Lord, have mercy; R: Lord, have mercy on us.

Christ, have mercy; R: Christ, have mercy on us.

Lord have mercy; R: Lord, have mercy on us.

Christ, hear us; R: Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father of Heaven; R: Have mercy on us.

God the Son, Redeemer of the world; R: Have mercy on us.

God, the Holy Spirit; R: Have mercy on us.

Holy Trinity, one God; R: Have mercy on us.

Holy Mary; R: Pray for us.

Holy Mother of God; R: Pray for us.

Holy Virgin of Virgins; R: Pray for us.

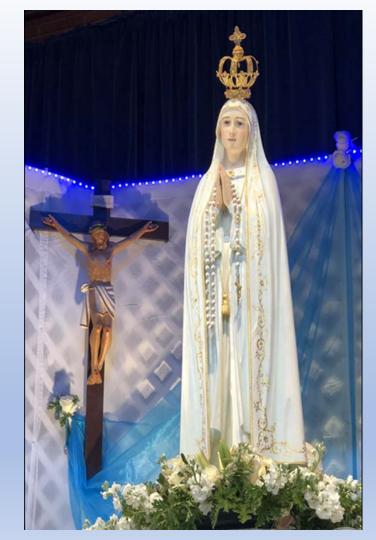
Mother of Christ; R: Pray for us.

Mother of the Church; R: Pray for us.

Mother of the divine grace; R: Pray for us.



Mother most pure; R: Pray for us. Mother most chaste; R: Pray for us. Mother most inviolate; R: Pray for us. Mother most undefiled; R: Pray for us. Mother most amiable; R: Pray for us. Mother most admirable; R: Pray for us. Mother most good counsel; R: Pray for us. Mother of our Creator; R: Pray for us. Mother of our Savior; R: Pray for us. Virgin most prudent; R: Pray for us. Virgin mot venerable; R: Pray for us. Virgin most renowned; R: Pray for us. Virgin most powerful; R: Pray for us. Virgin most merciful; R: Pray for us. Virgin most faithful; R: Pray for us.



Mirror of justice; R: Pray for us.

Seat of wisdom; R: Pray for us.

Cause of our joy; R: Pray for us.

Spiritual vessel; R: Pray for us.

Vessel of honor; R: Pray for us.

Singular vessel of devotion; R: Pray for us.

Mystical rose; R: Pray for us.

Tower of David; R: Pray for us.

Tower of ivory; R: Pray for us.

House of gold; R: Pray for us.

Ark of the covenant; R: Pray for us.

Gate of heaven; R: Pray for us.

Morning Star; R: Pray for us.

Health of the sick; R: Pray for us.

Refuge of sinners; R: Pray for us.



Comforter of the afflicted; R: Pray for us.

Help of Christians; R: Pray for us.

Queen of angels; R: Pray for us.

Queen of patriarchs; R: Pray for us.

Queen of prophets; R: Pray for us.

Queen of apostles; R: Pray for us.

Queen of martyrs; R: Pray for us.

Queen of confessors; R: Pray for us

Queen of virgins; R: Pray for us.

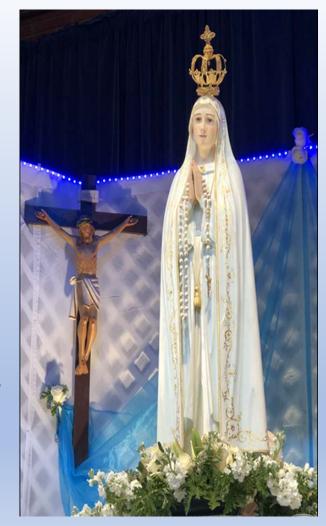
Queen of all saints; R: Pray for us.

Queen conceived without Original Sins; R: Pray for us.

Queen assumed into Heaven; R: Pray for us.

Queen of the holy Rosary; R: Pray for us.

Queen of peace; R: Pray for us.



L: Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world;

R: Spare us, O Lord.

L: Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world;

R: Graciously hear us, O Lord.

L: Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world;

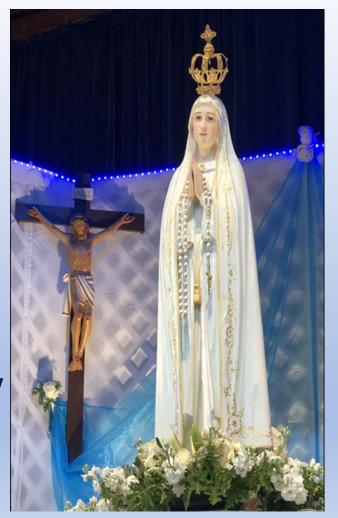
R: Have mercy on us.

L: Pray for us, O holy Mother of God;

R: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us Pray

Grant, we beseech Thee, O Lord God, that we Thy Servants may enjoy perpetual health of mind and body and by the glorious intercession of the Blessed Mary, ever Virgin, be delivered from present sorrow and enjoy eternal happiness. Through Christ Our Lord. Amen.



Prayer of Consecration (all together)

Vouchsafe to reign, O most loving Mother, over this family, that it may be your own, and over each one of us who is, and wishes to be, yours in prosperity and in adversity, in joy and in sorrow, in health and in sickness, in life and in death. Reign over our wills, leading them in the path of virtue traced by you for us with your example, in a perfect submission to the will of God.

Reign in our hearts which desire nothing but to be consumed with love for you and Jesus. We want to be pure like you; we want to atone for so many crimes committed against you and against Jesus.

Bring to our country and to the whole world the kingdom of peace in justice and charity.

Therefore, we now promise to imitate your virtues in the practice of a Christian life, and to offer you the wreath of our rosary and the flowers of our sacrifices, in the spirit of Reparation and Penance. Amen.

PRAYERS FROM FATIMA

Pardon Prayer

ALL: My God, I believe, I adore, I hope, and I love thee! I beg pardon for those who do not believe, do not adore, do not hope and do not love Thee.

Sacrifice Prayer

ALL: O Jesus, it is for love of Thee, for the conversion of sinners, and in reparation for the sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Eucharistic Prayer

ALL: Most Holy Trinity, I adore Thee! My God, My God, I love Thee in the most Blessed Sacrament.



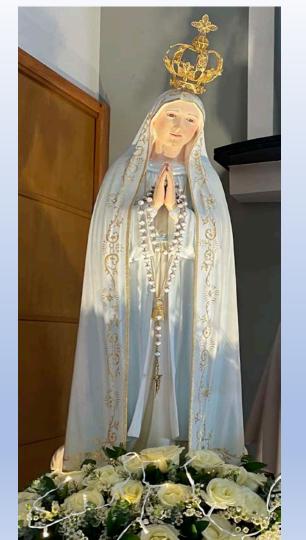
The Angel's Prayer

ALL: Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, I adore Thee profoundly, and I offer Thee the most precious Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus Christ, truly present in all the tabernacles of the world, in reparation for the outrages, sacrileges and indifference with which He himself is offended. And, through the infinite merits of His most Sacred Heart, and the Immaculate heart of Mary, I beg of You the conversion of poor sinners.

The Decade Prayer

ALL: O my Jesus! Forgive us our sins, save us from the fire of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, especially those who are most in need.





Memorare

L: Holy Mother of God, we humbly implore thy help to ask our Eternal Father to grant healing and deliverance to our broken nation and world and save the lives of innocent children in the womb of their mothers. Amen.

ALL: Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection or implored thy help or sought thy intercession was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence I fly unto thee. O Virgin of Virgins my Mother. To thee I come before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful.

O Mother of the most Holy Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions but in thy mercy hear and answer them. Amen.

Prayer for the Triumph of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

ALL: O Immaculate Heart of Mary, full of goodness, show your love towards us. Let the flame of your heart, O Mary, descend on all people. We love you immensely. Impress true love in our hearts so that we have a continuous desire for you. O Mary, gentle and humble of heart, remember us when we are in sin. You know that all men sin. Give us, by means of your Immaculate Heart, spiritual health. Let us always see the goodness of your motherly heart and may we be converted by means of the flame of your heart. Amen.

Pray Hail Mary (3x)...

Prayer to St Joseph, Father, Protector, Consoler

ALL:O Saint Joseph, at Fatima, you appeared as head of the Holy Family, and with the Child Jesus, blessed the world and all its inhabitants. As the greatest consoler of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, we beseech you to assist us in our devotion to your beloved spouse, especially in our First reparations, which console our heavenly Saturday As the faithful father and protector of Mary and Jesus, we implore your powerful intercession in helping us to restore marriage and family to right order with God. With your spiritual carpenter skills, rebuild our Church and guide those who have strayed, back to our Eucharistic Lord. Assist us in spreading the message of Our Lady of Fatima, and help us to do our part in bringing about the triumph she promised. Amen.

- L: Saint Joseph, Most chaste Spouse, R: Pray for us.
- L: Saint Joseph, Defender of the church, R: Pray for us.
- L: Saint Joseph, Terror of demons, R: Pray for us.

Prayer for the Beatification of Sister Maria Lucia of Jesus and of the Immaculate Heart

ALL: Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son, and the Holy Spirit, I adore you profoundly and I thank You for the apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Fatima that revealed the world to the riches of her Immaculate Heart. By the merits of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and through the intercession of the Immaculate Heart of Mary I implore You, if it should be for Your greater glory and the good of our souls, to glorify Sister Lucia, one of the Shepherds of Fatima, by granting us the grace which we implore, through her intercession. Amen.



THE GREAT PROMISE

Our Blessed Lady promised to Sister Lucia on December 10,1923:

"Look, my daughter, at my Heart, surrounded with thorns with which ungrateful men pierce me every moment of their blasphemies and ingratitude. You at least try to console me and announce in my name that: I promise to assist at the moment of death, with the graces necessary for salvation, all those who, on the first Saturday of five consecutive months, shall confess, receive Holy Communion, recite five decades of the Rosary, and keep me company for 15 minutes while meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary, with the intention of making reparation to my Immaculate Heart."

St Michael Prayer

ALL: St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and the snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the Divine power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

L: St. Michael, by your light...

R: Enlighten us.

L: St. Michael, by your wings...

R: Cover us.

L: St. Michael, by your sword...

R: Protect us.

Invocations of Fatima Patrons

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, R: Have mercy on us!

Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, R: Pray for us!

Our Lady of the Rosary, R: Pray for us!

Our Lady of Fatima, R: Pray for us!

Our Lady of Mt Carmel, R: Pray for us!

St. Joseph, R: Pray for us!

St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina, R: Pray for us!

St. Dominic and St. Simon Stock, R: Pray for us!

St. Therese of the Child Jesus, R: Pray for us!

St. Anthony Mary Claret, R: Pray for us!

St. Francisco, R: Pray for us!

All you holy angels and saints, R: Pray for us!

O Most Holy Mother, Mother of our Nation, R: Pray for us!

Queen of the most Holy Rosary, R: Pray for us. (3X)

May the Divine Assistance remain with us always.

R: And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

SIGN OF THE CROSS





THE **CHAPLET** OF **DIVINE MERCY**

