

O Salutaris Hostia

1. O salutaris Hostia, Quae caeli pandis ostium: Bella premunt hostilia, Da robur, fer auxilium.
2. Uni trinoque Domino Sit sempiterna gloria, Qui vitam sine termino Nobis donet in patria. Amen.

Priest: In the name ✠ of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Prayer for Vocations to Priesthood and Religious Life

O Lord Jesus, Son of the Eternal Father and Son of Mary Immaculate, give to our young men and women the generosity and courage to follow your call.

Give them hearts to love you more than the attractions of the world in which they live. Help them to overcome all obstacles to their vocation.

Give the parents of our parish the gifts of faith, love, and the spirit of sacrifice which will inspire them to offer their sons and daughters to God's service, and cause them to experience joy whenever one of their children is called to the priesthood or religious life.

Let your Love and the example of your Blessed Mother and of St. Joseph encourage those who have chosen to respond to your call, for the love of souls and for your sake. Amen.

Novena Prayers to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal

Priest: Come O Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your Faithful, and enkindle in them the fire of Your love. Send forth Your Spirit, and they shall be created,

People: and You shall renew the face of the Earth. Amen.

Priest: Let us pray: O God, who did instruct the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant us the same spirit to be truly wise and never to rejoice in His consolation, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Priest: O Mary conceived without sin,

People: Pray for us who have recourse to thee.

(3 times)

All: O Lord Jesus Christ, who have vouchsafed to glorify by numberless miracles the Blessed Virgin Mary, Immaculate from the first moment of her conception, grant that all who devoutly implore her protection on earth, may eternally enjoy Your presence in heaven, who with the Father and the Holy Spirit, live and reign, one God for ever and ever, Amen.

All: O Lord Jesus Christ, who for the accomplishment of Your greatest works, have chosen the weak things of the world, that no flesh may glory in Your sight; and who for a better and more widely diffused belief in the Immaculate Conception of Your Mother, have wished that the Miraculous Medal be manifested to Saint Catherine Laboure, grant we beseech You, that filled with like humility, we may glorify this mystery by word and work. Amen.

Memorare

All: Remember, O most compassionate Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to your protection, implored your assistance, or sought your intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, we fly unto you, O virgin of Virgins, our Mother; to you we come; before you we kneel sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions, but in your clemency hear and answer them. Amen.

Novena Prayer

All: O Immaculate Virgin Mary, Mother of Our Lord Jesus and our Mother, Penetrated with the most lively confidence in your all-powerful and never-failing intercession, manifested so often through the Miraculous Medal, we your loving and trustful children implore you to obtain for us the graces and favors we ask during this Novena, if they be beneficial to our immortal souls, and the souls for whom we pray.

(privately, form our own petitions)

You know, O Mary, how often our souls have been the sanctuaries of your Son who hates iniquity. Obtain for us then a deep hatred of sin and that purity of heart which will attach us to God alone so that our every thought, word and deed may tend to His greater glory. Obtain for us also a spirit of prayer and self-denial that we may recover by penance what we have lost by sin and at length attain to that blessed abode where you are the Queen of angels and of us all. Amen

Act of Consecration to Our Lady

All: O Virgin Mother of God, Mary Immaculate, we dedicate and consecrate ourselves to you under the title of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal. May this Medal be for each one of us a sure sign of your affection for us and a constant reminder of our duties toward you. Ever while wearing it, may we be blessed by your loving protection and preserved in the grace of your Son. Oh most powerful Virgin, Mother of our Savior, keep us close to you every moment of our lives. Obtain for us, your children, the grace of a happy death; so that in union with you, we may enjoy the bliss of heaven forever. Amen.

Priest: O Mary conceived without sin,

People: Pray for us who have recourse to thee.

(3 times)

Novena Prayers to St. Anthony of Padua

All: Oh blessed St. Anthony, the grace of God has made you a powerful advocate in all our needs, and the patron for the restoring of things lost or stolen. I turn to you today with childlike love and deep Confidence. You are the counselor of the erring, the comforter of the troubled, the healer of the sick, the refuge of the fallen, You have helped countless children of God to find the things they have lost: material things, and more importantly, the things of the spirit – faith, hope and love. I come to you, with confidence. Help me in my present need.

(privately, form you own petitions)

I recommend what I have lost to your care, In the hope that God will restore it to me if it is His holy will. Amen.

St. Anthony, loved and honored by the divine Child Jesus, obtain what we ask of you.

St. Anthony, powerful in word and work, obtain what we ask of you.

St. Anthony, generous to those who invoke you with confidence, obtain what we ask of you.

Priest: Let us pray. Almighty and eternal God, you glorified Your faithful Confessor and Doctor, St. Anthony, with the gift of working miracles. Graciously grant that what we seek with confidence through his merits, we may surely receive through his prayers. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Novena prayer to St. Jude

All: Most holy Apostle St. Jude, faithful servant and friend of Jesus, the Church honors and invokes you universally as the patron of hopeless cases, of things almost despaired of. Pray for me, I am so helpless and alone. Make use I implore you of that particular privilege given to you to bring visible and speedy help where help is almost despaired of. Come to my assistance in this great need that I may receive the consolation and help of heaven in all my necessities, tribulations and sufferings, and that I may praise God with you and all the elect forever.

(privately, form you own petitions)

I promise, O blessed St. Jude, to be ever mindful of this great favor, to always honor you as my special and powerful patron, and to gratefully encourage devotion to you. Amen.

Blessed Apostle, with confidence we invoke you in a spirit of faith.
Blessed Apostle, with confidence we invoke you in a spirit of hope.
Blessed Apostle, with confidence we invoke you in a spirit of love.
St. Jude, help in difficult cases, aid me in my distress.

Priest: Let us pray. Merciful Father, we thank you for all the graces and favors which you have given us through the prayer and intercession of your great Apostle, St. Jude. In your loving kindness come once again to the aid of your children who humbly place these petitions before you through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

Tantum Ergo Sacramentum

1. Tantum ergo Sacramentum Veneremur cernui: Et antiquum documentum Novo cedat ritui: Praestet fides supplementum Sensuum defectui.
2. Genitori, Genitoque Laus et jubilatio, Salus, honor, virtus quoque Sit et benedictio: Procedenti ab utroque Compar sit laudatio. Amen.

V. You have given them bread from heaven,
R. Having within it all sweetness.

Divine Praises

Blessed be God.

Blessed be His Holy Name.

Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.

Blessed be the Name of Jesus.

Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart.

Blessed be His Most Precious Blood.

Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.

Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.

Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most Holy.

Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate Conception.

Blessed be her Glorious Assumption.

Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.

Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.

Blessed be God in His Angels and in His Saints.

May the heart of Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament, be praised, adored and loved with grateful affection at every moment in all the tabernacles of the world even until the end of time. Amen.

Holy God, we praise Thy Name

Holy God, we praise thy name; Lord of all, we bow before you; all on earth your scepter claim, all in heav'n above adore you. Infinite your vast domain, everlasting is your reign. Infinite your vast domain, everlasting is your reign.

A Prayer to Combat the Coronavirus Pandemic

Most Merciful and Triune God,
We come to You in our weakness.
We come to You in our fear.
We come to You with trust.
For You alone are our hope.
We place before You the disease present in our world.
We turn to You in our time of need.

Bring wisdom to doctors.
Give understanding to scientists.
Endow caregivers with compassion and generosity.
Bring healing to those who are ill.
Protect those who are most at risk.
Give comfort to those who have lost a loved one.
Welcome those who have died into Your Eternal Home.

Stabilize our communities.
Unite us in our compassion.
Remove all fear from our hearts.
Fill us with confidence in Your care.

Jesus, I trust in You.
Jesus, I trust in You.
Jesus, I trust in You.

Amen

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You.
Amen.