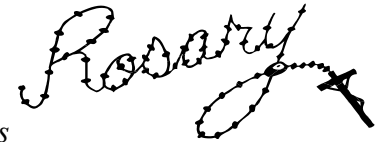


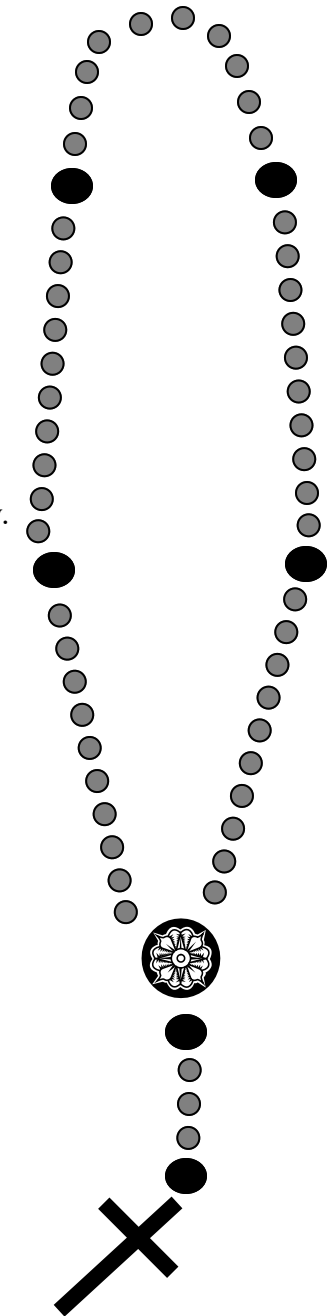
## The Mysteries of the Rosary

M Y S T E R I E S	<i>The Joyful Mysteries</i> <i>(Mon./Sat.)</i>	<i>The Sorrowful Mysteries</i> <i>(Tue./Fri.)</i>	<i>The Glorious Mysteries</i> <i>(Wed./Sun.)</i>	<i>The Luminous Mysteries</i> <i>(Thur.)</i>
<i>1st</i>	The Annunciation of Our Lord - The angel comes to Mary	The Agony in the Garden - Jesus at Gethsemane	The Resurrection of Our Lord - Jesus is raised from the dead	The Baptism in the Jordan - Jesus is Baptized by John in the River Jordan
<i>2nd</i>	The Visitation - Mary visits Elizabeth	The Scourging at the Pillar - Jesus being whipped	The Ascension into Heaven - Jesus ascends to Heaven	The Wedding at Cana - Jesus reveals Himself by the miracle of wine
<i>3rd</i>	The Nativity of Jesus - Jesus in the manger	The Crowning with Thorns - Jesus mocked and crowned	The Descent of the Holy Spirit - the Holy Spirit comes	The Proclamation of the Kingdom - Jesus calls all to forgiveness of sin
<i>4th</i>	The Presentation in the Temple - Jesus presented to the Lord	The Carrying of the Cross - Jesus walking to Golgotha	The Assumption of Mary - Mary ascends to Heaven	The Transfiguration - Jesus appears with Moses & Elijah
<i>5th</i>	The Finding in the Temple - Jesus, a child teaching	The Crucifixion and Death - Jesus is murdered on the cross	The Coronation of Mary - Mary is honored	The Institution of the Eucharist - Jesus and the Lord's Supper

### How to Pray the Rosary



1. Make the *Sign of the Cross* and say the *Apostles Creed* as you hold the cross.
2. Say the *Our Father* on the first large bead.
3. Say 3 *Hail Mary's* on the three smaller beads.
4. Say the *Glory Be* on the next bead.
5. Announce the 1st Mystery; then say the *Our Father*.
6. Say 10 *Hail Mary's*, while meditating on the Mystery. Count along on the beads as you go.
7. Say the *Glory Be* on the next bead.
8. Announce the 2nd Mystery; then say the *Our Father*. Repeat 6 & 7 and continue with the 3rd, 4th, & 5th Mysteries in the same manner moving along on the Rosary.
9. Say the *Hail Holy Queen*; and any other prayers that might apply.
10. Make the *Sign of the Cross*.



*The Apostles' Creed*

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth.  
I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit,  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day, He rose again.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again 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.

*The Our Father (The Lord's Prayer)*

Our Father  
Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.  
Thy kingdom come;  
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.  
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.  
Amen.

*Fatima Prayer*

O My Jesus,  
Forgive us our sins,  
Save us from the fires of hell.  
And lead all souls to heaven,  
especially those most in  
need of thy mercy. Amen.



*Hail Mary*

Hail Mary, full of grace!  
The Lord is with you.  
Blessed are you among women,  
and blessed is the fruit  
of your womb, Jesus.  
Holy Mary, Mother of God,  
pray for us sinners now,  
and at the hour of our death.  
Amen.

*Glory Be*

Glory be to the Father,  
and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Spirit.  
As it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end.  
Amen.

*Prayer of St. Michael*

St. Michael the Archangel,  
defend us in battle.  
Be our defense against the wicked-  
ness and snares of the Devil.  
May God rebuke him,  
we humbly pray; and do thou,  
O Prince of the heavenly hosts,  
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..

*Hail, Holy Queen*

Hail, Holy Queen,  
Mother of Mercy!  
Our life, our sweetness, and  
our hope! To you do we cry,  
poor banished children of Eve;  
To you do we send up our sighs,  
mourning and weeping in  
this valley of tears.  
Turn, then, most gracious advocate,  
your eyes of mercy toward us;  
And after this our exile show us  
the blessed fruit of  
your 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.  
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 with this  
confidence, we fly to you,  
O Virgin of virgins, our Mother.  
To You we come; before You we stand,  
sinful and sorrowful.  
O Mother of the Word Incarnate, des-  
pise not our petitions, but in Your mer-  
cy, hear and answer us.  
Amen.