

PRAYING THE ROSARY



1. At the Crucifix make the Sign of the Cross, then recite the Apostle's Creed.
2. Say one Our Father on the first large bead.
3. One Hail Mary on each of the three small beads.
4. On the next large bead say One Glory Be, Announce the first Mystery then say one Our Father.
5. Move around the right side of the rosary. On each of the ten small beads recite one Hail Mary while contemplating on the Mystery.
6. On each large bead say the Glory Be, announce the next Mystery then recite one Our Father. Repeat steps five and six for all five decades of the Rosary (say the Mystery, one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be).
7. At the end of the last decade, on the medal or large bead, recite the Glory Be, followed by "Hail Holy Queen". It is then customary to kiss the crucifix followed by 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,
was born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He went down 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 in glory
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.

FATIMA PRAYER

O my Jesus, forgive us our sins.
Save us from the fires of Hell;
lead all souls into Heaven,
especially those in most need of Thy mercy.
Amen.

OUR FATHER (Pater Noster)

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.

HAIL MARY (Ave Maria)

Hail Mary, full of Grace,
The Lord is with thee,
Blessed art thou amongst women,
And blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God
Pray for us, sinners,
Now, and at the hour of our death. Amen

HAIL HOLY QUEEN (Salve Regina)

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 gra-
cious 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. P. Pray for us,
O Holy Mother of God.

That we may be made worthy of the promises
of Christ. Let us Pray: O God, whose only
begotten Son, by His life, death, and resur-
rection, has purchased for us the rewards of
eternal life. Grant, we beseech Thee that in
meditating upon 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. Amen.

GLORY BE (Gloria)

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.