

Prayers of the Rosary

Apostles' Creed

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.
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 to Heaven,
Especially those most in need of Thy mercy.
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.

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Hail, Holy Queen (Salve Regina)

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 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 unto us the blessed fruit of your womb,
Jesus.
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

Hail Mary

Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee;
blessed are thou among 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.

Our Father

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.

How To Pray The Rosary



*A Handy How-To Guide from
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*And the Office of Education,
Evangelization and Catechesis*

1. Make the Sign of the Cross.
2. While holding the Crucifix, say the *Apostles' Creed*.
3. On the first bead, say the *Our Father*.
4. Say the *Hail Mary* on each of the next three beads.
5. Say the *Glory Be* on the last bead.
6. Say the *Fatima Prayer*.
7. Announce the First Mystery (which may be followed by a brief reading of Scripture); then say the *Our Father*.
8. While holding each of the ten beads, say a *Hail Mary*, while meditating on the First Mystery.
9. Say the *Glory Be* on the last bead.
10. Say the *Fatima Prayer*.
11. Announce the Second Mystery (which may be followed by a brief reading of Scripture); then say the *Our Father*.
12. While holding each of the ten beads, say a *Hail Mary*, while meditating on the Second Mystery.
13. Say the *Glory Be* on the last bead.
14. Say the *Fatima Prayer*.
15. Announce the Third Mystery (which may be followed by a brief reading of Scripture); then say the *Our Father*.
16. While holding each of the ten beads, say a *Hail Mary*, while meditating on the Third Mystery.
17. Say the *Glory Be* on the last bead.



The Mysteries of the Rosary

Joyful Mysteries

(prayed on Mondays, Saturdays, and the Sundays of Advent)

The Annunciation
 The Visitation
 The Nativity
 The Presentation in the Temple
 The Finding in the Temple

Sorrowful Mysteries

(prayed on Tuesdays, Fridays, and the Sundays of Lent)

The Agony in the Garden
 The Scourging at the Pillar
 The Crowning with Thorns
 The Carrying of the Cross
 The Crucifixion and Death

Glorious Mysteries

(prayed on Wednesdays and Sundays)

The Resurrection
 The Ascension
 The Descent of the Holy Spirit
 The Assumption
 The Coronation of Mary

Luminous Mysteries

(prayed on Thursdays)

The Baptism of Christ in the Jordan River
 The Wedding Feast at Cana
 Jesus' Proclamation of the Coming of the Kingdom of God
 The Transfiguration
 The Institution of the Eucharist

18. Say the *Fatima Prayer*.

19. Announce the Fourth Mystery (which may be followed by a brief reading of Scripture); then say the *Our Father*.

20. While holding each of the ten beads, say a *Hail Mary*, while meditating on the Fourth Mystery.

21. Say the *Glory Be* on the last bead.

22. Say the *Fatima Prayer*.

23. Announce the Fifth Mystery (which may be followed by a brief reading of Scripture); then say the *Our Father*.

24. While holding each of the ten beads, say a *Hail Mary*, while meditating on the Fifth Mystery.

25. Say the *Glory Be* on the last bead.

26. Say the *Fatima Prayer*.

27. Say the *Hail, Holy Queen (Salve Regina)*.

28. Say the closing prayer:

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God,

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

V. 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. Amen.

29. Conclude with the Sign of the Cross.