

Prayers for Life

Prayer to End Abortion

Lord God, I thank you today for the gift of my life,
And for the lives of all my brothers and sisters.
I know there is nothing that destroys more life than abortion,
Yet I rejoice that you have conquered death
by the Resurrection of Your Son.
I am ready to do my part in ending abortion.
Today I commit myself Never to be silent, Never to be passive,
Never to be forgetful of the unborn.
I commit myself to be active in the pro-life movement,
And never to stop defending life
Until all my brothers and sisters are protected,
And our nation once again becomes a nation with liberty and justice

Prayer for Forgiveness

Oh God of mercy and grace, as you hung on the hard wooden cross, you asked that those who were putting you to death might be forgiven. Please, Oh Lord, help us to offer that same forgiveness to those who participate in abortion, euthanasia, the destruction of embryonic life and who by other means violate the sanctity of human life, that in all things the world would know the height, the depth, the breadth, and width of your love, your mercy and your grace; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Prayer to the Holy Spirit, Giver of Life

Come Holy Spirit, Creator of all things...You who breathed over the waters at the dawn of creation and brought forth all living beings...You who filled the apostles when the Risen Lord breathed on them on the first Easter night, giving them the power to restore life to those dead in sin...You who, on the last day, will breathe again over all the dead and raise them from the grave--Come! Come and breathe on our world again, immersed as it is in the Culture of Death! Come, O Lord and Giver of Life! Defeat the works of death in our midst, that abortion may no longer stain our land.

We worship You, O Holy Spirit, and we rejoice in You. We know that no matter how strong the forces of death may be, we can still find in You the endless source of life. Renew that life in each of us, and make us worthy apostles of the Culture of Life in our day! Amen.

Prayer For Protection:

Dear Jesus, by the Power of Your Cross and Your Blood, please bind the power of any evil spirits and command them not to block our prayers. Please bind up the power of earth, air, water, fire, the netherworld, and any satanic forces of nature. Please rebuke any curses, hexes or spells set against us and declare them null and void.

In addition Lord, please break the assignments of any evil spirits set against us and deal with them as You will.

Lord we ask You to bless our enemies by sending Your Holy Spirit to lead them to repentance and conversion.

Jesus please bind all interplay, interaction and communication with evil spirits as it affects us and our ministry.

We claim the protection of the Shed Blood of Jesus Christ over our spouse, children, home, other prayer ministers and all the people who are dear to us.

Thank You Lord for Your protection and send Your angels, especially St. Michael the Archangel to help us in the battle. We ask You to guide us in our prayers; share with us Your Spirit's power and compassion. Amen

Spiritual Warfare

Almighty and Powerful God, drive all evil spirits away from the innocent Pre-born children and from the killing centers where their destruction is planned. Overcome evil with good in the hearts of those who reject your truth and who have believed the lies of the evil one who would say that good is evil and evil is good. Rebuke the enemy for the sake of innocent children and for your sake, Oh Lord; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Prayer to God the Father of All Life

Eternal God, You have revealed Yourself as the Father of all Life. We praise You for the Fatherly care which You extend to all creation, and especially to us, made in Your image and likeness.

Father, extend Your hand of protection to those threatened by abortion, and save them from its destructive power. Give Your strength to all fathers, that they may never give in to the fears that may tempt them to facilitate abortions.

Bless our families and bless our land, that we may have the joy of welcoming and nurturing the life of which You are the source and the Eternal Father. Amen

Prayer for our Courts and Judges

Lord God, I thank you today for the gift of our nation.

You alone rule the world with justice,

Yet you place in our hands the solemn duty
of participating in the shaping of our government.

I pray today for our President and Senators

Who have the responsibility of placing judges on our courts.

Please protect this process from all obstruction.

Please send us men and women of wisdom,

Who respect Your law of Life.

Please send us judges with humility,

Who seek Your truth and not their own opinions.

Lord, give all of us the courage we need to do what is right

And to serve you, the Judge of all, with fidelity.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen!

Lenten Pro-life Prayer

Father of all mercy, we thank you for this season of grace and light. We know that sin has blinded us. Draw us ever closer to you, in prayer and penance.

Since you, O God, are light itself,

Give all your people a clearer understanding of what is sin, and what is virtue.

Grant in particular that we may see, as never before, the profound dignity of every human life, including the vulnerable unborn children.

Give us grace to defend our brothers and sisters in the womb by our prayers, our words, and our self-sacrificing actions.

We pray through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Redeemer in the Womb

Lord Jesus Christ, You took our human nature upon Yourself. You shared our life and death, our childhood and adulthood.

You also shared our time in the womb. While still God, while worshiped and adored by the angels, while Almighty and filling every part of the universe, You dwelt for nine months in the womb of Mary. You were our Redeemer in the womb, our God who was a pre-born child.

Lord Jesus, we ask You to bless and protect the children who today are in their mothers' womb. Save them from the danger of abortion. Give their mothers the grace to sacrifice themselves, in body and soul, for their children. Help all people to recognize in the pre-born child a brother, a sister, saved by You, our Redeemer in the womb.

Prayer to the Spirit of Truth

Holy Spirit, You are the promised Spirit of Truth, constantly revealing the splendor of truth to Your people, and leading us deeper into the Mysteries of our Faith.

Come to us today, and deepen in our minds and hearts the truth about life: its greatness, its dignity, its reflection of the eternal God. Make us appreciate ever more the truth that life is always a good, and that every life is of equal dignity, despite all the different char-

acteristics people have, or the different circumstances under which they come to be.

Come, Spirit of Truth. Free all Your people from the falsehoods that lead to the evil of abortion. Free them from the false and harmful ideas which make a god out of their own choices, or which fail to recognize the right to life of children in the womb.

Come, O Holy Spirit, and as You immerse us in Your truth, so make us effective witnesses of that truth within our families, among our friends, and to all the world. Amen.

Prayer for Protection of Conscience Rights in Health Care

Father, in Jesus our Lord, we praise and thank you for your most precious gift of human life and for forming us in your divine image. Keep us, the dwelling place of your most Holy Spirit, ever healthy in body and soul.

Jesus, Divine Healer, pour your grace upon all those afflicted with illness or disease. Protect from all harm those who are vulnerable due to sickness, suffering, frailty, poverty or age, whether elderly or unborn.

Holy Spirit, touch the hearts of all who serve human life in medicine and science, so they will protect the dignity of each person from conception to natural death and remain faithful advocates of all entrusted to their care.

Grant those who are called to serve as health care providers renewed conviction in their ministry and increased wisdom to treat the whole person and not merely the illness.

Grant our lawmakers the wisdom and courage to uphold conscience rights for those called to the ministry of healing. Help them resist the pressure to become collaborators in the culture of death.

In your goodness, guard our freedom to live out our faith and follow you in all that we do - we ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Prayer to the Holy Spirit, the Advocate

O Holy Spirit of God, You were promised to us by the Lord Jesus as an Advocate, as one who pleads our cause and speaks up for us in the heights of heaven. "I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever..."(Jn.14:15).

The apostle Paul has taught us that You intercede for us with groanings that cannot be expressed in speech (Rom. 8:26).

We praise You today for the gift of salvation, for we are deeply aware that we cannot save ourselves. We have sinned, and we cannot win forgiveness on our own. We need an Advocate.

We ask You, O Holy Spirit, to make us ever more aware of those who need us as advocates. Grant that we may hear the cries of our youngest, smallest brothers and sisters, those still in the womb, who cannot speak or defend themselves, and who cannot even pray.

Holy Spirit, as You are the Advocate, so make us advocates. As You hear our cries for mercy, so let us hear the cries of others for mercy. Save us from the misfortune of seeking mercy only for ourselves, while being deaf to others. As you loosened the tongues of the apostles at Pentecost, so grant us today a Pentecost for the unborn, that we may speak for them before the great and the small, before governments and institutions, and before all Your people. Amen.

Prayer for Protection of Human Life at its Beginning

God our Father, you lovingly knit us in our mother's womb. Grant that each human embryo will be respected as a human being, and not dismissed as a product to be manipulated or destroyed. Grant us the courage and conviction to be your voice for our sisters and brothers at the very earliest stages of their development and for all defenseless unborn children.

Jesus, Divine Healer, foster in those conducting medical research a commitment to finding cures in ways that respect these little ones and all your vulnerable children.

Holy Spirit, grant us the wisdom to develop morally sound treatments for conditions now thought to be incurable. Help us persevere in defending human life while alleviating suffering.

Show mercy to all who have cooperated in killing our tiniest brothers and sisters. Bring them and all who support destructive embryo research to true conversion. Grant them the ability to see the immeasurable dignity of all human beings even in the first days of life.

Father, we ask this in Jesus's name, through the Holy Spirit.

Prayer for Joyful Fidelity to our Mission

Lord God,

We thank you for our salvation in Jesus Christ.

We thank you for the call he gives us –

Not a call to sit in a corner cowering in fear over our enemies,

Mystified about how to overcome the Culture of Death,

Despondent because of our sins,

Or worried about the perceived political strength of our opponents.

Rather, it is a call to stand victorious in the light of the Resurrection

And to proclaim to the Culture of Death:

"You have been conquered!

You have no place here,

No power to defeat the forces of truth and goodness!"

Yes, Lord, we stand in that light

And we are filled with joy –

Not a superficial joy that rises and falls

With the ebb and flow of circumstances beyond our control,

But with the profound joy

That only you can give

And that nobody can take away.

In the strength of that joy,

May we your people continue to proclaim your truth

And share your grace

Not only within the walls of our Churches,

But in the halls of government,

In the voting booth,

In the media,

And in every inch of the public square.

Lord, in our work for you, may we find you.

In our efforts to change the world, may we ourselves be changed.

In our struggle to build a Culture of Life, may we find life eternal.

We pray through Christ our Lord.

A Prayer For New York 40 Days For Life Sites

Lord Jesus you are King, You are God. Just as it is said there is no place for unwanted unborn children, our governor has said there is no place for us in New York. Please soften the hearts of the leadership under your authority in New York state. Please fill all those who participate in *40 Days For Life* across the state of New York with Your Love, Your compassion and Your resolve for unborn babies, their mothers and abortion workers. We pray for a conversion of all NY abortion workers. Help us to let them know that You love them and will have mercy on them if they turn to You for forgiveness. Lord please don't let us get discouraged with the place that You have given us in New York so we may press on with Your Love and Your Peace. We pray for the safety and spiritual growth for all those involved in *40 Days For Life* and success in ending abortion. In particular, we pray for our campaign in Troy / Albany and for those in Clifton Park, Hudson, Schenectady and Queensbury. Amen.

Prayer for the Closing of the Abortion Mill

Father, all life is in Your care. You have entrusted us to one another, that we may show our brothers and sisters the same love You have for us. We pray, then, for the least among us, the children in the womb. Protect them from the violence of abortion.

We pray for those that are scheduled to die at Planned Parenthood. Save them from death. Give new hope to their parents, that they may turn away from the desperate act of abortion. Grant conversion to the abortionist and to the staff. Show us how we are to respond to the bloodshed in our midst. And lead us to the day when this place of death will be transformed into a haven of life. Guard us with your joy and your peace. For in You, life is victorious.

We pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Prayer Request To St. Joseph

Oh, St. Joseph, whose protection is so great, so strong, so prompt before the throne of God. I place in you all my interests and desires. Oh, St. Joseph, do assist me by your powerful intercession, and obtain for me from your divine Son all spiritual blessings, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. So that, having engaged here below your heavenly power, I may offer my thanksgiving and homage to the most loving of Fathers.

Oh, St. Joseph, I never weary of contemplating you, and Jesus asleep in your arms; I dare not approach while He reposes near your heart. Press Him in my name and kiss His fine head for me and ask him to return the Kiss when I draw my dying breath. St. Joseph, Patron of departing souls - Pray for me.

This prayer was found in the fifteenth year of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. In 1505 it was sent from the Pope to Emperor Charles when he was going into battle. Whoever shall read this prayer or hear it or keep it about themselves, shall never die a sudden death, or be drowned, not shall poison take effect of them; neither shall they fall into the hands of the enemy; or shall be burned in any fire, or shall be overpowered in battle.

Original PRAYER REQUEST to St Michael the Archangel

O Glorious Archangel St. Michael, Prince of the heavenly host, be our defense in the terrible warfare which we carry on against principalities and powers, against the rulers of this world of darkness, and spirits of evil.

Come to the aid of man, whom God created immortal, made in His own image and likeness, and redeemed at a great price from the tyranny of the devil. Fight this day the battle of the Lord, together with the holy angels, as already thou hast fought the leader of the proud angels, Lucifer, and his apostate host, who were powerless to resist Thee, nor was there place for them any longer in heaven. That cruel, that ancient serpent, who is called the devil or Satan, who seduces the whole world, was cast into the abyss with his angels.

Behold, this primeval enemy and slayer of men has taken courage. Transformed into an angel of light, he wanders about with all the multitude of wicked spirits, invading the earth in order to blot out the name of God and of His Christ, to seize upon, slay and cast into eternal perdition souls destined for the crown of eternal glory. This wicked dragon pours out, as a most impure flood, the venom of his malice on men; his depraved mind, corrupt heart, his spirit of lying, impiety, blasphemy, his pestilential breath of impurity and of every vice and iniquity. These most crafty enemies of mankind have filled and inebriated with gall and bitterness the Church, the Spouse of the Immaculate Lamb, and have laid impious hands on her most sacred possessions. In the Holy Place itself, where has been set up the See of the most holy Peter and the Chair of Truth for the light of the world, they have raised the throne of their

abominable impiety, with the iniquitous design that when the Pastor has been struck, the sheep may be scattered.

Arise then, O invincible Prince, bring help against the attacks of the lost spirits to the people of God, and give them the victory. They venerate Thee as their protector and patron; in Thee Holy Church glories as her defense against the malicious power of hell; to Thee has God entrusted the souls of men to be established in heavenly beatitude. Oh, pray to the God of peace that He may put Satan under our feet, so far conquered that he may no longer be able to hold men in captivity and harm the Church. Offer our prayers in the sight of the Most High, so that they may quickly conciliate the mercies of the Lord; and beating down the dragon, the ancient serpent who is the devil and Satan, do Thou again make him captive in the abyss, that he may no longer seduce the nations. Amen.

LET US PRAY

God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we call upon Thy holy name, and we humbly implore Thy clemency, that by the intercession of Mary, ever Virgin Immaculate and our Mother, and of the glorious Archangel St. Michael, Thou wouldst deign to help us against Satan and all other unclean spirits, who wander about the world for the injury of the human race and the ruin of souls.

Amen.

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ROSARY

Joyful Mysteries

The Annunciation

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The Visitation

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The Nativity

God Himself was born as a child. The greatness of a person does not depend on size, for the newborn King is very small. Let us pray for an end to prejudice against the tiny babies threatened by abortion.

The Presentation

The Child is presented in the Temple because the Child belongs to God. Children are not the property of their parents, nor of the government.

They - and we - belong to God Himself.

Finding of Jesus in the Temple

The boy Jesus was filled with wisdom, because He is God. Let us pray that all people may see the wisdom of His teachings about the dignity of life, and may understand that this teaching is not an opinion, but the truth.

Sorrowful Mysteries

The Agony in the Garden

Let us pray for mothers and fathers who are in agony because they are tempted to abort a child. May they be given the good news that there are alternatives, and may they make use of the help that is available.

The Scourging

As Christ's flesh was torn by the instruments of those who scourged Him, so the bodies of babies in the womb are torn by the instruments

of the abortionists. Let us pray that abortionists may repent of these acts of child-killing.

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The Carrying of the Cross

Jesus was not condemned by the power of wicked people. He was condemned because of the silence of good people. Silence always helps the oppressor, never the victim. Let us pray that we may never be silent about abortion, but rather will clearly speak up to save babies from death.

The Crucifixion

As we ponder the death of Christ, let us remember the many women who have died from so-called "safe, legal" abortions. Let us ask forgiveness and mercy for them. May their memory save other women from making this tragic mistake.

Glorious Mysteries

The Resurrection

Christ is Risen! By his Resurrection, He has destroyed the power of death, and therefore the power of abortion. The outcome of the battle for Life has already been decided: Life is victorious! Let us pray that all proliferators will spread this victory to every segment of our society.

The Ascension

By ascending to the Father's throne, Christ takes our human nature, given to us in the womb, to the heights of heaven. He shows us that human beings are made to be raised to heaven, not thrown in the garbage. Let us pray that the world may learn this truth and reject abortion.

The Descent of the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is the Advocate: He pleads our cause, for we cannot save ourselves. We pray that He will make us advocates for the babies, who cannot speak or write or vote or protest or even pray.

The Assumption

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reminds us that they belong together. We pray that society will see that it cannot love women while killing their children, and cannot save children without helping their mothers. We pray that people will be touched by the pro-life question, "Why can't we love them both?"

The Coronation

Mary is the Queen of the Universe. The Church teaches that she is the greatest creature, second only to God Himself. The Church defends the dignity of women. We pray that people will understand that to be pro-life means to be pro-woman, and that to be pro-woman demands that we be pro-life.

Luminous Mysteries

Christ is Baptized in the Jordan

When Jesus is baptized, the Father's voice is heard: "This is my beloved Son." All are called to become adopted sons and daughters of God through baptism. We pray that children in the womb may be protected, so that they may be born and welcomed into the Christian community by baptism.

The Wedding of Cana

Jesus revealed His glory by the miracle at Cana. The new couple was blessed not only with wine, but with faith in Christ. Let us pray for strong marriages, rooted in the Lord, and open to the gift of new life.

Christ Proclaims the Kingdom and Calls All to Conversion

"Repent and believe the Good News." Let us pray that these first words of Jesus' public ministry may be heard by all who have committed abortion. May they know that the Lord calls them to conversion, and may they experience life-giving repentance.

The Transfiguration

Christ is transformed on the mountain, and the disciples see His glory. May the eyes of all people be transformed, that they may see each and every human life as a reflection of the glory of God Himself.

Jesus Gives us the Eucharist

"This is My Body, given up for you." The Eucharist teaches us how to live and how to love. Let us pray that parents who sacrifice the babies for the sake of themselves may learn instead to put themselves aside for the sake of their babies.

The Chaplet



Make the Sign + of the Cross



Opening Prayers

You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.

O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You!



Say the "Our Father"



Say the "Hail Mary"



Say the "Apostle's Creed"



Say on "Our Father" bead:

Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your Dearly Beloved Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.



Say on each "Hail Mary" bead:

For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.



Say 3 times:

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion --- inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself.

Pro-Life Rosary For The USA by Fr. Frank Pavone of Priests for Life
(see pages 30 and 31 for Latin prayers)

Pro-Life Rosary for the USA: "Joyful Mysteries"

The Annunciation: Fruit: Humility

Mary is troubled by the angel's greeting, yet rejoices to do God's will. Let us pray that those who are troubled by their pregnancy may have the grace to trust in God's will. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Arizona, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida and Georgia

The Visitation Fruit: Love of Neighbor

John the Baptist leapt for joy in his mother's womb. We pray that people may realize that abortion is not about children who "might" come into the world, but is about children who are already in the world, living and growing in the womb, and are scheduled to be killed. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine and Maryland

The Nativity Fruit: Poverty of Spirit, Detachment from the Things of the World

God Himself was born as a child. The greatness of a person does not depend on size, for the newborn King is very small. Let us pray for an end to prejudice against the tiny babies threatened by abortion. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire and New Jersey.

The Presentation Fruit: Obedience

The Child is presented in the Temple because the Child belongs to God. Children are not the property of their parents, nor of the government.

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The Finding of Jesus in the Temple Fruit: Piety

The boy Jesus was filled with wisdom, because He is God. Let us pray that all people may see the wisdom of His teachings about the dignity of life, and may understand that this teaching is not an opinion, but the truth. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

Pro-Life Rosary for the USA: "Sorrowful Mysteries"

The Agony in the Garden Fruit: Contrition, Conformity to the Will of God

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The Scourging Fruit: Purity, Mortification

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The Crowning With Thorns Fruit: Moral Courage

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deep grief and regret over a choice they can never reverse. So many suffer in silence, because others tell them it's no big deal. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire and New Jersey.

The Carrying of the Cross Fruit: Patience

Jesus was not condemned by the power of wicked people. He was condemned because of the silence of good people. Silence always helps the oppressor, never the victim. Let us pray that we may never be silent about abortion, but rather will clearly speak up to save babies from death. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island and South Carolina.

The Crucifixion Fruit: Salvation, Self-Denial

As we ponder the death of Christ, let us remember the many women who have died from so-called "safe, legal" abortions. Let us ask forgiveness and mercy for them. May their memory save other women from making this tragic mistake. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

Pro-Life Rosary for the USA: "Glorious Mysteries"

The Resurrection Fruit: Faith

Christ is Risen! By his Resurrection, He has destroyed the power of death, and therefore the power of abortion. The outcome of the battle for Life has already been decided: Life is victorious! Let us pray that all proliferers will spread this victory to every segment of our society. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the

states of: Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Arizona, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida and Georgia.

The Ascension Fruit: Hope, Desire for Heaven

By ascending to the Father's throne, Christ takes our human nature, given to us in the womb, to the heights of heaven. He shows us that human beings are made to be raised to heaven, not thrown in the garbage. Let us pray that the world may learn this truth and reject abortion. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine and Maryland.

The Descent of the Holy Spirit Fruit: Wisdom, Love of God

The Holy Spirit is the Advocate: He pleads our cause, for we cannot save ourselves. We pray that He will make us advocates for the babies, who cannot speak or write or vote or protest or even pray. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire and New Jersey.

The Assumption Fruit: Devotion to Mary

The Blessed Virgin Mary was taken body and soul into heaven because she is the Mother of God. Mother and child are united. The Assumption reminds us that they belong together. We pray that society will see that it cannot love women while killing their children, and cannot save children without helping their mothers. We pray that people will be touched by the pro-life question, "Why can't we love them both?" We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island and South Carolina.

The Coronation Fruit: Eternal Happiness

Mary is the Queen of the Universe. The Church teaches that she is the greatest creature, second only to God Himself. The Church defends the dignity of women. We pray that people will understand that to be pro-life means to be pro-woman, and that to be pro-woman demands that we be pro-life. We pray for an ending to abortion and in increase in respect for all human life in the states of: South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

Angelus

Per annum

V. Angelus Domini nuntiavit Mariae;
R. Et concepit de Spiritu Sancto.

Ave Maria, gratia plena, Dominus tecum.
Benedicta tu in mulieribus, et benedictus fructus
ventris tui, Iesus. Sancta Maria, Mater Dei, ora pro
nobis peccatoribus, nunc, et in hora mortis nostrae.
Amen.

V. Ecce ancilla Domini.
R. Fiat mihi secundum verbum tuum.

Ave Maria, gratia plena,.....

V. Et Verbum caro factum est.
R. Et habitavit in nobis.

Ave Maria, gratia plena,.....

V. Ora pro nobis, sancta Dei Genetrix.
R. Ut digni efficiamur promissionibus Christi.

Oremus:
Gratiam tuam, quaesumus, Domine, mentibus
nostris infunde; ut qui, Angelo nuntiante, Christi
Filii tui incarnationem cognovimus, per passionem
eius et crucem, ad resurrectionis gloriam
perducamur. Per eundem Christum Dominum
nostrum.
R. Amen.

Outside the Pascal Season

V. The angel of the Lord declared unto Mary;
R. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

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 in the hour
of our death. Amen.

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord:
R. Be it done unto me according to Thy word.

Hail Mary, full of grace,

V. And the Word was made flesh:
R. And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary, full of grace,

V. Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.
R. That we may be made worthy of the promises
of Christ.

Let us pray:
Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace
into our hearts, that we, to whom the incarnation
of Christ, Thy Son, was made known by the
message of an angel, may by His passion and cross
be brought to the glory of His resurrection,
through the same Christ our Lord.
R. Amen.

MEDIATIONS FOR PRO-LIFE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

First Station: Jesus is Condemned to Death

Though innocent, Jesus is condemned by the power of the State. In like manner, our innocent brothers and sisters in the womb have been condemned. Their rights and dignity are not recognized. In this, they bear a special likeness to Jesus.

Second Station: Jesus is Made to Bear His Cross

The salvation of the world carried a heavy price for our Lord, the agony of the cross. As He accepts His cross, let us also resolve to endure suffering that others may live. Let us pay the price for standing up for our preborn brothers and sisters.

Third Station: Jesus Falls the First Time

Almighty God was weak because He chose to be like us. He had power and glory from all eternity, yet He chose to be immersed in the world of suffering. We pray that the benefits and advantages we have in life may not cause us to forget our pre-born brothers and sisters.

Fourth Station: Jesus Meets His Afflicted Mother

There is no deeper relationship than that of mother and child. They belong together. When one suffers, the other suffers. To love and defend one means to love and defend the other. To be pro-life means to serve both the child and the mother. It means to ask our society, "Why can't we love them both?"

Fifth Station: The Cyrenian Helps Jesus to Carry His Cross

Many watched the Lord suffer. Simon the Cyrenian helped alleviate that suffering. Many lament abortion. Some actually get involved to help to stop it. We pray that all people may take their active place in the pro-life movement.

Sixth Station: Veronica Wipes the Face of Jesus

The compassion Veronica shows reflects the compassion of so many medical doctors and nurses, who treat their patients with dignity. We pray for repentance and renewal in the medical profession. May the tools and skills meant for healing nevermore be used for killing.

Seventh Station: Jesus Falls the Second Time

In working to defend life, there are many setbacks and obstacles. Yet we know the meaning of the cross. In weakness, power reaches perfection. We do not look to our own strengths and talents alone, but to Christ. His own strength will sustain us.

Eighth Station: Jesus Speaks to the Women of Jerusalem

Christ told these women to weep for themselves and for their children. He does not want false worship, but repentance. He does not want

followers who cry out to Him but then ignore injustice and bloodshed. May all who believe in Christ likewise stand up for the defenseless children.

Ninth Station: Jesus Falls the Third Time

Despite the falls, nothing can stop our Lord, because He is on a mission of love. If the pro-life movement is not a movement of love, it is nothing at all, but if it is a movement of love, then nothing will stop it.

Love is stronger than death, more powerful than hell.

**Tenth Station: Jesus is Stripped
of His Garments**

Nobody can stop us from loving our preborn brothers and sisters. Those stronger than we may strip us of popularity, possessions, or power, but they cannot strip us of love. We love others with the same love that Christ showed for us.

**Eleventh Station: Jesus is Nailed
to the Cross**

The powers of this world crucified the God who made this world. All power and authority come from God. All who exercise power have to account for it before the throne of God. We pray that those in government may use their powers to protect the innocent babies in the womb.

Twelfth Station: Jesus Dies on the Cross

Our Lord died. So many of His children have died with Him. His passion is re-lived with every abortion, one every twenty seconds in our country. We only know a fraction of the horror of this act in the sight of God. We only know a fraction of the horror of Christ's crucifixion.

May all our brothers and sisters killed by abortion rest in Christ's peace and be saved by His cross.

**Thirteenth Station: Jesus is Taken Down
from the Cross**

Mary experienced the pain of holding her dead Son. So many mothers grieve after their abortions. We ask that Mary may comfort them, help them face the truth about abortion, and lead them to forgiveness and healing.

Fourteenth Station: Jesus is Laid in the Tomb

A tomb is a memorial. It helps us remember the one who can no longer speak. May we and our society remember the babies who cannot speak. May we also remember Our Lord's Resurrection, and His promise of eternal life. He has conquered abortion because He has conquered death. May we bring His victory to every part of our

Kyrie, eleison.
R. Christe, eleison.

Litaniae Sancti Ioseph
Litany of St. Joseph

Lord, have mercy on us.
R. Christ, have mercy on us.

Kyrie, eleison.
Christe, exaudi nos.
R. Christe, audi nos.

Lord, have mercy on us.
Christ, hear us.
R. Christ, graciously hear us.

Pater de caelis, Deus,
R. miserere nobis.

God the Father of heaven,
R. have mercy on us.

Fili, Redemptor mundi, Deus,
R. miserere nobis.

God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
R. have mercy on us.

Spiritus Sancte Deus,
R. miserere nobis.

God the Holy Spirit,
R. have mercy on us.

Sancta Trinitas, unus Deus,
R. miserere nobis.

Holy Trinity, one God,
R. have mercy on us.

Sancta Maria,
R. ora pro nobis.

Holy Mary,
R. pray for us.

Sancte Ioseph,
R. ora pro nobis.

St. Joseph,
R. pray for us.

Proles David inclyta,
R. ora pro nobis.

Renowned offspring of David,
R. pray for us.

Lumen Patriarcharum,
R. ora pro nobis.

Light of Patriarchs,
R. pray for us.

Dei Genetricis Sponse,
R. ora pro nobis.

Spouse of the Mother of God,
R. pray for us.

Custos pudice Virginis,
R. ora pro nobis.

Chaste guardian of the Virgin,
R. pray for us.

Filii Dei nutricie,
R. ora pro nobis.

Foster father of the Son of God,
R. pray for us.

Christi defensor sedule,
R. ora pro nobis.

Diligent protector of Christ,
R. pray for us.

Almae Familiae praeses,
R. ora pro nobis.

Head of the Holy Family,
R. pray for us.

Ioseph iustissime, R. ora pro nobis.	Joseph most just, R. pray for us.
Ioseph castissime, R. ora pro nobis.	Joseph most chaste, R. pray for us.
Ioseph prudentissime, R. ora pro nobis.	Joseph most prudent, R. pray for us.
Ioseph fortissime, R. ora pro nobis.	Joseph most strong, R. pray for us.
Ioseph oboedientissime, R. ora pro nobis.	Joseph, most obedient, R. pray for us.
Ioseph fidelissime, R. ora pro nobis.	Joseph most faithful, R. pray for us.
Speculum patientiae, R. ora pro nobis.	Mirror of patience, R. pray for us.
Amator paupertatis, R. ora pro nobis.	Lover of poverty, R. pray for us.
Exemplar opificum, R. ora pro nobis.	Model of artisans, R. pray for us.
Domesticae vitae decus, R. ora pro nobis.	Glory of home life, R. pray for us.
Custos virginum, R. ora pro nobis.	Guardian of virgins, R. pray for us.
Familiarum columen, R. ora pro nobis.	Pillar of families, R. pray for us.
Solatum miserorum, R. ora pro nobis.	Solace of the wretched, R. pray for us.
Spes aegrotantium, R. ora pro nobis.	Hope of the sick, R. pray for us.

Patrone morientium,
R. ora pro nobis.

Patron of the dying,
R. pray for us.

Terror daemonum,
R. ora pro nobis.

Terror of the demons,
R. pray for us.

Protector sanctae Ecclesiae,
R. ora pro nobis.

Protector of Holy Church,
R. pray for us.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
R. parce nobis, Domine.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,
R. spare us, O Lord.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
R. exaudi nobis, Domine.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,
R. graciously hear us, O Lord.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
R. miserere nobis.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,
R. have mercy on us.

V. Constituit eum dominum domus suae.
R. Et principem omnis possessionis suae.

V. He made him the lord of his household.
R. And prince over all his possessions.

Oremus
Deus, qui in ineffabili providentia beatum Ioseph sanctissimae Genetricis tuae Sponsum eligere dignatus es, praesta, quaesumus, ut quem protectorem veneramus in terris, intercessorem habere mereamur in caelis: Qui vivis et regnas in saecula saeculorum. Amen.

Let us pray
O God, in Thy ineffable providence Thou wert pleased to choose Blessed Joseph to be the spouse of Thy most holy Mother, grant, we beg Thee, that we may be worthy to have him for our intercessor in heaven whom on earth we venerate as our Protector; Thou who livest and reignest forever and ever. Amen.

Veni, Sancte Spiritus Come, Holy Spirit

VENI, Sancte Spiritus, reple tuorum corda fidelium, et tui amoris in eis ignem accende.

COME, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Thy faithful and kindle in them the fire of Thy love.

V. Emitte Spiritum tuum et creabuntur;
R. Et renovabis faciem terrae.

V. Send forth Thy Spirit and they shall be created
R. And Thou shalt renew the face of the earth.

Oremus:
DEUS, qui corda fidelium Sancti Spiritu illustratione docuisti: da nobis in eodem Spiritu recta sapere, et de eius semper consolatione gaudere. Per Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

Let us pray:
O GOD, Who taught the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant that, by the gift of the same Spirit, we may be always truly wise, and ever rejoice in His consolation. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Kyrie, eleison.
R. Kyrie, eleison.

Christe, eleison.
R. Christe, eleison.

Kyrie, eleison.
R. Kyrie, eleison.

Christe, audi nos.
R. Christe, audi nos.

Christe, exaudi nos
R. Christe, exaudi nos

Pater de caelis Deus,
R. miserere nobis.

Fili Redemptor mundi, Deus,
R. miserere nobis.

Spiritus Sancte, Deus,
R. miserere nobis.

Sancta Trinitas, unus Deus,
R. miserere nobis.

Sancta Maria, Regina Angelorum,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael,
R. ora pro nobis.

Litaniae Sancti Michaelis

Litany of St. Michael

Lord, have mercy.
R. Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.
R. Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.
R. Lord, have mercy.

Christ, hear us.
R. Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.
R. Christ, graciously hear us.

God, the Father of heaven,
R. have mercy on us.

God, the Son, the 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, Queen of Angels,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael,
R. pray for us.

Sancte Michael, sapientiae divinae fons abundans,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, divini Verbi adorator perfectissime,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, quem gloria et honore Deus coronavit,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, caelestis exercitus princeps potentissime,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, Trinitatis sanctissimae signifer,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, paradisi custos,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, dux et consolator populi Dei,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, splendor et fortitudo militantis Ecclesiae,
R. ora pro nobis.

Saint Michael, abundant font of divine wisdom,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, most perfect adorer of the Divine Word,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, whom God crowned with honor and glory,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, most powerful Prince of the heavenly host,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, standard-bearer of the Most Holy Trinity,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, guardian of Paradise,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, guide and consoler of the People of God,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, splendor and fortitude of the Church Militant,
R. pray for us.

Sancte Michael, honor et gaudium triumphantis Ecclesiae
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, lumen Angelorum,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, praesidium orthodoxi populi,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, sub signo Crucis militantium fortitudo,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, lux et spes animarum in agone mortis,
R. ora pro nobis

Sancte Michael, auxilium tutissimum,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, in adversitatibus nostris adiutorium,
R. ora pro nobis

Sancte Michael, aeternarum sententiarum proclamator,
R. ora pro nobis

Sancte Michael, consolator animarum in purgatorio
languentium,
R. ora pro nobis

Sancte Michael, animas electorum post mortem suscipiens,
R. ora pro nobis

Sancte Michael, princeps noster,
R. ora pro nobis.

Sancte Michael, defensor noster,
R. ora pro nobis.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
R. parce nobis, Domine.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
R. exaudi nos, Domine.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
R. miserere nobis.

V. Ora pro nobis, Sancte Michael Archangele

R. Ut digni efficiamur promissionibus Christi.

Oremus;
Domine Iesu Christe, benedictione perpetua sanctifica nos, et
concede, per intercessionem sancti Michaelis illam sapientiam
quae doceat nos thesaurizare thesaurum in caelis, et pro
temporalibus, aeterna bona eligere. Qui vivis et regnas in saecula
saeculorum.
R. Amen

Saint Michael, honor and joy of the Church Triumphant
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, light of the Angels,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, protection of orthodox people,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, strength of those who fight under the standard of
the Cross,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, light and hope of souls near death,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, our most sure aid,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, help in our adversities,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, herald of the everlasting judgment,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, consoler of souls languishing in purgatory,
R. pray for us

Saint Michael, receiver of the souls of the elect after death,
R. pray for us

Saint Michael, our prince,
R. pray for us.

Saint Michael, our defender,
R. pray for us.

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world,
R. spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world,
R. graciously hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world,
R. have mercy on us.

V. Pray for us, Saint Michael the Archangel

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

Let us pray
O Lord Jesus Christ, may Thy continual blessing sanctify us, and
grant us through the intercession of St. Michael the wisdom that
teaches us to lay up our treasure in Heaven and choose eternal
goods over those of this world. Thou who livest and reignest
forever.
R. Amen

Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Lord, **have mercy on us.**

Christ, **have mercy on us.**

Lord, **have mercy on us.**

Christ, **hear us.**

Christ, **graciously hear us.**

God, the Father of Heaven, **have mercy on us.**

God the Son, Redeemer of the world, **have mercy on us.**

God the Holy Spirit, **have mercy on us.**

Holy Trinity, One God, **have mercy on us.**

Holy Mary, **pray for us.**

Holy Mother of God, **pray for us.**

Holy Virgin of virgins, **pray for us.**

Mother of Christ, **pray for us.**

Mother of divine grace, **pray for us.**

Mother most pure, **pray for us.**

Mother most chaste, **pray for us.**

Mother inviolate, **pray for us.**

Mother undefiled, **pray for us.**

Mother most amiable, **pray for us.**

Mother most admirable, **pray for us.**

Mother of good counsel, **pray for us.**

Mother of our Creator, **pray for us.**

Mother of our Savior, **pray for us.**

Virgin most prudent, **pray for us.**

Virgin most venerable, **pray for us.**

Virgin most renowned, **pray for us.**

Virgin most powerful, **pray for us.**

Virgin most merciful, **pray for us.**

Virgin most faithful, **pray for us.**

Mirror of justice, **pray for us.**
Seat of wisdom, **pray for us.**

Cause of our joy, **pray for us.**
Spiritual vessel, **pray for us.**
Vessel of honor, **pray for us.**
Singular vessel of devotion, **pray for us.**
Mystical rose, **pray for us.**
Tower of David, **pray for us.**
Tower of ivory, **pray for us.**

House of gold, **pray for us.**
Ark of the covenant, **pray for us.**
Gate of heaven, **pray for us.**
Morning star, **pray for us.**

Health of the sick, **pray for us.**
Refuge of sinners, **pray for us.**
Comforter of the afflicted, **pray for us.**
Help of Christians, **pray for us.**

Queen of Angels, **pray for us.**
Queen of Patriarchs, **pray for us.**
Queen of Prophets, **pray for us.**
Queen of Apostles, **pray for us.**
Queen of Martyrs, **pray for us.**
Queen of Confessors, **pray for us.**
Queen of Virgins, **pray for us.**
Queen of all Saints, **pray for us.**
Queen conceived without original sin, **pray for us.**
Queen assumed into heaven, **pray for us.**
Queen of the most holy Rosary, **pray for us.**
Queen of Peace, **pray for us.**

Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world,
spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world,
graciously hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.

Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

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

Let us pray:

Grant, we beg you, O Lord God, that we your servants, may enjoy lasting health of mind and body, and by the glorious intercession of the Blessed Mary, ever Virgin, be delivered from present sorrow and enter into the joy of eternal happiness. Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Pater Noster (Our Father)

Pater Noster, qui es in caelis,
sanctificetur nomen tuum. Adveniat regnum tuum.

Fiat voluntas tua, sicut in caelo et in terra.

Panem nostrum quotidianum da nobis hodie,

et dimitte nobis debita nostra,

sicut et nos dimittimus debitoribus nostris.

Et ne nos inducas in tentationem: sed libera nos a malo.

Ave Maria (Hail Mary)

Ave Maria, gratia plena, Dominus tecum. Benedicta tu in mulieribus,
et benedictus fructus ventris tui, Iesus. Sancta Maria, Mater Dei,
ora pro nobis peccatoribus, nunc, et in hora mortis nostrae. Amen.

Credo (Apostle's Creed)

Credo in Deum, Patrem omnipotentem, Creatorem caeli et terrae.

Et in Jesum Christum, Filium ejus unicum, Dominum nostrum:

qui conceptus est de Spiritu Sancto, natus ex María Virgine, passus sub Póntio Piláto, crucifixus, mórtuus, et sepúltus: descendit ad íferos; tértia die resurrexit a mórtuis; ascéndit ad caelos; sedet ad dexteram Dei Patris omnipotentis: inde ventúrus est judicáre vivos et mórtuos.

Credo in Spíritum Sanctum, sanctam Ecclésiám cathólicam, Sanctórum communiónem, remissiónem peccatórum, carnis resurrectiόnem, vitam ætétnam. Amen.

Litany of the Saints

Lord, have mercy on us.	Lord, have mercy on us.
Christ, have mercy on us.	Christ, have mercy on us.
Lord, have mercy on us.	Lord, have mercy on us.
Christ, hear us.	Christ, graciously hear us.
God, the Father of Heaven,	have mercy on us.
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,	have mercy on us.
God the Holy Spirit,	have mercy on us.
Holy Trinity, one God,	have mercy on us.
Holy Mary,	pray for us.
Holy Mother of God,	pray for us.
Holy Virgin of Virgins,	pray for us.
St. Michael,	pray for us.
St. Gabriel,	pray for us.
St. Raphael,	pray for us.
All you Holy Angels and Archangels	pray for us.
St. John the Baptist,	pray for us.
St. Joseph,	pray for us.
All you Holy Patriarchs and Prophets,	pray for us.
St. Peter,	pray for us.
St. Paul,	pray for us.
St. Andrew,	pray for us.
St. James,	pray for us.
St. John,	pray for us.

St. Thomas,	pray for us.
St. James,	pray for us.
St. Philip,	pray for us.
St. Bartholomew,	pray for us.
St. Matthew,	pray for us.
St. Simon,	pray for us.
St. Jude,	pray for us.
St. Matthias,	pray for us.
St. Barnabas,	pray for us.
St. Luke,	pray for us.
St. Mark,	pray for us.
All you Holy Apostles and Evangelists,	pray for us.
All you Holy Disciples of the Lord,	pray for us.
All you Holy Innocents,	pray for us.
St. Stephen,	pray for us.
St. Lawrence,	pray for us.
St. Vincent,	pray for us.
St. Fabian and Sebastian,	pray for us.
St. John and Paul,	pray for us.
St. Cosmas and Damian,	pray for us.
All you Holy Martyrs,	pray for us.
St. Sylvester,	pray for us.
St. Gregory,	pray for us.
St. Ambrose,	pray for us.
St. Jerome,	pray for us.
St. Martin,	pray for us.
St. Nicholas,	pray for us.
All you Holy Bishops and Confessors,	pray for us.
All you Holy Doctors,	pray for us.
St. Anthony,	pray for us.
St. Benedict,	pray for us.
St. Bernard,	pray for us.
St. Dominic,	pray for us.
St. Francis,	pray for us.
All you Holy Priests and Levites,	pray for us.
All you Holy Monks and Hermits,	pray for us.
St. Mary Magdalene,	pray for us.
St. Agatha,	pray for us.
St. Lucy,	pray for us.

St. Agnes,	pray for us.
St. Cecilia,	pray for us.
St. Anastasia,	pray for us.
St. Catherine,	pray for us.
St. Clare,	pray for us.
All you Holy Virgins and Widows,	pray for us.
All you Holy Saints of God,	pray for us.
Lord, be merciful,	Lord, save your people.
From all evil,	Lord, save your people.
From all sin,	Lord, save your people.
From your wrath,	Lord, save your people.
From a sudden and unprovided death,	Lord, save your people.
From the snares of the devil,	Lord, save your people.
From anger, hatred and all ill-will,	Lord, save your people.
From the spirit of fornication,	Lord, save your people.
From lightning and tempest,	Lord, save your people.
From the scourge of earthquake,	Lord, save your people.
From plague, famine and war,	Lord, save your people.
From everlasting death,	Lord, save your people.
By the mystery of your Holy Incarnation,	Lord, save your people.
By Your Coming,	Lord, save your people.
By Your Birth,	Lord, save your people.
By Your Baptism and Holy Fasting,	Lord, save your people.
By Your Cross and Passion,	Lord, save your people.
By Your Death and Burial,	Lord, save your people.
By the coming of the Holy Spirit,	Lord, save your people.
By Your Holy Resurrection,	Lord, save your people.
By Your wonderful Ascension,	Lord, save your people.
On the Day of Judgment,	Lord, save your people.
Be merciful to us sinners,	Lord, hear our prayer.
That you will spare us,	Lord, hear our prayer.
That you will pardon us,	Lord, hear our prayer.
That it may please you to bring us to true penance,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Guide and protect your holy Church,	Lord, hear our prayer.

Preserve in holy religion the Pope, and all those in holy Orders,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Humble the enemies of holy Church,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Give peace and unity to the whole Christian people,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Bring back to the unity of the Church all those who are straying, and bring all unbelievers to the light of the Gospel,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Strengthen and preserve us in your holy service,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Raise our minds to desire the things of heaven,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Reward all our benefactors with eternal blessings,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Deliver our souls from eternal damnation, and the souls of our brethren, relatives, and benefactors,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Give and preserve the fruits of the earth,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Grant eternal rest to all the faithful departed,	Lord, hear our prayer.
That it may please You to hear and heed us, Jesus, Son of the Living God,	Lord, hear our prayer.
Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,	spare us, O Lord!
Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,	graciously hear us, O Lord!
Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,	Have mercy on us.
Christ, hear us,	Christ, graciously hear us
Lord Jesus, hear our prayer	Lord Jesus, hear our prayer.
Lord, have mercy on us	Lord, have mercy on us.
Christ, have mercy on us	Christ, have mercy on us.
Lord, have mercy on us	Lord, have mercy on us.

Prayer to St. Joseph
To be recited after praying the Holy Rosary

To thee, O Blessed Joseph, we fly in our tribulation and after imploring the help of thy holy Spouse, with confidence we ask also for thy intercession. By the affection which united thee to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God, and by the paternal love with which thou didst embrace the Child Jesus, we beseech thee to look kindly upon the inheritance which Jesus Christ acquired by His Precious Blood, and with thy powerful aid to help us in our needs.

Protect, most careful guardian of the Holy Family, the chosen people of Jesus Christ. Keep us, loving father, from all pestilence of error and corruption. From thy place in heaven be thou mercifully with us, most powerful protector, in this warfare with the powers of darkness and, as thou didst once rescue the Child Jesus from imminent danger of death, so now defend the Holy Church of God from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity. Guard each of us by thy constant patronage, so that, sustained by thy example and help, we may live a holy life, die a holy death, and obtain the everlasting happiness of heaven. Amen

Prescribed by His Holiness Pople Leo XIII, for the month of October after the recitation of the Holy Rosary

Fr. Francis McCloskey Closing Prayer, God Bless Fr. Francis

Heavenly Father, we now leave this building in the charge of angels and archangels until we return. Once again we take up the Blood of the Lamb that was slain, Jesus Christ, your precious Son.

We cover this entire building and property with that Sacred Blood. May it soak and saturate through to those who kill herein, those who assist the killing, those who go into the building to have a child killed, those who cooperate in any way with the killing machine.

Heavenly Father, may the Blood of Christ make them seekers after truth, acknowledging sin and turning away from it, receiving forgiveness through repentance and, by Your Mercy, that conversion of heart that leads to everlasting life.

We sprinkle the Blood of the Lamb on the doorpost that the angel of death might pass over.

Father, we pray that not one of your tiny precious infants will be slaughtered herein because you will have turned the hearts of fathers toward their children, the hearts of moms to the children in their wombs.

Heavenly Father, we also ask that you turn the hearts of children to their parents, for the boy Jesus went down to Nazareth subject to Mary and Joseph. May He be at the center of our lives, individually and personally, every family's life, every nation's life, but especially our own common life as a sinful nation.

For it is in His name and for His sake that we make this prayer in the name of The Father, The Son and The Holy Ghost.

Amen.