

Rosary at Saint Ann

The Sign of the Cross: In the name of the Father of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

The 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 arose again; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall 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*

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.*

Hail Mary (3, then 10): *Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee: blessed art 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*

Glory Be to the Father: *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.*

O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell, and lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of Your Mercy

1st Luminous Mystery - The Baptism in the Jordan; – Jesus descends into the water of the Jordan River and is baptized by John. The heavens open and the voice of the Father declares Him the beloved Son. The spirit descends upon Jesus in the form of a dove and fills Him with God’s mission to save humankind from sin. **2nd Luminous Mystery - The Wedding at Cana;** Jesus changes water into wine at the request of Mary, who was first among believers. The disciples witness this miracle their hearts open to the faith, and they begin to believe in Him. **3rd Luminous Mystery - Proclamation of the Kingdom of God;** Jesus preaches the Gospel in Galilee. He proclaims that this is the time of fulfillment, for the kingdom of God is at hand. He asks all to repent and forgives the sins of those who believe in Him. **4th Luminous Mystery - The Transfiguration;** On Mount Tabor, the Apostles see the glory of God shining forth from the face of Jesus. The voice of the Father, coming from the cloud, says, “This is my chosen Son, listen to Him. **5th Luminous Mystery – Institution of the Eucharist** At the Last Supper, Jesus offers His body and blood, under the signs of bread and wine, and washes the feet of the Apostles. He knows that Judas has betrayed Him and His hour has come. Jesus testifies to His everlasting love for each one of us by sharing the Sacrament of the Eucharist.

Hail, Holy Queen: *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 gracious 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.*

Pray for us, O holy Mother of God, that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ

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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 that we beseech Thee while 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.

Lord Jesus, send the Diocese of Charleston more priests, deacons, sisters and brothers. Choose faithful men and women from our homes, parishes and schools to serve the people of God. Mary, Mother of the Church help those who are called to offer a joyful yes to God's invitation.

Prayer for our Troops: Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need and give us peace. I ask this in the name of Jesus our Savior.

Respect for life: God of life and love, you created us in your image and sent your Son to bring us life. Instill in us a respect for all life, from conception to natural death. Empower us to work for justice for the poor. Nourish us that we may bring food to the hungry. Inspire us to cherish the fragile life of the unborn. Strengthen us to bring comfort to the chronically ill. Teach us to treat the aging with dignity and respect. Bring us one day into the glory of everlasting life. We ask through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer to St. Michael: St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do you, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and other evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Our Father (1)

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THE APOSTLE'S CREED (1)

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On the Our Father Beads say the following words:

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

On the Hail Mary Beads say the following words (10):

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

In conclusion, after the five decades say three (3) times:

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

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PRO-LIFE MEDITATIONS – Luminous Mystery

First Luminous Mystery: 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.

Second Luminous Mystery: Christ is made known at 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.

Third Luminous Mystery: 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.

Fourth Luminous Mystery: 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.

Fifth Luminous Mystery: 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.