



NOVENA TO THE
Immaculate
Conception
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY





In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

INTRODUCTORY PRAYERS

All:

You are all beautiful, Mary,
and the original stain is not in you.
You are the glory of Jerusalem,
you are the joy of Israel,
you give honor to our people.
You are the advocate of sinners.

O Mary,
Virgin most prudent,
Mother most merciful,
pray for us, intercede for us,
with the Lord Jesus Christ.



Leader:

O God, who by the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin prepared a worthy dwelling for your Son, grant, we pray, that, as you preserved her from every stain by virtue of the death of your Son, which you foresaw, so, through her intercession, we, too, may be cleansed and admitted to your presence. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

Amen.

NOVENA PRAYER *(all kneel)*

All:

O most pure Virgin Mary conceived without sin, from the very first instant, you were entirely immaculate. O glorious Mary full of grace, you are the mother of God – the Queen of Angels and of men. I humbly venerate you as the chosen mother of my Savior, Jesus Christ.

The Prince of Peace and the Lord of Lords chose you for the singular grace and honor of being His beloved mother. By the power of His Cross, He preserved you from all sin. Therefore, by His power and love, I have hope and bold confidence in your prayers for my holiness and salvation.

I pray that your prayers will bring me to imitate your holiness and submission to Jesus and the Divine Will.

Queen of Heaven, I beg you to beg my Savior to grant me these requests... *(Mention your intentions)*



My holy Mother, I know that you were obedient to the will of God. In making this petition, I know that God's will is more perfect than mine. So, grant that I may receive God's grace with humility as you did.

As my final request, I ask that you pray for me to increase in faith in our risen Lord; I ask that you pray for me to increase in hope in our risen Lord; I ask that you pray for me to increase in love for the risen Jesus. Amen.



PRAYER FOR THE DAY

FIRST DAY (November 29)

O Mary Immaculate, I humbly ask you to intercede for the gift that will strengthen my faith every day and for the light of God upon those who have fallen into sin like me. Preserve in me the kingdom of God and help me not to fall into sin, and grant that my family and the whole society may always keep a strong faith in your Most Holy Son. Grant that through your intercession, Holy Mother Church may have greater strength and life amidst the many tempests and dangers of modern times. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

SECOND DAY (November 30)

O Mary, my Mother, because of the life, death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ, the reward of eternal life has been purchased for us. Grant me, through this prayer, the strength to fight the temptations through the meditation of the mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin, and to discover and to merit eternal salvation. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

THIRD DAY (December 1)

O my Queen and Mother, to you I offer myself humbly and heartily; that all my wishes and desires may be according to your holy will. To show you my devotion, I promise you that all my words, thoughts and deeds will be done according to your will, like a son, who wholly trusts his own mother. O my Mother, preserve and defend me in all dangers as you would protect your own Son. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



FOURTH DAY (December 2)

O my Mother, because of your honor of having been conceived without original sin, you were prepared for the incarnation of our Lord Jesus Christ. I pray that just as you were preserved from sin, I may be saved from the stain of sin through your glorious purity. And having been cleansed of my sins, may I be worthy to share with you and your Son the eternal glory in heaven. May I always receive your blessing, O Blessed Virgin. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

FIFTH DAY (December 3)

O my Queen and my Mother, to you I recommend myself, and I am forever grateful for all the gifts I have received through your intercession. Strengthen, O my mother, my will and purify my desires that I may always be a true child to a pure mother and merciful queen. Grant that through my prayers and Christian life I may be worthy to be with you in heaven which is the true destiny of all redeemed. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

SIXTH DAY (December 4)

O Mother, of sweet love and holy hope, before your feet I cast myself. Have compassion on us, sinners, and enlighten our minds so that we may return to the Christian ways, and so that all the honors, joys and sorrows that surrounded your life may bear fruit in us. My Mother, may I always remain in your love. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.



SEVENTH DAY (December 5)

Most Holy Virgin, to you I submit myself for protection because of cares arising from the evils of the world. Help me and cast upon me your merciful eyes so that I may overcome all the hardship of body, heart and soul. Grant that I may be worthy of the grace I seek to obtain in this novena. O my Mother, allow me not to stray from the path of virtue. Keep me always a holy child of a holy mother. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

EIGHTH DAY (December 6)

O Blessed Virgin, my intercessor and benefactress before the throne of God, now that the end of this novena is near, I implore and ask you that your most holy will be realized in my life. I truly repent all of my sins and I will confess them all that I may become worthy of your graces, especially the grace to be with you in heaven forever. Through your intercession, O Mother, may I always obey the laws of God and of Mother Church. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

NINTH DAY (December 7)

O Mary Immaculate, I pray that on this last day of my novena I may share your purity, humility and beauty of soul. Grant that I may receive your Son, Jesus Christ in the Holy Communion, that it may become the symbol of the eternal reward. Never take me away, O my Mother, from your sight. O my Mother, may I always remain in your love, mercy, and grace. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.



LITANY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously 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,

Holy Virgin of Virgins,

Mother of Christ,

Mother of the Church,

Mother of Mercy,

Mother of Divine Grace,

Mother of Hope,

Mother Most Pure,

Mother Most Chaste,

Mother Inviolata,

Mother undefiled,

Mother Most Amiable,

Mother Most Admirable,

Mother of Good Counsel,

Mother of our Creator,

Mother of our Savior,

Virgin Most Prudent,

Virgin Most Venerable,

Virgin Most Renowned,

Virgin Most Powerful,

Virgin Most Merciful,

Virgin Most Faithful,

Mirror of Justice,

Seat of Wisdom,

Cause of Our Joy,

Spiritual Vessel,



Vessel of Honor,
 Singular Vessel of Devotion,
 Mystical Rose,
 Tower of David,
 Tower of Ivory,
 House of Gold,
 Ark of the Covenant,
 Gate of Heaven,
 Morning Star,
 Health of the Sick,
 Refuge of Sinners,
 Solace of Migrants,
 Comforter of the Afflicted,
 Help of Christians,

Queen of Angels,
 Queen of Patriarchs
 Queen of Prophets,
 Queen of Apostles,
 Queen of Martyrs,
 Queen of Confessors,
 Queen of Virgins,
 Queen of all Saints,
 Queen Conceived
 without Original Sin,
 Queen Assumed into Heaven,
 Queen of the Most
 Holy Rosary,
 Queen of Families,
 Queen of Peace,

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.



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 by this confidence, I fly unto you, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to you do I come, before you I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in your mercy hear and answer me.

Amen.

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER TO MARY IMMACULATE

Virgin most holy and immaculate,
to you, the honor of our people,
and our loving protector,
do we turn with loving trust.

You are all-beautiful, O Mary!

In you there is no sin.

Awaken in all of us a renewed desire for holiness:

May the splendor of truth shine forth in our words,

the song of charity resound in our works,

purity and chastity abide in our hearts and bodies,

and the full beauty of the Gospel be evident in our lives.



You are all-beautiful, O Mary!
In you the Word of God became flesh.
Help us always to heed the Lord's voice:
May we never be indifferent to the cry of the poor,
or untouched by the sufferings of the sick and those in need;
may we be sensitive to the loneliness of the elderly
and the vulnerability of children,
and always love and cherish the life of every human being.

You are all-beautiful, O Mary!
In you is the fullness of joy born of life with God.
Help us never to forget the meaning of our earthly journey:
May the kindly light of faith illumine our days,
the comforting power of hope direct our steps,
the contagious warmth of love stir our hearts;
and may our gaze be fixed on God, in whom true joy is found.

You are all-beautiful, O Mary!
Hear our prayer, graciously hear our plea:
May the beauty of God's merciful love in Jesus
abide in our hearts,
and may this divine beauty save us, our city and the entire world.

Amen.

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