

The Holy Rosary

OCTOBER: MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

How to Pray the Rosary

Make the **Sign of the Cross**.

Recite the **Apostles' Creed** while holding the cross.

On the next bead, pray the **Our Father**.

On each of the next three beads, pray the **Hail Mary**.

On the next bead, pray the **Glory Be**.

Announce the first mystery. Then pray the **Our Father**.

On each of the next 10 beads, pray the **Hail Mary**.

At the end of ten Hail Marys, pray the **Glory Be**.

Pray the **Fatima Prayer** "O My Jesus..."

Announce the second mystery and go on in this manner until completing the five decades.

Pray the **Hail Holy Queen, Concluding Prayer, and Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel**.

To conclude, make the **Sign of the Cross**.

Prayers of the Rosary

Sign of the Cross

In the name of the Father, and 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. He was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into Hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into Heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from whence He will come again to judge the living and the dead.



ABOUT ANF

America Needs Fatima aims to spread Our Lady of Fatima's message of hope in the final victory, through personal conversion by means of prayer and amendment of life, with special emphasis on the Holy Rosary. Our goal is to obtain the return of America to God through the means proposed by Our Blessed Mother at Fatima.

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

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 death. *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*

Fatima Prayers

O My Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of Hell. Lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy. *Amen*

My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love Thee! I ask forgiveness for those who do not believe, do not adore, do not hope, and do not love Thee! *Amen*

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!

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

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

Concluding Prayer

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 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*

Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray: and do thou, O prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. *Amen*

The Mysteries of the Rosary

The Joyful Mysteries

- 1st - The Annunciation
- 2nd - The Visitation of Mary to her cousin Elizabeth
- 3rd - The Nativity our Lord
- 4th - The Presentation of Jesus in the Temple
- 5th - The Finding of Jesus in the Temple

The Sorrowful Mysteries

- 1st - The Agony in the Garden
- 2nd - The Scourging at the Pillar
- 3rd - The Crowning with Thorns
- 4th - The Carrying of the Cross
- 5th - The Crucifixion

The Glorious Mysteries

- 1st - The Resurrection
- 2nd - The Ascension
- 3rd - The Descent of the Holy Ghost
- 4th - The Assumption of Mary into Heaven
- 5th - The Coronation of Mary, Queen of Heaven and Earth

Please note: While there are other mysteries of the rosary that are more recent, for simplicity we have chosen to publish here only the fifteen mysteries traditionally given by Our Lady