

### **Prayers of the Rosary:**

*We start with*

*+ the Apostles' Creed on the cross, then*

*-Our Father on the first large bead,*

*-three Hail Marys on the small beads*

*followed by the Gloria Patri,*

*-each subsequent large bead announcing one of five Mysteries, the Our Father, and*

*-ten Hail Marys on the small beads*

*concluding with the Gloria Patri.*

### **The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God,

the Father almighty,

maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord;

who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,

born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, dead and buried;

He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven,

and sitteth on the right hand of God the

Father almighty.

From thence he shall come to judge the

quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost,

the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and life everlasting.

Amen.

### **The 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.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power,

and the glory, for ever and ever.

Amen

### **The 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 our death.

Amen.

### **The Doxology (Gloria Patri)**

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.

\*The Rosary ends with a Concluding Prayer.

## **The Sorrowful Mysteries**

**Apostles Creed, Our Father, three Hail Marys, Gloria Patri and**

### **1. The Agony in the Garden**

Jesus prays in the Garden of Gethsemane on the night before he dies.

Our Father... then ten Hail Marys and Gloria Patri.

### **2. The Scourging at the Pillar**

Jesus is lashed with whips.

Our Father... then ten Hail Marys and Gloria Patri.

### **3. The Crowning With Thorns**

Jesus is mocked and crowned with thorns.

Our Father... then ten Hail Marys and Gloria Patri.

### **4. The Carrying of the Cross**

Jesus carries the cross that will be used to crucify him.

Our Father... then ten Hail Marys and Gloria Patri.

### **5. The Crucifixion**

Jesus is nailed to the cross and dies.

Our Father... then ten Hail Marys and Gloria Patri.

### **Concluding Prayers:**

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.*

Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting God, who by the working of the Holy Spirit did prepare both the body and soul of the glorious Virgin Mother Mary, that she might deserve to be made a worthy dwelling for Thy Son, grant that we who rejoice in her memory, may, by her loving intercession, be delivered from present evils and from everlasting death, through the same Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Final Blessing

