How to pray the Rosary

MYSTERIES OF THE HOLY ROSARY

THE JOYFUL MYSTERIES
(Said on Mondays and Saturdays, the Sundays of Advent, and Sundays from Epiphany until Lent)
1. The Annunciation
2. The Visitation
3. The Nativity
4. The Presentation
5. Finding in the Temple

THE SORROWFUL MYSTERIES
(Said on Tuesdays and Fridays throughout the year, and daily from Ash Wednesday until Easter Sunday)
1. Agony in the Garden
2. Scourging at the Pillar
3. Crowning With Thorns
4. Carrying Of The Cross
5. The Crucifixion

THE GLORIOUS MYSTERIES
(Said on Wednesdays, and the Sundays from Easter until Advent)
1. The Resurrection
2. The Ascension
3. The Descent of the Holy Spirit
4. The Assumption
5. The Coronation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

THE LUMINOUS MYSTERIES
(Said on Thursdays)
1. The Baptism of Jesus
2. The Wedding At Cana
3. Proclamation Of The Kingdom Of God
4. The Transfiguration
5. Institution Of The Eucharist

THE GLORIOUS MYSTERIES
5. The Coronation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
4. The Assumption
3. The Descent of the Holy Spirit
2. The Ascension
1. The Resurrection

(Said on Wednesdays, and the Sundays from Easter until Advent)

THE SORROWFUL MYSTERIES
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PRAYER BEFORE THE ROSARY: QUEEN OF THE Holy Rosary, you have deigned to come to Fatima to reveal to the three shepherd children the treasures of grace hidden in the Rosary. Inspire my heart with a sincere love of this devotion, in order that by meditating on the Mysteries of our Redemption which are recalled in it, I may be enriched with its fruits and obtain peace for the world, the conversion of sinners and of Russia, and the favor which I ask of you in this Rosary. (Here mention your request.) I ask it for the greater glory of God, for your own honor, and for the good of souls, especially for my own. Amen

THE APOSTLES’ CREED: I BELIEVE IN GOD the 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; the third day He arose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits 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

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. Amen

THE HAIL MARY: 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

THE FATIMA PRAYER: O MY JESUS, forgive us our sins, save us from the fire of hell, take all souls to heaven, and help especially those in most need of Your mercy. (Our Lady at Fatima, June 13, 1917)"