# **Thanksgiving Glorious Mysteries - 54 Day Rosary**

# **Holy Rosary Format:**

## **Sign of the Cross**

Opening Prayer: Hail, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, my Mother Mary, hail! At thy feet I gratefully kneel to offer thee a Crown of Roses full blown white roses, tinged with the red of the passion, to remind thee of thy glories, fruits of the sufferings of thy Son and thee each rose recalling to thee a holy mystery; each ten bound together with my petition for a particular grace. O Holy Queen, dispenser of God's graces, and Mother of all who invoke thee! Thou canst not look upon my gift and fail to see its binding. As thou receivest my gift, so wilt thou receive my thanksgiving; from thy bounty thou bast given me the favor I so earnestly and trustingly sought. I despaired not of what I asked of thee, and thou hast truly shown thyself my Mother.

The Apostle's Creed
Our Father
Hail Mary (For Faith), Hail Mary (For Hope), Hail Mary (For Love/Charity)
Glory Be

**Rosary Intention:** Renewal of Faith for participants, family, friends, and co-workers.

Pray the Five Rosary Mysteries Corresponding to the day of week

Rosary Closing Prayers: Hail Holy Queen, Breviary Prayer, The Memorare,

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# Prayers of the Holy Rosary:

Apostle's 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 rose 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.

### **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 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:

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

As it was, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

### **Fatima Prayer:**

Oh, 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

## **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 towards 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.

## **Breviary ("Let Us Pray"):**

Let us pray, O God, whose only begotten Son, by His life, death and Resurrection, has purchased for us the reward of eternal salvation. Grant we beseech Thee that 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.

## **The Memorare:**

Oh, remember, Oh, most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought they intercession, was left unaided. Inspired by his confidence, I fly unto thee, Oh Virgin of virgins, My Mother. To thee I come; before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. Oh, Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petition, but in thy mercy, hear and answer me – Amen.

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1st Mystery - The Resurrection: (CCC 657) The empty tomb and the linen cloths lying there signify in themselves that by God's power Christ's body had escaped the bonds of death and corruption. They prepared the disciples to encounter the Risen Lord.

#### **Our Father**

- 1. "Amen, amen, I say to you, you will weep and mourn, while the world rejoices; you will grieve, but your grief will become joy." (Jn 16:20) *Hail Mary*
- 2. "But I will see you again, and your hearts will rejoice, and no one will take your joy away from you." (Jn 16:22) *Hail Mary*
- 3. But at daybreak on the first day of the week they took the spices they had prepared and went to the tomb. (Lk 24:1) *Hail Mary*
- 4. And behold, there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord descended from heaven, approached, rolled back the stone, and sat upon it. (Mt 28:2) *Hail Mary*
- 5. "Do not be afraid! I know that you are seeking Jesus the crucified." (Mt 28:5-6) *Hail Mary*
- 6. "He is not here, for he has been raised just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay." (Mt 28:6) *Hail Mary*

- 7. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead, and he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him.' (Mt 28:7) *Hail Mary*
- 8. Then they went away quickly from the tomb, fearful yet overjoyed. (Mk 16:8) *Hail Mary*
- 9. "Death is swallowed up in victory. Where, O death, is your victory? Where O death, is your sting?" (1 Cor. 15:54-55) *Hail Mary*
- 10. The sting of death is sin,...But thanks be to God who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. (1 Cor. 15:56,57) *Hail Mary*

Petition to Mother Mary: I bind these full-blown roses with a petition for the virtue of faith and humbly lay this bouquet at thy feet.

Glory Be, Fatima Prayer

**2<sup>nd</sup> - The Ascension of Jesus into Heaven:** (CCC 668) Christ's Ascension into heaven signifies his participation, in his humanity, in God's power and authority. Jesus Christ is Lord: he possesses all power in heaven and on earth. He is "far above all rule and authority and power and dominion," for the Father "has put all things under his feet." ...In him human history and indeed all creation are "set forth" and transcendently fulfilled.

#### Our Father

- 1. Then he led them (out) as far as Bethany, raised his hands, and blessed them. (Lk 24:50) *Hail Mary*
- 2. Then Jesus approached and said to them, "All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me." (Mt 28:18) *Hail Mary*
- 3. "Go, therefore make disciples of all the nations." (Mt 28:19) Hail Mary
- 4. "Baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." (Mt 28:19) *Hail Mary*
- 5. "Teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you." (Mt 28:20) Hail Mary
- 6. "Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved; whoever does not believe will be condemned." (Mk 16:16) *Hail Mary*
- 7. "And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." (Mt 28:20) Hail Mary
- 8. As he blessed them he parted from them and was taken up to heaven. (Lk 24:51) *Hail Mary*
- 9. When he had accomplished purification from sins, he took his seat at the right hand of the Majesty on high... (Heb. 1:3) *Hail Mary*
- 10. "In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If there were not, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you?" (Jn. 14:2) *Hail Mary*

Petition to Mother Mary: I bind these full-blown roses with a petition for the virtue of hope and humbly lay this bouquet at thy feet.

Glory Be, Fatima Prayer

<u>3rd Mystery - The Descent of the Holy Spirit:</u> (CCC 731) On the day of Pentecost when the seven weeks of Easter had come to an end, Christ's Passover is fulfilled in the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, manifested, given, and communicated as a divine person: of his fullness, Christ, the Lord, pours out the Spirit in abundance.

## **Our Father**

- 1. When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, they were all in one place together. (Acts 2:1) *Hail Mary*
- 2. And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. (Acts 2:2) *Hail Mary*
- 3. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. (Acts 2:3) *Hail Mary*
- 4. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim. (Acts2:4) *Hail Mary*
- 5. Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice, and proclaimed to them. (Acts 2:14) *Hail Mary*
- 6. "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit." (Acts 2:38) Hail Mary
- 7. Those who accepted his message were baptized; and about three thousand persons were added that day. (Acts 2:41) *Hail Mary*
- 8. For those who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear,... (Rom. 8:14-15) *Hail Mary*
- 9. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, enkindle in them the fire of your love. Hail Mary
- 10. Send forth your Spirit, that they shall be created; and you shall renew the face of the earth. *Hail Mary*

Petition to Mother Mary: I bind these full-blown roses with a petition for the virtue of charity and humbly lay this bouquet at thy feet.

Glory Be, Fatima Prayer

## 4<sup>th</sup> Mystery - The Assumption of Blessed Holy Mother into Heaven:

(CCC 966) The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin is a singular participation in her Son's Resurrection and an anticipation of the resurrection of other Christians: "In giving birth you kept your virginity; in your Dormition you did not leave the world, O Mother of God, but were joined to the source of Life...

### **Our Father**

- 1. "My friend, move up to a higher position." (Lk 14:10) Hail Mary
- 2. "Enter the temple gates with praise, its courts with thanksgiving. Give thanks to God, bless his name; good indeed is the Lord, whose love endures forever, whose faithfulness lasts through every age." (Ps 100:4-5) *Hail Mary*
- 3. For stern as death is love, relentless as the netherworld is devotion. Deep waters cannot quench love, nor floods sweep it away. (Song 8:6-7) *Hail Mary*
- 4. I rejoice heartily in the Lord, in my God is the joy of my soul; (Is 61:10) Hail Mary
- 5. For he has clothed me with a robe of salvation, and wrapped me in a mantle of justice. (Is 61:10) *Hail Mary*
- 6. Like a bridegroom adorned with a diadem, like a bride bedecked with her jewels. (Is 61:10) *Hail Mary*
- 7. "You are all-beautiful, my beloved, and there is no blemish in you." (Songs 4:7) *Hail Mary*
- 8. "Blessed are you, daughter by the Most High God, above all women on earth." (Judith 13:18) *Hail Mary*
- 9. "You are the glory of Jerusalem, the surpassing joy of Israel; you are the splendid boast of our people." (Judith 15:9) *Hail Mary*
- 10. "Your deed of hope will never be forgotten by those who tell of the might of God. May God make this redound to your everlasting honor, rewarding you with blessings." (Judith 13:19-20) Hail Mary

Petition to Mother Mary: I bind these full-blown roses with a petition for the virtue of union with Christ and humbly lay this bouquet at thy feet.

Glory Be, Fatima Prayer

5<sup>th</sup> Mystery - The Coronation of our Blessed Holy Mother in Heaven:

(CCC 966) "Finally the Immaculate Virgin, preserved free from all stain of original sin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory, and exalted by the Lord as Queen over all things, so that she might be the more fully conformed to her Son, the Lord of lords and conqueror of sin and death."

### **Our Father**

- 1. A great sign appeared in the sky, a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars. (Rev. 12:1) *Hail Mary*
- 2. "Who is this that comes forth like the dawn, as beautiful as the moon, as resplendent as the sun?" (Songs 6:10) *Hail Mary*
- 3. All glorious is the king's daughter as she enters; her raiment is threaded with gold; in embroidered apparel she is led to the king. (Ps 45:14-15) *Hail Mary*
- 4. "In the highest heavens did I dwell, my throne on a pillar of clouds." (Sir. 24:4) Hail Mary
- 5. "Before all ages, in the beginning, he created me, and through all ages I shall not cease to be." (Sir. 24:9) *Hail Mary*
- 6. "Come to me, all you that yearn for me, and be filled with my fruits." (Sir. 24:18) *Hail Mary*
- 7. "So now, O children, listen to me; instruction and wisdom do not reject!" (Prov 8:32-33) *Hail Mary*
- 8. "Happy the man who obeys me, and happy those who keep my ways. Happy the man watching daily at my gates, waiting at my doorposts." (Prov 8:33-34) *Hail Mary*
- 9. "For he who finds me find life, and wins favor from the Lord." (Prov 8:35) Hail Mary
- 10. Grace is poured out upon your lips; thus God has blessed you forever. (Ps 45:3) *Hail Mary*

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## Glory Be, Fatima Prayer

Closing Prayer: Sweet Mother Mary, I offer thee this Spiritual Communion to bind my bouquets in a wreath to place upon thy brow in thanksgiving for my request which thou in thy love hast obtained for me.

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