

# **World Mission Rosary**

## **Worldwide Children's Holy Hour**

**Children of the World spiritually united in prayer for the Families of the World!**

“Pray your rosary every day to obtain peace for the world.”

Our Lady of Fatima

May 13<sup>th</sup> - 1917

“My Dear Young Friends,

It is to your prayers that I entrust the problems of your own families and all the families of the world.”

Pope John Paul II

Christmas Letter to the World's Children, Christmas 1992

**When we complete each of the five decades of the Rosary we have prayed for all the families of the world.**

**First Decade or Red Decade is the Families of the Americas**

**Second Decade or Green Decade is for the Families of Africa**

**Third Decade or White Decade is for the Families of Europe**

**Fourth Decade or Blue Decade is for the Families of Oceania**

**Fifth Decade or Yellow Decade is for Families of Asia**

**Prayers of the Most Holy Rosary**

**Sign of the Cross**

**In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit**

**The Apostles 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; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven, and is seated 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.**

**Our Father (On the first bead)**

**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.**

**Hail Mary (On the next three beads for the Virtues of Faith, Hope, and Love)**

**Hail Mary full of Grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed are 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.**

For an increase of faith we pray:

**Hail Mary full of Grace...**

For a strengthening of Hope we pray:

**Hail Mary full of Grace...**

For the perfecting of Love we pray.

**Hail Mary full of Grace...**

### **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.

### **Fatima Prayer**

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.

*When the Rosary is recited during Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament a Sacramental prayer is added.*

**Oh Sacrament most Holy Oh Sacrament Divine**

**All praise and all thanksgiving be every moment Thine.**

## **The Sorrowful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**Sorrowful Mysteries are traditionally prayed on Friday's**

### **Opening Prayer:**

Heavenly Father, You have sent us Our Blessed Mother, Mary, and the Angel of Peace, at Fatima, to remind us to always be thankful for the gift of the Most Holy Eucharist. Help us to remember to console the "Hidden Jesus" as Blessed Francisco, the Little Shepherd of Fatima, always called Him, who is only hidden in all the tabernacles of the world, but truly present. Immaculate Heart of Mary help us to always take the time to visit Him often, to Adore Him often and to Love Him always.

We offer our first decade for the families of the Americas.

### **Announce**

**We are the children of the world praying for all the families of the world; in the first (Red) Decade we recall to mind the families of the Americas, and all families of the world, that they may grow in their love for God and for one another.**

### **The 1st Sorrowful Mystery - The Agony of Our Lord Jesus in the Garden**



*At Gethsemane, Jesus prays as He contemplates the sins of the world.*

**Fruit of the Mystery:**

**Contrition - Sorrow for sin**

**Our Father...**

**10 Hail Mary's ...**

**Glory Be...**

**O My Jesus....**

**Oh, Sacrament most Holy...**

## Announce

We offer our second decade for the families of Africa

We are the children of the World praying for all the families of the world; in the second (Green) Decade, we recall to mind the families of Africa, and all families of the world, that they may grow in the virtue of Hope.

### The 2nd Sorrowful Mystery -The Scourging of Our Lord at the Pillar



*Then Pilate took Jesus and had him scourged.*

**Fruit of the Mystery:**  
**Purity**

**Our Father...**  
**10 Hail Mary's ...**  
**Glory Be...**  
**O My Jesus....**  
**Oh, Sacrament most Holy...**

We are the children of the world praying for all the families of the world; in the Third (White) Decade we recall to mind the families of Europe, and all families of the world, that they may grow in Purity of Mind, Body and Soul.

### The 3rd Sorrowful Mystery: The Crowning with Thorns



*A crown of thorns is placed on the head of Jesus.*

**"Fruit of the Mystery:**  
**Courage**

**Our Father...**  
**10 Hail Mary's ...**  
**Glory Be...**  
**O My Jesus....**  
**Oh, Sacrament most Holy...**

We are the children of the world praying for all the families of the world; in the Fourth (Blue) Decade we recall to mind the families of the Countries of the Pacific Ocean, and all families of the world. That they may grow in their love for the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

### The 4th Sorrowful Mystery - The Carrying of the Cross



*Jesus carries the heavy cross upon His shoulders to Calvary*

**Fruit of the Mystery:**  
**Patience**

**Our Father...**  
**10 Hail Mary's ...**  
**Glory Be...**  
**O My Jesus....**

**Oh, Sacrament most Holy...**

**We are the children of the world praying for all the families of the world; in the Fifth (Yellow) Decade we recall to mind the families of Asia, and all families of the world, that they may all grow in Holiness.**

**The 5th Sorrowful Mystery - The Crucifixion and Death of Our Lord**



*Jesus is nailed to the cross and dies after hours of agony.*

**Fruit of the Mystery:  
Perseverance**

**Our Father...  
10 Hail Mary's ...  
Glory Be...  
O My Jesus....  
Oh, Sacrament most Holy...**

**Concluding Prayers**

**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, your 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!**

**Leader: Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.**

**ALL: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.**

**O GOD**

**O GOD, Who's only-begotten Son by His life, death and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life. Grant, we beseech Thee, that by 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.**