ROSARY PROCESSION

Memorial of the Our Lady of Fatima



13 May 2025

OPENING SONGS

DEAR LADY OF FATIMA

1. Dear Lady of Fatima
We come on bended knee
To beg your intercession
For peace and unity
Dear Mary, won't you show us
The right and shining way.
We pledge our love and offer you
A Rosary each day

2. You promised at Fatima
Each time when you appeared
To help us if we pray to you
To banish war and fear
Dear Lady on first Saturdays
We ask your guiding hand
For grace and guidance here on earth
And protection for our land

3. O Mother Immaculate,
We come to you today
To honour and beg you:
Teach us how to pray
For justice and holiness
To permeate our lands
And grace from God our Father
To follow His commands

4. O Virgin most holy
To you we consecrate
Our lives, our possessions
And this apostolate
O Queen of the heavens
Invoke your glorious Son
To save us so that all of us
Will see His Kingdom come

Priests to change in the Sacristy out of their Mass Vestments. Fr. Joseph will wear a stole and cope. All other priests to wear a stole.

MARY IS OUR QUEEN

Priests & servers process into the church from the Sacristy

1. Mary is our Queen, O sing to her
Mary is our Mother, trust in her
Mary is the star that shines at night
Guiding us to Jesus, our true light

2. Mary is the creature of our race
Whom the Holy Spirit filled with grace
To become the Mother of our Lord
The God whom she adored.

Chorus:
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria

OPENING PRAYER

Fr. Joseph: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Fr. Joseph:

Eternal Father, our Lord and our God,
we want to devote to You this time of ours.
Quieten our hearts
and help us to abandon ourselves completely to You.
Do not let any of our words be empty.
Let each be a step closer to You.
Enlighten our minds,
and open our seed of love, faith and hope,
that it may grow, like it did
in the Immaculate Bosom of the Virgin Mary,
our Blessed Mother who, in all humility,
had accepted to be the handmaid of God.
Help and guide us that we may also imitate her
as your faithful servant.
We invite all angels and saints in heaven,
all guardian angels and all the Holy Souls
in purgatory to join us in our prayers,
and in union with all the prayers being prayed today,
we offer them to our Heavenly Father
through the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

All: Amen

THE APOSTLES' CREED

Asha: 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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

All:
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 LORD'S PRAYER

Asha: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

All:
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 *(3 times)*
Asha: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with You. Blessed are You among women and blessed is the fruit of Your womb, Jesus.
All:
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

GLORY BE
Asha: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
All: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Asha: THE **FIRST SORROWFUL MYSTERY**:
CHRIST'S AGONY IN GETHSEMANE
Let us offer this Decade for more vocations to the priesthood and religious life, and for the intentions that are in the petition box.

All: During Christ's hour-long prayer on that Thursday night, He foresaw that millions would reject Him and His invitation to Heaven! This thought threw Him into an agony of suffering, so that He sweated blood that trickled down His body while He prayed thus, "Father, not My will, but Your Will be done."

REFLECTION

All: As we pray this mystery, let us reflect on own experiences, both of putting off agony and going through it. In which ones did we experience the presence of God? How was our life enriched?

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Asha: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

All: 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 processions will start to be formed in the central aisle of the church ***during the 10 Hail Mary's.*** *Mike will assist the process.*

HAIL MARY (*10 times)*

Asha: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with You. Blessed are You among women and blessed is the fruit of Your womb, Jesus.

All:

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

Position for Procession

1. Candle/Cross/Candle Bearers
2. MC
3. Ministry Leaders with flowers
4. Religious in habit
5. Children with flowers
6. Torch Bearer
7. Mother Mary's Platform
8. Fr. Joseph and Fr. John
9. Rosary Leaders
   - D1. Asha (EMHC)
   - D2. Michael A. (HM)
   - D3. Helen (St PIO)
   - D4. Emmanuel (PPC)
   - D5. Patrick (PPC)
10. Cantor: Delphine
11. The Congregation

GLORY BE

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

All: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

FATIMA PRAYER

Asha/All: O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, especially those most in need of Your mercy.

Delphine/All:
AVE AVE AVE MARIA
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Michael: THE **SECOND SORROWFUL MYSTERY**: THE SCOURGING AT THE PILLAR
Let us offer this Decade for poor sinners, our friends, relatives, benefactors and for peace in the world.

All: Jesus, the Son of God is stripped of His clothes and tied to a broken shaft of a pillar. He is then scourged until His innocent flesh is torn to shreds, exposing His bare bones. Jesus is atoning for sins of impurity.

REFLECTION
All: As we pray this mystery, let us reflect on the verbal scourging or other verbal abuses we have given to others, make a promise to discipline our tongues, and sorrowfully, ask God for help to avoid future hurts.

The procession starts to move outside of the church, when the Our Father is prayed. The statue of Mary will rest at the entrance gate until the third decade starts.

THE LORD'S PRAYER
Michael: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

All:
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 (10 times)
Michael: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with You. Blessed are You among women and blessed is the fruit of Your womb, Jesus.
All:
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

GLORY BE
Michael: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
All: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

FATIMA PRAYER
Michael/All: O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, especially those most in need of Your mercy.

Delphine/All:
AVE AVE AVE MARIA
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Helen: THE **THIRD SORROWFUL MYSTERY:** THE CROWNING WITH THORNS
Let us offer this Decade for the spreading and understanding of the Catholic faith, and through prayers and sacrifices we may have infinite atonement for our sins.

All:
Christ, the King of kings submitted to this mocking ceremony of being crowned as a king, with a crown of thorns! For a sceptre, they made Him hold a long reed. His torturers then pulled His beard, spat upon Him, blindfolded Him, and struck Him saying "Hail, King of the Jews! Tell us who it is that struck You!" Jesus thus atoned for all the sins of bad thoughts and impure desires.

REFLECTION
All: As we pray this mystery, let us reflect on our crown of pain. Is it a crown of thorns or one of powerless service to others?

THE LORD'S PRAYER
Helen: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
All:
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 *(10 times)*
Helen: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with You. Blessed are You among women and blessed is the fruit of Your womb, Jesus.
All:
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

GLORY BE
Helen: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
All: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

FATIMA PRAYER
Helen/All: O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, especially those most in need of Your mercy.

Delphine/All:
AVE AVE AVE MARIA
AVE AVE AVE MARIA

Emmanuel: THE **FOURTH SORROWFUL MYSTERY**: THE CARRYING OF THE CROSS
Let us offer this Decade for the offences committed against chastity, holy ideals of marriage, human life and corrupt public morals.

All:
Jesus is made to carry His cross up Mt Calvary. This torture, coming after the scourging, and the crowning with thorns, causes Jesus to suffer incredibly from loss of blood, thirst and weakness. He falls three times on the way, but never complains, being mindful only of His Heavenly Father's Will. Our sufferings are our crosses allowed to us by God.

REFLECTION
All:
As we pray this mystery, let us reflect on both the crosses we have carried
and those we now carry and how those illustrate our understanding of discipleship.

THE LORD'S PRAYER
Emmanuel: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
All: 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 *(10 times)*
Emmanuel: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with You. Blessed are You among women and blessed is the fruit of Your womb, Jesus.
All:
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

GLORY BE
Emmanuel: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
All:
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

FATIMA PRAYER
Emmanuel/All: O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, especially those most in need of Your mercy.

Delphine/All:
AVE AVE AVE MARIA
AVE AVE AVE MARIA

THE **FIFTH SORROWFUL MYSTERY**: THE CRUCIFIXION
Patrick: Let us offer this Decade for the release of Holy Souls in purgatory, that of our parents, friends, relatives, benefactors and for those who have none to pray for them and who have been most forgotten.

All:
The first words Jesus uttered when hanging on the cross was a prayer for His enemies: “Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do.” He then told His Mother to adopt all mankind as her children, and then promised Heaven to the repentant thief. After three hours of agony, He commended His soul to His Eternal Father, bowed His head, and died.

REFLECTION
All:
As we pray this mystery, let us reflect on the crucifixions in which we have taken part and sorrowfully ask God for forgiveness.

THE LORD’S PRAYER
Patrick: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
All: 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

Patrick: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with You. Blessed are You among women and blessed is the fruit of Your womb, Jesus.

All:

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

GLORY BE

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

All: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

FATIMA PRAYER

Patrick/All: O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, especially those most in need of Your mercy.

Delphine/All:

AVE AVE AVE MARIA

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SALVE REGINA

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Leader/all: Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy. Hail our life, our sweetness and our hope. To You do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To You 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 Your 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.

Leader: Let us pray
All: O God, whose Only Begotten Son, by His life, death and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life; grant, we beseech You, 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.

LITANY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Leader: Lord, have mercy on us
All: Lord, have mercy on us
Leader: Christ, have mercy on us
All: Christ, have mercy on us
Leader: Lord, have mercy on us
All: Lord, have mercy on us
Leader: Christ, hear us
All: Christ, graciously hear us
Leader: God the Father of Heaven
All: Have mercy on us
Leader: God the Son, Redeemer of the world
All: Have mercy on us
Leader: God the Holy Spirit
All: Have mercy on us
Leader: Holy Trinity one God
All: Have mercy on us

Leader:

- Holy Mary,
- Holy Mother of God,
- Holy Virgin of virgins,
- Mother of Christ,
- Mother of the Church,
- Mother of Mercy,
- Mother of Divine Grace,
- Mother of Hope,
- Mother most Pure,

Response by all:

Pray for us.

- Mother most Chaste,
- Mother Inviolate,
- Mother Undefiled,
- Mother most Amiable,
- Mother most Admirable,
- Mother of Good counsel,
- Mother of our Creator,
- Mother of our Saviour
- Virgin most Prudent,
- Virgin most Venerable,
- Virgin most Renowned,
- Virgin most Powerful,
- Virgin most Merciful,
- Virgin most Faithful,
- Mirror of Justice,
- Seat of wisdom,
- Cause of our joy,
- Spiritual vessel,
- Vessel of honour,
- Singular vessel of devotion,
- Mystical rose,
- Tower of David,
- Tower of Ivory,
- House of Gold,
- Ark of the Covenant,
- Gate of Heaven,
- Morning Star,
- Health of the Sick,

Response by all:

Pray for us.

- Refuge of Sinners,
- Solace of Migrants,
- Comforter of the afflicted,
- Help of Christians.
- Queen of Angels,
- Queen of Patriarchs,
- Queen of Prophets,
- Queen of Apostles,
- Queen of Martyrs,
- Queen of Confessors,
- Queen of Virgins,
- Queen of all Saints,
- Queen conceived without original sin,
- Queen assumed into heaven,
- Queen of the most Holy Rosary,
- Queen of Families,
- Queen of Peace.

Response by all:

Pray for us.

Leader: Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world
All: Spare us, O Lord
Leader: Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world
All: Graciously hear us,
Leader: Lord Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world
All: Have mercy on us.
Leader: Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.
All: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Leader: LET US PRAY
All: Eternal God, Let your people enjoy constant health in mind and body. Through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, free us from the sorrow of this life, and lead us to happiness in the life to come. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Leader: MEMORARE
All: Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known, that anyone who fled to your protection, implored your help or sought your intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly unto you, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother. To you I come, before you I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in your mercy, hear and answer me. Amen.

Concluding Prayers
Leader: Let us offer one Our Father, one Hail Mary and one Glory Be for those who have asked us to pray for them, for all our families, friends and benefactors.

THE LORD'S PRAYER
Leader: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
All: 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
Leader: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with You. Blessed are You among women and blessed is the fruit of Your womb, Jesus.
All: Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

GLORY BE
Leader: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
All: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Leader: Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
All: Have Mercy on us
Leader: Immaculate Heart of Mary
All: Pray for us
Leader: O Mary, conceived without original sin.
All: Pray for us who have recourse to you.
Leader: St. Joseph
All: Pray for us.
Leader: May the Divine assistance remain always with us.
All: And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.
Leader: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

PRESENTATION OF FLOWERS TO OUR BLESSED MOTHER

Ministry members come forward and place a basket of flowers at the statue of mother Mary and return to their pew. In the meanwhile we sing "Praise her with a flower".

PRAISE HER WITH A FLOWER

1. Who wipes my tears away? Who melts my frown?
Who always saves my day? The one who wears the crown.
Thank you for granting things, for our answered prayers
And for the hope you bring to many who are in their dark despair.

Chorus:
Praise her with a flower, thank heaven for our Mother
For her gift of love sent from up above
Brightens every hour
From the highest tower, shower her with flowers
Mother and a friend, from my grateful hands
Accept my humble flower

2. On paper written lines express our needs.
You always have the time for every colour, race and creed
Our faith has brought us here, from far and near
In one united voice, we thank you for your blessings through the years

Chorus:
Praise her with a flower, thank heaven for our Mother
For her gift of love sent from up above
Brightens every hour
From the highest tower, shower her with flowers
Mother and a friend, from my grateful hands
Accept my humble flower

(Stand-by song: As we kneel before you)

Prayer of Consecration of Families to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Leader/All: Oh Mother Most Pure, we come to You as a family and consecrate ourselves to your most Immaculate Heart. We come to You as a family and place our trust in Your powerful intercession. Oh Dearest Mother Mary, teach us as a mother teaches her children, for our souls are soiled and our prayers are weak because of our sinful hearts. Here we are Dearest Mother, ready to respond to you and follow your way, for your way leads us to the heart of Your Son, Jesus. We are ready to be cleansed and purified. Come then Virgin Most Pure, and embrace us with your motherly mantle. Make our hearts whiter than snow and as pure as a spring of fresh water. Teach us to pray, so that our prayers may become more beautiful than the singing of the birds at the break of dawn. Dear Mother Mary, we entrust to Your Immaculate Heart of hearts, our

family and our entire future. Lead us all to our homeland which is Heaven. Amen.
Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fr. Joseph to expose and incense the Blessed Sacrament

O Jesus we adore You
Leader: Please kneel

All: O Jesus, we adore You, our victim and our priest,
Whose precious Blood and Body become our Sacred feast.

O Sacrament Most Holy, O Sacrament divine! All praise and all thanksgiving be every moment Thine!

O Jesus, we adore You, come live in us, we pray
That all our thoughts and actions, be thine alone again.

O Sacrament Most Holy, O Sacrament divine! All praise and all thanksgiving Be every moment Thine!

SILENT ADORATION
There will be 5 minutes of silent Adoration. Mike will signal Delphine to intone the "Down in Adoration falling"

BENEDICTION

Fr. Joseph to incense the Blessed Sacrement

All: Down in adoration falling,
This great sacrament we hail,
Ancient types have long departed,
Newer rites of grace prevail; Faith for all defects supplying,
Where the feeble senses fail.

Glory let us give and blessing To the Father and the Son,
Honour, might and praise addressing,
While eternal ages run; Equal praise to Him confessing
Who proceeds from both as one. Amen.

Fr. Joseph: You have given them bread from heaven, alleluia.
All: Having in itself all delight, alleluia.

Fr. Joseph: Let us pray:
O God, in this wonderful Sacrament, You have left us a memorial of Your Passion. We ask You to enable us, so to worship the sacred mysteries of Your
Body and Blood, that we may constantly feel in our lives the effects of Your Redemption. You who live and reign forever and ever. Amen.

Fr. Joseph to bless the congregation with the Blessed Sacrament.
All make a sign of the cross.

Divine Praises
Delphine: Blessed be God.
All: Blessed be His Holy Name.
Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.
Blessed be the Name of Jesus.
Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart.
Blessed be His Most Precious Blood.
Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.
Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.
Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most Holy.
Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate Conception.
Blessed be her Glorious Assumption.
Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.
Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.
Blessed be God in His Angels and in His Saints.

O Sacrament Most Holy
To be repeated until the Blessed Sacrament has been placed in the Tabernacle.

Delphine / All:
O Sacrament most holy,
O Sacrament Divine,
All praise and all thanksgiving
Be every moment Thine

CONCLUDING HYMNS

HOLY QUEEN WE BEND BEFORE THEE

1. Holy Queen, we bend before thee,
Queen of purity divine,
Make us love thee, we implore thee,
make us truly to be thine.

Chorus: Teach, O teach us, holy Mother, how to conquer every sin. How to love and help each other, how the prize of life to win.

2. Thou to whom a child was given,
greater than the sons of men,
Coming down from highest heaven,
to create the world again.

Chorus: Teach, O teach us, holy Mother, how to conquer every sin. How to love and help each other, how the prize of life to win.

HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD / HOW GREAT THOU ART

The splendour of the King, clothed in majesty;
Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice.
He wraps himself in Light, and darkness tries to hide;
and trembles at His voice, and trembles at His voice.

Chorus:
How great is our God, sing with me how great is our God,
and all will see how great, how great, is our God.

Age to age He stands and time is in His hands;
Beginning and the end, beginning and the end.
The Godhead three in one: Father, Spirit, Son.
The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.

Chorus:
How great is our God, sing with me how great is our God,
and all will see how great, how great, is our God.

Bridge:
Name above all names, worthy of all praise;
My heart will sing, how great, is our God

Refrain:
Then sings my soul, my Saviour, God to Thee:
How great thou art, how great thou art;
Then sings my soul, my Saviour, God to Thee:
How great thou art! How great thou art!

Mike: THANK YOU FOR PARTICIPATING IN THE ROSARY PROCESSION

Mike: PLEASE PROCEED TO THE CANTEEN FOR SOME LIGHT REFRESHMENTS.