

# Prayers to Know

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### **SIGN OF THE CROSS**

In the name of the Father  
and of the Son  
and of the Holy Spirit.  
Amen.

### **EVENING PRAYER**

God, our Father, this day is done.  
We ask you and Jesus Christ, your Son,  
that with the Spirit, our welcome guest,  
you guard our sleep and bless our rest.  
Amen.

### **GRACE BEFORE MEALS**

Bless us O Lord,  
and these thy gifts,  
which we are about to receive,  
from thy bounty,  
through Christ, our Lord.  
Amen.

### **GUARDIAN ANGEL PRAYER**

Angel of God, my guardian dear,  
to whom God's love commits me here,  
ever this day be at my side,  
to light and guard, to rule and guide.  
Amen.

### **GRACE AFTER MEALS**

We give you thanks, almighty God,  
for these and all your gifts  
which we have received  
through Christ, our Lord.  
Amen.

### **OUR FATHER (Lord's Prayer)**

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.

### **MORNING PRAYER**

O my God, I offer you this day,  
all I do and think and say.  
In union with what was done,  
on earth by Jesus Christ,  
your Son.  
Amen.

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### **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 in the beginning  
is now,  
and ever shall be world without end.  
Amen.

### **ACT OF CONTRITION**

**(Prayer of Sorrow)**

My God,  
I am sorry for my sins  
with all my heart.  
In choosing to do wrong  
and failing to do good,  
I have sinned against you  
whom I should love above all things.  
I firmly intend, with your help,  
to do penance,  
to sin no more,  
and to avoid whatever leads me to sin.  
Our Savior Jesus Christ  
suffered and died for us.  
In his name, my God, have mercy.  
Amen.

(Alternate version from the Rite of Penance)

### **MASS PRAYERS AND RESPONSES**

#### **Greeting**

**Priest:** The Lord be with you.

**Assembly:** And with your spirit.

#### **Penitential Act, Form A** (Confiteor)

I confess to almighty God  
and to you, my brothers and sisters,  
that I have greatly sinned,  
in my thoughts and in my words,  
in what I have done  
and in what I have failed to do,  
through my fault, through my fault,  
through my most grievous fault;  
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,  
all the angels and saints,  
and you, my brothers and sisters,  
to pray for me to the Lord our God.

#### **Penitential Act, Form B**

**Priest:** Have mercy on us, O Lord.

**Assembly:** For we have sinned against you.

**Priest:** Show us, O Lord, your mercy.

**Assembly:** And grant us your salvation.

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### **Gloria**

Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you,  
we bless you,  
we adore you,  
we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
you take away the sins of the world,  
    have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world,  
    receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand  
of the Father,  
    have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father.  
Amen.

### **Response to the Biblical Readings**

#### **First and Second Reading**

##### **(at Conclusion)**

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**Assembly:** Thanks be to God.

##### **Gospel (at Introduction)**

Deacon, or Priest: The Lord be with you.

**Assembly:** And with your spirit.

Deacon, or Priest: A reading from the  
holy Gospel according to N (name of  
Gospel writer).

**Assembly:** Glory to you, O Lord.

##### **Gospel (at Conclusion)**

Deacon, or Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

**Assembly:** Praise to you Lord, Jesus  
Christ.

### **Prayer with the Priest over the Gifts**

**Assembly:** May the Lord accept the  
sacrifice at your hands  
for the praise and glory of his name,  
for our good  
and the good of all his holy Church.

### **Preface Dialogue**

Priest: The Lord be with you.

**Assembly:** And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

**Assembly:** We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the  
Lord our God.

**Assembly:** It is right and just.

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### **Preface Acclamation**

Assembly: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord  
God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of  
the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

### **Mystery of Faith**

(formerly Memorial Acclamation)

Priest: The mystery of faith.

**Assembly** (a): We proclaim your death,  
O Lord, and profess your Resurrection  
until you come again.

(or b): When we eat this Bread and drink  
this Cup,

we proclaim your death, O Lord,  
until you come again.

(or c): Save us, Savior of the world,  
for by your cross and Resurrection  
you have set us free.

### **Litany at the Fraction Rite**

**Assembly:** Lamb of God,  
you take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of  
the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the  
sins of the world, grant us peace.

### **Act of Humility**

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God,  
behold him who takes away the sins of the  
world.

Blessed are those called to the supper of  
the Lamb.

**Assembly:** Lord, I am not worthy  
that you should enter under my roof,  
but only say the word  
and my soul shall be healed.

### **Sending**

Deacon, or Priest (a): Go forth, the Mass  
is ended.

(or b): Go and announce the Gospel of  
the Lord.

(or c): Go in peace, glorifying the Lord  
by your life.

(or d): Go in peace.

**Assembly:** Thanks be to God.

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### NICENE-CONSTANTINOPOLITAN

#### CREED (Nicene Creed)

I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Begotten Son of God,  
born of the Father before all ages.  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, consubstantial  
with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us men and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate  
of the Virgin Mary,  
and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under  
Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried,  
and rose again on the third day  
in accordance with the Scriptures.  
He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand  
of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead  
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord,  
the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father  
and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is

adored and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic, and  
apostolic Church.  
I confess one baptism for the forgiveness  
of sins  
and I look forward to the resurrection  
of the dead  
and the life of the world to come.  
Amen.

### 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;  
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.

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.

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### **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 your  
mercy.

### **HAIL, HOLY QUEEN**

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy,  
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 exile show unto us the  
blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus.  
O clement, O loving,  
O sweet Virgin Mary.

### **TEN COMMANDMENTS**

1. I am the LORD your God. You shall worship the Lord your God and him only shall you serve.
2. You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.
3. Remember to keep holy the Sabbath day.
4. Honor your father and your mother.
5. You shall not kill.
6. You shall not commit adultery.
7. You shall not steal.
8. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.
9. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife.
10. You shall not covet your neighbor's goods.

### **WORKS OF MERCY**

#### **Corporal**

1. Feed the hungry.
2. Give drink to the thirsty.
3. Clothe the naked.
4. Shelter the homeless.
5. Visit the sick.
6. Visit the imprisoned.
7. Bury the dead.

#### **Spiritual**

1. Counsel the doubtful.
2. Instruct the ignorant.
3. Admonish sinners.
4. Comfort the afflicted.
5. Forgive offenses.
6. Bear wrongs patiently.
7. Pray for the living and the dead.

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### **BEATITUDES** (Mt 5:3-12)

1. Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven.
2. Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted.
3. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
4. Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be satisfied.
5. Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.
6. Blessed are the pure of heart, for they will see God.
7. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.
8. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven.

### **Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary**

The Annunciation

The Visitation

The Nativity

The Presentation

The Finding in the Temple