

Closing Prayers



DIRECTOR: For all the members of the Third Order, especially for those who are ill or traveling:

OUR FATHER...HAIL MARY...

DIRECTOR: For the conversion of sinners, the perseverance of the just, the children inscribed in the book of intentions and for the particular intentions recommended:

OUR FATHER...HAIL MARY...

DIRECTOR: For all the deceased members:

V. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.
R. And let perpetual light shine upon them.
V. May they rest in peace.
R. Amen.

LET US PRAY: O God, the bestower of pardon and the love of man's salvation, we ask your mercy through the intercession of Blessed Mary, ever Virgin and all your saints, so that the brethren of our congregation, our relatives and benefactors who have passed out of this world may together enjoy everlasting happiness. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

DIRECTOR: For the Society of Mary, Our Superior General and all its members.

V. Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God;
R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

LET US PRAY: O God the Father, from whom proceeds every perfect gift, we humbly ask of you, through the merits of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the intercession of Blessed Mary, together with St. Joseph, St. Michael and St. Peter Chanel, that you guide our Society, increase it, and having defended it from all error, you may keep it in peace, in modesty and in spiritual fervor. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

DIRECTOR: May the peace and the blessing of Almighty God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit descend upon you and remain for ever. Amen.



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PROUD TO BE "OF MARY"

*"We love to bear her name and take part in her work,
which is the work of her Son, Jesus Christ our Lord."*

Fr. Albert Di Ianni, S.M.

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**Queen of the Society of Mary,
pray for us!**

OPENING PRAYERS

DIRECTOR: O Heart of Jesus, infinitely loving and infinitely amiable.

MEMBERS: **Inflame our hearts with the sacred fire of Thy holy love.**

HAIL MARY ... (THREE TIMES)

DIRECTOR: Saint Joseph, patron of interior life and protector of Christian families,

MEMBERS: **Pray for us.**

COME HOLY GHOST

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| <p>1. Come, Holy Ghost, Creator blest
And in our hearts take up thy rest;
Come with thy grace and heav'nly aid.
To fill the hearts which thou hast made.
To fill the hearts which thou hast made.</p> | <p>2. O Comforter, to thee we cry.
Thou gift of God sent from on high,
Thou font of life and fire of love,
Thou soul's anointing from above,
Thou soul's anointing from above.</p> |
| <p>3. Praise be to Thee, Father and Son,
And Holy Spirit, with them One;
And may the Son on us bestow
All gifts that from the Spirit flow,
All gifts that from the Spirit flow.</p> | |

IMMACULATE MARY

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| <p>1. Immaculate Mary,
Your praises we sing.
You reign now in splendor
With Jesus our King.
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!</p> | <p>2. In heaven the blessed
Your glory proclaim.
On earth we your children
Invoke your sweet name.
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!</p> |
| <p>3. We pray for the church,
Our true Mother on earth,
And beg you to watch
O'er the land of our birth.
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!</p> | <p>4. O Mary! O Mother!
Be Queen of our land:
May we be thy children
Guided by thy hand!
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!</p> |
| <p>5. We pray for all sinners
And souls that now stray
From Jesus and Mary
In heresy's way.
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!</p> | |

ON THIS DAY, O BEAUTIFUL MOTHER

CHORUS:

On this day, O beautiful Mother,
On this day we give thee our love.
Near thee, Madonna, fondly we hover.
Trusting thy gentle care to prove.

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| <p>1. On this day we ask to share,
Dearest Mother, thy sweet care.
Aid us ere our feet astray
Wander from thy guiding way. (CHORUS)</p> | <p>2. Queen of angels, deign to hear
Lispings children's humble prayer;
Young hearts gain, O Virgin pure
Sweetly to thyself allure. (CHORUS)</p> |
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RITE OF EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION

The service of benediction consists of suitable readings, songs and prayer.

Hymns appropriate for this service are given below.

EXPOSITION

O saving Victim o-p'ning wide.
The gate of heaven to man below!
Our foes press on from ev'ry side:
Thine aid supply, thy strength bestow.

O salutaris Hostia
Quae caeli pandis ostium:
Bella premunt hostilia,
Da robur, fer auxilium.

To thy great name be endless praise,
Immortal Godhead, one in three;
Oh, grant us endless length of days
In our true native land with thee. Amen

Uni trinoque Domino
Sit sempiterna Gloria.
Qui vitam sine termino
Nobis donet in patria. Amen.

ADORATION

During the exposition there should be prayers, songs and readings to direct the attention of the faithful to the worship of the Eucharistic Lord Jesus. There should be readings from Scripture with a homily to develop a better understanding of the Eucharistic mystery.

BENEDICTION SONG

Bowing low, then, offer homage
To a Sacrament so great!
Here is new and perfect worship;
All the old must terminate.
Senses cannot grasp this marvel:
Faith must serve to compensate.
Praise and glorify the Father,
Bless his Son's life-giving name,
Singing their eternal Godhead,
Power, majesty and fame,
Offering their Holy Spirit
Equal worship and acclaim. Amen.

Tatum ergo Sacramentum/
Veneremur cernui,
Et antiquum documentum/Novo
Cedat ritui;
Praestet fides supplementum/
Sensuum defectui.
Genitori Genitoque/Laus et jubilatio.
Salus honor, virtus quoque/
Sit et benedictio:
Procedenti ab utroque/Compar sit
laudatio. Amen.

V. You have given them Bread from heaven. (P.T. alleluia).

R. Having within it all sweetness. (P.T. alleluia).

PRAYER: Lord Jesus Christ, You gave us the Eucharist as the memorial of Your suffering and death. May our worship of this sacrament of Your Body and Blood help us to experience the salvation You won for us and the peace of the kingdom where You live with the Father and the Holy Spirit. One God, for ever and ever. **ALL: AMEN.**

THE DIVINE PRAISES

Blessed be God.	Blessed be the great Mother of God,
Blessed be His holy Name.	Mary most holy.
Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.	Blessed be her holy and Immaculate Conception.
Blessed be the Name of Jesus.	Blessed be her glorious Assumption.
Blessed be His most Sacred Heart.	Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.
Blessed be His most Precious Blood.	Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.
Blessed be Jesus in the most holy Sacrament of the altar.	Blessed be God in His angels and in His saints.
Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.	