

### **Petition/Thanksgiving opening prayer Joyful Mysteries**

Hail Queen of the Most Holy Rosary my Mother Mary, Hail! At thy feet I humbly kneel to offer thee a Crown of Roses, snow white buds to remind thee of the ministry of thy Son, 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 receive my gift, so wilt thou receive my petition (**OR** thanksgiving); from the bounty thou wilt (**OR** has) give (**OR** given) me the favor I so earnestly and trustingly seek (**OR** sought). I despair of nothing that I ask of thee (**OR** I despaired not of what I asked of thee). Show thyself my mother (**OR** and thou has truly shown thyself my Mother)!

(1) Apostle's Creed (1) Our Father (3) Hail Mary

### **The Annunciation**

Sweet Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Annunciation, when the angel Gabriel appeared to thee with the tidings that thou wert to become the Mother of God; greeting thee with that sublime salutation, Hail, full of grace! The Lord is with thee!" and thou didst humbly submit thyself to the will of the Father, responding; "Behold the handmaid of the Lord, Be it done unto me according to thy word" I humbly pray...

(1) Our father (10) Hail Mary (1) Glory Be (1) Oh, my Jesus....

I bind these snow white buds with a petition for the virtue of **HUMILITY** and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Visitation**

Sweet Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Visitation, when, upon thy visit to thy holy cousin, Elizabeth, she greeted thee with the prophetic utterance, "Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb!" And, thou didst answer with that canticles of canticles, The Magnificat, I humbly pray...

(1) Our father (10) Hail Mary (1) Glory Be (1) Oh, my Jesus...

I bind these snow white buds with a petition for the virtue of **CHARITY** and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Nativity**

Sweet Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of The Nativity of our Lord, when, thy time being completed, thou didst bring forth, O Holy Virgin, the Redeemer of the World in a stable at Bethlehem; whereupon choirs of angels filled the heavens with their exultant song of praise, "Glory to God in the Highest, on earth peace to men of good will," I humbly pray...

(1) Our father (10) Hail Mary (1) Glory Be (1) Oh, my Jesus...

I bind these snow white buds with a petition for the virtue of **DETACHMENT FROM THE WORLD** and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Presentation**

Sweet Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Presentation, when, in obedience to the Law of Moses, thou didst present the Child in the Temple, where the holy prophet Simeon, taking the child in his

arms, offered thanks to God for sparing him to look upon his Saviour and foretold thy sufferings by the words: "thy soul also a sword shall pierce..." I humbly pray...

(1) Our father (10) Hail Mary (1) Glory Be (1) Oh, my Jesus...

I bind these snow white buds with a petition for the virtue of **PURITY** and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **Finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple**

Sweet Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple, when having sought him for three days, sorrowing, thy heart was gladdened upon finding him in the Temple speaking to the doctors; and when, upon thy request, He obediently returned home with thee, I humbly pray...

(1) Our father (10) Hail Mary (1) Glory Be (1) Oh, my Jesus...

I bind these snow white buds with a petition for the virtue of **OBEDIENCE TO THE WILL OF GOD** and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, really present in the most Holy Sacrament of the Altar, since I cannot now receive Thee under the sacramental veil, I beseech Thee, with a heart full of love and longing, to come spiritually into my soul through the Immaculate heart of Thy most Holy Mother, and abide with me forever; Thou in me, and I in Thee in time and in eternity, in Mary.

### **Prayer in Petition (1<sup>st</sup> 27 days) OR Thanksgiving (2<sup>nd</sup> 27 days)**

Sweet Mother Mary, I offer thee this Spiritual Communion to bind my bouquets in a wreath to place upon thy brow. O my Mother! Look with favor upon my gift, and in thy love obtain for me (specify request) **OR** Sweet Mother Mary, I offer thee this Spiritual Communion to bind my bouquets in a wreath to place upon thy brow in thanksgiving for (specify request) which thou in thy love hast obtained for me. Hail Mary, etc...

O God! Whose only-begotten Son, by His life, death, and resurrection, has purchased for us the reward of eternal life; grant, we beseech Thee, 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.

May the divine assistance remain always with us. Amen. And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Holy virgin, with thy loving Child, thy blessing give us this day (night).

