

# Devotions in Honor of Mary, Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal

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**Priest:** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**People:** Amen.

**Priest:** Come Holy Spirit. Fill the hearts of your faithful people. Enkindle in us the fire of your love and we shall be re-created.

**People:** And you shall renew the face of the earth.

**Priest:** O God, you instructed the hearts of all the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit. Grant to us in that same Spirit that we may be truly wise and always rejoice in the Spirit's many consolations given through Jesus Christ our Risen Lord.

**People:** Amen.

**Priest:** O Mary, conceived without sin, *(said three times)*

**People:** Pray for us, who have recourse to you. *(said three times)*

**All:** God, our loving and merciful Father, you have given to us the gift of your beloved Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. From the cross, Jesus has entrusted all of us to the care of the Blessed Virgin Mary, His most holy Mother, immaculate from the first moment of her conception. Grant that we who call upon her in our need may experience her loving concern on earth and forever enjoy with her the gift of the fullness of life in your kingdom where with the Holy Spirit you live and reign, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Father, most kind and compassionate, your Son and our Savior, Jesus Christ, has always shown great love for anyone in need. His compassion for those who suffer in any way has given us great hope and encouragement. We cherish the special gift of the Medal of the Immaculate Conception, the Miraculous Medal, shared with us through the life and mission of St. Catherine Labouré and the Vincentian family. Assisted by the prayers of Mary, our sister and spiritual mother, and St. Joseph, may our love for you increase and deepen so that all may come to know you the one true God. All this, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## MEMORARE

**All:** Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to your protection, implored your assistance, or sought your intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, we turn to you, O Virgin of Virgins, our Mother. To you we come; before you we kneel sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions, but in your mercy hear and answer them. Amen.

**All:** O Immaculate Virgin Mary, Mother of Our Lord Jesus Christ and our Mother, confident in your all-powerful and never-failing intercession, manifested so often through the Miraculous Medal, we your loving and trustful children implore you to obtain for us the graces and favors we ask during this Novena, if they be beneficial to our immortal souls, and the souls for whom we pray (*Here privately form your petitions and express your gratitude.*) Obtain for us that sincerity and integrity of heart and mind which will attach us to God alone so that our every thought, word and deed may lead to God's greater glory and honor. Help us to nurture a spirit of prayer, compassion and self-denial that will enable us with your help to recover by penance what we have lost by sin and thus be able to more fully accept the gift of eternal salvation given through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

**All:** O Virgin Mother of God, Mary Immaculate, we dedicate and consecrate ourselves to you under the title of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal. May this medal be for each one of us a sure sign of your affection for us and a constant reminder of our duties toward you. Ever while wearing it, may we be blessed by your loving protection and preserved in the grace of your Son. O most loving Mother of our Savior, keep us close to you every moment of our lives. Obtain for us, your children, the grace of a happy death; so that, in union with you, we may enjoy forever the fullness of life in God's kingdom. Amen.

**Priest:** O Mary, conceived without sin *(said three times)*

**People:** Pray for us, who have recourse to you. *(said three times)*

**Priest:** Saint Vincent dePaul, Saint Catherine Labouré and Saint Louise de Marillac,

**People:** Pray for us now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

### *Hymn*

#### HAIL HOLY QUEEN ENTHRONED ABOVE

Hail, holy Queen enthroned above, O Maria.  
Hail, Queen of mercy and of love, O Maria.

#### Chorus

Triumph all ye Cherubim,  
Sing with us, ye Seraphim,  
Heav'n and earth resound the hymn:  
Salve, Salve, Salve Regina.

The cause of joy to us below, O Maria.  
The spring through which all graces flow, O Maria. - Chorus

O gentle, loving, holy one, O Maria.  
The God of Light became your Son, O Maria. - Chorus

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*Thank you for joining us in our Parish Marian Prayer. May many blessings follow you as you leave Church to carry out your mission of love in the world.*