

How to Pray the Family Rosary

Recite the Apostles Creed, Followed by an Our Father, Three Hail Mary's and a Glory Be. The Mysteries follow:

Recite the respective mystery, then one Our Father, ten Hail Mary's, a Glory Be, then the Fatima Prayer

The Joyful Mondays and Saturday	The Luminous Thursdays	The Sorrowful Tuesdays and Fridays	The Glorious Wednesdays and Sunday
1 - Annunciation	1 - Baptism of Jesus	1 - Agony in the Garden	1 - The Resurrection
2 - The Visitation	2 - Miracle at Cana	2 - Scourging at the Pillar	2 - The Ascension
3 - The Nativity	3 - Proclamation of the Kingdom	3 - Crowning of Thorns	3 - The Descent of the Holy Spirit on Apostles
4 - The Presentation	4 - Transfiguration	4 - Carrying the Cross	4 - Assumption of Mary
5 - Finding Jesus in the Temple	5 - The First Mass	5 - Crucifixion and Death	5 - Coronation of Mary

Begin with the Sign of the Cross In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

The Apostles' Creed (Generally said while holding the Crucifix)

Leader: 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; the third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

Family Responds: 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.

Our Father

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.

Family Responds: 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 (said initially 3 times for an increase of "Faith, Hope, and Charity")

Leader: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

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

The Glory Be

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

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

The Blessed Virgin Mary at Fatima requested that we pray : "O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell, lead all souls to Heaven, especially those who have most need of your mercy."

After the Rosary: (Generally prayed while holding the medal that connects the three branches)

All together pray: HAIL, HOLY QUEEN, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness and our hope! To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve; to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary!

Leader: Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.

Family Responds: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Leader: Let us pray.

Family : O GOD, whose only begotten Son, by His life, death, and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards 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.

End with the Sign of the Cross In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen