

33 Day Consecration to Jesus Through the Immaculate Heart of Mary

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Day Thirty (30)

Jesus Forgives Sins

Although His ministry included preaching and healing, Jesus had one purpose. He came to forgive sins. The angel told both Mary and Joseph that the child should be named "Jesus". He received this name "because He will save His people from their sins" (Mt 1:21). If He forgives your sins, He has succeeded. If He does not, He is a total failure in your life.

A Paralytic

On one occasion, Jesus forgave a paralyzed man his sins. However, some scribes did not believe He could do that. "Who but God alone can forgive sins?" they thought (Mt 2:7). To prove He had the power, Jesus cured the paralytic, "Pick up your mat and go home." The man walked away, totally cured. The people got the message. Jesus could forgive sins, "We have never seen anything like this." They glorified God.

After rising from the dead, Jesus came to the frightened apostles on Easter Sunday and gave them the power to forgive. "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven. Whose sins you retain, are retained" (Jn 20:23).

His Final Words

Before ascending into heaven, Jesus told his disciples to preach repentance for the remission of sins to all the nations. They obeyed His command. When the people asked Peter on Pentecost, "What are we to do?" he answered, "Repent, and be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins" (Acts 2:38)

The Moment of Death - Why You Need Forgiveness

Your soul is like a computer, recording every thought, feeling, word, and deed. When you die, your soul will leave your body, come into Jesus' presence and be filled with a divine light. In one moment, you will see all of your life recorded on your soul. In that light, you will see all the sins you committed and their gravity. However, if you allowed Jesus to forgive your sins, you will also see all the times that He has erased the sins by the touch of His mercy. Why carry your sins into eternity, when Jesus wants to remove them while you are still on earth?

The Virtues

We all need forgiveness. Almost everyday we fail our Lord, in big ways and small ways. But, this is what makes Jesus so great, so wonderful. He is Mercy true and true. Someone who can and will forgive, at any time, for any sin. The key, the most important key, is us. We must reach for Him and ask "Lord have mercy on me". Also at the same time, we must be truly repentant. We can't be an actor, one who just pretends and plays the part. We must come to realize it is only by God's mercy that can we be renewed and made whole. This is why this journey is so important, to realize who you are, who Mother Mary is, and who Jesus really is. Don't waste time during this journey, please. Make the most of it, and offer up yourself to your Mother. For is taking you to the heart of mercy. His name is Jesus.

St. Louis de Montfort writes:

1. God wants you to be holy like Jesus in this life and glorious like Him in the next.
2. No matter how many sins we have, we can go to God and ask for His forgiveness.
3. Being in God's presence scatters our sins.
4. Run, my soul, to the Lord Jesus because you have lingered long enough.
5. Jesus, it is pitiful to see how many Catholics are ignorant. They do not know You or Mary.
6. Original sin has spoiled us, corrupted us and puffed us up.

Enter into Daily Common Prayers

DAILY COMMON PRAYERS

Prayer for Practicing of Virtues

My holy Mother, pray for me. I need so much forgiveness in my life. Even as I try to walk with you, there are days in which I pretend to listen. I fake my way through the day, saying to myself “I’m good, nothing to worry about”. When truly there is much I should worry. My soul decays with each passing day, and I ignore you, and your words of guidance. Help me oh Mother, for I now realize I’m not really living the life you want for me. I’m just, failing you. Pray for me, that I might truly repent, and receive His mercy. Guide me Mother, with each step, take my hand and lead me. Help me to be what your Son desires. Amen.

O, Mary!

O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee.
Please spread the grace of the Flame of Love over all humanity! Amen.

Consecration

My Queen and my Mother, I give myself entirely to you, and to show my devotion I consecrate to you this day my eyes, my ears, my mouth, my heart, my whole being without reserve. Always dear Mother, I am your own, keep me, guard me as your property and possession. Amen.

Come Creator Holy Spirit

Come Holy Spirit, Creator, come to me come, from Your bright Heavenly throne!

Come, take possession of my soul, and make it all Your own.

You who are called the Paraclete, best gift of God above, the living Spirit, the living fire, sweet unction and true love! You who are sevenfold in Your grace, finger of God’s right hand, His promise, teaching little ones to speak and understand! O guide our minds with Your blessed light, with love our hearts enflame, and with Your strength, which never delays, confirm our mortal frame. Far from us drive our hellish foe, true peace unto us bring, and through all perils guide us safely, beneath Your Sacred Wing, through You may we the Father know, through You the eternal Son, and You the Spirit of them both, Three blessed, three in one.

All glory to the Father be, and to the risen Son the same to you, O Paraclete, while endless ages run. Amen.

Transformation Into Christ

It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me.

O, my Jesus, may our feet journey together,

May our hands gather in unity,

May our hearts beat to the same rhythm,

May our souls be in harmony,

May our thoughts be in unison,

May our ears listen to the silence together,

May our glances melt in one another,

And may our lips beg our Heavenly Father together

To obtain mercy on souls. Amen.