

## The Luminous Mysteries

### *The Eighteenth Mystery: Proclamation of the Kingdom of God*

#### *Offering*

We offer Thee, O Lord Jesus, this eighteenth decade in honor of Thy proclamation of the Kingdom of God, and we ask of Thee, through this mystery, and through the intercession of Thy blessed Mother, the grace to help preach, through our lives, the Good News of the Kingdom.

#### *Our Father*

And after that John was delivered up, Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the gospel of the Kingdom of God. And saying: "The time is accomplished, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent, and believe the gospel."

St. Mark 1: 14-15

#### *Hail Mary*

And they came to him, bringing one sick of palsy, who was carried by four. And when they could not offer unto him for the multitude, they uncovered the roof where he was; and opening it, they let down the bed wherein the man sick of palsy lay.

St. Mark 2: 3-4

#### *Hail Mary*

And when Jesus had seen their faith, he saith to the sick of the palsy: "Son, thy sins are forgiven thee."

St. Mark 2: 5

#### *Hail Mary*

And there were some of the scribes sitting there, and thinking in their hearts: *Why doth this man speak thus? He blasphemeth. Who can forgive sins, but God only?*

St. Mark 2: 6-7

#### *Hail Mary*

Which Jesus presently knowing in his spirit, that they so thought within themselves, saith to them: "Why think you these things in your hearts? Which is easier, to say to the sick of the palsy: 'Thy sins are forgiven thee'; or to say: 'Arise, take up thy bed, and walk?'"

St. Mark 2: 8-9

#### *Hail Mary*

"But that you may know that the Son of man hath power on earth to forgive sins, (he saith to the sick of the palsy,) I say to thee: 'Arise, take up thy bed, and go into thy house.'"

St. Mark 2: 10-11

#### *Hail Mary*

And immediately he arose; and taking up his bed, went his way in the sight of all; so that all wondered and glorified God, saying: "We never saw the like."

St. Mark 2: 12

#### *Hail Mary*

"Wherefore I say to thee: 'Many sins are forgiven her, because she hath loved much. But to whom less is forgiven, he loveth less.'" And he said to her: "Thy sins are forgiven thee."

St. Luke 7: 47-48

#### *Hail Mary*

When he had said this, he breathed on them; and he said to them: "Receive ye the Holy Spirit."

St. John 20: 22

#### *Hail Mary*

"Whose sins you shall forgive, they are forgiven them; and whose sins you shall retain, they are retained."

St. John 2: 23

#### *Hail Mary*

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

O my Jesus, forgive us our sins; save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, and help especially those most in need of Thy mercy.

Come, Holy Spirit, come by means of the powerful intercession of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Thy well beloved Spouse.

**Grace of the mystery of Thy proclamation of the Kingdom of God, come down into my soul and give me courage to live the Kingdom of God daily in my life.**

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### *The Seventeenth Mystery: The Wedding Feast at Cana*

#### *Offering*

**We offer Thee, O Lord Jesus, this seventeenth decade in honor of Thy Divine Manifestation at the wedding feast at Cana, and we ask of Thee, through this mystery, and through the intercession of Thy blessed Mother, the grace to help us trust Thee as Thou lovest us.**

#### *Our Father*

And the third day, there was a marriage in Cana of Galilee: and the mother of Jesus was there.

St. John 2: 1

*Hail Mary*

And Jesus also was invited, and his disciples, to the marriage.

St. John 2: 2

*Hail Mary*

And the wine failing, the mother of Jesus saith to him: "They have no wine."

St. John 2: 3

*Hail Mary*

And Jesus saith to her: "Woman, what is that to me and to thee? My hour is not yet come."

St. John 2: 4

*Hail Mary*

His mother saith to the waiters: " whatsoever he shall say to you, do ye."

St. John 2: 5

*Hail Mary*

And as he spoke these things, there came a cloud, and overshadowed them; and they were afraid, when they entered into the cloud.

St. Luke 9: 34

*Hail Mary*

And lo, a voice out of the cloud, saying: "This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased: hear ye him."

St. Matthew 17: 5

*Hail Mary*

And the disciples hearing, fell upon their face, and were very much afraid.

St. Matthew 17: 6

*Hail Mary*

And Jesus came and touched them; and said to them, "Arise, and fear not." And lifting up their eyes saw no one but only Jesus.

St. Matthew 17: 7-8

*Hail Mary*

And as they came down from the mountain, Jesus charged them, saying: "Tell the vision to no man, till the Son of man be risen from the dead."

St. Matthew 17: 9

*Hail Mary*

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

O my Jesus, forgive us our sins; save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, and help especially those most in need of Thy mercy.

Come, Holy Spirit, come by means of the powerful intercession of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Thy well beloved Spouse.

**Grace of the mystery of Thy Transfiguration, come down into my soul and transform me into Thy Image.**

## The Luminous Mysteries

### *The Sixteenth Mystery: The Baptism in the Jordan*

#### *Offering*

**We offer Thee, O Lord Jesus, this sixteenth decade in honor of Thy Baptism in the Jordan, which Thou sanctified by Thy Presence, and we ask Thee, through this mystery, and through the intercession of Thy blessed Mother, to sanctify us according to Thy Holy Will.**

#### *Our Father*

John answered them, saying: "I baptize with water; but there hath stood one in the midst of you, whom you know not."

St. John 1:26

*Hail Mary*

"The same is he that shall come after me, who is preferred before me: the latchet of whose shoe I am not worthy to loose."

St. John 1:27

*Hail Mary*

The next day, John saw Jesus coming to him, and he saith: "Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who taketh away the sin of the world."

St. John 1:29

*Hail Mary*

"This is he, of whom I said: 'After me there cometh a man, who is preferred before me: because he was before me.'"

St. John 1:30

*Hail Mary*

"And I knew him not, but that he may be made manifest in Israel, therefore am I come baptizing with water."

St. John 1:31

*Hail Mary*

And taking the chalice, he gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying: "Drink ye all of this. For this is my blood of the new testament, which shall be shed for many unto remission of sins."

St. Matthew 26: 27-28

*Hail Mary*

"And I say to you, I will not drink from henceforth of this fruit of the vine, until that day when I shall drink it with you new in the kingdom of my Father."

St. Matthew 26: 29

*Hail Mary*

For as often as you shall eat this bread, and drink this chalice, you shew the death of the Lord, until he come.

1 Cor 11: 26

*Hail Mary*

Therefore whosoever shall eat this bread, or drink the chalice of the Lord unworthily, shall be guilty of the body and of the blood of the Lord.

1 Cor 11: 27

*Hail Mary*

But let a man prove himself: and so let him eat of that bread, and drink of the chalice. For he that eateth and drinketh unworthily, eateth and drinketh judgment to himself, not discerning the body of the Lord.

1 Cor 11: 28

*Hail Mary*

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

O my Jesus, forgive us our sins; save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, and help especially those most in need of Thy mercy.

Come, Holy Spirit, come by means of the powerful intercession of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Thy well beloved Spouse.

**Grace of the mystery of the Holy Eucharist, come down into my soul and nourish me into life everlasting.**

**In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.**

**Amen.**

Come, O Holy Spirit, fill the hearts and minds of Thy faithful servants and inflame them with the fire of Thy Divine love.

*Let us pray:* O God, who by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, didst instruct the hearts of Thy faithful servants; grant us in the same Spirit, to discern what is right, and enjoy His comfort for ever. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, who liveth and reigneth one God, with Thee and the same Spirit, world without end. *Amen.*

***St. Louis de Montfort's Offering of the Rosary***

I unite myself with all the saints in Heaven, and with all the just on earth. I unite myself with Thee, my Jesus, in order to praise Thy Holy Mother worthily and to praise Thee in her and by her. I renounce all the distractions that may come to me while I am saying this Rosary, which I wish to say with modesty, attention, and devotion, just as if it were to be the last of my life.

O Blessed Virgin Mary, we offer thee this Creed in order to honor the faith that thou didst have upon earth and to ask thee to have us share in the same faith.

O Lord, we offer Thee this Our Father so as to adore Thee in Thy Oneness and to recognize Thee as the First Cause and Last End of all things.

Most Holy Trinity, we offer Thee these three Hail Marys so as to thank Thee for all the graces which Thou hast given to Mary and those which Thou hast given us through her intercession.

***The Apostles Creed***

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His Only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. *Amen.*

***Act of Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary***

*(St. Louis Mary de Montfort's Consecration)*

I, N., a faithless sinner – renew and ratify today in thy hands, O Immaculate Mother, the vows of my Baptism; I renounce forever Satan, his pomps and works; and I give myself entirely to Jesus Christ, the Incarnate Wisdom, to carry my cross after Him all the days of my life, and to be more faithful to Him than I have ever been before.

In the presence of all the Heavenly Court, I choose thee this day, for my Mother and Mistress. I deliver and consecrate to thee, as thy slave, my body and soul, my goods, both interior and exterior, and even the value of all my good actions, past, present, and future; leaving to thee the entire and full right of disposing of me, and all that belongs to me, without exception, according to thy good pleasure, for the greater glory of God, in time and in eternity. *Amen.*

***The Divine Praises***

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Blessed be God

Blessed be His Most Holy Name

Blessed be Jesus Christ, True God and True Man

Blessed be the Name of Jesus

Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart

Blessed be His Most Precious Blood

Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar

Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete

Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary Most Holy

Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate Conception

Blessed be her Glorious Assumption

Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother

Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse

Blessed be God in His Angels and in His Saints