

LITANY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Litany of Loreto

Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.
Christ, hear us.
Christ, graciously hear us.

God, the Father of heaven, **have mercy on us.**
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Spirit,
Holy Trinity, one God.

Holy Mary, **pray for us.**
Holy Mother of God,
Holy Virgin of virgins,
Mother of Christ,
Mother of the Church,
Mother of divine grace,
Mother most pure,
Mother most chaste,
Mother inviolate,
Mother undefiled,
Mother most amiable,
Mother most admirable,
Mother of good counsel,
Mother of our Creator,
Mother of our Savior,
Virgin most prudent,
Virgin most venerable,
Virgin most renowned,
Virgin most powerful,
Virgin most merciful,
Virgin most faithful,
Mirror of justice,
Seat of wisdom,
Cause of our joy,
Spiritual vessel,

Vessel of honor,
Singular vessel of devotion,
Mystical rose,
Tower of David,
Tower of ivory,
House of gold,
Ark of the covenant,
Gate of heaven,
Morning star,
Health of the sick,
Refuge of sinners,
Comforter of the afflicted,
Help of Christians,
Queen of Angels,
Queen of Patriarchs,
Queen of Prophets,
Queen of Apostles,
Queen of Martyrs,
Queen of Confessors,
Queen of Virgins,
Queen of all Saints,
Queen conceived without original sin,
Queen assumed into heaven,
Queen of the most holy Rosary,
Queen of families
Queen of peace.

This Litany was originally approved in 1587 by Pope Sixtus V.

Lamb of God, You take away sins of the world, **spare us, O Lord.**

Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, **graciously hear us, O Lord.**

Lamb of God, Your take away the sins of the world, **have mercy on us.**

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R. **That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.**

Through the year

Let us pray.

Grant, we beseech You, O Lord God,
that we Your servants may enjoy perpetual
health of mind and body,
and by the glorious intercession of the
Blessed Mary, ever Virgin,
may be delivered from present sorrow and
obtain eternal joy.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*From Christmas to the Presentation of the
Lord*

Let us pray.

O God,
by the fruitful virginity of Blessed Mary,
You bestowed upon the human race the
rewards of eternal salvation;
grant, we beg you, that we may feel the
power of her intercession,
through whom we have been made worthy
to receive the Author of life,
our Lord Jesus Christ your Son,
who lives and reigns with you forever and
ever. Amen.

During Advent

Let us pray.

O God, You who willed that, at the message
of an angel, your word should take flesh in
the womb of the Blessed Virgin Mary;
grant to Your suppliant people,
that we, who believe her to be truly the
Mother of God, may be helped by her
intercession with You.

Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

During Easter

Let us pray.

O God, who by the Resurrection of Your
Son, our Lord Jesus Christ,
granted joy to the whole world,
grant, we beg You,
that through the intercession of the Virgin
Mary, his Mother,
we may attain the joys of eternal life.

Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.