



OUR LADY OF THE
ANGELS
REGIONAL FRATERNITY

FRANCISCAN CROWN ROSARY



God's Promise to Man:

I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will strike your head and you will strike his heel. Genesis 3:15

Gracious God and Father, in Mary, the firstborn of redemption, you have given us a Mother most tender. Open our hearts to the joy of the Spirit, and grant that by imitating the Virgin we too may learn to magnify You through the great work accomplished in Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever Amen

As we meditate upon the seven joys of our Blessed Mother, let us ask the Holy Spirit to bestow upon us his heavenly gifts.

The Immaculate Conception – Peter Paul Rubens



In the name of the
Father and of the
Son and of the Holy
Spirit. Amen



The Annunciation – Bartholome Esteban Murillo

Mary's 1st Joy - The Annunciation. We pray for the gift of fortitude.

Our Father Hail Mary x10 Glory Be

Prayer: O God, who willed that your Word should take on the reality of human flesh in the womb of the Virgin Mary, grant, we pray, that we, who confess our Redeemer to be God and man, may merit to become partakers in his divine nature. Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen



The Visitation – Mariotto
Albertinelli

Mary's 2nd Joy - The Visitation. We pray for the gift of Counsel.

Our Father Hail Mary x10 Glory Be

Prayer: Almighty ever-living God, who, while the Blessed Virgin Mary was carrying your Son in her womb, inspired her to visit Elizabeth, grant us, we pray, that, faithful to the promptings of the Spirit, we may magnify your greatness with the Virgin Mary at all times. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.



Mary's 3rd Joy - The Adoration of The Magi. We pray for the gift of The Fear of The Lord

Our Father Hail Mary x10 Glory Be

Prayer: Grant, we pray, almighty God, that, as we are bathed in the new radiance of your incarnate Word, the light of faith, which illumines our minds, may also shine through in our deeds. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Adoration of The Magi – Peter Paul Rubens

Mary's 4th Joy - The Presentation of Our Lord. We pray for the gift of Wisdom



The Presentation of Jesus in the Temple –
Giovanni Francesco Barbieri – Il Guercino

Our Father Hail Mary x10 Glory Be

Prayer: Almighty ever-living God, we humbly implore your majesty that, just as your Only Begotten Son was presented on this day in the Temple in the substance of our flesh, so, by your grace, we may be presented to you with minds made pure. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen



Mary's 5th Joy - The finding of Jesus in the Temple. We pray for the gift of Understanding

Our Father Hail Mary x10 Glory Be

Prayer: O God, you who were pleased to give us the shining example of the Holy Family, graciously grant that we may imitate them in practicing the virtues of family life and in the bonds of charity, and so, in the joy of your house, delight one day in eternal rewards. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Finding of Jesus in the Temple – Carl Heinrich Bloch



The Resurrection of Christ – Carl Heinrich Bloch

Mary's 6th Joy - The Resurrection of Our Lord. We pray for the gifts of Piety and Love.

Our Father Hail Mary x10 Glory Be

Prayer: O God, you who on this day, through your Only Begotten Son, have conquered death and unlocked for us the path to eternity, grant, we pray, that we who keep the solemnity of the Lord's Resurrection may, through the renewal brought by your Spirit, rise up in the light of life. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin
Mary –
Bartholome Esteban Murillo

Mary's 7th Joy - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin. We pray for the gift of knowledge.

Our Father Hail Mary x10 Glory Be

Prayer 7: O God, who, looking on the lowliness of the Blessed Virgin Mary, raised her to this grace, that your Only Begotten Son was born of her according to the flesh and that she was crowned this day with surpassing glory, grant through her prayers, that, saved by the mystery of your redemption, we may merit to be exalted by you on high. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.



Sistine Madonna - Raphael

To complete Mary's joys
upon the earth, let us
pray: Hail Mary x 2



And for the intentions of
our Holy Father, Pope
Francis, we pray:

Our Father

Hail Mary

Grant we beseech Thee, O Lord God, unto us thy servants, that we may rejoice in continual health of mind and body, and by the glorious intercession of the Blessed Mary, ever Virgin, may be delivered from present sadness, and enter into the joy of thine eternal gladness. Through Christ our Lord. Amen



And may
Almighty God
bless us In the
name of the
Father and of
the Son and of
the Holy Spirit.
Amen

The Trinity – Giovanni Francesco Barbieri – Il
Guercino

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