

CHAPLET OF MOTHER OF DIVINE MERCY

“I am the Mother of Divine Mercy because Jesus has filled me with His Divine Mercy. Those who are afraid to approach Jesus as Divine Mercy may approach me as Mother of Divine Mercy with assured confidence that I will give to them the Divine Mercy of my Son with the blessings of my own motherly mercy.” *

- 1. The Sign of the Cross:** In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen
- 2. Opening Prayer:** In your anguish, Oh Holy Lady, you stayed beneath your Son’s Cross, and the prophecy of Simeon was fulfilled. A sword pierced your innermost heart, thus opening wide your tender and motherly mercy. Empty your mercy on us and on the whole world.

Oh, great mercy which gushed forth from the heart of Mary as a fountain of thy Son’s mercy for us, I trust in you. (x3)
- 3. One Our Father:** Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. 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
- 4. One Hail Mary:** Hail Mary, full of grace, The Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

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- 5. The Apostles’ Creed:** I believe in God, the Father Almighty, 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 life everlasting. Amen.
- 6. On the five large beads:** Eternal Father, I offer you the emotional and bodily sufferings of your dearly beloved daughter, the Blessed Mother Mary, in reparation for our sins and those of the whole world.
- 7. Ten small beads:** For the sake of Our Lady’s sorrowful passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.
- 8. On each of the three small beads:** Holy Mary, Holy Mother of God, Holy Immaculate One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.
- 9. Closing Prayer:** Eternal God, whose mercy is found in the Blessed Virgin Mary, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence, come to know your Divine Will through Mary, ever blessed, and then come to submit ourselves to Your Holy Divine Will which is love and mercy itself.

10. Sign of the Cross

Prayer to Mary, Mother of Divine Mercy: (Optional)

Oh Holy Lady, in your profound humility you sought nothing and yet you gained everything. The idea of a God who wanted to love and save humanity was not foreign to you because, in you, you bore the God of love, light, and mercy.

So many times did you ponder your Son Jesus’ divine mercy. So many times did you see His mercy. So many times did you hear His mercy. So many times did you speak of your Son’s mercy. Only Heaven could have seen, only Heaven could have known the heights of mercy that you would obtain within you.

It was at the Cross where as the spear which opened up your Son Jesus’ Divine Mercy to flow, so did the sword which pierced your heart, thus opening wide your motherly divine mercy.

Who is it that can open the doors of divine mercy at any time, night or day? Is it not she who bore within herself the Incarnate Word, or Mercy

Oh, Holy Lady Mary, thy wound in thy heart is most venerable to God because through that wound in thy heart, all of thy mercy for humanity was poured out for all. No one ever will be turned away from thee, unless it is by their own free will.

So we come to thee, you who are the channel of Jesus’ mercy to us, and thus remembering this: Those who come to know Jesus’ divine mercy, come to know God the Father’s mercy, and in like fashion, all those who come to know the Mother of Divine Mercy come to know, honor, venerate, and love the Divine Mercy of Jesus Christ. Remember, to Jesus through Mary, or is it through Mary to Jesus? Amen