

“OCTOBER” PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH

Pope Leo XIII decreed that this prayer be recited each day during the month of October after the recitation of the holy rosary

To thee, O blessed Joseph, we have recourse in our affliction, and having implored the help of thy most holy Spouse, we confidently invoke thy patronage also. By that charity which bound thee to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God, and by that fatherly love with which thou didst embrace the Child Jesus, we beseech thee and we humbly pray that thou wilt look down with gracious eye upon the inheritance which Jesus Christ has purchased by His blood, and wilt succor us in our need by thy power and strength.

Defend, O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, the chosen off-spring of Jesus Christ. Keep far from us, O most loving Father, all blight of error and corruption. Aid us from on high, most valiant defender, in this our conflict with the powers of darkness. And even as thou once rescued the Child Jesus from the peril of His life, so now defend God's Holy Church from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity. Shield, too, each one of us by thy constant protection, so that, following thine example and strengthened by thy help, we may live a holy life, die a happy death, and attain to everlasting bliss in Heaven. Amen.



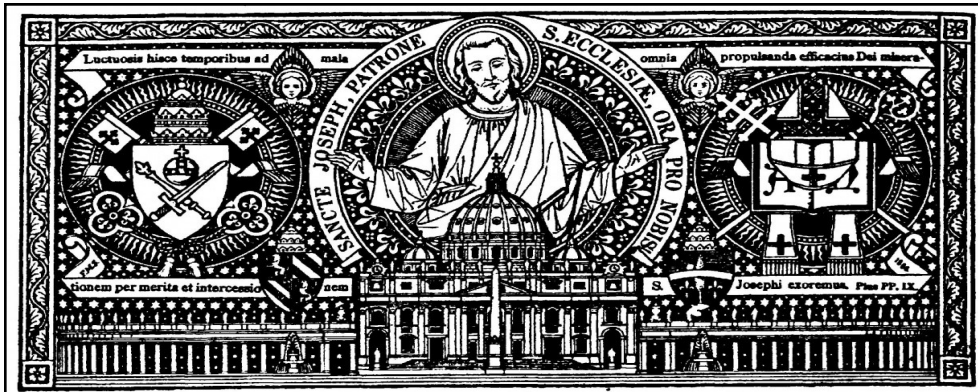
WISDOM FROM ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

“He who talks little of himself does extremely well, for whether we speak of self in excusing ourselves or in accusing ourselves, whether in praising or in dispraising ourselves, we shall see that our words serve ever as a bait to vanity.”

NOVENA FOR VOCATIONS

Pray with the Institute of Christ the King nationwide from September 29 to October 7 to ask for holy priests, oblates, and seminarians who will be in the service of Christ the King!

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Sunday, October 1st, 2023

**Solemnity of Our Lady of the Rosary
& Commemoration of the 18th Sunday After Pentecost**

Introit

Let us all rejoice in the Lord, keeping a feast in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary, for whose celebration the angels rejoice and unite in praising the Son of God. My heart overflows with a goodly theme; I speak my works to the King. Glory be to the Father . . .
Let us all rejoice in the Lord . . .

Collect

O God, Whose only-begotten Son, by His life, death and resurrection, has merited for us the grace of eternal salvation, grant, we beseech Thee, that, meditating on those mysteries in the most holy rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise.
Through our Lord . . .

Commemoration of the 18th Sunday After Pentecost

May the working of Thy mercy, we beseech Thee, O Lord, guide our hearts, for without Thee, we cannot please Thee. Through our Lord . . .

Epistle

Proverbs 8:22-24, 32-35

The Lord begot me, the firstborn of His ways, the forerunner of His prodigies of long ago; from of old I was poured forth, at the first, before the earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth. So now, O children, listen to me; happy those who keep my ways. Hear instruction, and be wise, and

refuse it not. Happy the man who obeys me, watching daily at my gates, waiting at my doorposts; for he who finds me finds life, and wins favor from the Lord.

Gradual & Alleluia

In the cause of truth and mercy and for the sake of justice: may your right hand show you wondrous deeds. Hear, O daughter, and see; turn your ear; for the King shall desire your beauty.

Alleluia, alleluia. The solemnity of the glorious Virgin Mary, of the seed of Abraham, sprung from the tribe of Juda, of the noble line of David. Alleluia.

Gospel

Luke I, 26-38

At that time, the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a town of Galilee called Nazareth, to a virgin betrothed to a man named Joseph, of the house of David, and the virgin's name was Mary. And when the angel had come to her, he said, Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women. When she had heard him she was troubled at his word, and kept pondering what manner of greeting this might be. And the angel said to her, Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found grace with God. Behold, you shall conceive in your womb and shall bring forth a Son; and you shall call His name Jesus. He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Most High; and the Lord God will give Him the throne of David His father, and He shall be king over the house of Jacob forever; and of His kingdom there shall be no end. But Mary said to the angel, How shall this happen, since I do not know man? And the angel answered and said to her, The Holy Spirit shall come upon you, and the power of the Most High shall overshadow you; and therefore the Holy One to be born shall be called the Son of God. And behold, Elizabeth your kinswoman also has conceived a son in her old age, and she who was called barren is now in her sixth month; for nothing shall be impossible with God. But Mary said, Behold the handmaid of the Lord; be it done to me according to your word.

Offertory

In me is all grace of the way and of the truth, in me is all hope of life and of virtue. Like a rose planted near running waters I have borne fruit

Secret

Grant us, we beseech Thee, O Lord, to be properly prepared to offer these gifts, and, through the mysteries of the most holy Rosary, so to keep in mind the life, passion and glory of Thy only-begotten Son, that we may be made worthy of His promises. Through our Lord . . .

Commemoration of the 18th Sunday After Pentecost

O God, Who, through the gifts we have exchanged with Thee in this sacrament, have made us partakers of the supreme Godhead, grant, we beseech

Thee, that, as we have knowledge of Thy truth, so we may fully live up to it. Through our Lord . . .

Communion

Break forth in blossoms like the lily, and yield a smell, and bring forth leaves in grace, and praise with canticles, and bless the Lord in His works.

Postcommunion

May the prayers of Thy most holy Mother, whose Rosary we are honoring, help us, we beseech Thee, O Lord, that we may derive strength from the mysteries we celebrate and obtain benefit from the sacrament we have received. Through our Lord . . .

Commemoration of the 18th Sunday After Pentecost

Strengthened by Thy sacred gift, we thank Thee, O Lord, beseeching Thy mercy to make us receive it worthily. Through our Lord . . .

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, October 2nd through Friday, October 6th: Provincial Convocation of the Institute. All Canons of the American Province will be gathered in Lake Charles, LA.

Friday, October 6th: First Friday of the Month. **Please note time change.** Devotions in honor of the Sacred Heart and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 7:30 pm, followed by Low Mass at St. Joseph Church, Dyer.

Sunday, October 29th: Feast of Christ the King

- ◆ Sung Mass at 8am, followed by a Eucharistic Procession and Benediction.
- ◆ Semiannual Collection for the Institute's International Seminary.

BURSAR'S BOX

Sunday, September 3rd: \$ 6, 032.00

Sunday, September 10th: \$ 5, 242.00

Thursday, September 14th: \$ 588.00

Sunday, September 17th: \$ 4, 121.00

Sunday, September 24th: \$ 3, 271.00

Total for the Month of September : \$ 19, 254.00

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