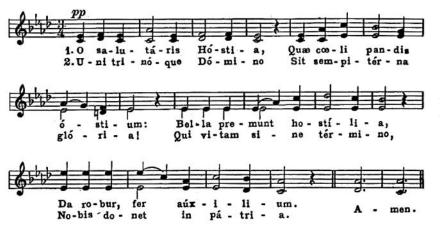


INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST

# PERPETUAL NOVENA IN HONOR OF ST. THERESE OF THE CHILD JESUS

Offered for the Members of the Little Flower Recurring Gift Society

#### **O** SALUTARIS



 O saving Victim, opening wide The gate of heaven to all us below:
Our foes press on from every side; Thine aid supply, Thy strength bestow.
To Thy great Name be endless praise, Immortal Godhead, One in Three!
O grant us endless length of days, With Thee in our true country. Amen.

#### NOVENA PRAYER

Glorious Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus, the Little Flower of Jesus, safe refuge of the afflicted and distressed, we, poor sinners, encouraged by the promises God has made to thee, come to thee today with a firm hope, and we rejoice in the great honor which our Holy Mother Church, has shown to thee in placing thee amongst the saints of Her altars. We pour forth our prayer to thee for our personal intentions and for the intentions of all those enrolled in the Little Flower Recurring Gift Society. We implore thy aid, thy protection, thy counsel and thy blessing. Obtain for us and for all members of the Society, we beseech thee, the following requests (here specify intention). We ask these favors provided they are not opposed to the Holy Will of God and the welfare of our salvation. Should such, however, be the case, obtain for us such other graces as shall be conducive to the welfare of our souls. Through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

V. Pray for us, O Saint Thérèse. R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

*Let us pray:* Almighty and Eternal God, Who didst glorify Thy faithful virgin, Thérèse of the Child Jesus, with the perpetual gift of working miracles, Graciously grant that what we confidently seek through her merits, we may surely receive through her intercession, through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

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.* 

Hail Mary, full of Grace, The Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is

the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now, and at the hour of death. Amen.

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

#### PRAYER TO ST. THÉRÈSE FOR MISSIONARIES

St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus, thou who hast been rightly proclaimed the patroness of Catholic missions throughout the world, remember the burning desire which thou manifested here on earth to plant the cross of Christ on every shore and to preach the Gospel even until the end of the world. We ask thee, according to thy promise, to assist all priests and missionaries, especially the missionaries of the Institute of Christ the King, and the whole Church of God. Amen.

#### PRAYER BY POPE BENEDICT XV

O little Thérèse of the Child Jesus, who during thy short life on earth didst become a mirror of angelic purity, of love strong as death, and of whole-hearted abandonment to God, now that thou rejoicest in the reward of thy virtues, cast a glance of pity on us as we leave all things in thy hands. Make our troubles thy own. Speak a word for us to Our Lady Immaculate, whose flower of special love thou wert to that Queen of Heaven "who smiled on thee at the dawn of life." Beg her as Queen of the Heart of Jesus, to obtain for us by her powerful intercession, the grace we yearn for so ardently at this moment, and that she join with it a blessing that may strengthen us during life, defend us at the hour of death, and lead us straight on to a happy eternity. Amen.

#### AVE MARIA



Hail Mary, full of Grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now, and at the hour of death. Amen. In Advent: V. Angelus Dómini nuntiavit Maríae. R. Et concépit de Spíritu Sáncto.

 $^{m N}$  ratiam tuam, quaesumus, Domine, passionem eius et crucem, ad Ĵ mentibus nostris infunde: † ut qui, Angelo nuntiante, Christi Filii tui incarnationem cognovimus, \* per

resurrectionis gloriam perducamur. Per eundem Christum Dominum nostrum. R. Amen.

V. The Angel of the Lord announced unto Mary. R. And she conceived by the Holy Spirit.

Let us pray: Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts: that as we have known the incarnation of Thy Son Jesus Christ by the message of an Angel, so too by His Cross and passion may we be brought to the glory of His resurrection. R. Amen.

Christmas until Feb. 2:

V. Post partum Virgo inviolata permansisti. R. Dei Genitrix intercede pro nobis.

eus, qui salutis aeternae, beatae Mariae virginitate foecunda, humano generi praemia praestitisti : † tribue, quaesumus; ut ipsam pro nobis intercedere sentiamus, \* per quam meruimus auctorem vitae suscipere, Dominum nostrum Iesum Christum, Filium tuum. R. Amen.

V. After childbirth thou didst remain a virgin. R. Intercede for us, O Mother of God.

Let us pray: O God, who, by the fruitful virginity of blessed Mary, hast bestowed upon mankind the reward of eternal salvation: grant, we beseech Thee, that we may experience her intercession, through whom we have been made worthy to receive the author of life, our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son. R. Amen.

#### Feb. 2nd until Holy Week:

V. Dignare me laudare te Virgo sacrata. R. Da mihi virtutem contra hostes tuos.

<sup>¶</sup>oncede, misericors Deus, fragilitati ∕nostrae praesidium : † ut, qui sanctae Dei Genetricis memoriam agimus, \*

intercessionis eius auxilio a nostris iniquitatibus resurgamus. Per eundem Christum Dominum nostrum. R. Amen.

V. Allow me to praise thee, holy Virgin. R. Give me strength against thy enemies.

Let us pray: Grant, O merciful God, to our weak natures Thy protection, that we who commemorate the holy Mother of God may, by the help of her intercession, arise from our iniquities. Through the same Christ our Lord. R. Amen.

Eastertide: V. Gaude et laetare Virgo Maria, alleluia. R. Quia surrexit Dominus vere, alleluia.

Deus, qui per resurrectionem Filii tui, Domini nostri Iesu Christi, mundum laetificare dignatus es : † praesta, quaesumus; ut, per eius Gen-

etricem Virginem Mariam \* perpetuae capiamus gaudia vitae. Per eundem Christum Dominum nostrum. R. Amen

V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia. R. Because the Lord is truly risen, alleluia.

Let us pray: O God, who gave joy to the world through the resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ; grant, we beseech Thee, that through His Mother, the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. R. Amen.

#### Trinity Sunday to Advent:

V. Ora pro nobis sancta Dei Genitrix. R. Ut digni efficiamur promissionibus Christi.

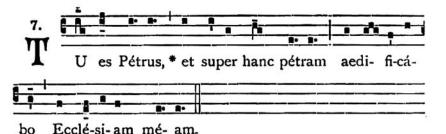
O mnipotens sempiterne Deus, qui gloriosae Virginis Matris Mariae corpus et animam, ut dignum Filii tui habitaculum effici mereretur, Spiritu Sancto cooperante, praeparasti : † da,

ut, cuius commemoratione laetamur, \* eius pia intercessione, ab instantibus malis et a morte perpetua liberemur. Per eundem Christum Dominum nostrum. R. Amen

V. Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God. R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: Almighty, everlasting God, who by the cooperation of the Holy Spirit, didst prepare the body and soul of the glorious Virgin-Mother Mary to become a worthy dwelling for Thy Son; grant that we who rejoice in her commemoration may, by her loving intercession, be delivered from present evils and from the everlasting death. R. Amen.

### **PRAYER FOR THE POPE**



Thou art Peter, \* and upon this rock I will build my Church. V. Fiat manus tua super virum dexterae tuae.

R. Et super filium hominis quem confirmasti tibi.

Deus, ómnium fidélium pastor et rector, famulum tuum N., quem pastórem Ecclésiæ tuæ præésse voluísti, propítius réspice: da ei, quaesumus, ver-

bo et exemplo quibus præest profícere; ut ad vitam, una cum grege sibi crédito, pervéniat sempitérnam. Per Christum Dominum nostrum. R. Amen.

V. May Thy hand be upon Thy holy servant. R. And upon Thy son whom Thou hast anointed.

Let us pray: O God, the shepherd and ruler of all the faithful, look down favourably upon Thy servant N., whom Thou hast been pleased to appoint pastor over Thy Church; grant, we beseech Thee, that he may benefit both by word and example those over whom he is set, and thus attain unto life eternal together with the flock committed to his care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ. R. Amen.

# TANTUM ERGO I



1. Down in adoration falling, Lo! the sacred Host we hail, Lo! oe'r ancient forms departing, Newer rites of grace prevail; Faith for all defects supplying, Where the feeble senses fail.

2. To the everlasting Father, and the Son Who reigns on high with the Holy Ghost proceeding forth from each eternally, be salvation, honor, blessing, might and endless majesty. Amen. V. Panem de caelo praestitisti eis, (P.T. Alleluia)

R. Omne delectamentum in se habentem, (P.T. Alleluia)

# Deus, qui nobis sub Sacramento mirabili passionis tuae memoriam reliquisti : † tribue, quaesumus, ita nos Corporis et Sanguinis tui sacra mysteria

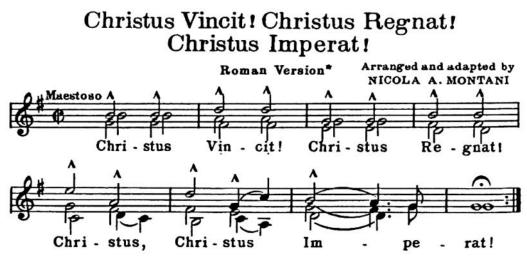
V. Thou hast given them bread from heaven.(P.T. Alleluia)R. Having within it all sweetness. (P.T. Alleluia)

Let us pray: O God, who in this wonderful Sacrament left us a memorial of Thy Passion: grant, we implore Thee, that we may so venerate the sacred mysteries of Thy Body and Blood, as always to be conscious of the fruit of Thy Redemption. Thou who livest and reignest forever and ever. R. Amen.

## **DIVINE PRAISES**

Blessed be God. Blessed be His 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 Ghost, 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. O Lord, send us priests. O Lord, send us holy priests.

O Lord, send us many holy priests and religious vocations.



"Christ conquers, Christ reigns, Christ commands." Traditional Roman hymn to Jesus Christ our King.



# **RECURRING GIFT SOCIETY**

All of our faithful benefactors who make recurring gifts of any dollar amount are enrolled in the *Little Flower Recurring Gift Society*. Members have the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass offered for them every Sunday and are prayed for especially in the intentions of the **Perpetual Novena in honor of St. Therese of the Child Jesus** every Tuesday at our U.S. Provincial Headquarters.

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Thank you! May the Infant Jesus bless you always.