



IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY ORATORY

## **Novena Prayer for the Immaculate Conception, November 29 to December 7th**

O Virgin Immaculate, who wast pleasing in the Lord's sight and didst become His Mother, look graciously upon the wretched who implore thy mighty patronage. The wicked serpent, against whom the primal curse was hurled, continues nonetheless to wage war and to lay snares for the unhappy children of Eve. Ah, do thou, our blessed Mother, our Queen and Advocate, who from the first instant of thy conception didst crush the head of our enemy, receive the prayers that we unite singleheartedly to thine and conjure thee to offer at the throne of God, that we may never fall into the snares that are laid for us, in such wise that we may all come to the haven of salvation; and in the midst of so many dangers may Holy Church and the fellowship of Christians everywhere sing once more the hymn of deliverance, victory and peace. Amen.

(The Raccolta 1957ed.)