

PENTECOST XXII
NOVEMBER 6, 2022
LOW MASS

TWELVE SUNDAYS HONORING OUR MOTHER OF GOOD COUNSEL:
WEEK 1

Priest & People: We fly / to thy patronage, / O holy Mother of God! / Despise not our petitions in our necessities / but deliver us from all dangers, / O ever glorious and Blessed Virgin!

V. Pray for us, Our Mother of Good Counsel.

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray

Priest: O God, Who hast given the Mother of Thy devoted Son to be our Mother also, and hast deigned to make resplendent her fair image with its wondrous apparitions; grant, we beseech Thee, that, by adhering to her admonitions, we may be able to live conformably to Thy Heart, and successfully attain our heavenly home; through Christ our Lord. **R. Amen.**

Priest & People: Hail, O Mary! / Queen, Lady of Good Counsel, / Mother of Mercy, / our life, our sweetness and our hope; / to thee do we offer up our tears and prayers / for the souls of all thy departed children, / Look with eyes of pity / on the dreadful chastisements they are suffering in purgatory, / in which they are detained by the severe justice of God / until they are purified and cleansed from the stains of sins. / Come to their assistance, O Mary, / be their advocate with thy divine Son; / intercede that He may apply the sacred merits of His Passion to them, / and thus render them ready to enter at once / into the possession of God. / May they rest in peace. Amen.

ST. GERTRUDE'S PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH

Priest: O most tender Lord Jesus Christ, Who hast chosen the holy Church to Thyself to be Thy bride, and hast so loved it as to pour out Thy life and Thy blood for it; we implore Thy clemency that Thou would deign to give it peace, to guard it, to unite it, and to govern it throughout the whole earth.

Behold, O most merciful Jesus, with what unrelenting pertinacity it is assailed by its enemies. See with what appalling rage the gates of Hell rise up against it. Suffer them not to prevail against it, I beseech Thee; but keep and defend it with Thy strong right arm. **R. Amen.**

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

Priest & People: St. Michael the Archangel, / defend us in battle; / be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. / May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, / and do thou, O prince of the heavenly host, / by the power of God, / cast into hell, Satan, and all the evil spirits, / who wander about the world, / seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

V. Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. **R. Have mercy on us.**

V. Holy Child Jesus, Doctor of the Sick. **R. Have mercy on us.**

V. Our Lady of Consolation. **R. Pray for us.**

V. Mother of Good Counsel. **R. Pray for us.**

V. Immaculate Heart of Mary,

R. Pray for us now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

V. Pure Heart of St. Joseph, **R. Pray for us.**

V. May the Divine assistance remain always with us.

R. And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

CLOSING HYMN:

MOTHER DEAREST, MOTHER FAIREST

**1. Mother dearest, Mother fairest,
Help of all who call on thee,
Virgin purest, brightest, rarest,
Help us, help, we cry to thee.**

**Refrain: Mary, help us, help we pray,
Mary, help us, help we pray.
Help us in all care and sorrow:
Mary, help us, help we pray.**

**2. Help our priests, our virgins holy;
Help our Church, bereft of aid,
Pray that we who sing thy praises,
May in heav'n all meet again.**