

PENTECOST XXIV
NOVEMBER 12, 2023
LOW MASS

OPENING OF THE 12 SUNDAYS TO OUR MOTHER OF COUNSEL

Priest & People: HAIL HOLY QUEEN, / Mother of Mercy, / hail our life, our sweetness and our hope. / To Thee do we cry, / poor banished children of Eve. / To Thee do we send up our sighs, / mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. / Turn then, most gracious advocate, / Thine eyes of mercy towards us. / And after this our exile, / show unto us the blessed Fruit of Thy womb, Jesus. / O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

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.

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

Priest and 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. St. Martin I, Pope & Martyr, **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

**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.**

**Lady, help our dear departed
How we miss their presence here
May thy loving intercession
Bring the joys of heaven near.**