

**SOLEMNITY OF THE SEVEN SORROWS OF OUR
LADY – PENTECOST XVII
SEPTEMBER 20, 2026
LOW MASS**

Priest: Hail Mary, full of sorrows, the Crucified is with thee; tearful art thou amongst women, and tearful is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

People: Holy Mary, Mother of the Crucified, give tears to us, crucifiers of thy Son, now, and at the hour of our death. Amen.

Priest: Remember, Sweet Jesus, the sadness of Thy earthly life, and hear the pleading of Thy agonized Mother, as she looks into Thy dying eyes and prays for the salvation of mankind, for the comfort of the afflicted, for the return of the wandering, for courage and resignation for those who suffer pain, and eternal rest for our dear departed. Then, our pitying Lord! from Thy wondrous Hands, let fall on us, in all our sorrows, comfort and peace. **R. Amen.**

FOR OUR SICK RELATIVES AND FRIENDS

Priest and People: Queen of Martyrs / and Mother of Consolation, / by that sword of sorrow / which pierced thy soul / when thou didst see / thy Son Jesus Christ, / our Lord, / raised upon the cross, / pierced with nails / and covered with His Own Blood; / pray for all of our sick, / that they may, / by thy powerful intercession, / be cured of their illness, / and thus we may both / in time and eternity / give thee heartfelt thanks. / 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. Our Lady of Sorrows, **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. Ss. Eustace & Companions, **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:

WHAT A SEA OF TEARS AND SORROWS

What a sea of tears and sorrows,
Did the soul of Mary toss,
To and fro upon its billows,
While she wept her bitter loss;
In her arms her Jesus holding,
Torn so newly from the cross.

Oh that mournful Virgin Mother,
See her tears how fast they flow,
Down upon His mangled Body,
Wounded Side and thorny Brow;
While His Hands and Feet she kisses,
Picture of immortal woe.