



Holy Masses and Rosary Devotions

2024

Fr. Justin Rosary Hour

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*Dear Devotees of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary,
Friends, Benefactors and Supporters of the Rosary Hour,
Praised be Jesus Christ!*

October is coming soon. This month is dedicated to Mary and the beautiful prayer of the Rosary, a simple and at the same time complete prayer in every way.

The Rosary, though clearly Marian in character, is at heart a Christocentric prayer.

By reciting the Rosary, we pray together with Mary and it is She who teaches us to understand the mysteries of the life of Her Son. The rosary is today one of the most popular prayers in the world. It is recited by both the common people and educated people, rich and poor, clergy and lay-people.



Our Lady encouraged people to pray the Holy Rosary many times during her apparitions.

When we pray the rosary, against the background of the words *Ave Maria* the principal events of the life of Jesus Christ pass before the eyes of the soul. They take shape in the complete series of **the joyful, sorrowful, glorious and luminous mysteries**, and they put us in living communion with Jesus through – we might say – the heart of his Mother. At the same time our heart can embrace in the decades of the Rosary all the events that make up the lives of individuals, families, nations, the Church, and all mankind. Our personal concerns and those of our neighbors, especially those who are closest to us, who are dearest to us. Thus **the simple prayer of the Rosary marks the rhythm of human life.**

Our dear Friends, by praying the rosary, we can look for answers to difficult questions, comfort, and direction for your life.

Remember, our beloved Mother, Mary, Queen of Heaven and Earth, offers the rosary as a guarantee to our safe passage from earth to Heaven.

We sincerely invite you to participate in our Novena to Our Lady of the Rosary which will be conducted through the entire month of October. We ask you to send us today your **INTENTIONS** on the enclosed card which the Franciscans will entrust to our Merciful God in **ROSARY DEVOTIONS** and in the **DAILY HOLY MASS** through the intercession of the Queen of the Holy Rosary. With a rosary in their hands and spiritually connected with the “family” of the Rosary Hour, the Franciscans will ask for a shower of graces not only for all of us, the members of the Rosary Hour family, but also for the entire world.

May God in His infinite goodness reward you for your prayers and generous support, without which it would be difficult for the Franciscans to evangelize today's world.

May the Queen of the Rosary, our most loving Mother, intercede for you to God.

We offer you our sincere best wishes and look forward to your reply.

With prayer and gratitude,

Br. Daniel Geary, OFM Conv.

Br Daniel Geary with the *Fr Justin Rosary Hour* community
and the *Companions of St. Anthony*

PS. If you would like to receive **Christmas Wafers** before the Holiday and **the Rosary Hour's 2025 Calendar**, write to us and mark it on the attached **ORDER FORM**. At your request, we would be happy to send you one or both items. We would like to mention that **we send Wafers and Calendars only at the written request of our benefactors.**

When you send your intentions and order **REMEMBER to write YOUR NAME and ADDRESS.**

