



Our Lady of the Rosary

October 7

Who is Our Lady of the Rosary?

"Our Lady of the Rosary" is a title given to the Virgin Mary, the mother of Jesus Christ. It commemorates a significant event in Catholic history known as the *Battle of Lepanto*, which took place in 1571. According to history, St. Pope Pius V called upon Christians to pray the Rosary for victory against the invading Ottoman navy. The Christians were victorious, and this triumph was attributed to the intercession of the Virgin Mary. As a result, Pope Pius V declared the Virgin Mary under the title "Our Lady of Victory," later changed to "Our Lady of the Rosary" to honour the powerful prayer used during the battle.

The Rosary is a form of prayer that involves meditating on the life of Jesus Christ through various mysteries, such as the Annunciation, the Crucifixion and the Resurrection, among others. The Rosary prayer is like telling a story about Jesus and people use beads to keep track of their prayers. It involves reciting specific prayers and reflecting on the events in the life of Jesus while asking for Mary's wisdom and guidance.

As "Our Lady of the Rosary," Mary is considered a powerful intercessor for those who seek her help through the recitation of the Rosary. Devotion to Our Lady of the Rosary is a way for Catholics to seek Mary's guidance, protection and maternal care in their lives, and to draw closer to her son, Jesus, through prayer and meditation on the mysteries of his life. The feast day of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated on October 7th each year, as a special day to remember and honour her and to remind people of the power of prayer and the love of God.

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Quotes

"Give me an army saying the Rosary, and I will conquer the world."

- Pope Blessed Pius IX

"The Rosary is the most beautiful and the most rich in graces of all prayers; it is the prayer that touches most the Heart of the Mother of God...and if you wish peace to reign in your homes, recite the family Rosary."

- Pope Saint Pius X

"The Rosary is a powerful weapon to put the demons to flight and to keep oneself from sin...If you desire peace in your hearts, in your homes, and in your country, assemble each evening to recite the Rosary. Let not even one day pass without saying it, no matter how burdened you may be with many cares and labors."

- Pope Pius XI

Prayer

In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit;

Dear Lord,

We thank You for giving us Your mother as Our Lady of the Rosary.
Help us to turn to her as our mother in all of our needs!

Our Lady of the Rosary,
you care for each of us with tender motherly love.
You wish us to truly turn to you so that you may care for us as a mother.

Please bring all of our needs before the throne of your Divine Son,
and we particularly ask today that you pray that we and all people may grow in true devotion to you!

Pray for us,
that we may make use of every help for salvation that God gives us.
Pray that we may grow in holiness and virtue each day of our lives.

Our Lady of the Rosary, pray for us!

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Patron Saint

The Holy Rosary

Prayers

Sailors

Philippines

Victory & Captives

Guatemala

Nicaragua

Brazil

Pueblo,
Colorado, USA

Braunschweig,
Germany





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FEAST DAY:

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SCHOOL LOCATION:

Concord, ON

*"Cast your care upon God for
you are His and He will not
forget you."*

- St. John XXIII

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