

Basic Catholic Litanies

Litany of the Holy Name of Jesus

V. Lord, have mercy on us.

R. *Christ, have mercy on us.*

V. Lord, have mercy on us. Jesus, hear us.

R. *Jesus, graciously hear us.*

V. God the Father of Heaven

R. *Have mercy on us.*

V. God the Son, Redeemer of the world,

R. *Have mercy on us.*

V. God the Holy Spirit,

R. *Have mercy on us.*

V. Holy Trinity, one God,

R. *Have mercy on us.*

V. Jesus, Son of the living God, R. Have mercy on us.

Jesus, splendor of the Father, [etc.]

Jesus, brightness of eternal light.

Jesus, King of glory.

Jesus, sun of justice.

Jesus, Son of the Virgin Mary.

Jesus, most amiable.

Jesus, most admirable.

Jesus, the mighty God.

Jesus, Father of the world to come.

Jesus, angel of great counsel.

Jesus, most powerful.

Jesus, most patient.

Jesus, most obedient.

Jesus, meek and humble of heart.

Jesus, lover of chastity.

Jesus, lover of us.

Jesus, God of peace.

Jesus, author of life.

Jesus, example of virtues.

Jesus, zealous lover of souls.

Jesus, our God.

Jesus, our refuge.

Jesus, father of the poor.

Jesus, treasure of the faithful.

Jesus, good Shepherd.

Jesus, true light.

Jesus, eternal wisdom.

Jesus, infinite goodness.

Jesus, our way and our life.

Jesus, joy of Angels.

Jesus, King of the Patriarchs.

Jesus, Master of the Apostles.

Jesus, teacher of the Evangelists.

Jesus, strength of Martyrs.

Jesus, light of Confessors.

Jesus, purity of Virgins.

Jesus, crown of Saints.

V. Be merciful, R. *spare us, O Jesus.*

V. Be merciful, R. *graciously hear us, O Jesus.*

V. From all evil, R. *deliver us, O Jesus.*

From all sin, *deliver us, O Jesus.*

From Thy wrath, [etc.]

From the snares of the devil.

From the spirit of fornication.

From everlasting death.

From the neglect of Thine inspirations.

Through the mystery of Thy holy Incarnation.

Through Thy Nativity.

Through Thine Infancy.

Through Thy most divine Life.

Through Thy labors.

Through Thine agony and passion.

Through Thy cross and dereliction.

Through Thy sufferings.

Through Thy death and burial.

Through Thy Resurrection.

Through Thine Ascension.

Through Thine institution of the most Holy Eucharist.

Through Thy joys.

Through Thy glory.

V. Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world,

R. *spare us, O Jesus.*

V. Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the

world,

R. *graciously hear us, O Jesus.*

V. Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world,

R. *have mercy on us, O Jesus.*

V. Jesus, hear us.

R. *Jesus, graciously hear us.*

Let us pray.

O Lord Jesus Christ, You have said, "Ask and ye shall receive, seek, and ye shall find, knock, and it shall be opened to you." Grant, we beseech Thee, to us who ask, the gift of Thy most divine love, that we may ever love Thee with our whole heart, in word and deed, and never cease praising You.

Give us, O Lord, as much a lasting fear as a lasting love of Thy Holy Name, for You, who live and are King for ever and ever, never fail to govern those whom You have solidly established in Thy love. R. Amen.

Litany to the Blessed Virgin

V. Lord, have mercy on us.

R. *Christ, have mercy on us.*

V. Lord, have mercy on us. Christ hear us.

R. *Christ, graciously hear us.*

God, the Father of Heaven: -- Have mercy on us. (repeat at end of each phrase.)

God, the Son, Redeemer of the world:

God, the Holy Spirit,

Holy Trinity, One God,

Holy Mary, -- Pray for us. (repeat at end of each phrase.)

Holy Mother of God,

Holy Virgin of virgins,

Mother of Christ,

Mother of divine grace,

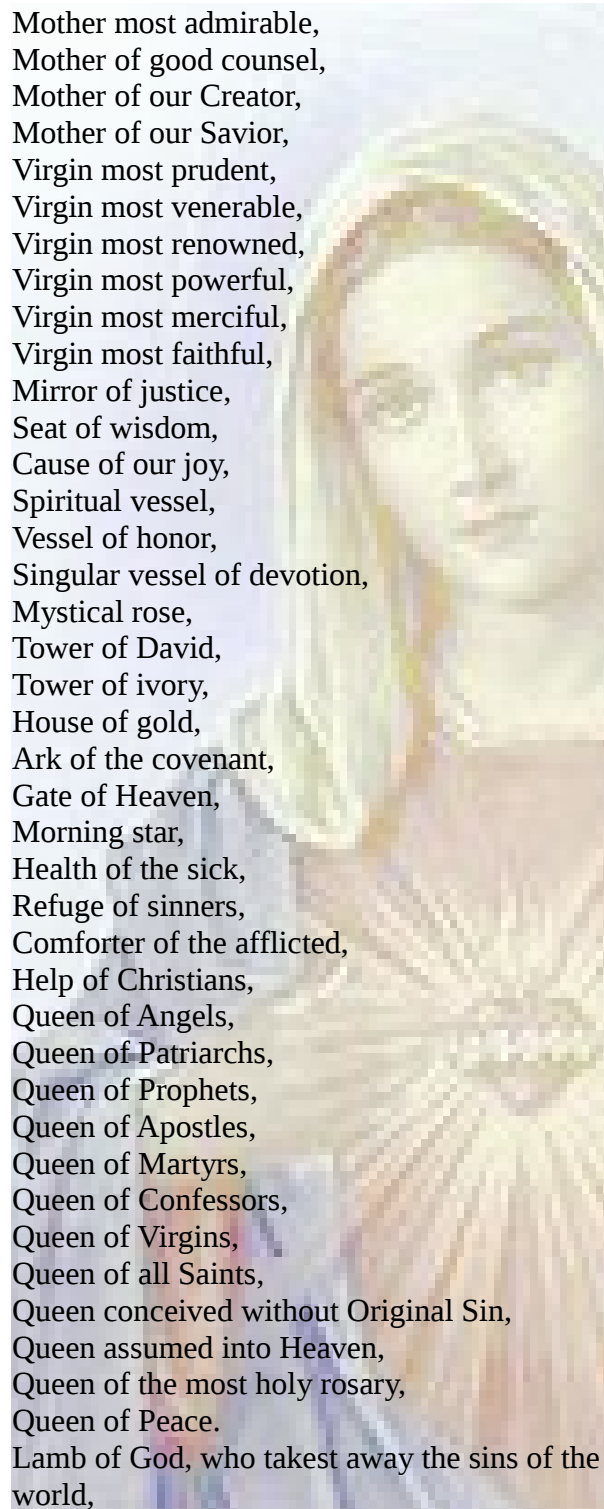
Mother most pure,

Mother most chaste,

Mother inviolate,

Mother undefiled,

Mother most amiable,



Mother most admirable,
Mother of good counsel,
Mother of our Creator,
Mother of our Savior,
Virgin most prudent,
Virgin most venerable,
Virgin most renowned,
Virgin most powerful,
Virgin most merciful,
Virgin most faithful,
Mirror of justice,
Seat of wisdom,
Cause of our joy,
Spiritual vessel,
Vessel of honor,
Singular vessel of devotion,
Mystical rose,
Tower of David,
Tower of ivory,
House of gold,
Ark of the covenant,
Gate of Heaven,
Morning star,
Health of the sick,
Refuge of sinners,
Comforter of the afflicted,
Help of Christians,
Queen of Angels,
Queen of Patriarchs,
Queen of Prophets,
Queen of Apostles,
Queen of Martyrs,
Queen of Confessors,
Queen of Virgins,
Queen of all Saints,
Queen conceived without Original Sin,
Queen assumed into Heaven,
Queen of the most holy rosary,
Queen of Peace.
Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the
world,

Spare us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the
world,
Graciously hear us O Lord.
Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the
world,
Have mercy on us.
v. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.
r. That we may be made worthy of the promises of
Christ.
Let us pray: Grant, we beseech Thee, O Lord God,
unto us Thy servants, that we may rejoice in
continual health of mind and body; and, by the
glorious intercession of blessed Mary ever Virgin,
may be delivered from present sadness, and enter
into the joy of Thine eternal gladness. Through
Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Litany of Saint Joseph

Lord, have mercy on us.
Christ, have mercy on us.
Lord, have mercy on us. Christ, hear us.
Christ, graciously hear us.
God the Father of Heaven,
Have mercy on us.
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
Have mercy on us.
God the Holy Spirit,
Have mercy on us.
Holy Trinity, One God,
Have mercy on us.
Holy Mary, pray for us .
Saint Joseph, pray for us.
Illustrious son of David, etc.
Light of the patriarchs,
Spouse of the Mother of God,
Chaste guardian of the Virgin,
Foster-father of the Son of God,
Watchful defender of Christ,
Head of the Holy Family,

Joseph most just,
Joseph most chaste,
Joseph most prudent,
Joseph most valiant,
Joseph most obedient,
Joseph most faithful,
Mirror of patience,
Lover of poverty,
Model of workmen ,
Glory of domestic life,
Guardian of virgins,
Pillar of families,
Solace of the afflicted,
Hope of the sick,
Patron of the dying,
Terror of demons,
Protector of Holy Church,
Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the
world,
Spare us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the
world,
Graciously hear us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the
world,
Have mercy on us.
V. He made him the lord of His household,
R. And prince over all His possessions.
Let Us Pray.
O God, Who in Thine ineffable providence didst
choose Blessed Joseph to be the spouse of Thy most
Holy Mother, grant that as we venerate him as our
protector on earth, we may deserve to have him as
our intercessor in Heaven, Thou Who livest and
reignest forever and ever. R. Amen.