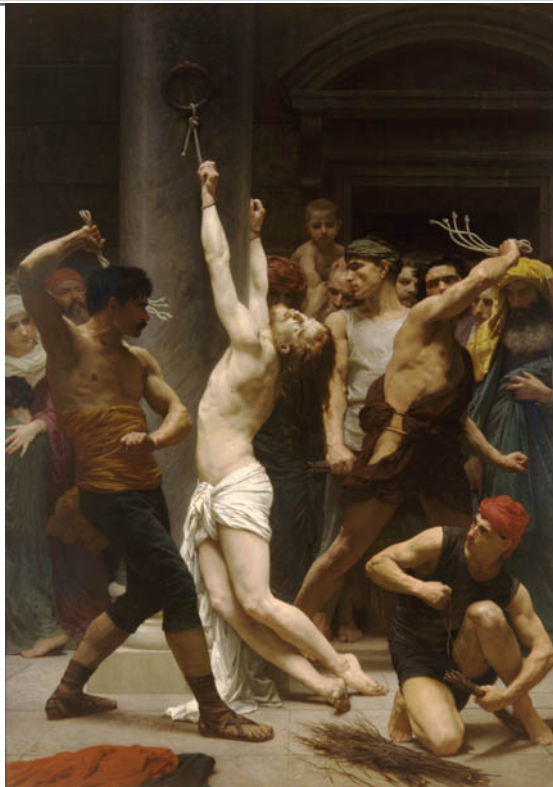


**PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!**

**THE SORROWFUL MYSTERIES**



**EVERY FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH**

**9:00 A.M.**

**SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA CATHOLIC CHURCH  
KENNESAW, GA**

## *The Rosary begins....*

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord: Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from whence He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

*Our Father, Hail Mary (3), Glory be to the Father.....*

### **1. The Agony in the Garden**

Jesus prayed, "*Abba, Father, remove this cup from Me. Yet, not what I will, but what You will.*"

As He was in agony He prayed even more earnestly and great drops of blood formed like sweat and fell on the ground.

*Intention: Let us pray to Mary that all consecrated men and women might know how to perceive the redemptive value of their sufferings in union with the sufferings of Christ.*

*Our Father, Hail Mary (10), Glory Be, O My Jesus.....*

**Send, O Lord, holy Apostles to your Church**

## **2. The Scouring at the Pillar**

The crowd shouted, "Crucify Him! Let His blood be upon us and upon our children." Pilate, wishing to satisfy the crowd, released Barabbas to them and having scourged Jesus, he delivered Him to be crucified."

*Intention: Let us pray to Mary that all consecrated persons may feel the consoling presence of Jesus in times of distress and discouragement.*

*Our Father, Hail Mary (10), Glory Be, O My Jesus.....*

**Send, O Lord, holy Apostles to your Church**

## **3. The Crowning With Thorns**

The soldiers clothed Jesus in a purple cloak, and plaiting a crown of thorns they put it on Him. "With a stick they gave him blows on the head and spat on him."

*Intention: Let us pray to Mary that priests and those who consecrate their lives to Jesus' mission may be faithful to Christ the King and to the church.*

*Our Father, Hail Mary (10), Glory Be, O My Jesus.....*

#### **4. Jesus carries His Cross on the way to Calvary**

They took Jesus and He went out, bearing His own cross, to the place called Golgotha. A man named Simon of Cyrene was pressed to carry the cross behind Jesus.

*Intention: Let us pray to Mary, our loving Mother, that young men and women who want to be Jesus' disciples may have the courage to take His cross and follow Him.*

*Our Father, Hail Mary (10), Glory Be, O My Jesus.....*

**Send, O Lord, holy Apostles to your Church**

#### **5. The Crucifixion and Death of Jesus**

There He was crucified and with Him two others. Near the cross of Jesus stood His mother. Jesus said, "*Father, into Your hands I commend My Spirit!*" And having said this, He breathed His last.

*Intention: Let us pray to Mary that all the disciples of Christ may be true witnesses of the Paschal Mystery in their lives, and may they experience at their deaths, the presence of Mary and the merciful love of God.*

*Our Father, Hail Mary (10), Glory Be, O My Jesus.....*

**Send, O Lord, holy Apostles to your Church**

## HAIL HOLY QUEEN

Hail Holy Queen, mother of mercy, 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 valley 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!

Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God, that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

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**Priest:** Lord Jesus, You said to the paralytic man, "Have courage, son, your sins are forgiven." Your words are words of life. Sorry for our sins, and confident in your mercy, as your sons and daughters, we have the courage to say:

**ALL:** Loving Jesus, You are the victim of our sins, and the salvation of those who hope in you. In the Eucharist You often remain unknown and forgotten, yet you continue to offer day and night the Sacrifice of Calvary all over the world. We intend to console You, O Lord, for the ingratitude and the indifference of so many people. O Lord, do not look at our unworthiness, but forgive our sins and be mindful of our good intention to be here to pray for good laborers for your harvest.

Priest: We need to ask you, God, for forgiveness. As we give You thanks and praise in reparation for those who offend You, we offer You our love and our lives in repentance for all sins. Let us turn in prayer to Jesus, our merciful and compassionate Lord, present in the Sacrament of the Eucharist and say:

All: Be merciful, O Sacrament Divine.

Priest: Towards those who despise Your commandments.

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For the sins of our families, relatives and friends,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For infidelities and sacrileges,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For our disobedience and infidelity to Your holy church,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For lack of courage in defending our faith,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For our laziness in reading and listening to Your Word,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: To those who are hesitant and resist the inspiration of your Divine Grace,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For our lack of cooperation in building the Christian community,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For the sins of violence and alcohol and drug abuse,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For lack of respect for the life of the unborn,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For licentiousness, public corruption and scandals,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For the injustices against the poor, marginalized and minorities,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For the violation of human rights in the world,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For our weak dedication to religious education,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For divisions and conflicts in our families

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For our lack of Christian participation in the welfare of society,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For the errors and sins of the church's leaders,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: For the faults and imperfections of priests and consecrated people in the church,

All: Be merciful O Sacrament Divine

Priest: Let us pray in adoration:

All: Lord Jesus, great is the grace we ask of You. Even though our faults are many, remember that Your mercy is greater still. Let Your grace abound over all sinfulness. Lord of the Harvest, hear us: send to us holy vocations. We ask this in faith through the intercession of Mary, Your Mother. Out of love for her and for Your glory, hear our prayers! Come, Lord, do not delay. Look upon Your Sanctuary and see how it has become deserted. Send, O Lord, Holy Apostles to your Church.

Priest: Let us Pray

Lord Jesus Christ, You gave us the Eucharist as a memorial of Your suffering and death. May our worship of this sacrament of your Body and Blood help us to experience the salvation You won for us and the peace of the kingdom, where You live with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever.

All: Amen



***“One kneels in the  
consciousness of one’s  
nothingness and rises a  
priest forever”***

*St. John Vianney*

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***“Christ has no body but yours, no hands but  
yours, no feet but yours.***

***Yours are the eyes through which Christ’s  
compassion must look upon the world.***

***Yours are the feet with which He is to go about  
doing good.***

***Yours are the hands with which He is to bless us  
now.”***

*St. Theresa of Avila*