## Prayers of the faithful

**JANUARY**

**Mary, Mother of God – Name of Jesus – Christian Unity**

Priest: United in the Name of Jesus, confident that we will be heard, let us raise our prayer to God our Father.Let us pray together and say:

**R. *In the Name of your Son, hear us, O Father.***

- For the One, Holy Church of God, may it shine brightly in the world as a sign and instrument of communion with God and with all humanity, we pray. **R.**

- For all who believe in Christ, may they overcome every kind of division, unite themselves in perfect communion and walk joyfully toward the Kingdom that is to come, we pray. **R.**

- For the great harvest of the world, may many men and women hear the cry of Christ in the poor and welcome his invitation to dedicate their lives to their brothers and sisters, we pray. **R.**

- For the spiritual sons and daughters of St. Hannibal Mary, that rediscovering the love of the Lord Jesus, they may offer every day to the Father, in his Name, the prayer to obtain holy apostles, we pray. **R.**

- For the youth, through the good example of their parents and educators, that they may grow like Jesus, in age, wisdom, and grace before God and men, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: O God, who gathers the scattered from all over the earth and keeps them united, watch kindly over your flock who implores you in the Name of Jesus. Hear and accept our prayer that all Christians, animated by one faith, may express this same love in deeds. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**FEBRUARY**

**Consecrated Life – Sequela**

Priest: Enlightened by the splendor of the Word, the first consecrated by the Father, we raise all our petitions to God who is the source of all holiness. Let us pray together and say:

**R. *O Father, hear our prayer.***

* For the holy Church of God, may she reflect the light of Christ and may appear to the men and women of today as a sublime sign of holiness and of grace, we pray. **R.**
* For all the leaders of the nations, that their decisions may always be guided by the values of justice and the concern for the poor, we pray. **R.**
* For the consecrated persons throughout the world, so that their lives may shine as an image of the Most Holy Trinity and as a sign of fraternity, we pray. **R.**
* For all Christian communities, that they may support with esteem and prayer those who have followed the Lord in the active and contemplative consecrated life, we pray. **R.**
* For the Family of the Rogate, that in the footsteps of St. Hannibal Mary, they may rekindle every day the desire to follow Christ more closely, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: O Father, you call some of your children to follow you more closely, hear our prayer: make this family of yours grow by giving her new vocations, so that the Rogate may spread throughout all the world. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**MARCH**

**Lent – Conversion – St. Joseph**

Priest: With the same faith as St. Hannibal Mary, let us present to God our Father our petitions and our desire for conversion. Let us pray together and say:

**R.**  ***Lord, convert us to you.***

* For the Church, holy but in constant need of purification, that she may become a living and authentic sign of Christ the Savior, we pray. **R.**
* For humanity, torn by wars and discord, that it may find the way back to God. May its history, marked by tears and blood, be redeemed by the peace of Christ, we pray. **R.**
* For our sick and elderly brothers and sisters, that they may live their sufferings in serenity of spirit and offer them as a sacrifice for the Rogate, we pray. **R.**
* For us who are present in this Eucharistic celebration, that following the example of St. Hannibal Mary, we may welcome each brother and sister with the gaze and compassion of Christ, we pray. **R.**
* For all the fathers, that following the example of St. Joseph, they may be caring guardians of their families, proclaiming to their children by their life and word that God is Father, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: Father of mercies, you sent your Son to untie the evil chain of our sin, through the intercession of your servant, St. Hannibal Mary, convert our hearts and make our lives a sign and instrument of your compassion for humanity. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**APRIL**

**Easter Season – Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen and Mother of the Rogate –**

**World Day of Prayer for Vocations**

Priest: To Christ, the Good Shepherd, risen for our salvation, we address our confident prayer, that his compassion may spread to the ends of the earth through his gift of holy apostles. Let us pray and say:

**R. *Send, O Lord, laborers into your harvest.***

* For the Church, that she may become for us today a living witness of the Risen Christ and a seed of hope for suffering humanity, we pray. **R.**
* For the Holy Father N., that strengthened by the Spirit of the Lord, he may continue to be a faithful witness to the Risen Christ, we pray. **R.**
* For young people, that they may be attracted by the beauty of Christ and choose to serve God in their brothers and sisters, we pray. **R.**
* For all the people of the world, that the Lord may send for them many and holy apostles, men and women of the beatitudes, so that nothing may hinder their love for God and neighbor, we pray. **R.**
* For the spiritual children of St. Hannibal Mary, that faithful to their mission, they may be a living prayer to obtain laborers for the harvest and a convincing sign of Christ’s compassion for the weary and abandoned crowds, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: Lord Jesus Christ, you always intercede for us. Graciously hear our prayer and present it to the Father in your Name, so that your Church may never lack good evangelical laborers. You who live and reign forever and ever. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**MAY**

**Pentecost – Virgin Mary –**

**Anniversary of the Canonization of St. Hannibal Mary Di Francia**

Priest: Turning our gaze to the Virgin Mary, the woman overshadowed by the Holy Spirit, let us address our prayers to the Heavenly Father, that through her intercession, he may hear and grant our prayers. Let us pray together and say:

**R. *Through the intercession of Mary, grant us your Spirit, O Lord.***

* For the Church, so that following the example of Mary, the humble servant of the Lord, she may know how to offer to the world of today a credible witness to the Gospel and a sincere service to the poor and the marginalized, we pray. **R.**
* For the leaders of the nations, that they may allow themselves to be guided by the Holy Spirit and that their decisions may be inspired by love and respect for all, by promoting justice and peace among peoples, we pray. **R.**
* For all those who work in schools, so that they may collaborate with parents in the work of human, civic, and Christian formation of young people, we pray. **R.**
* For our communities, that contemplating the Virgin Mary with the Apostles in the Cenacle, they may be zealous and united in prayer to obtain for the Church new vocations to the priestly, religious, and missionary life, we pray. **R.**
* For the members of the Family of the Rogate, that grateful to the Lord for the glorification of St. Hannibal Mary, they may imitate his spirit of prayer and active charity, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: O Father, who in the fullness of time looked upon the humility of the Virgin Mary, send forth your Spirit for a new Pentecost, so that the world may be filled with holy and numerous apostles for your Kingdom. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**JUNE**

**Sacred Heart – St. Hannibal Mary – St. Anthony of Padua**

Priest: Strengthened by the witness of St. Hannibal Mary, an outstanding Apostle of prayer for vocations and a true Father of the orphans and of the poor, let us open our hearts to faith as we call upon God our Father. Let us pray together and say:

**R. *Through the intercession of St. Hannibal Mary, hear us, O Father.***

* For the Holy Church of God, that she may reveal to the world the unfathomable riches of the Heart of Christ, we pray. **R.**
* For the Pope and all the ministers of the Gospel, that in their service to the people of God, they may be witnesses to the compassion of the Heart of Jesus, a burning furnace of charity, we pray. **R.**
* For those who work to alleviate human suffering, that following the example of St. Hannibal Mary, they may know how to honor and love Christ who is present in the least and in the suffering, we pray. **R.**
* For Christian families, that they may be schools of love that foster in their children the vocation to the priestly, religious, and missionary life, we pray. **R.**
* For the Rogationists and the Daughters of Divine Zeal, that they may always be grateful to the Lord for the providence they receive through the intercession of St. Anthony of Padua. May they return this great love with a faithful and humble life, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: O God, our Father, who in St. Hannibal Mary has given us an authentic model of evangelical holiness, grant that through his intercession, we may always remain ever faithful to your Son Jesus, and to strive with all our strength for the spread of your Kingdom. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**JULY**

**Eucharist – First of July – Our Lady of Mt. Carmel**

Priest: As we celebrate this Eucharist, the wedding feast of Christ and his Church, let us confidently raise our prayer to God our Father. Let us pray together and say:

**R. *Remain with us, Lord.***

* For the Church, the Bride of Christ, may she learn from the Eucharist to follow her Master in love, up to the point of total self-giving, we pray. **R.**
* For those who are discerning to choose the priestly and religious life: may they allow themselves to be formed and sanctified by the mystery of the Eucharist, the source of every vocation, we pray. **R.**
* For the poor of the world, that they may be helped and sustained by the evangelical laborers, we pray. **R.**
* For all of us gathered around this Table, that following the teachings of St. Hannibal Mary and following his admirable example, we may fall in love with Jesus Christ every day and serve him in the least and in the poor, we pray. **R.**
* For the spiritual children of St. Hannibal Mary, that they may know how to remember their history and be able to draw from the Eucharist the meaning of their existence and mission, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: O Father, who in the Eucharist, recounts and brings to fulfillment the history of our salvation, hear our prayers and grant us a heart full of wonder at your gifts. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**AUGUST**

**Vocations – Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Priest: Let us confidently invoke our heavenly Father, that he may always provide his Church with good evangelical laborers. Let us pray together and say:

**R. *Send, O Lord, holy laborers into your harvest.***

* For the Pope, bishops, priests, and deacons, that they may live their holy ministry with total dedication and joy, we pray, **R.**
* For those who have responsibilities in politics and government, that they may pursue the common good with respect for the rights and dignity of every person, especially the poor and the suffering, we pray. **R.**
* For the consecrated laity who live their daily experience in the service of the human community: that the Lord may make them joyful heralds and witnesses of the Gospel in the world, we pray. **R.**
* For the harvest of the Lord, that the Spirit may raise up many and holy laborers of the Gospel, men and women who are totally dedicated to the cause of the Kingdom, we pray. **R.**
* For the members of the Family of the Rogate, that following the example of St. Hannibal Mary, they may experience the maternal presence of the Virgin Mary, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: O Father of all goodness, look how great is your harvest. Through the intercession of St. Hannibal Mary, send the evangelical laborers that it so desperately needs. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**SEPTEMBER**

**Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary – St. Michael, the Archangel –**

**Education, Charitable works for the little ones**

Priest: With the confidence and freedom of children, let us present our prayers to God, our Father. Let us pray and say together:

**R. *Help your people, Lord.***

* For the Church, that she may fulfill its mission in the world of education in the values of truth, justice, and peace, we pray. **R.**
* For Christian families, that they may be true schools of education for life and promote the vocation of their children, we pray. **R.**
* For the parents, educators, catechists, and all those who work in the demanding mission of human and Christian education, that they may be signs of Jesus’ tenderness for the young, we pray. **R.**
* For our communities, that Marian devotion may always flourish in them, following the shining example of St. Hannibal Mary, who on the eve of his *transitus* from this life, was comforted by the vision of the most Holy Child Mary, the *Bambinella*, we pray. **R.**
* For the Rogationists, the Daughters of Divine Zeal, and the laity who share in the charism of the Rogate, that they may learn how to imitate the example of St. Hannibal Mary, who saw and venerated the Lord Jesus in the person of the poor and the suffering, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: Lord our God, who in your Son Jesus revealed to us your compassion for the little ones and the poor, grant the wisdom of heart to those who work in this mission. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**OCTOBER**

**Holy Rosary – Missions – World Mission Day**

Priest: Let us raise our fervent prayer to God, the Almighty Father, who desires the salvation of all and calls them to the perfect knowledge of the Truth. Let us pray together and say:

**R. *Lord of the harvest, hear us.***

* For the holy Church of God, that faithful to her mission, may she always share in the joy and hope of humanity, we pray. **R.**
* For priests and consecrated persons, that fervent in praying the Rosary and in following in the footsteps of Mary, may they learn to offer themselves in the service of the Gospel and nourish the missionary spirit in their hearts, we pray. **R.**
* For all peoples who experience the tragedy of war and social injustice, that the Lord may calm down the conflicts and inspire legislators and leaders to seek peaceful solutions that respect the dignity of every person, we pray. **R.**
* For the missionaries, that through the intercession of St. Hannibal Mary and sustained by the prayer and solidarity of the Christian community, they may become true announcers and witnesses of the saving love of Christ, we pray. **R.**
* For us consecrated to the Rogate, that we may faithfully follow in the footsteps of our Holy Founder on the path of holiness and be docile to his teachings, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: O God, who established your Church as a universal sacrament of salvation, accept our prayers. Awaken the heart of every believer to understand the urgency of the missionary vocation. Grant that all the peoples of the world may become one family and that a new humanity may be formed in Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**NOVEMBER**

**All Saints Day – Commemoration of the Faithful Departed –**

**World Day of Cloistered Life – Christ, the King – World Day of the Poor**

Priest: As another Liturgical Year draws to a close, let us raise our prayer to God, the beginning and the end of history. Let us pray and say together:

**R. *O Father, grant us life in Christ.***

* For the pilgrim Church on earth, which in the Saints celebrates the Paschal Mystery of the Lord, may she one day share with them the unending joy of the liturgy of heaven, we pray. **R.**
* For all those who strive to alleviate both the material and spiritual sufferings of their brothers and sisters, that imitating St. Hannibal Mary, they may recognize in them the face of Christ, we pray. **R.**
* For cloistered communities, that faithful to their vocation, they may be living witnesses of hope and shine as a sign of the coming of the eternal Kingdom before the fleeting reality of the world, we pray. **R.**
* For us who participate in this Eucharist, that we may commit ourselves to love Christ above all things by letting him reign in our hearts, we pray. **R.**
* For all the departed who have fallen asleep in the hope of the resurrection, that they may be received into the light of the eternal beatitudes, we pray, **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: Almighty and eternal God, hear our prayer and recognize in the voice of your Son, the King of the universe, the voices of your children who cry out to you, in the hope of being heard. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayers of the faithful

**DECEMBER**

**Advent – Immaculate Conception – Christmas**

Priest: To God our Father, who gives us the gift of celebrating the Advent of his Son, let us raise our prayer to him with confidence. Let us pray together and say:

**R. *Come, Lord Jesus.***

* For the holy Church, that she may always know how to bear witness that her expectations and hopes are fixed in God, we pray. **R.**
* For all Christian communities who await the Advent of the Lord, that they may live this moment by filling their lamps with the oil of love, we pray. **R.**
* For the baptized, that they may recognize in the Immaculate Virgin Mary their vocation to be holy and immaculate in charity, we pray. **R.**
* For all families, that they may model their lives on the example of the Holy Family of Nazareth, that welcomed and treasured the Word of God, we pray. **R.**
* For the sons and daughters of St. Hannibal Mary, that they may contemplate the mystery of Christmas with the same wonder and faith as did their Founder, and witness to the world the mystery of the Incarnation, we pray. **R.**

*Other special intentions may be added.*

Priest: O Father, look upon your family as they wait in faith for the coming of your Son and their Redeemer, that they may help transform this world in justice and peace. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.