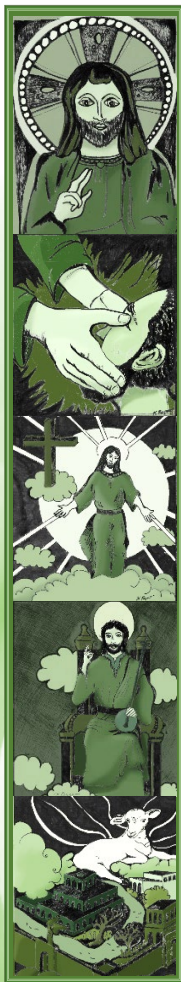


Scriptural Rosary

THE COMFORTING MYSTERIES

The Kingdom of Jesus
The Life and Work of Jesus
in the Church
The Second Advent
The Last Judgment
The Final Consummation



The Life and Work of Jesus in the Church



The Second Comforting Mystery

Work of Jesus – Son of David, have mercy!

Fruit: Faith / Healing / Sight of the soul

Our Father...

1. Behold, by the way sat a blind beggar, / Bartimaeus, the son of Timaeus. *Mt 20:30; Mk 10:46*
Hail Mary...

2. When he heard the crowd going by, he asked what was happening? / They told him, Jesus of Nazareth is passing by. *Lk 18:36-37*
Hail Mary...

3. And he cried out: Jesus, Son of David, / have mercy on me! *Lk 18:38; Mk 10:47* Hail Mary...

4. And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent. / But he cried out all the more: Son of David, have mercy on me! *Mk 10:48* Hail Mary...

5. Jesus stopped and said: Call him. / They called the blind man, saying to him: Take heart, get up, he is calling you. *Mk 10:49*
Hail Mary...

6. And throwing off his cloak, / he sprang up and came to Jesus. *Mk 10:50* Hail Mary...

7. Jesus asked him: What do you want me to do for you? / The blind man answered: Lord, that I may see. *Lk 18:40-41* Hail Mary...

8. And Jesus, moved within, touched his eyes and said: / Be seeing! Go! Your faith has healed you. *Mt 20:34; Mk 10:52; Lk 18:42* Hail Mary...

9. Immediately he could see, and followed Jesus, glorifying God. / And all the people, when they saw it, gave praise to God. *Lk 18:43* Hail Mary...

10. For from the Most High comes healing, / and from the King he receives a gift. *Sir 38:2*
Hail Mary...

Glory be...

God bestows His healing mercy: In this, distinguish healing and healing miracles. The same power works, but with different speed, perhaps with different depth. Often it is a growing process of asking and believing, a way to mature in faith and to take hold of the divine working (again and again).

The healings in the Gospels always have a spiritual meaning: Jesus heals from the leprosy of sin, from the fever of the passions, makes us see for the true faith, awakens us from the eternal death of the remoteness from God.

Dear Friend of the Rosary Prayer!

(or he or she who would like to become one...)

Let yourself be sheltered in the motherly heart of Mary and immerse yourself in flowing streams of loving contemplation. With every Hail Mary, the words of God are planted in your heart. Live with Mary through the word that comes from the mouth of God!



The rosary has always been an essentially contemplative prayer. We interweave the contemplation of the mysteries of salvation with the prayers we recite. This Scriptural Rosary aims to be a humble effort to make this contemplation easier. According to ancient custom, each mystery – bead by bead – is connected with an inspiring biblical passage and all are integrated into a fruitful praying of the rosary.

"Everyone is very pleased with it in our prayer group. The Scriptural Rosary is just 'awesome!'" Alois

"With the Scriptural Rosary I consciously take time for prayer and I confront the truths about Jesus. Through the Hail Mary I let myself be carried through the bible passages." Maria

How do I pray the Scriptural Rosary?

The *Lord's Prayer* is prayed first.

Before each *Hail Mary* the respective biblical quotation is read.

The Hail Marys are prayed *without an insertion*.

While you pray, let the words of the biblical reflection resonate in your mind, imagine the scene vividly, and think about its meaning. Proceed thus, bead by bead.

When praying the rosary in a *group*, it is recommended that a prayer leader reads the scripture passages, and the group pray the Hail Mary in turns. You can also pray the Scriptural Rosary as an *alternating prayer* as is customary with the Angel of the Lord. Each biblical quotation consists of two parts separated by a slash "/". The first part can be read by the prayer leader and the second part by the group.

As an *alternative prayer option*, single biblical quotations can be chosen more often, while others are omitted. Or, as another alternative, the quotations may be read before the decade.

Intention for a spiritual fruit

Before each decade, one specific spiritual fruit should be requested. This fruit focuses concretely on your own conversion and spiritual growth.

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