Divine Mercy Novena

HOLY SATURDAY



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You can learn how to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet at **www.LentenAdventure.com** and join us for the second day of the Divine Mercy novena which Our Lord asked Saint Faustina to encourage.

Here is the intention Jesus gave Saint Faustina for this second day of the novena:

"Today bring to Me the souls of priests and religious and immerse them in My unfathomable mercy."



Here is a prayer that Jesus gave Saint Faustina that we can use for this intention:

Most Merciful Jesus, from whom comes all that is good, increase Your grace in men and women consecrated to Your service, that they may perform worthy works of mercy; and that all who see them may glorify the Father of Mercy who is in heaven.

Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the company of chosen ones in Your vineyard—upon the souls of priests and religious; and endow them with the strength of Your blessing. For the love of the Heart of Your Son in which they are enfolded, impart to them Your power and light, that they may be able to guide others in the way of salvation and with one voice sing praise to Your boundless mercy for ages without end. Amen.

To learn more about the Divine Mercy Novena and Chaplet, contact: Congregation of Marians of the Immaculate Conception, Stockbridge, MA 01263—www.marian.org





Although Jesus' followers do not know what to expect, in their hearts they still have faith in God. So, the Apostles gather together in the Upper Room for the Sabbath. The women agree to go back to the tomb after the Sabbath to anoint Jesus' body. And Jesus' enemies also do not know what to expect, so they set a guard around the tomb. What a wonderful surprise God has in store for them all Easter Sunday!

Coloring Activity

EASTER VIGIL



The EASTER VIGIL is the high point of the Triduum!

During the Easter Vigil Mass, the priest will prepare the **Paschal Candle** and light it from a new fire, then everyone will light their candles! **We are celebrating Jesus Christ as the light of the world!**



You can get everything you need to make your own Paschal Candle out of real beeswax, then light it at home all through the 50 days of Easter! Get the kit at **HolyHeroes.com**.



Prepare your Paschal Candle

At the Easter Vigil Mass, the priest will say and do certain things to prepare the Paschal Candle to be lighted. You can do these things to the candle drawing on the right ... then "light it" by coloring in the flame.

The Priest sa	ys this	
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You do this ...

"Christ yesterday and today"	trace the vertical dashed line	
"The Beginning and the End"	trace the horizontal dashed line	
"The Alpha"	trace the letter A (alpha)	
"And the Omega"	trace the letter Ω (omega)	
"All time belongs to Him"	write the 1st numeral of the current year	
"And all the ages"	write the 2nd numeral	
"To Him be glory and power"	write the 3rd numeral	
"Through every age and for ever. Amen."	write the 4th numeral	
He will then insert 5 grains of incense into the candle to form a cross		
"By His Holy"	color the #1 diamond RED	
"And glorious wounds"	color the #2 diamond RED	
"May Christ the Lord"	color the #3 diamond RED	
"Guard us"	color the #4 diamond RED	
"And protect us. Amen."	color the #5 diamond RED	
	"Light the candle" by coloring the flame	

