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# Divine Mercy Chaplet

Prayer Printable and Quick Guide for Personal or Group Devotion

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## What this printable includes

- A simple step-by-step guide to pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy
- The opening prayers, core responses, and closing prayer
- A short 3 o'clock mercy prayer for daily devotion
- A clean layout you can print for church, home, or prayer groups

## How to use it

Keep this guide beside your Bible or rosary so prayer feels simple and accessible. You can use it on Divine Mercy Sunday, during a Holy Hour, at 3 o'clock, or anytime you want to turn your heart back to the mercy of Jesus.

Best time to pray	Good option
Divine Mercy Sunday	Pray the full chaplet after Mass, during adoration, or with family
Daily devotion	Pray one chaplet, one decade, or a short mercy prayer
3 o'clock hour	Pause to remember the sorrowful Passion of Christ
Prayer group or parish	Use as a shared printable with a leader and responses

## Quick start

Begin slowly. The chaplet is meant to help you trust Jesus, not rush through words. If you are new to it, follow the steps below and let the repeated prayers carry you into a calm and prayerful rhythm.

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# How to Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet

A simple bead-by-bead guide

## 1. Make the Sign of the Cross

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

## 2. Optional Opening Prayers

*You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.*

*Repeat three times:*

*O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fount of mercy for us, I trust in You!*

## 3. Our Father

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.*

## 4. Hail Mary

*Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.*

## 5. Apostles' Creed

*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 rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will 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.*

## 6. On each large bead

*Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.*

## 7. On each of the ten small beads

For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

## 8. Repeat for all five decades

Pray the Eternal Father on each large bead, then the mercy prayer on the ten small beads that follow.

## 9. Conclude three times

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

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## 10. Optional Closing Prayer

*Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself. Amen.*

## 3 O'Clock Mercy Prayer

*Lord Jesus, at this hour of mercy I remember Your sorrowful Passion and the love You poured out for the whole world. Have mercy on me, on my loved ones, and on all who need healing, forgiveness, peace, and hope. Jesus, I trust in You. Amen.*

## Printable ideas

<b>For personal prayer</b>	Keep one copy in your Bible, journal, or prayer corner.
<b>For family devotion</b>	Print extra copies so everyone can follow the responses together.
<b>For parish use</b>	Use as a handout for a Holy Hour, Divine Mercy Sunday, or adoration service.
<b>For beginners</b>	Highlight steps 6, 7, and 9 so the repeated parts are easy to find quickly.

## Closing note

This printable is designed as a clean devotional guide. You can print it as-is or save it for easy access on your phone or tablet during prayer time.