We begin:

We turn to the Lord,

who is truly risen from the dead so that we may know the joys of eternal life.

'It will be said on that day, "Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the Lord; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation". Isaiah 25:9



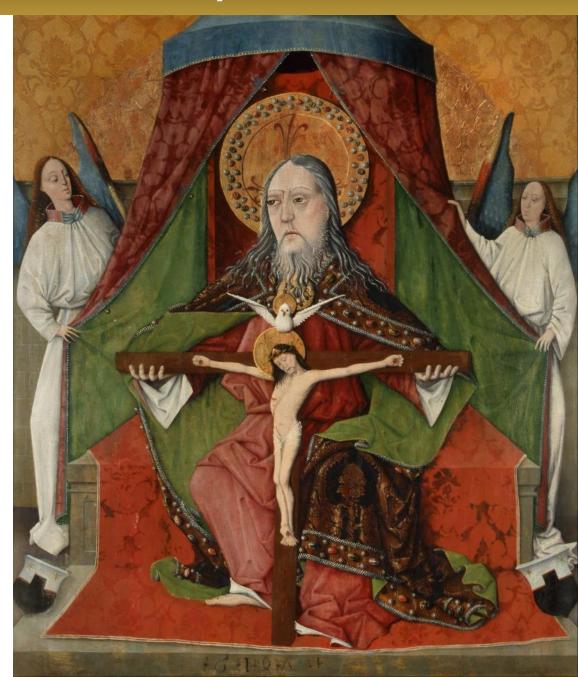
Christ glorified in the court of heaven, Fra Angelico, 1423-4, National Gallery, London



The 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 Holy Trinity, Unknown Artist, 1471, Central Panel from the High Altar of and life everlasting. Amen

the Trinity Church, Mosóc, Hungarian National Gallery



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.

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Be vigilant, stand firm in the faith, be brave and strong. Let everything you do be done in love. 1 Corinthians 16:13,14

For an increase in faith we pray:

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**

> > Madonna of Humility, Fra Angelico, 1433-1435, Museu Nacional d'Art de Catelunya, Barcelona



Not only that; let us exult, too, in our hardships, understanding that hardship develops perseverance, and perseverance develops a tested character, something that gives us hope, and a hope which will not let us down, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given to us.

Romans 5:3-5

For an increase in hope we pray:

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As it is, these remain:

faith, hope and love, the three of them;

and the greatest of them is love.

1 Corinthians 13:13

For an increase in charity we pray:

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Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

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The Most Holy Trinity, Nicolò Semitecolo, c.1370 Padova, Museo Diocesano, Padua Italy

The First Glorious Mystery – the Resurrection of Jesus Christ

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He will swallow up death for ever; and the Lord God will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the Lord has spoken.

Isaiah 25:8

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**

The Resurrection (detail), Mantego, 1459, right hand predella panel, Altarpiece of St Zeno of Verona



But the angel said to the women,

'Do not be afraid,

for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay.' Matthew 28:5,6

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> > Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. **Amen**

Resurrection of Christ and Women at the Tomb, Fra Angelico, 1440, Cell 8, Convent of San Marco, Florence Italy



Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you seeking?'

Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.'

John 20:15

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

> > Noli Me Tangere, Fra Angelico, 1440, Cell 1, Convent of San Marco, Florence Italy



Jesus said to her, 'Mary' She turned and said to him in Aramaic, 'Rabboni!' (which means Teacher). John 20:16

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"Christ Appears to Mary Magdalene as a Gardener" (detail), ca. 1503–1504, England. Fol. 134v, Vaux Passional (Peniarth 482D), National Library of Wales



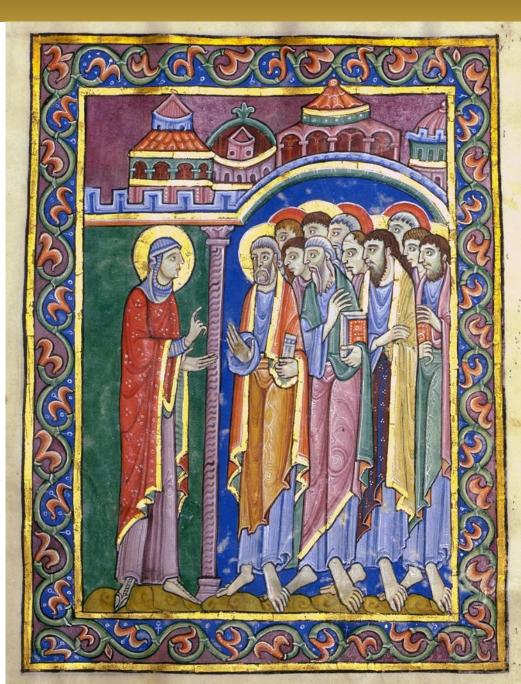
Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'.

John 20:18

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> > Mary Magdalene announces the Risen Christ, St Albans Psalter, 12th Century



That very day two of them were going to a village named Emmaus... While they were talking and discussing together, Jesus himself drew near and went with them. But their eyes were kept from recognizing him.

Luke 24:13-16

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Christ's appearance to the two disciples journeying to Emmaus, 1835, John Linnell, the Ashmolean Museum, Oxford



When he was at table with them, he took the bread and blessed and broke it and gave it to them. And their eyes were opened, and they recognized him. And he vanished from their sight. They said to each other, 'Did not our hearts burn within us while he talked to us on the road, while he opened to us the Scriptures?'

Luke 24:30-33

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> > Supper at Emmaus, Pontormo, 1525, Uffizi Gallery, Florence



On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' John 20:19

> 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

> > The Saviour blesses the Four Apostles, Vittore Carpaccio, 1480, Fondazione Sorlini



Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe.' Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' John 20:27,28

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> > Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen

> > > The incredulity of St Thomas, Caravaggio, 1601, Sanssouci Picture Gallery, Berlin



Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?' John 11:25,26

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> > > Christ and Child, Carl Bloch, 1873, Skt. Nikolai Kirke, Holbaek, DK



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PRAYING THE ROSARY WITH SCRIPTURE – Glorious Mystery of the Ascension

The Second Glorious Mystery – the Ascension of Jesus Christ

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.

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You kingdoms of the earth, sing to God, praise the Lord who rides on the heavens.... Come, acknowledge the power of God. His glory is on Israel; his might is in the skies. Psalm 68 (67):33-35

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

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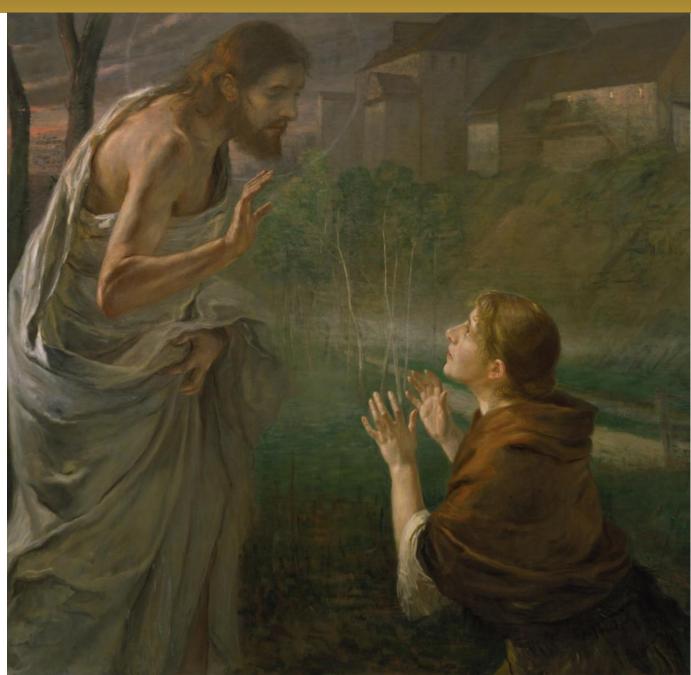
Jesus said to her, "Do not cling to me, for I have not yet ascended to the Father; but go to my brothers and say to them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God."

John 20: 17

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> Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen

> > Noli me tangere (1894), Fritz von Uhde, Neue Pinakothek, Munich



Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. And when they saw him they worshipped him, but some doubted.

Matthew 28:16,17

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

Christ Appearing to the Apostles after the Resurrection (detail), Szymon Czechowicz, 1758, National Museum in Krakow



And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me... And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.' Matthew 28:18,20

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

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> Christ Appearing to the Apostles after the Resurrection, William Blake, 1795-1805, Yale Center for British Art

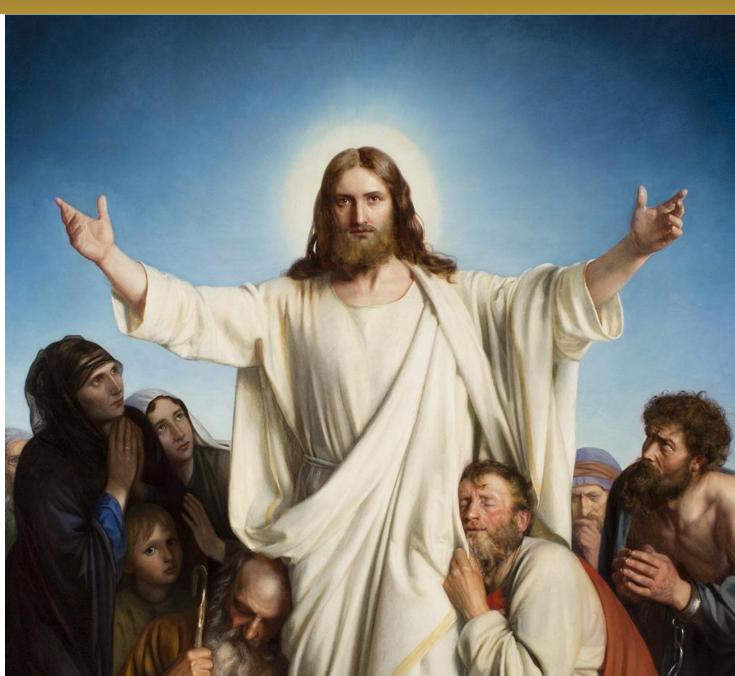


Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. Matthew 28:19,20

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> > Christus Consolator (detail), Carl Heinrich Bloch, 1834-1890, Brigham Young University of Art

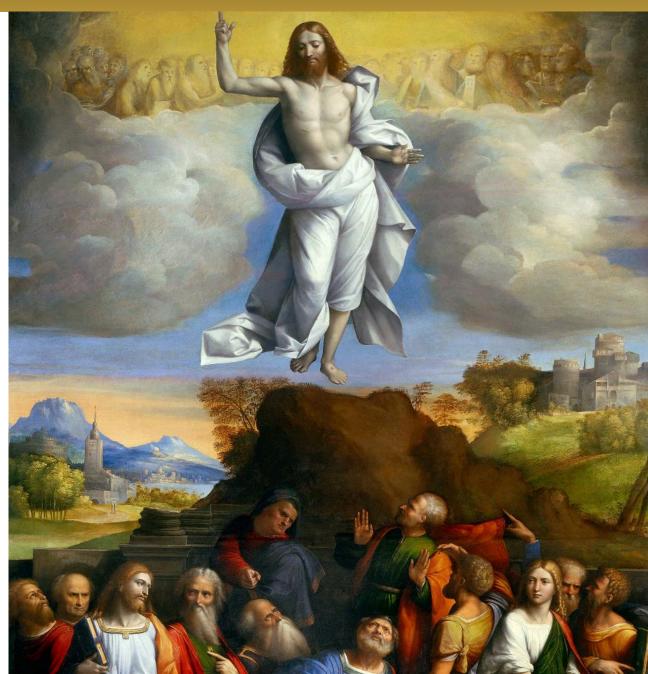


As they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. Acts 1:9

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> > > Ascension of Christ (detail), Garofalo (1510-20), Galleria Naxionale d'Arte Antica, Rome



'Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into heaven? This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.' Acts 1:10,11

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Ascensione, Bottega di Domenico Ghirlandaio, 1450, Antifonario Edili 148 f. 47v. Biblioteca Medicea Laurenziana



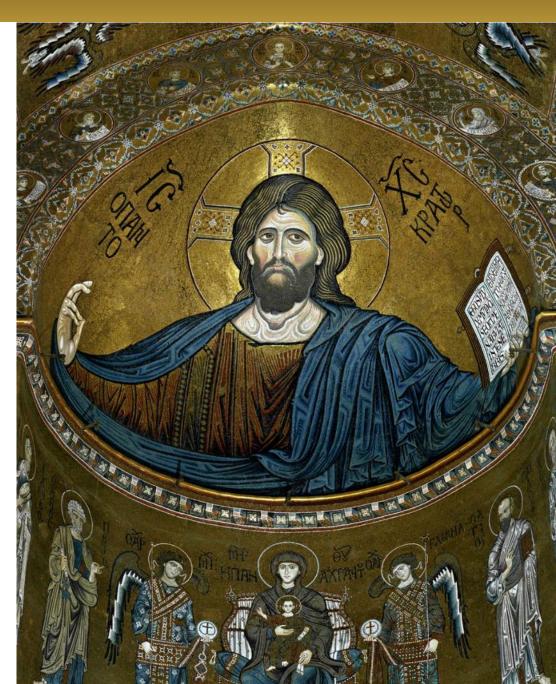
May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, give you a spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him. And he put all things under his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, which is his body.

Ephesians 1:17,22,23

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> > Christ Pantocrator, Monreale Cathedral, 12th Century, Sicily

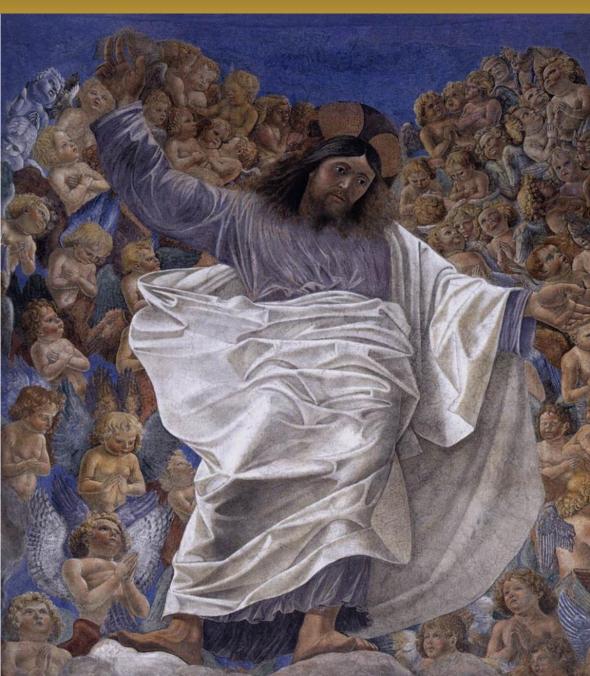


God has gone up with shouts of joy. The Lord goes up with trumpet blast. Sing praise for God; sing praise! Sing praise to our king; sing praise! Psalm 47 (46):6,7

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> > > Triumphant Christ, Melozzo de Forli, 1481-3, Quirinal Palace, Rome



And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. And you know the way to where I am going. John 14: 3,4

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The third Glorious Mystery – the descent of the Holy Spirit

'Come, let us build ourselves a city and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves...' The LORD dispersed them from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city. Therefore its name was called Babel, because there the LORD confused the language of all the earth.

Genesis 11:4,8,9

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Tower of Babel (detail), Tobias Verhaecht, 1560-1631, Norfolk Museums Service



The third Glorious Mystery – the descent of the Holy Spirit

Thus says the Lord God to these bones: Behold, I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. Ezekial 37:5

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Vision des Ezechiel von der Auferst hung der Gebeine, Ol auf Leinwant, 17th century, Dorotheum



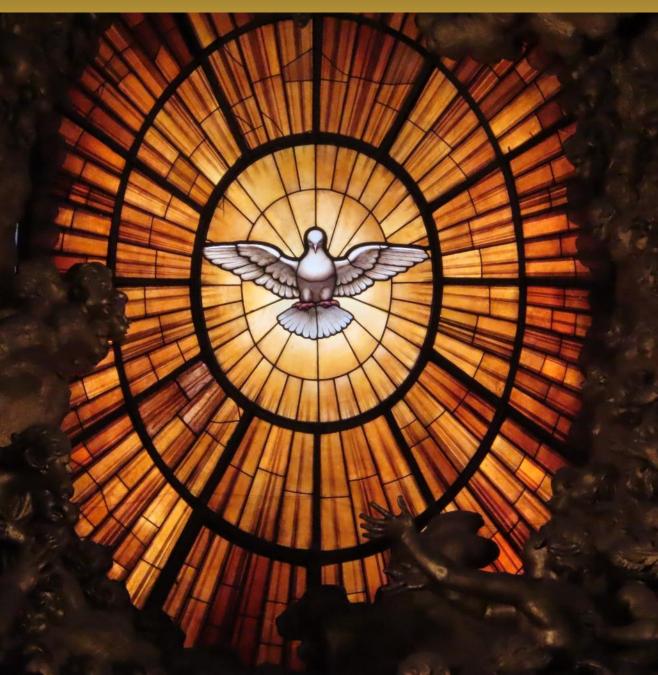
When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting.

Acts 2:1,2

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> > Dove of the Holy Spirit, St Peter's Basilica Apse, Rome, photo by P La Trobe



And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance. Acts 2:3,4

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> > *Pentecost showing the Virgin surrounded by 12 apostles, Simon Marmion, 1480s, Fitzwilliam Museum, Cambridge*



And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?'

Acts 2:6,12

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> > St Peter Preaching, Masolino da Panicale, 1426, Brancacci Chapel, Florence



For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body - Jews or Greeks, slaves or free - and all were made to drink of one Spirit. 1 Corinthians 12:13

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> > > The Baptism of Christ (detail), Paolo Veronese, 1448-1450, National Gallery, London

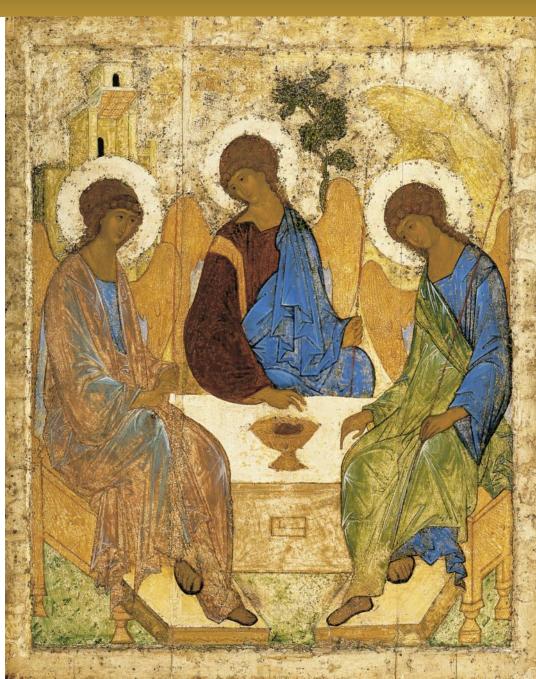


When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth. John 16:13

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The Trinity, the angels at Mambre, Andrei Rublev, 1411, Tretyakov Gallery, Moscow

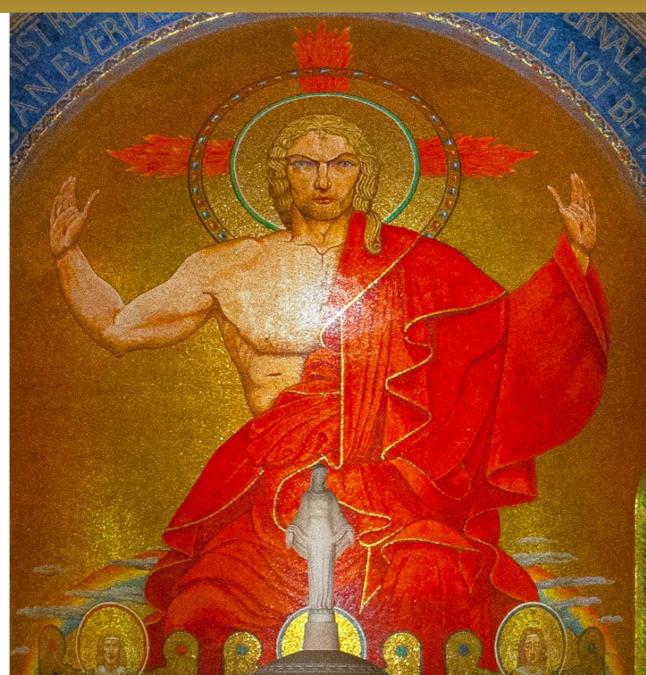


[Jesus] breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld.' John 20:22,23

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Christ in Majesty, detail, Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Washington



Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. Romans 8:26

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When we meet Christ in the Blessed Sacrament we are confident that His prayer for us reaches Heaven, Elizabeth Wang, T-00928B-OL, radiantlight.org.uk



But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit.

Galatians 5:22,23,25

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> The Seven Acts of Mercy, Pieter Brueghel the Younger, 1564-1637, National Museum of Ancient Art, Lisbon, Portugal



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PRAYING THE ROSARY WITH SCRIPTURE – Glorious Mystery of the Assumption

The fourth Glorious Mystery – the Assumption of Mary

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I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel.

Genesis 3:15

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The tree of death and the wood of life, The Salzburg Missal, 1478-89, Manuscript (Clm 15708-712, 5 volumes, Bayerische Staatsbibliothek, Munich



Then God's temple in heaven was opened, and the ark of his covenant was seen within his temple. There were flashes of lightning, rumblings, peals of thunder, an earthquake, and heavy hail. Revelation 11:19

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> > > Virgin and Child, mosaic, Hagia Sophia



Your hope will never depart from the hearts of men, as they remember the power of God. Judith 13:19

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> > > The Annunciation, Gerard David, 1506, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York



And Mary said, 'My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour, for he has looked on the humble estate of his servant. For behold, from now on all generations will call me blessed; for he who is mighty has done great things for me, and holy is his name.' Luke 1:46-49

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> > Assumption of the Virgin, Palma Vecchio, 1512, Gallerie dell'Accademia, Venice, Italy



As he said these things, a woman in the crowd raised her voice and said to him, 'Blessed is the womb that bore you, and the breasts at which you nursed! But he said, 'Blessed rather are those who hear the word of God and keep it!'

Luke 11:27,28

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> > The Virgin Mary Reading, Antonello da Messina, 1460, Walters Art Museum, Baltimore, USA



Who is this who looks down like the dawn beautiful as the moon, bright as the sun, awesome as an army with banners?

Song of Solomon 6:10

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> > Our Lady of China, National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Washington



She was pregnant and was crying out in birth pains and the agony of giving birth. And another sign appeared in heaven: behold, a great red dragon... And the dragon stood before the woman who was about to give birth, so that when she bore her child he might devour it.

Revelation 12:2-4

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The Immaculate Conception, Giovanni Battista Tiepolo, 1767, Museo del Prado, Madrid



She gave birth to a male child, one who is to rule all the nations with a rod of iron, but her child was caught up to God and to his throne. Revelation 12:5

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> > > Reliquary Tabernacle, Fra Angelico, 1430, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Boston



And I heard a loud voice in heaven, saying, 'Now the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ have come.'

Revelation 12:10

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> > Assumption of the Virgin (detail), Vecellio Tiziano, 1516-18, Santa Maria Gloriosa dei Frari, Venice



Father, I desire that they also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory that you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. John 17:24

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The Assumption of the Virgin Mary (detail), Francesco Botticini, 1475, National Gallery, London



The first Glorious Mystery – the Assumption of Mary

Glory Be

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. **Amen**



The Most Holy Trinity, Nicolò Semitecolo, c.1370 Padova, Museo Diocesano, Padua Italy

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PRAYING THE ROSARY WITH SCRIPTURE – Glorious Mystery of the Coronation

The Fifth Glorious Mystery – the Coronation of Mary, Queen of Heaven and Earth

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**

> The Heavenly and Earthly Trinities, Bartolome Esteban Murillo, 1617-1682, National Gallery, London



Your shoots are an orchard of pomegranates with all choicest fruits, henna with nard, nard and saffron, calamus and cinnamon, with all trees of frankincense, myrrh and aloes, with all choice spices - a garden fountain, a well of living water, and flowing streams from Lebanon. Song of Songs 4:13-15

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Polyptych of St Emidio: Madonna and Child, Carlo Crivelli, 1473, Cattedrale di Sant'Emidio, Ascoli Piceno



And when they met her they all blessed her with one accord and said to her, 'You are the exaltation of Jerusalem, you are the great glory of Israel, you are the great pride of our nation!' Judith 15:9

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> > Coronation of the Virgin, c 1450, Dieric the Elder, Bouts, Akademie der bildenden Kunste, Vienna



Hear instruction and be wise, and do not neglect it. Blessed is the one who listens to me, watching daily at my gates, waiting beside my doors. For whoever finds me finds life and obtains favour from the Lord. Proverbs 8:33-35

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> > > Madonna of the Recommended, Lippo Memmi, 1350s, Orvieto Cathedral, Italy



His mother said to the servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.' John 2:5

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The Marriage Feast at Cana (detail), Bartolomeo Esteban Murillo, 1672, Barbera Institute of Fine Arts, Birmingham



When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing nearby, he said to his mother, 'Woman, behold, your son!' Then he said to the disciple, 'Behold, your mother!' John 19:26,27

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Christ on the Cross with Mary and St John, Rogier van der Weyden, 1460, Monasterio de San Lorenzo de el Escorial, Madrid



The daughters of kings are those whom you favour. On your right stands the queen in gold of Ophir. Psalm 45 (44):10

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Baroncelli Polyptych, Coronation of the Virgin, Giotto, c. 1334, Baroncelli Chapel, Santa Croce, Florence



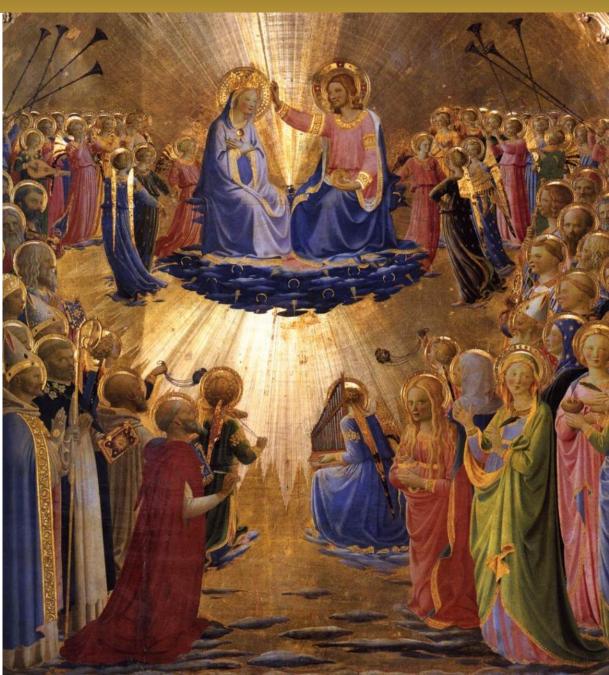
And the king rose to meet her and bowed down to her. Then he sat on his throne and had a seat brought for the king's mother, and she sat on his right.

1 Kings 28:19

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Coronation of the Virgin (detail), Fr Angelico, 1434-35, Galleria degli Uffizi, Florence



The one who conquers, I will grant him to sit with me on my throne, as I also conquered and sat down with my Father on his throne. Revelation 3:21

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> > > Coronation of the Virgin (detail), Fra Angelico, 1430, Louvre Museum, Paris



And a great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars. Revelation 12:1

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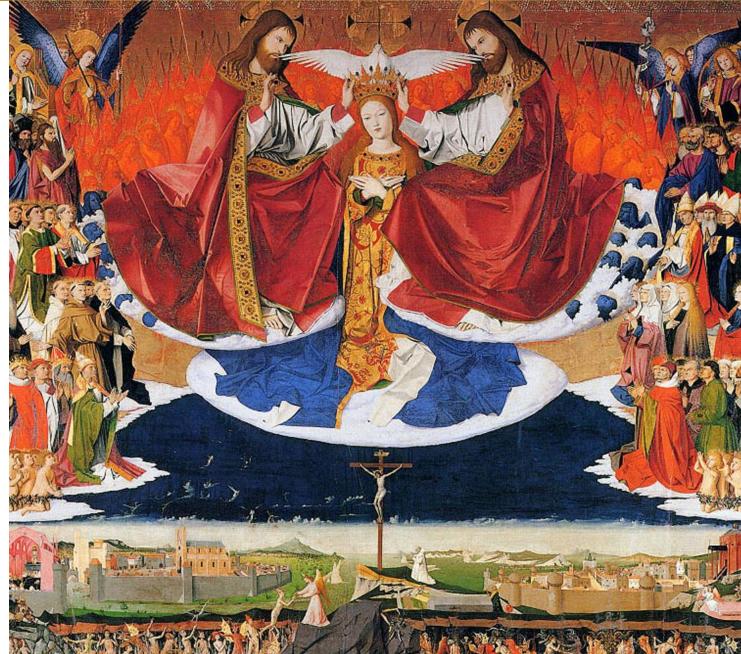
Our Lady of Guadalupe

Be faithful unto death, and I will give you the crown of life. Revelation 2:10

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Coronation of the Virgin, Enguerrand Quarton, 1454, Pierre de Luxembourg Villeneuve, Avignon



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Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of mercy. Hail, 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.

Let us pray.

O God, whose only begotten Son, by His life, death, and Resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life, grant, we beseech Thee, that meditating upon these mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise, through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.