

NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART **OF JESUS** (Friday)





Opening Hymn Heart of Jesus meek and mild Hear O hear thy feeble child When the tempest most severe Heart of Jesus, hear





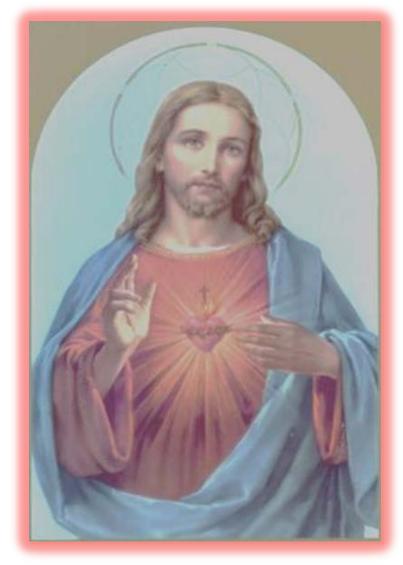


Sweetly we'll rest on thy **Sacred Heart** Never from thee Oh let us part Hear then thy loving children's prayer

O Heart of Jesus,

Heart of Jesus hear





Please Kneel:

Divine Jesus, You have said, "Ask and you shall receive; seek and you shall find; knock and it shall be opened unto you", behold me kneeling at Your feet, filled with





lively faith and confidence in the promises dictated by **Your Sacred Heart and** pronounced by Your adorable lips. I come to ask this favor...

(silently mention your petitions)





To whom can I turn if not to You whose heart is the source of all graces and merits? Where should I seek if not in the treasure which contains all the riches of Your kindness and Your mercy?





Where should I knock if not at the door through which God gives Himself to us and through which we go to God? I have recourse to You Heart of Jesus. In You I find consolation when





afflicted, protection when persecuted, strength when burdened with trials, and light in doubt and darkness. Dear Jesus, I firmly believe that You can grant me the grace I implore,





even though it should require a miracle. You have only to will it, and my prayer will be granted. I admit that I am most unworthy of Your favors, but this is not a reason for me to be





discouraged. You are a God of mercy and You will not refuse a contrite heart.

Cast upon me a look of mercy, I beg You, and Your kind heart will find in my miseries and





weaknesses a reason for granting my prayer. O Sacred Heart, whatever may be Your decision with regard to my request, I will never stop adoring, loving, praising and serving You.





My Jesus, be pleased to accept this act of perfect resignation to the decrees of Your adorable heart which I sincerely desire may be fulfilled by me and all the Your creatures forever.





Sacred Heart of Jesus, I know that there is but one thing impossible to You, to be without pity for those who are suffering or in distress. Look upon me, I beg You, dear Jesus, and grant me the grace







for which I humbly implore You through the **Immaculate Heart of** Your most sorrowful mother. You have entrusted me to her as her child, and her prayers are all powerful with You. Amen.



Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Lord, Have mercy on us...

Lord, Have mercy on us

Christ, Have mercy on us...

Christ, Have mercy on us





Lord, Have mercy on us...

Lord, Have mercy on us

Christ, Hear us... Christ, Hear us

Christ, graciously hear us...

Christ, graciously hear us







God the Father of heaven...

God, the Son, Redeemer of the World...

God, the Holy Spirit...

Holy Trinity, One God...





Heart of Jesus, Son of the Eternal Father...

Heart of Jesus, formed by the Holy Spirit in the womb of the Blessed Mother...





Heart of Jesus, substantially united to the Word of God...

Heart of Jesus, of infinite majesty...





Heart of Jesus, holy temple of God...

Heart of Jesus, tabernacle of the Most High...

Heart of Jesus, house of God and gate of heaven...





Heart of Jesus, burning furnace of charity...

Heart of Jesus, abode of justice and love...

Heart of Jesus, full of goodness and love...





Heart of Jesus, abyss of all virtues...

Heart of Jesus, most worthy of all praise...

Heart of Jesus, king and center of all hearts...





Heart of Jesus, in whom are all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge...

Heart of Jesus, in whom dwells the fullness of divinity...





R: Have mercy on us

Heart of Jesus, in whom the Father was well pleased...

Heart of Jesus, of whose fullness we have received..





Heart of Jesus, desire of the everlasting hills...

Heart of Jesus, patient and most merciful...

Heart of Jesus, enriching all who invoke you...





Heart of Jesus, fountain of life and holiness...

Heart of Jesus, propitiation for our sins...

Heart of Jesus, loaded down with opprobrium...





Heart of Jesus, bruised for our offenses...

Heart of Jesus, obedient unto death...

Heart of Jesus, pierced with a lance...





Heart of Jesus, source of all consolation...

Heart of Jesus, our life and resurrection...

Heart of Jesus, our peace and reconciliation...





Heart of Jesus, victim for sin...

Heart of Jesus, salvation of those who trust in You...



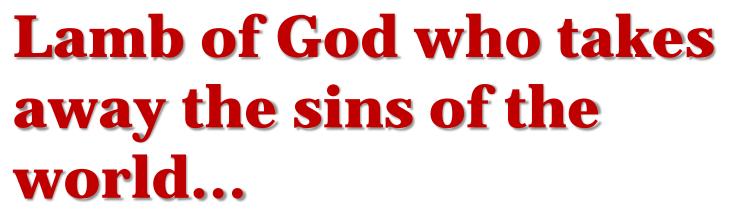


Heart of Jesus, hope of those who die in you...

Heart of Jesus, delight of all the saints...







Spare us, O Lord

Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world...

Graciously hear us, O Lord





Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world...

Have mercy on us.

Jesus, meek and humble of heart...

Make our hearts like Yours.





Let us pray:

Almighty Eternal God, look upon the heart of **Your most Beloved Son** and upon the praises and satisfaction He offers You in the name of sinners and for those who seek





Your mercy, be appeased and grant us pardon in the name of the same Jesus Christ Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit world without end. Amen.





NOVENA PRAYER TO TO STO. NINO DE PAZ Titular of Greenbelt Chapel





Opening Prayer

O Divine Infant, after the wonders of Your birth in Bethlehem, You wish to extend Your infinite mercy to the whole world by calling the wise men by heavenly inspiration to





Your crib, which was in this way changed into a royal throne. You graciously received those holy men who were obedient to the divine call and hastened to Your feet. They recognized and





worshipped You as Prince of Peace, the Redeemer of humankind, and the very Son of God. Show us Your goodness and almighty power. Enlighten our minds, strengthen our wills, and





inflame our hearts to know You, to serve You, and to love You in this life, that we may merit to find our joy in You eternally in the life to come.

Jesus, most powerful





Child, I implore You again to help me...

(mention your request)

Jesus, Divine Child, Great Omnipotent God, I implore through Your most Holy Mother's most





powerful intercession, and through the boundless mercy of Your omnipotence as God, for a favorable answer to my prayer during this Novena. Grant me the grace of possessing You





Joseph, and of adoring You with Your holy angels and saints. Amen.





Supplication

O Jesus, who has said, "Ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened." Through the intercession of Mary Your Most Holy





Mother, I knock, I seek, I ask that my prayer be granted. O Jesus, who has said, "All that you ask of the Father in My Name, He will grant you," through the intercession of Mary





Your Most Holy Mother, I humbly and urgently ask **Your Father in Your** name that my prayer will be granted. O Jesus, who has said, "Heaven and earth shall pass away but My word





shall not pass away," through the intercession of Mary, Your Most Holy Mother, I feel confident that may prayer will be granted...

(make your request)





O Divine Child Jesus, hear us.

In our difficulties, help us.

From the enemies of our soul, save us.
In our errors, enlighten us.





In our doubts and pains, comfort us.

In our solitudes, be with us.

In our diseases,
invigorate us.
When others despise us,
encourage us.





In temptations, defendus.

In difficult hours,

strengthen us.
With your tender heart,
love us.

With your immense power, protect us.





And, into Your arms, when we die, *receive us*.







O Jesus, Prince and King of the Universe, You chose to humble Yourself and come into the world, not as a powerful ruler, but as a helpless Infant; grant us the grace of





humility and gentleness before You and our brothers and sisters. Grant, too, O Lord, that we may always strive to achieve the virtues of Your own Holy Childhood. Instill in us a





growing faith in You, O Lord, and the strength to resist temptation in a world which so widely rejects You. Look upon us with compassion and forgive us our sins. Fill our hearts with kindness





and understanding, especially for children, the aged and those we dislike or who dislike us. O Jesus, who so loved children that You admonished us, "Unless you become like little





children, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven," grant us a childlike faith and purity of heart.

Give us the grace not only to pray fervently, but to help spread your Gospel





in word and in deed. May this novena transform our hearts and homes according to Your Most Holy will. And may our community here at Greenbelt Chapel, which invokes You as its





Heavenly Benefactor, truly become a family of God---united in loving service, fervent in faith and strong in hope. May we strive to live out our role as peacemakers so that we may be worthy to





be called children of God. Amen.

