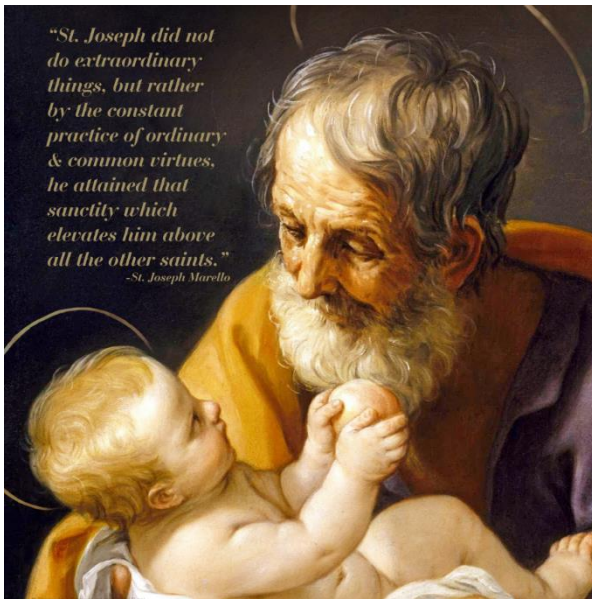


Lamb of God Who takes away the sins of the world
All: Spare us O Lord
Lamb of God Who takes away the sins of the world
All: Graciously hear us, O Lord
Lamb of God Who takes away the sins of the world
All: Have mercy on us
He made him the Lord of His House
All: And Ruler of all His possessions.
Amen.



Novena to Saint Joseph the Worker

April 23 – May 1

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NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER

**Saint Joseph,
by the work of your hands
and the sweat of your brow,
you supported Jesus and Mary,
and had the Son of God as your fellow worker.**

**Teach me to work as you did,
with patience and perseverance for God
and for those whom God has given me to support.**

**Teach me to see in my fellow workers,
the Christ who desires to be in them,
that I may always be charitable and forbearing towards all.**

**Grant me to look upon work with the eyes of faith,
so that I shall recognize in it my share
in God's own creative activity
and in Christ's work for our redemption,
and so take pride in it.**

**When it is pleasant and productive,
remind me to give thanks to God for it.**

**And when it is burdensome,
teach me to offer it to God,
in reparation for my sins and the sins of the world. Amen.**

[ADDITIONAL PRAYERS]

Let us Pray:

God our Father, Creator and Ruler of the Universe,
you have laid the law of labor upon the human race.

In every age you call us to use
and develop our gifts for the good of others.

Grant that by the example and protection of St. Joseph,
we may perform the work you have asked
and come to the rewards you have promised.

We make this prayer through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Our Father ... Hail Mary (three times) ... Glory be.....

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

All: Amen.

LITANY OF ST. JOSEPH

Lord Have Mercy	Lord Have Mercy
Christ Have Mercy	Christ Have Mercy
Lord Have Mercy	Lord Have Mercy
Christ Hear Us Christ	Graciously Hear Us
God the Father of Heaven	Have mercy on Us
God the Son, Redeemer of the World	Have mercy on Us
God the Holy Spirit	Have mercy on Us
Holy Trinity One God	Have mercy on Us
Holy Mary	Pray for Us
Saint Joseph	Pray for Us
Illustrious Descendant of David	Pray for Us
Light of The Patriarchs	Pray for Us
Spouse of The Mother of God	Pray for Us
Chaste Guardian of The Virgin	Pray for Us
Foster-Father of the Son of God	Pray for Us
Watchful Defender of Christ	Pray for Us
Head of the Holy Family	Pray for Us
Joseph Most Just	Pray for Us
Joseph Most Chaste	Pray for Us
Joseph Most Prudent	Pray for Us
Joseph Most Valiant	Pray for Us
Joseph Most Obedient	Pray for Us
Joseph Most Faithful	Pray for Us
Mirror of Patience	Pray for Us
Lover of Poverty	Pray for Us
Model of Workmen	Pray for Us
Glory of Domestic Life	Pray for Us
Guardian of Virgins	Pray for Us
Pillar of Families	Pray for Us
Solace of The Afflicted	Pray for Us
Hope of The Sick	Pray for Us
Patron of the Dying	Pray for Us
Terror of the Demons	Pray for Us
Protector of the Holy Church	Pray for Us