

## October Reminders Month of the Holy Rosary

**YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH** - With the Apostolic Letter “Patris Corde” (“With a Father’s Heart”), Pope Francis recalls the 150th anniversary of the declaration of Saint Joseph as Patron of the Universal Church. To mark the occasion, the Holy Father has proclaimed a “Year of Saint Joseph” from December 8, 2020 to December 8, 2021.

**Note: Every Tuesday at 10:00 am (EDT) Fr. Celso, BDV on Mary’s Hill**

Join: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6108954037?pwd=Zkl6bkxRdGp5ZDNKa0xob2U2VVVdBTU09>

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*“While still a child, I kept hearing the name of a woman who had been bedridden for more than forty years. My mother was fond of her, and often spoke about her. Especially in the moments of sorrow and oppression, she would run to her to implore her prayers. After twenty years, I went back to visit this soul again, and I found her always the same: placid and smiling, working with the fusetti of the tombolo in her hands, or **with the rosary between her fingers, in attitude of prayer**... Seventy years in bed! One entire long existence. Well, from 1878 to 1947, this soul spent her life in solitude, in suffering, in silence, and in prayer. This soul had a name known to many: **Luisa Piccarreta, called “Luisa, the Saint.”**”*

From *Luisa Piccarreta, The Little Daughter of the Divine Will* - Written by Father Bernardino Giuseppe Bucci, OFM, Parish Priest Cappuccino, Immaculate Church – Trinitapoli (Foggia) 1980; With Ecclesiastical Approval

**Prayerfully add to your daily prayer, an hour or two, of the *Twenty-Four Hours of the Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ*, written by Luisa, a Most Powerful Prayer in this month of the Rosary.**

**10/1 – First Friday in honor of Our Lord**

– **St. Therese of Lisieux (1897/New)**

- **Luisa is pictured with an image of St. Therese at her bedside, the Saint who lived “the little way”** – in which everything that she was able to accomplish came from the Generous Love of God.

**10/2 – Feast of the Holy Guardian Angels (New/Trad) – First Saturday in honor of Our Lady**

*“And since the Joys of Heaven are Communal, your Angel offers the accidental Beatitude he has received from you, his Doubled Paradise, to the whole Celestial Court as the Fruit of the Divine Will of his Protected one. All make Feast and Magnify and Praise the Power, the Sanctity, the Immensity of My Will. Therefore, be Attentive; in My Will one cannot lose time – there is much to do; you have to follow the Act of a God, which is never interrupted.”* – V19 – 2.28.26 <https://bookofheaven.com/feasts-and-novenas/consecration-to-the-angels/>

**10/5 – St. Faustina Kowalska (1938/New)**

– *“Adorable Goodness, infinite Mercy, knowing that You are Mercy Itself, I have come to ask for Your Mercy – Mercy on Your very images, Mercy on the Works Created by You; Mercy upon no other but Your creatures themselves.”* V6 – 4.16.04 – Luisa praying for Mercy, the following year Helena Kowalska (Saint Faustina) was born. <https://luisapiccarreta.co/?p=7213>

**10/7 – OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY – (New/Trad) – instituted by Pope Gregory XIII in 1571**

- *“...Never neglect the Rosary to the Celestial Mother...”* Servant of God Luisa Piccarreta

- *“When the wicked heresy of the Albigensians was growing...St. Dominic implored with earnest prayers, the aid of the Blessed Virgin, Whose Dignity these errors shamelessly attacked and to Whom it is given to Destroy all heresies...She Instructed Dominic to preach the Rosary...Gregory XIII decreed that thanks should always be offered everywhere throughout the world to the Blessed Virgin under the title of the Rosary...and other Popes granted innumerable indulgences, added a Feast, added to the Breviary, Litanies, Special Office...”* Roman Breviary – Lessons iv, v, vi – Oct. 7. *“In Me is All Grace of the Way and of the Truth;”* – Ecclus. 24:25

<https://luisapiccarreta.me/feasts/our-lady-of-the-holy-rosary-in-the-divine-will>

– **Luisa enters St. Anthony’s orphanage 1928 on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary**– into the House of the Daughters of Divine Zeal and House of the Divine Will, built by St. Annibale Maria di Francia; and ten years later, also on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, she leaves because of orders from above in 1938. Luisa: “...*here in Corato a House has been founded, which was wanted and started by the venerable memory of Father Canonical Annibale Maria di Francia, and which his children, faithful to the will of their founder, have executed and given the name of House of the Divine Will, as the venerable Father wanted. And he wanted me to enter this House; and on the first day of its opening, by their goodness, his sons and daughters, the reverend mothers, came to take me and brought me into a room which is such that, as the door of this room is opened, I can see the Tabernacle, I can listen to Holy Mass, I am just under the Gazes of my Jesus in the Sacrament. Oh! how happy I feel, that from now on, if Jesus wants me to continue to write, I will write always keeping one eye on the Tabernacle and the other on the paper I write on. Therefore, I pray You, my Love, to Assist me and to Give me the Strength to make the Sacrifice that You Yourself Want.*” V25 – 10.7.28

– in St. Peter’s Square, Pope John Paul II proclaimed Father Annibale ‘Blessed’ on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary.

**10/8 – Our Lady of Good Remedy (Hist)** – 800 years ago Christians were being captured by the Moslems and sold into slavery by the thousands, and nobody knew what to do about it. In the year 1198 St. John of Matha founded the Trinitarian Order to go to the slave markets to buy the Christian slaves in order to set them free. To carry out his plan, the Trinitarians needed a large sum of money. So, they placed their efforts under the Patronage of Mary. They were so successful that, over the centuries, the Trinitarians were able to free thousands upon thousands of people who were able to return safely home. In gratitude for Her Miraculous Assistance, St. John of Matha honored Mary with the title “*Our Lady of Good Remedy.*”

**10/9- Fr. B. Thomas Celso, BDV retreat at St. John of the Cross Church, 140 Richmond Road, Euclid, Ohio - “Luisa, Image and Likeness in the Divine Will – Part II” - 9:00-9:45 1st talk; 10:00-10:45 2nd talk; 1:00-1:45 3rd talk; 2:00-2:45 4th talk; 3:00-3:45 5th talk. For document of these five talks, you can find them at: <https://bookofheaven.com/reflections-from-the-writings/luisa-image-and-likeness-in-the-divine-will/>**

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**10/11 – The Divine Maternity of Our Lady (Trad)** – instituted in 1931 by Pope Pius XI in view of the fifteenth centenary of the Council of Ephesus. At the same time the Pope ordered at his own cost the restoration of the Marian mosaics in Saint Mary Major, much decayed through age. He issued an encyclical letter, “Lux Veritatis.” In this, among the objects of the new festival, is named one Truth that was particularly close to the heart of Pius XI, “...*that Mary, Who is loved and revered so warmly by the separated Christians of the East, would not Suffer them to wander and be unhappily led further away from the unity of the Church, and therefore from her Son, Whose vicar on earth we are.*” <https://luisapiccarreta.com/?s=divine+maternity>

– **Pope Saint John XXIII (1963/New)** – born November 25, 1881; died June 3, 1963, Pope from 1958 to 1963 – Fifteen years after Luisa’s death, at the request of Don Calvi, Cardinal Cento, the Archbishop of Trani asked the Holy See to authorize the transfer of Luisa’s body from Corato’s city cemetery. On July 3, 1962, with the full permission of the Holy See, Luisa’s body was placed to the right of the central nave in the church of St. Mary the Greek (Santa Maria Greca) in Corato.

**10/12 – Our Lady of the Pillar (36/Hist)** – In the year AD 36, while She was yet on earth, Our Lady Bilocated and Appeared to Saint James the Apostle, on the banks of the river Ebro, near the city of Caesar-Augusta (now Zaragoza or Saragossa). She Appeared, Accompanied by Celestial Music, on a six-foot Pillar of Jasper. Her Purpose was to comfort and encourage St. James and his disciples. Our Lady Commanded that a chapel be built on the spot in Her Honor and She Promised Her Assistance to those who invoke Her. The Apostle was quick to carry out the Wishes of *the Queen of Apostles.*

**10/13 – OUR LADY OF FATIMA** – Miracle of the sun; **OUR LADY OF AKITA** – continuation of Fatima messages and 101 times Weeping; **POPE LEO XIII remarkable vision**, then he composes the St. Michael prayer and promulgated it worldwide.

– **On October 13, 1956, Our Lady of America Appeared again** to Sister Mary Ephrem. Sister writes: “Today the Holy Virgin Appeared to me as I was working in my room. Our Lady was So Beautiful, and She was again Smiling in Her Heavenly Way. She was dressed in the same manner as when I first saw her (Our Lady of America, The Immaculate Virgin) except that the Immaculate Heart did not appear, and instead of the lily, Our Lady held with both hands, a small replica of the finished Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. She then began to speak. Her Presence overwhelmed me with its Holiness. I was compelled to stop my work. It was impossible to go on. I knelt down then and wrote Our Lady’s Words as She Desired: *“This is My Shrine, My daughter. I am Very Pleased with it. Tell My children I Thank them. Let them finish it quickly and make it a place of pilgrimage. It will be a place of Wonders. I Promise this. I will Bless all those who, either by their prayers, labor, or material aid, help to erect this Shrine.”* This is the Shrine of which Our Lady made Her 1956 Request for Her loyal Sons, the Bishops of the United States, to process Her statue in and permanently honor Her there, the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington DC.

<https://bookofheaven.com/our-lady-of-america/our-lady-of-america-booklet/>

**10/18 – Our Lady of Garabandal (1961)** - <https://www.garabandalthemovie.com/en/watch>

**10/19 – North American Martyrs (New)** – Members of the Society of Jesus who dedicated themselves to the conversion of the American Indians took Christ’s Words very literally. They journeyed from Renaissance France to the frontiers of North America that they might preach and Baptize. After pouring the saving waters of Baptism on a dying Indian child, Saint John de Brebeuf, the great pioneer of this mission, exclaimed with joy, *“For this one single occasion I would travel all the way from France; I would cross the great ocean to win one little soul for Our Lord!”* And so pleased was God with the genuine zeal and the extraordinary sacrifices of these Jesuit apostles that He bestowed upon Father Brebeuf and seven of his fellow missionaries the glorious crown of martyrdom.

- Our Lady of America Appeared to Sister Mary Ephrem on the original Feast of the North American Martyrs, September 26, 1956. <https://bookofheaven.com/our-lady-of-america/our-lady-of-america-and-the-new-jerusalem/>

**10/22 – Feast of Pope Saint John Paul II (2005/New)**

- Pope Saint John Paul II made history by becoming the first non-Italian pope in more than 400 years, October 16, 1978 to April 2, 2005. During his pontificate the following happened affecting the Cause of the Servant of God Luisa Piccarreta:

- March 4, 1987 – *Canonical Decree issued for the Association of Luisa Piccarreta in Corato, Italy.*
- October 7, 1990 – *in St. Peter’s Square, Pope John Paul II proclaimed Father Annibale Blessed – Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary (same day Luisa entered the House of Divine Will as St. Annibale wished 62 years before).*
- November 20, 1994 – *Feast of Christ the King – Archbishop Cassati officially opened the Cause for Beatification and Canonization of the Servant of God Luisa Piccarreta.*
- February 2, 1996 – *Pope John Paul II permits copying original volumes of Luisa in Vatican Archives.*
- May 16, 2004 – *Canonization of Annibale Maria di Francia – Luisa’s Confessor and Ecclesiastical Censor of her Writings, declaring him the Saint for Vocations and Father of orphans and the poor.*

**Pope Saint John Paul II pray for the Church, our Holy Father and all souls, pray for the Kingdom to Come!**

**10/23 to 10/31 – International Week of Prayer and Fasting Conference. Opening Mass with Bishop Strickland; Speakers include Fr. B. Thomas Celso, B.D.V., Fr. Chris Alar, Dr. Mark Miravalle, Ted Flynn, and many others. For more information and to register for free go to: [www.IWOPF.org](http://www.IWOPF.org)**



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Abba Father, In the Name of Jesus,  
By the Power of the Holy Spirit,  
Under the Mantle of Mary,  
With all the Holy Angels and Saints,  
Through the Intercession of  
the little daughter of the Divine Will  
Luisa Piccarreta,  
We humbly offer all the prayers that  
are prayed this week, and all prayers,  
from the first to the last,  
in the name of everyone and  
everything, past, present, and future,  
in the Most Holy Divine Will,  
To you O Lord, that they become Your Commands.  
May all be Accomplished and Completed in Your Most Holy Divine Will!  
**WE BELIEVE! WE RECEIVE! Fiat! Amen!**

**10/24 – Saint Raphael the Archangel (Trad) – “God has healed” & “Medicine of God”**

<https://bookofheaven.com/feasts-and-novenas/consecration-to-the-angels/>

**10/27 – The Cause of Beatification and Canonization of the Servant of God Luisa Piccarreta began in Trani, Italy by Archbishop +Cassati in 1994 under the Pontificate of Pope Saint John Paul II – in 1994 it was the Feast of Christ the King. To read all the Treasures of Christ the King, you can find them at:**

<https://luisapiccarreta.me/archives/5692>

**- Jesus says to Luisa: “Blessed are you, and all generations will call you Blessed” – V13 – 11.8.21**

“...This Knowledge (Book of Heaven in Divine Will) shall be a Powerful Magnet in order to Attract the creatures and make them receive the Inheritance of My Divine Will, and so as to make the Generation of the Children of Light Enter the Field – the Children of My Divine Will. Be Attentive, My daughter, Luisa; you shall be My Spokesperson – the Trumpet, to Call them and Gather this Generation, So Favored and Longed for by Me.” – V14 – 10.27.22 [https://luisapiccarreta.co/?page\\_id=639](https://luisapiccarreta.co/?page_id=639)

**10/28 – Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles (New/Trad) – St. Simon (the Zealot, because nothing was too difficult for his Lord) and Saint Jude (Judas Thaddeus, wrote a Catholic Epistle of the New Testament. It is customary with many to pray to him in seemingly “hopeless” situations) are said to have preached in Egypt and Persia and to have suffered martyrdom for the faith in Mesopotamia.**

**10/29 – Diocesan Inquiry into the Saintly life of Luisa Piccarreta brought to a close by Archbishop +Pichierri in 2005 under the Pontificate of Pope Benedict XVI. Link to his homily:**

[https://luisapiccarreta.co/?page\\_id=854](https://luisapiccarreta.co/?page_id=854)

**10/30 –Ordinary Time Round** begins this evening for those praying the Easter Round in the Traditional calendar.

**10/31 – FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING (Trad) - <https://bookofheaven.com/feasts-and-novenas/feast-of-christ-the-king/>** To read all the Treasures of Christ the King, you can find them at:

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**Fiat!**