

for His great love and mercy in dying on the Cross for love of us and to save us from the fires of Hell.

## PART II – APOLOGY

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, during which acts of faith, reparation, apology and trust, plus pleas for mercy, are recited, (or said privately before the tabernacle or at home).

### 1. ACTS OF FAITH

**PRIEST OR LEADER:** We begin with expressions of faith in the presence of the Most Blessed Trinity. Let us say 3 times:

**ALL: 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.** (3 times).

**LEADER:** Let us tell Jesus that we truly believe in His Real Presence in the Most Blessed Sacrament. Make this act of faith an act of atonement for all those who deny His Real Presence in the Holy Eucharist.

**ALL: O Sacrament Most Holy, O Sacrament Divine, all praise and all thanksgiving, be every moment Thine.** (3 times).

**LEADER:** After each of the following acts of faith, let us answer as did the man in the Gospel: “Lord, I do believe; help Thou my unbelief!”

**ALL: Lord I do believe; help Thou my unbelief.**

**LEADER:** Jesus, I truly believe that Thou art present in the Holy Eucharist, Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity.  
**ALL: Lord I do believe; help Thou my unbelief.**

**LEADER:** Jesus, I believe that Thou art present in the Blessed Sacrament out of love for me and all sinners.

**ALL: Lord I do believe; help Thou my unbelief.**

**LEADER:** Jesus, I believe that in the Blessed Sacrament Your Eucharistic Heart beats steadily out of love for us, as it does in Heaven.

**ALL: Lord I do believe, help Thou my unbelief.**

**LEADER:** Jesus, I believe that in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass You are offering Yourself to the Father in our name, in adoration, thanksgiving, petition and atonement.

**ALL: Lord I do believe, help Thou my unbelief.**

**LEADER:** Jesus, I believe that the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is the most holy, the most sacred, and the most powerful means of loving and adoring the Most Blessed Trinity.

**ALL: Lord, I do believe, help Thou my unbelief.**

**LEADER:** Let us say 3 times:

**ALL: Eucharistic Heart of Jesus, I believe in Thy love for me! (3 times)**

**ALL: Eucharistic Heart of Jesus, I place all my truth in Thee! (3 times)**

**ALL: Eucharistic Heart of Jesus, burning with love for me, inflame my heart with love for Thee! (3 times)**

**ALL: Jesus meek and humble of heart, make my heart like unto Thine! (3 times)**

**ALL: Jesus, Mary, Joseph, I love you; save souls! (3 times)**

**LEADER:** Now, let us thank the merciful Heart of Jesus for His many manifestations of love for us in the Blessed Sacrament; for all the Masses we have shared in, the Holy Communions received, the visits and Holy Hours made; and for His constant love day and night. In thanksgiving, and in a spirit of atonement for our lack of gratitude, let us say:

**ALL: May the Heart of Jesus, in the Most Blessed Sacrament, be praised, adored and loved, with grateful affection in all the tabernacles of the world, and in the hearts of all men, even to the end of time. Amen.**

### 2. PUBLIC APOLOGY

**LEADER:** If we have insulted or offended a friend – or even a stranger – an apology is called for. Our Savior is being insulted and grievously offended by friends and enemies alike. This demands public apology. Let us now offer to Jesus, Our Lord, Who will one day be our Judge, the sincere expression of our sorrow and regret at the way we and others are treating Him. After each invocation please answer: “Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy.”

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For the stingy way we, Your friends, have returned Your love for us, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For our failure to keep Your Commandment of love of neighbor and even of our enemies, Lord, please accept our apologies.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For our indifference to the needs of the poor and the underprivileged, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For all the ingratitude which wounds Your loving Heart, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For the many times we have bargained with You, Whose love knows no limits, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For our lack of generosity in Your service, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For the many times we and others have missed Mass through our own fault, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For the many Communions we have missed, and the visits to You in the Blessed Sacrament which we have failed to make, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For the profanation of Sunday’s and Holy Days, through unnecessary work and shopping, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

“If My people, which are called by My Name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek My Face, and turn from their wicked ways; then I will hear from Heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.”  
(2 Chronicles 7:14)

**LEADER:** For all the blasphemies, cursing, swearing, and taking Your Holy Name in vain, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For all those parents who refuse You admittance into their homes, and who never pray with their children, Lord, please accept our apology!

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For the bad example of parents and teachers who never speak about Your love and mercy to those under their care, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For those responsible for breaking up families through easy divorce, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For the scandal given by certain Bishops, priests and religious by their abuse of children, teens and adults, Lord, please accept our apology.

**Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For the scandal given by certain priests and religious, especially those who attack the perennial teachings of the Church, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For the exclusion of prayer and Your teachings from so many schools and for “watering down” or false interpretations of Your teachings, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For the murders, through “legalized” abortions, of millions of innocent babies throughout the world, and the apathy of so many to this wholesale “slaughter of the innocents,” Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For all promoters of abortion, such as legislators, doctors, nurses, anti-life groups, court judges and others, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For all those who, refusing to trust in Your Providence, promote or practice contraception, Lord please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For all promoters and portrayers of hardcore pornography such as books, films, magazines, live shows, internet sites, and for all who attend such shows or purchase material or watch it on the internet, to the detriment of their souls, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For all religious and civil leaders who fail to speak out and take action against this moral pollution that is destroying souls, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For all the widespread immodesty in dress on the part of Christian women and girls, especially in Church, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

**LEADER:** For all those parents who, by their silence or by condoning immodest dress among their children, and especially those mothers who set a bad example for their own children by wearing pagan fashions themselves, Lord, please accept our apology.

**ALL: Jesus we apologize and beg Your mercy!**

### 3. PLEAS FOR MERCY

**LEADER:** Let us now implore God’s mercy on us.

**ALL: Spare Thy people, O Lord; be not angry with us forever! (3 times)**

**ALL: Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us! (3 times)**

**LEADER:** Lord, we also apologize for the blasphemous black masses being celebrated throughout our country, in which You are so grievously insulted, and which make a mockery of the most sacred act of our religion, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

We apologize, too, for the fact that so many souls, in all walks of life, especially among our youth, are turning to the worship of Satan, instead of to You, their Creator. For this we ask Your pardon and mercy!

**ALL: Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do!**

**LEADER:** We apologize especially for all the widespread public blasphemy now sweeping our land, and for those responsible for this in national publications, on television, and in motion pictures. We apologize, likewise, for all the public insults ridicule, and mockery being heaped upon You, upon Your Blessed Mother, and ours, upon the Saints, upon Your Mystical Body on earth—the Catholic Church, upon belief in You and upon religion in general. For this, we ask Your pardon and mercy!

**ALL: Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do!**

**LEADER:** For the agony You underwent in the Garden of Olives at the foreknowledge of all these sins, and so many others known to You alone, we offer You, in reparation, dear Jesus, our own agony of heart, our worries, our fears, our concerns, and all our spiritual, mental and material problems and crosses. We offer them to You in union with the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary. We ask through our prayers and sufferings, offered in union with Your own merits through the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, for the conversion of all poor sinners; a return to morality in family and public life; and for true and lasting peace in homes, in our cities and countries throughout the world. For these

intentions, in honor of the five wounds Jesus suffered for us, let us pray:

**ALL: Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Thy Kingdom come, through Mary! (5 times)**

**LEADER:** Let us conclude the prayers of reparation and apology by saying the beautiful Fatima Eucharistic prayers, given by the Angel of Portugal to the three little shepherd children in 1916, one year before Our Blessed Mother appeared to them, to give to the world Almighty God's "Peace Plan from Heaven:"

**ALL: "My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love You! I ask pardon of You for those who do not believe, do not adore, do not hope and do not love You!" (3 times)**

**"Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, I adore You profoundly, and I offer You the most Precious Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ, present in all the tabernacles of the world, in reparation for the outrages, sacrileges, and indifferences with which He Himself is offended. And, through the infinite merits of His Most Sacred Heart, and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I beg of You the conversion of poor sinners." (3 times)**

**LEADER:** Let us implore God's mercy on our sinful country:

**ALL: O MERCIFUL GOD, we cry to Thee for pardon and for mercy. We are "an unbelieving and perverse generation." We are disobedient, disloyal and ungrateful to Thee. We have excluded Thee from our homes, our schools, our business places. We are no longer worthy to be called Thy children. But merciful God, spare us! Forgive us! Save us from the scourge which we have deserved. Teach us Thy Law, and move our wills to serve Thee, henceforth. Merciful God, please spare our country!**

**LEADER:** Finally, unworthy though we are but trusting in God's mercy, let us ask His blessings and peace on our President, our nation, and on the whole world:

**ALL: God Almighty—Lord of Nations, bless our country's President. Give him strength in tribulations, help him guide our wondrous land; may he always seek Thy guidance in these times so turbulent.**

**God Almighty—Lord of Nations, bless all chiefs of governments. Give them strength in tribulations, help them guide their Fatherlands; may they always seek Thy guidance in these times so turbulent.**

**God Almighty—Lord of Nations, bless us all with lasting peace. Give us strength in tribulations; may Thy blessings never cease. We shall always sing Thy praise—HOLY, HOLY, HOLY GOD OUR LORD.**

### **PART III—BENEDICTION**

**Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament now follows.** The "Divine Praises" in reparation should be said without fail. If time and circumstances permit, either the "*Litany of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus,*" or the "*Litany of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus,*" (both very appropriate to the program), may be also included.

*If the program is done privately before the tabernacle or at home, a hymn in honor of the Blessed Sacrament may be sung here.*

### **PART IV—HOLY MASS**

**The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, in reparation to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, is now offered as a fitting and perfect climax to the public or parish programs.**

If possible, the Votive Mass in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is used. This Mass was requested by our Divine Lord, Himself, when He appeared to Saint Margaret Mary. Its special characteristic is that of reparation for all the coldness, indifference, hatred and sacrileges shown to the Heart of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. At the same time, Jesus requested His friends to unite themselves with His act of atonement in the Mass, by receiving Him in Holy Communion in the same spirit of reparation. This is the most effective way to offer reparation to the Father, for it is in union with the perfect act of atonement of the Son of God — our Mediator and Victim and Redeemer. (Other appropriate Masses are those honoring the Holy Spirit, the Most Precious Blood of Jesus, the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and that for the Forgiveness of Sin.)

During the Mass, a short homily may be given stressing the importance of our frequent participation in the Mass. By

"substituting" ourselves for others who refuse to attend Mass, we can help obtain their conversion.

**The Communion of Reparation are a most important part of this Mass.** All are urged to receive Holy Communion in a spirit of reparation. Our Lord specifically requested such Communion from Saint Margaret Mary and other chosen souls. At Fatima, the Mother of God also asked for *Communion of Reparation.* Our merciful Savior says that such Communion, being acts of pure love, are most powerful in averting Divine Justice, and drawing down His mercy.

**Likewise, people are encouraged to have the Enthronement of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in their homes,** as an act of reparation and to obtain needed graces. Also, they are encouraged to **say the daily and family Rosary,** to make Jesus present in the home by prayer; because Jesus promised, "For where two or three are gathered in My Name, there am I in the midst of them" (*Matthew 18:20*).

*(If this program of reparation is made privately without a Mass, unite yourselves in spirit with all the Masses being celebrated throughout the world at that moment and make a spiritual communion in a spirit of reparation.)* **Act of Spiritual Communion:** My Jesus, I believe that Thou art present in the Most Blessed Sacrament. I love Thee above all things and I desire to receive Thee into my soul. Since I cannot now receive Thee sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace Thee as if Thou wert already come, and unite myself wholly to Thee; never permit me to be separated from Thee. Amen

O Crucified Jesus, Who dies on the Cross for love of us and to save us, we apologize for all the sins being committed against You today and every day throughout the world. Please accept our apology, and please have mercy on us and save us. Thank You, Jesus, for Your great love for us.

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## **REPARATION AND APOLOGY PROGRAM**

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### **INTRODUCTION**

**Be an "apostle of reparation." Encourage others to offer reparation and contact your pastor, and ask him to have a "Reparation and Apology Program" in your church. It can draw down many blessings, graces, and God's mercy on your area.**

There are many terrible crimes being committed daily, that would draw down upon us the just wrath of Almighty God, unless sufficient reparation is made for them. One of the most detestable and heinous of these sins is the wholesale "slaughter of the innocents," through the mass abortion murders of unborn infants in their mothers' wombs. With such an utter disregard for the priceless gift of life, through the "legalizing" of this cruel ruthless war of extermination against defenseless babies, how can we expect God's blessings on our nations? In addition to abortion, there is much widespread moral decay, such as increased divorces, contraception, immodesty in dress, soul-corrupting pornography, child abuse, violence and now the tide of sodomy, Satanism and public blasphemy spreading throughout our land. Truly much love, prayer and reparation must be offered to Almighty God if we are not to experience the punishment that we justly deserve for our sins. The following program may be used in churches, schools or homes. In church, it is usually carried out as a public or parish program, with the praying of the Rosary; Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament; acts of faith, reparation and apology; Benediction and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

*The program may also be done privately in church, by groups or individuals before the tabernacle, or in homes. In these cases, since there is no Benediction or Mass, a spiritual communion may be made in the spirit of reparation. It is suggested that, if possible, the home program be carried out before a shrine: picture, statue or image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and the Immaculate Heart of Mary (or Our Lady under any of Her titles) with flowers and lighted candles. Appropriate hymns may be sung before, during and after the program.*

**GREATER LOVE HAS NO MAN THAN THIS, THAT A MAN LAY DOWN HIS LIFE FOR HIS FRIENDS** (*John 15:13*).

At Fatima, in 1916, the Angel of Portugal taught the three little shepherd children, for the world, this act of faith, hope and love, adoration and apology: "My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love You! I ask pardon of You for those who do not believe, do not adore, do not hope and do not love You!"

### **PART I — THE ROSARY**

Pray five decades of the Holy Rosary, preferably the Sorrowful Mysteries, through the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, the Queen of Peace, in reparation for sin, which is the basic cause of war; and for true and lasting world peace.

Here follows the prayer of the Rosary, with short meditations on the Sorrowful Mysteries, related to the Holy Eucharist or current problems. Suggested meditation to be said by the priest or leader.

**1. The Agony of Jesus in the Garden.** Jesus revealed to Saint Margaret Mary, "It was here that I suffered more than in the rest of My Passion." The Heart of Jesus was breaking as He foresaw how many souls would reject His love and mercy, especially in the Holy Eucharist. "Agony of Heart, the worst of agonies!" Let us ask pardon, through the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, for all the sins of coldness, neglect, indifference, ingratitude, lukewarmness and especially rejection, committed against Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

**2. Jesus is Scourged at the Pillar.** Every sin against the human body—which is a "temple of the Holy Spirit," — is a blow against the Body of Christ delivered by members of His Mystical Body. By suffering the cruel scourging, Jesus made reparation for all of our sins of the flesh. Through the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, let us ask pardon for the many sins against purity in thought, word and deed, being committed today.

**3. Jesus is Crowned with Thorns.** Jesus is being dethroned everywhere today because of the arrogant pride of so many souls. His rights over persons,



families, nations and public life are being denied and mocked. Through the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, our Queen and Mother, let us ask pardon for the many times we have placed a crown of thorns on the Most Sacred Head of Jesus, or around His Sacred Heart, through our sins of disobedience and pride.

**4. Jesus Carries His Cross.** God carries the cross of a criminal. By this act of humility, Jesus — the God-Man — made atonement for the sins of rejection of the cross by so many souls. Through the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, let us ask pardon for the cowardice of so many souls — especially ourselves — who refuse to accept, with humility and resignation to God's holy will, the crosses, trials and sufferings He sends us for our own sanctification and salvation; and for others.

**5. Jesus Dies on the Cross.** The Heart of Jesus was opened with a lance after His redeeming death on the Cross, and there gushed forth the saving Blood and water. In every Mass, the renewal of Calvary, the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, is again opened to all poor sinners. Through the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, let us promise never to miss the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass through our own fault; let us offer every Mass we attend for the conversion of all poor sinners; and let us thank Jesus