

A PRAYER FOR PROTECTION IN TIME OF PANDEMIC

O Mary,
you always
brighten our path
as a sign of salvation and of hope.
We entrust ourselves to you,
Health of the Sick, who, at the Cross, took part in Jesus' pain
while remaining steadfast in faith.
O loving Mother,
you know what we need,
and we are confident you will provide for us
as at Cana in Galilee.
Intercede for us with your Son Jesus,
the Divine Physician,
for those who have fallen ill,
for those who are vulnerable,
and for those who have died.
Intercede also for those charged with protecting the health
and safety of others
and for those who are tending to the sick
and seeking a cure.
Help us, O Mother of Divine Love,
to conform to the will of the Father
and to do as we are told by Jesus,
who took upon himself our sufferings
and carried our sorrows,
so as to lead us, through the Cross,
to the glory of the Resurrection. Amen.

Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou amongst 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.

Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our
protection against the wickedness and snares of the
devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O
Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into
hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world
seeking the ruin of souls.
Amen.

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Holy Virgin of Guadalupe,
Queen of the Angels and
Mother of the Americas.
We fly to you today as your
beloved children.
We ask you to intercede for
us with your Son,
as you did at the wedding
in Cana.

Pray for us, loving Mother,
and gain for our nation and
world, and for all our
families and loved ones,
the protection of your holy

angels, that we may be spared the worst of this illness.

For those already afflicted, we ask you to obtain the grace of healing and deliverance. Hear the cries of those who are vulnerable and fearful, wipe away their tears and help them to trust.

In this time of trial and testing, teach all of us in the Church to love one another and to be patient and kind. Help us to bring the peace of Jesus to our land and to our hearts.

We come to you with confidence,
knowing that you truly are our compassionate mother,
health of the sick and cause of our joy.

Shelter us under the mantle of your protection, keep us in the embrace of your arms,
help us always to know the love of your Son, Jesus. Amen.



The ancient fresco of Madonna del Soccorso (Our Lady of Help) in St. Peter's Basilica was restored with the support of the Knights of Columbus to mark the Year of Faith (2012-2013)