

2025 Jubilee Year Closing Novena

“Renewed in Mercy, Sent in Joy”

December 18-26

As the 2025 Jubilee Year draws to a close, we gather in prayer to thank God for the graces received and to renew our commitment to live as joyful witnesses of His mercy. This Novena invites us to reflect, rejoice, and be sent forth in mission.

✱ Day 1: Gratitude for the Jubilee Year (December 18)

Scripture: “Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits.” *Psalm 103:2*

Reflection: What grace from this Jubilee year am I most thankful for?

Prayer: Lord of Mercy, we thank You for this Jubilee Year — for every grace poured out, every heart renewed, every soul reconciled. May our gratitude overflow into joyful witness. Amen.

Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory be...

✱ Day 2: Mercy Received and Shared (December 19)

Scripture: “Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful.” *Luke 6:36*

Reflection: Where am I called to extend mercy today?

Prayer: Jesus, Divine Mercy, You have healed our wounds and restored our dignity. Teach us to be vessels of mercy in our families, parishes, and communities. Amen.

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✱ Day 3: Reconciliation and Healing (December 20)

Scripture: “He has broken down the dividing wall of hostility.”

Ephesians 2:14

Reflection: What relationship or situation needs healing in my life?

Prayer: Father, reconcile what is broken. Heal divisions in our Church, our homes, and our hearts. May the peace of Christ reign. Amen.

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✱ Day 4: Pilgrimage of Faith (December 21)

Scripture: “Blessed are those whose strength is in You, whose hearts are set on pilgrimage.” *Psalm 84:5*

Reflection: How has my spiritual journey deepened this year?

Prayer: Lord, we walked with You this Jubilee Year. May our journey continue with deeper trust, holy boldness, and joyful surrender. Amen.

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✱ Day 5: Renewal of Baptismal Grace (December 22)

Scripture: “You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood...” *1 Peter 2:9*

Reflection: How can I live more fully as a child of God?

Prayer: Holy Spirit, renew in us the grace of our baptism. May we live as radiant witnesses of Christ, clothed in holiness and love. Amen.

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✱ Day 6: The Church as a Field Hospital (December 23)

Scripture: “Go and do likewise.” *Luke 10:37*

Reflection: Who is wounded around me, and how can I serve them?

Prayer: Jesus, make our parish a place of welcome, healing, and hope. May we serve the wounded with tenderness and courage. Amen.

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✱ Day 7: The Poor and Marginalized (December 24)

Scripture: “To bring good news to the poor.” *Luke 4:18*

Reflection: How can I respond to the needs of the poor more intentionally?

Prayer: Lord, open our eyes to the suffering around us. May we be generous in love, bold in advocacy, and faithful in service. Amen.

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✱ Day 8: Hope for the Future (December 25)

Scripture: “For I know the plans I have for you...” *Jeremiah 29:11*

Reflection: What hopes do I entrust to God as this Jubilee ends?

Prayer: God of hope, as this Jubilee Year ends, we entrust the future to You. Lead us into new beginnings, rooted in faith and joy. Amen.

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✱ Day 9: Sent Forth in Joy (December 26)

Scripture: “Go therefore and make disciples...” *Matthew 28:19*

Reflection: Where is God sending me now?

Prayer: Lord, send us forth renewed in faith, rejoicing, and ready to proclaim Your mercy to the ends of the earth. May our lives be a Jubilee song of praise. Amen.

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Closing Blessing: Inspired by the Jubilee Prayer

May the God of Mercy, who has walked with us through this Jubilee Year, renew your heart with peace, your spirit with joy, and your hands with purpose. May you carry the light of Christ into every corner of your life — welcoming the stranger, healing the broken, and proclaiming hope. Go forth, beloved of God, as a living sign of His mercy, and may the blessing of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit rest upon you and remain with you always. Amen.