

Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

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LITANY OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Lord, have mercy
Christ, have mercy
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Christ, have mercy
Lord, have mercy

God our Father of heaven
God the Son, Redeemer of the world
God, the Holy Spirit
Holy Trinity, one God

have mercy on us
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Heart of Jesus, Son of the eternal Father
Heart of Jesus, formed by the Holy Spirit
 in the womb of the Virgin Mother
Heart of Jesus, one with the eternal Word
Heart of Jesus, infinite majesty
Heart of Jesus, holy temple of God
Heart of Jesus, tabernacle of the Most High
Heart of Jesus, house of God and gate of heaven
Heart of Jesus, aflame with love for us

have mercy on us

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Heart of Jesus, source of justice and love	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, full of goodness and love	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, wellspring of all virtue	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, worthy of all praise,	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, king and center of all hearts	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, treasurehouse of wisdom and knowledge	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, in whom there dwells the fullness of God	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, in whom the Father is well pleased	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, from whose fullness we have all received	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, desire of the eternal hills	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, patient and full of mercy	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, generous to all who turn to you	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, fountain of life and holiness	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, atonement for our sins	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, overwhelmed with insults	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, broken for our sins	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, obedient even to death	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, pierced by a lance	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, source of all consolation	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, our life and resurrection	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, our peace and reconciliation	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, victim of our sins	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, salvation of all who trust in you	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, hope of all who die in you	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, delight of all the saints	have mercy on us
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world	have mercy on us
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Jesus, gentle and humble of heart. Touch our hearts and make them like your own.

Let us pray.

Father,
 we rejoice in the gifts of love we have received
 from the heart of Jesus your Son.
 Open our hearts to share his life
 and continue to bless us with his love.
 We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord.
 Amen.