

**PENTECOST V**  
**JUNE 23, 2024**  
**LOW MASS**

**Priest & People:** We fly / to thy patronage, / O holy Mother of God! / Despise not our petitions in our necessities / but deliver us from all dangers, / O ever glorious and Blessed Virgin!

*V.* Thou hast been made for us, O Lady, a refuge.

**R.** A helper in need and tribulation.

**Priest:** Let us pray. O Lord Jesus Christ, Who hast given us Thy Mother Mary, whose renowned image we venerate, to be a Mother ever ready to help us; grant, we beseech Thee, that we who constantly implore her aid may merit to enjoy perpetually the fruits of Thy Redemption, Who livest and reignest world without end.

**R.** Amen.

**Priest & People:** O Mother of Perpetual Help, \* grant that I may ever invoke thy most powerful name, \* which is the safeguard of the living and the salvation of the dying. \* O purest Mary, O Sweetest Mary, \* let thy name henceforth be ever on my lips. \* Delay not, O Blessed Lady, \* to help me whenever I call on thee, \* for, in all my needs, in all my temptations \* I shall never cease to call on thee, \* ever repeating thy sacred name, Mary, Mary. \* Oh, what consolation, \* what sweetness, what confidence fill my soul, \* when I pronounce thy sacred name, \* or even only think of thee. \* I thank God for having given thee, for my good, \* so sweet, so powerful, so lovely a name. \* But I will not be content with merely pronouncing thy name; \* let my love for thee prompt me ever to hail thee, \* Mother of Perpetual Help. Amen.

**ACT OF FAITH**

**Priest & People:** O my God / I firmly believe / that Thou art one God / in three Divine Persons, / Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; / I believe that Thy Divine Son / became man, / and died for our sins, / and that He will come / to judge the living and the dead. / I believe these and all the truths / which the Holy Catholic Church teaches, / because Thou hast revealed them, / Who canst neither deceive nor be deceived. / Amen.

**PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL**

**Priest & People:** St. Michael the Archangel, \* defend us in battle. \* Be our safeguard 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 wander about the world, \* seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

*V.* Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, **R. Have mercy on us.**

*V.* Holy Child Jesus, Doctor of the Sick, **R. Have mercy on us.**

*V.* Mother of Good Counsel, **R. Pray for us.**

*V.* Our Lady of Consolation, **R. Pray for us.**

*V.* Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary,

**R. Pray for us who have recourse to thee.**

*V.* Pure Heart of St. Joseph, **R. Pray for us.**

*V.* May the Divine assistance remain always with us,

**R. And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.**

**CLOSING HYMN:**

### **MOTHER DEAREST, MOTHER FAIREST**

1. Mother dearest, Mother fairest,  
Help of all who call on thee,  
Virgin purest, brightest, rarest,  
Help us, help, we cry to thee.

**Refrain:** Mary, help us, help we pray,  
Mary, help us, help we pray.  
Help us in all care and sorrow:  
Mary, help us, help we pray.

2. Help our priests, our virgins holy;  
Help our Church, bereft of aid,  
Pray that we who sing thy praises,  
May in heav'n all meet again.