

Prayer Anthology #67

Focus Point: With the Holiday Season over, we begin to look forward to January and the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Epiphany and the Baptism of the Lord. And we also have the Memorial of the Most Holy Name of Jesus. We say His name so often during prayer, and maybe even just out of habit. But, we are called to remember that just invoking His adored name gives us so much more for which to be thankful. By praying in the name of Jesus we can bring healing, protection, conversion, grace, mercy and spiritual strength to ourselves and our loved ones for whom we pray. We need to call upon him through prayer each day to first, thank Him for our many blessings and to deepen our devotion to Him.

Prayer for Devotion to the Holy name of Jesus

Dear Lord, Please help me to remember the holy name of Jesus at the start of each day and to thank Jesus for the many blessings He has provided to me. I ask the Holy Spirit to fill me with the same love that Jesus gives to me without condition so that I may share that love with others. I pray He gives me the joy and humility to act out of His love with everyone I meet each day of my life. And during the trials and struggles of life, let me trust in Jesus and use His holy name to relieve my anxiety, bring me peace and avoid sin. Let His name be on my tongue to others as often as possible as I honor Him and encourage others to pray in Jesus' name. I pray to continue to revere His name and let my devotion lead me to faithful and continued prayer in His name. Amen.

"At the name of Jesus, every knee shall bend".