



FORGIVENESS AND TOLERANCE

*Scriptural Reading:
Matt 6: 12-14*

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Holiness of life has forgiveness and tolerance as its aspect. In the Lord's Prayer, Jesus told his disciples to pray thus: "**Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors...**" (Matt. 6:12). Also, while teaching on faith, He told them to "forgive anyone who sinned against them, so that their heavenly Father might forgive them their sins (Mk 11: 25). It is sinful to bear grudges against people. Since the life of Christ is the life of forgiveness, we must also live the life of forgiveness. I have often heard people say; "I will never forgive you. Our case will only be settled by God on the last day!" Well, I have often interrupted some of them while telling them that God cannot stop the glorious worship in heaven to attend to the so-called case. Let us tolerate so that we can forgive. We all have our weaknesses; if we forgive, we too will be forgiven.



MEDITATION

Is there anyone I owe the debt of forgiveness?



STRATEGIC PRAYER POINTS

1. Father, help me by your grace to forgive everyone who has wronged me
2. In the mighty name of Jesus, forgive me Lord and help me to live peacefully with everyone
3. I resist every satanic voice of bitterness and keeping of malice in Jesus' mighty name
4. Pray for the leaders of the Church for the grace of humility in service
5. Pay now against the spread of corona virus pandemic
6. Say the prayers to St. Michael and St. Jude in pages 101 and 103
7. Present your private intentions to God
8. Say your daily prophetic prayers (page 6).

DAILY PROPHETIC PRAYERS

1. Lord God of Power and Might you are worthy of my praise and adoration from generation to generation. We thank you and praise your Holy name for what you have done, what you are doing and for what you are about to do.
2. Oh Lord, as you delivered Israel from captivity so you will surely deliver me.
3. As you delivered Daniel from the den of Lions you will surely deliver me.
4. As you delivered Paul and Silas, I know you will surely break the prison bars and set me free.
5. Do not let the power of darkness reign over me.
6. Do not abandon me to the power of the grave.
7. Do not let people ask me;” where is your God?”
8. Oh Lord Jesus, touch me one more time and heal, save and set me free.
9. Breath life upon me that I may live, become fruitful and prosper in all ramifications.
10. I will serve you in truth and Spirit all the days of my life. And nations shall praise you for your goodness in my life.

In the most powerful name of Jesus, Amen

PRAYER TO ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL AGAINST THE FORCES BEHIND COVID - 19.

Holy 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 you, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen.

WE PRAY WITH ST JUDE THE PATRON OF DIFFICULT CASES AGAINST THE SPREAD OF CORONA VIRUS

O most holy apostle, Saint Jude, faithful servant and friend of Jesus, the Church honoureth and invoceth thee universally, as the patron of hopeless cases, and of things almost despaired of. Pray for me, who am so miserable. Make use, I implore thee, of that particular privilege accorded to thee, to bring visible and speedy help where help was almost despaired of. Come to mine assistance in this great need, that I may receive the consolation and succor of Heaven in all my necessities, tribulations, and sufferings, particularly... (insert your prayer request here, especially the menace of COVID - 19 Pandemic) ...and that I may praise God with thee and all the elect throughout eternity.

I promise thee, O blessed Jude, to be ever mindful of this great favour, to always honour thee as my special and powerful patron, and to gratefully encourage devotion to thee.

Amen.