

HOW TO PREPARE FOR THE COMING OF THE LORD



Scriptural Reading: Rev. 1: 1-8

that you may be counted worthy to escape all these things that will come to pass and to stand before the Son of Man" (Luke 21:36). To be ready while Jesus tarries in coming, we need to wash our garments (Rev.19:5-9). We also need to watch and pray. Jesus told His disciples to watch and pray lest they fall into temptations (Mat. 26:41). Any Christian who must not be caught up in the web of this end time must be watchful in prayers. Jesus must also meet us on our duty posts, spreading the good news.

God kept you alive in this age that you may declare his wonderful acts. The best form of defense is to be on the offensive. We have to preach the good news using our good offices and making use of every opportunity we have to do so. Jesus must not meet us asleep!



MEDITATION

How do I prepare for the coming of Christ?



STRATEGIC PRAYER POINTS

- 1. Pray earnestly now that the second coming of Christ may not take you unaware
- 2. Pray against any factor that the devil wants to use to rob you of the kingdom of God
- 3. Begin to pray for the salvation of souls swimming in the ocean of sins
- 4. Pray for the unsaved members of your family
- 5. Pray for the leaders of the Church for the grace of humility in service
- 6. Pay now against the spread of corona virus pandemic
- 7. Say the prayers to St. Michael and St. Jude in pages 101 and 103
- 8. Present your private intentions to God
- 9. Say your daily prophetic prayers (page 6).



DAILY PROPHETIC PRAYERS

- Lord God of Power and Might you are worthy of my praise and adoration from generation to generation. We thank and praise your Holy name for what you have done, what you are doing and for what you are about to do.
- Oh Lord, as you delivered Israel from captivity so you will surely deliver me.
- As you delivered Daniel from the den of lions you will surely deliver me.
- 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
- Do not let people ask me; "where is your God?"
- Oh Lord Jesus, touch me one more time and heal, save and set me free.
- Breath life upon me that I may live, become fruitful and prosper in all ramifications.
- 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 invoketh 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.