

## THE ROSARY OF THE HOLY WOUNDS



*Use regular Rosary beads.*

*On the crucifix  
and first three beads:*  
**O JESUS,**  
Divine Redeemer,  
**be merciful to us  
and to the whole world.  
Amen.**

**STRONG** God,  
holy God,  
immortal God,  
**have mercy on us  
and on the whole world.  
Amen.**

**GRACE** and mercy,  
O my Jesus,  
during present dangers;  
**cover us with  
Thy Precious Blood.  
Amen.**

**ETERNAL** Father, grant us  
mercy through the Blood  
of Jesus Christ,  
Thine only Son; **grant us  
mercy, we beseech Thee.  
Amen, Amen, Amen.**

*The following prayers,  
composed by Our Lord,  
are to be prayed using  
the Rosary beads.*

*On the large [middle] beads:*  
Eternal Father, I offer Thee  
the Wounds of our Lord  
Jesus Christ;  
**To heal the wounds of  
our souls.**

*On the small [decade] beads:*  
My Jesus,  
pardon and mercy;  
**Through the merits  
of Thy Holy Wounds.**

**HISTORY:** This devotion to the Holy Wounds and the Promises were revealed by Our Lord to Sr. Mary Martha Chambon (1841-1907), of the Monastery of the Visitation of Chambery.

## **Offering up of each Separate Pain**

*As Christ taught St. Mechtildis to do. (B. ii. ch. 32.)*

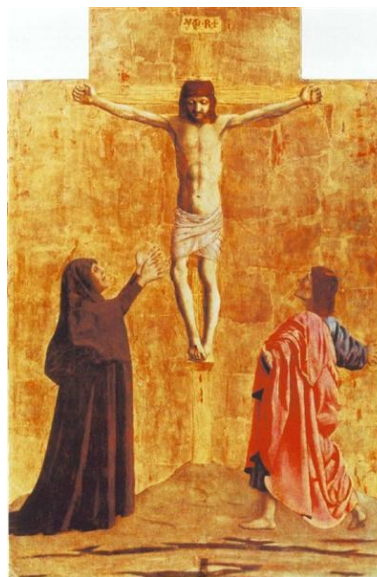
O sweet love of God,  
I offer Thee this pain,  
these aches, and  
commend it to Thee in the  
same intention with which  
Thou hast sent it to me.  
And I pray Thee  
to seal it with  
Thy divine grace  
and Thy good pleasure.

## **Oblation of the Merits of Christ for our Sins**

*By St. Gertrude*

O MOST compassionate Jesus! since by reason of Thine unsearchable wisdom Thou knowest the extent of human frailty more clearly and fully than I or any one can know it, I implore Thee to have manifold compassion on my manifold frailty, and to vouchsafe to supply all my defects and shortcomings.

Offer to Thy most gracious Father, O merciful Jesus! the most becoming silence of Thy holy lips, in expiation



of all the sins I have committed, and to supply for all the good I have omitted, by vain and frivolous conversation.

Offer, O good Jesus! the modesty of Thy most holy ears, for all the sins I have committed by hearing.

Offer also the reserve of Thy eyes, for all the stains which I have contracted by wandering and forbidden looks.

Offer the caution and deliberation of Thy hands and feet, for all the sins which I have committed in my daily actions or in my daily walk.

Lastly, O most loving Jesus! offer to His glorious Majesty Thy divine Heart, for all the sins which I have committed by thought, word or desire. Amen.