

Praying the Rosary with the Diocese of Westminster
The Presentation: Friday 17th July 2020





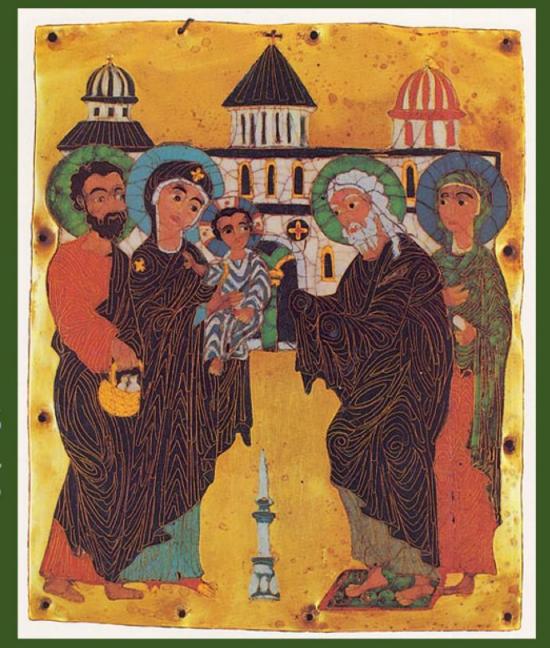
We offer this decade of the Rosary for all those affected by the coronavirus and we ask the help of Our Blessed Mother, Mary, to take our prayers to her beloved Son, Jesus.



Our Father, Who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Observing the Law of Moses they take Jesus to the temple to present him to the Lord.

We place ourselves into your loving care. We hold in tenderness and prayer the collective suffering of our world during these difficult times.





According to the Law the firstborn male child of every family should be consecrated to the Lord.

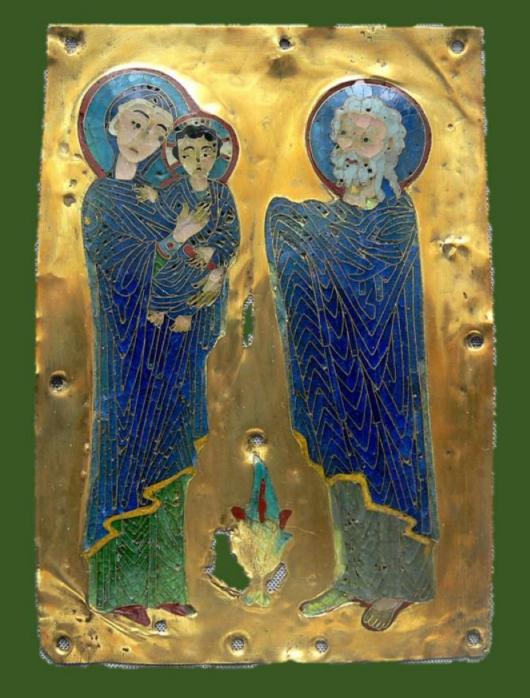
We pray for all children at this time of uncertainty that they continue to grow in the knowledge of your love.





Mary offers her Son to the Father, then ransoms him back at the price paid by the poor.

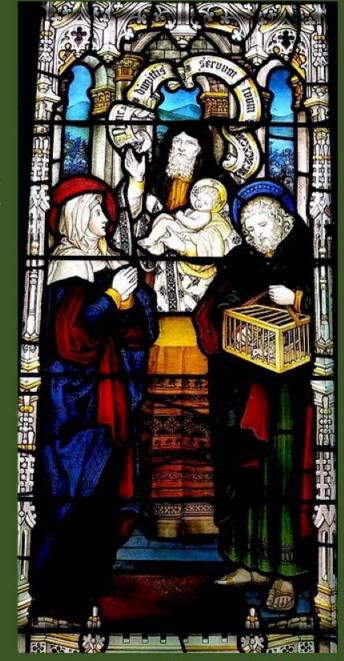
We pray for the poor, the vulnerable and the marginalised, that their needs like the needs of so many are catered for.





Jesus is not subject to the Law of Moses, yet to teach obedience, submits to it.

We pray that we too can be obedient, following the rules and restrictions set in place to keep us safe, and continue to follow in Jesus' footsteps.



Francis Helminski



Mary is not subject to the Law of Purification, yet in humility she submits to it.

We pray for all those within the health and care sector, who work tirelessly and with such humility, for the sick, elderly and vulnerable.





God had revealed to Simeon that he would not see death until he had seen the Messiah.

We pray for all those who mourn for those who have died as a result of the pandemic. Grant them comfort in their loss.



Ambrogio Lorenzetti



Recognizing the Child, he prays: "Now you can dismiss your servant in peace. You have fulfilled your word."

We pray for all those who have died during the pandemic, may eternal light shine upon them.



Ron DiCianni



"This Child is destined to be the downfall and rise of many in Israel, a sign that will be opposed."

We pray for all those who govern and make difficult decisions on our behalf.

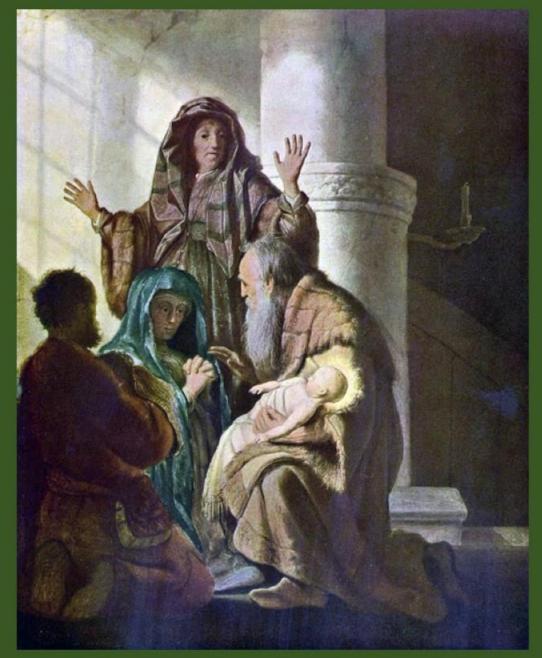
Grant them the wisdom to know the right path.





And to Mary Simeon reveals: "And your own soul a sword shall pierce."

We pray for all parents at this time as they strive to care for and educate their children, equipping within them the skills and values for a brighter future.



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After they fulfil all the Law requires they return to Nazareth.

We pray for all within our school communities, that the pandemic will pass quickly, bringing with it a return to a new normal.





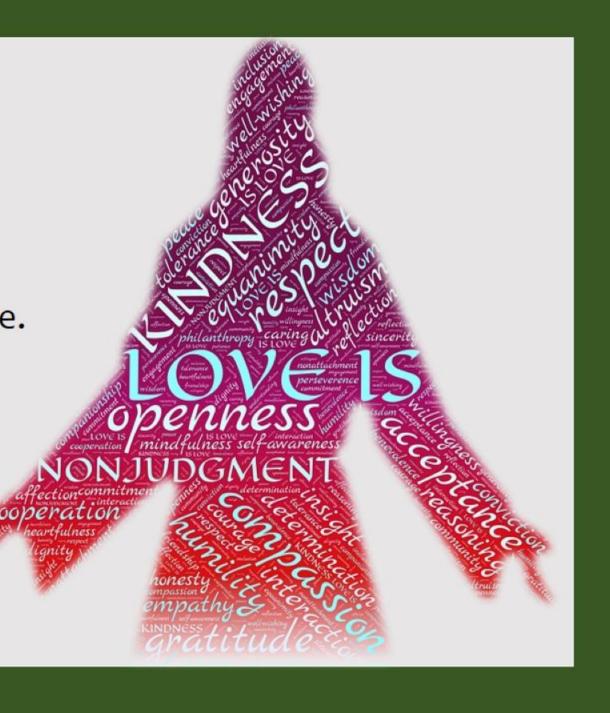


Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

We trust that God who is allknowing and compassionate will hear our prayers and send us his Holy Spirit so that we can offer ourselves completely to the will of God following the example of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.



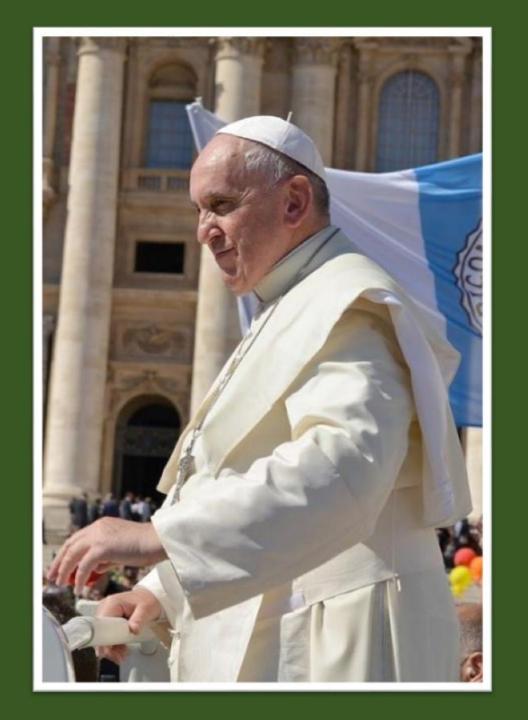
Lord Jesus, when you walked with us on earth you spread your healing power. We place in your loving care all who are affected by Coronavirus. Keep us strong in faith, hope and love. Bring relief to our sick, console our bereaved, protect those who care for us. We lift our prayer to you Lord, and trust in your infinite mercy, as we wait for the daybreak. Amen. (Prayer by CAFOD)



Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for July

Our Families

We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.





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