



Novena to **SAINT PIO OF PIETRELCINA** **(Padre Pio)**

Seeking his intercession

DAY 1

Beloved St. Pio of Pietrelcina, you have had the signs of the Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ on your body. You have carried this stigmata for everyone, enduring both the physical and mental sufferings that racked your soul and body in a continual sacrifice. We beg you to pray for us, so that we will be able to accept both the little and the larger crosses we too must bear during our life on earth and to offer these sufferings to God, assuring us a place with him in Eternal Life.

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART: O my Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, ask and it will be given you, seek and you will find, knock and it will be opened to you." Behold, I knock, I seek, and I ask for the grace of *(name your request)*.
Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be. Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You. AMEN.

DAY 2

Saint Pio of Pietrelcina, together with Our Lord Jesus Christ, you have been able to withstand the temptations of the Devil. You suffered the beatings and the oppression of the demon of hell, who wanted to have you abandon your journey of holiness. We beg you to pray for us so that, with your help and the help of all of the Heavenly Kingdom, we will be able to find the strength to set sin aside and to persevere in our faith until the day of our death.

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART: O my Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, if you ask anything of my Father in my Mighty Name, He will give it to you." Behold, in Your Name I ask for the grace of *(name your request)*.
Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be. Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You. AMEN.

DAY 3

Virtuous St. Pio of Pietrelcina, you love Our Holy Mother very much and have received daily graces and consolations from her. Please, we beg you to pray to the Holy Mother for us. Place in her hands the sorrow for our sins and our prayers of reparation, so that, as at Cana of Galilee, her Son says "yes" to His Mother and our name may be written in the Book of Eternal Life.

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART: O my Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, Heaven and earth will pass away but My words will not pass away." Encouraged by Your infallible words, I now ask for the grace of *(name your request)*.
Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be. Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You. AMEN.

DAY 4

Chaste St. Pio of Pietrelcina, you loved your Guardian Angel, who served you well as your guide and as a defender and messenger. The Angels brought the prayers of your spiritual children to you. We beg you to pray for us, so that we may learn to call on our Guardian Angel who is always ready to guide us to what is good and to avoid falling into sinful actions.

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART: O Sacred Heart of Jesus, have pity on us sinners and grant us the grace of *(name your request)* which we ask of Thee through the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, Your and our tender Mother.
Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be. Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You. AMEN.

DAY 5

Prudent St. Pio of Pietrelcina, you have had a great devotion for the Souls in Purgatory for whom you have offered yourself as a victim to remit their punishments. Please pray for us and ask God to send us the same interest, compassion and love that you have for these souls. In this way, we will also contribute to reducing their suffering and, with our sacrifices and prayers, win for them their necessary Indulgences.

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART: O my Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, ask and it will be given you, seek and you will find, knock and it will be opened to you." Behold, I knock, I seek, and I ask for the grace of *(name your request)*.
Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be. Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You. AMEN.

DAY 6

Obedient St. Pio of Pietrelcina, you have loved the sick more than yourself, because you were able to see Jesus in them. You have performed many miracles by healing patients in the name of Jesus and thereby giving them peace of mind. We beg you to pray for us, so that sick patients, through the intercession of Mary, can be healed and their bodies restored so that they may benefit from the Holy Spirit and, therefore, thank and praise God forever.

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART: O my Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, if you ask anything of my Father in my Mighty Name, He will give it to you." Behold, in Your Name I ask the Father for the grace of *(name your request)*.
Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be. Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You. AMEN.

DAY 7

Blessed St. Pio of Pietrelcina, you have worked in "God's Plan for Salvation", by offering your sufferings to free sinners from the chains of the Devil. We beg you to pray for us, so that unbelievers will be converted to the faith, that all sinners will repent in their hearts and that those with lukewarm hearts will find renewed enthusiasm for a Christian life. Finally, pray for all those who are faithful, so that they will persevere on their way to salvation.

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART: O my Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, Heaven and earth will pass away but My words will not pass away." Encouraged by Your infallible words, I now ask for the grace of *(name your request)*.
Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be. Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You. AMEN.

DAY 8

Pure St. Pio of Pietrelcina, you experienced great love for your spiritual children and have helped them by purchasing them for Christ with the giving of your blood. Please grant us, who have not met you personally, the opportunity to be considered your spiritual children. In this way, with your protection, guidance and strength, you will obtain for us a special blessing from God, so that we may meet Him on the day of our death at the gates of Heaven.

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART: O My Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, ask and it will be given you, seek and you will find, knock and it will be opened to you." Behold, I knock, I seek, and I ask for the grace of *(name your request)*.
Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be. Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You. AMEN.

DAY 9

Humble St. Pio of Pietrelcina, you who loved the Roman Catholic Church, pray for us. May the Master send workers to the harvest and give them the strength and knowledge needed to be children of God. Pray that Our Holy Lady will unite Christian people everywhere, comforting all of them in one great house of the Lord, the lighthouse of our salvation in the storm of life ... just as a lighthouse is a beacon for safe return when there is a storm at sea.

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART: O my Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, if you ask anything of my Father in my Mighty Name, He will give it to you." Behold, in Your Name I ask the Father for the grace of *(name your request)*. *Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be to the Father...*

Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You. AMEN.

