

HOW TO USE THE ROSARY RING

Step 1

This rosary ring rotates directly on your finger as you move your thumb from one bead to the next.

Step 2

Wear your rosary ring on either of your index fingers. It should be worn during prayer times only, not as jewelry.

Step 3

Familiarize yourself with the reflections for each day. Catholic rosary prayers change from day to day. On different days you reflect on four areas of the Christian faith called Mysteries, which pertain to Mary and the birth of Jesus, Jesus' life, Jesus' death and Jesus' resurrection.

Step 4

Kiss the crucifix and make the sign of the cross: fingers to forehead, heart, shoulder-to-shoulder. Say the Apostles' Creed, the Our Father, three Hail Marys and one Glory Be.

Step 5

Announce the decade on which you're reflecting. For instance the First Joyful Mystery is The Annunciation of Gabriel to Mary. Then recite the Our Father prayer on the crucifix again and 10 Hail Marys on the 10 beads of the ring as your thumb turns the ring.

Step 6

Complete the decade with the Glory Be and the O My Jesus prayer. Then, repeat until you have prayed for a total of five decades for each Mystery.

Step 7

Close your rosary ring prayers with Hail Holy Queen and O God, Whose Only-begotten Son (Offertory).

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