O JESUS

IN UNION WITH YOUR MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD POURED OUT ON THE CROSS AND OFFERED IN EVERY MASS,

I OFFER YOU TODAY MY PRAYERS, WORKS, JOYS, SORROWS AND SUFFERINGS FOR THE PRAISE OF YOUR HOLY NAME AND ALL THE DESIRES OF YOUR SACRED HEART;

IN REPARATION FOR SIN, FOR THE CONVERSION OF SINNERS,

THE UNION OF ALL CHRISTIANS AND OUR FINAL UNION WITH YOU IN HEAVEN.

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Place upon your heart one drop of
the Precious Blood of Jesus
and fear nothing.

THE HEART OF
THE PRECIOUS BLOOD

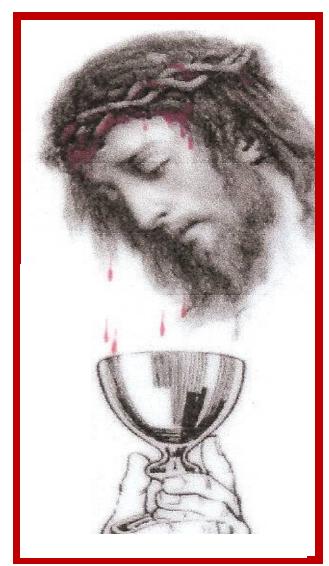
Look with confidence at this heart of the Precious Blood.

It will remind you of the power of
The Blood of Jesus...and say frequently:
I do not fear, for the Blood of Jesus
will penetrate my soul, and will give me
strength to overcome the trials and difficulties I
will encounter along the way of life.
My confidence in the blood of Christ will help me to merit my
eternal salvation.

FROM THE PRECIOUS BLOOD MONASTERY, MANCHESTER, NH

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JULY IS DEVOTED TO THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS



PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS,
BE THOU MY SALVATION

THE PRECIOUS BLOOD

The feast of the Precious Blood of our Lord was instituted in 1849 by Pius IX, but the devotion is as old as Christianity. The early Fathers say that the Church was born from the pierced side of Christ, and that the sacraments were brought forth through His Blood.

"The Precious Blood which we worship is the Blood which the Savior shed for us on Calvary and reassumed at His glorious Resurrection; it is the Blood which courses through the veins of His risen, glorified, living body at the right hand of God the Father in heaven; it is the Blood made present on our altars by the words of Consecration; it is the Blood which merited sanctifying grace for us and through it washes and beautifies our soul and inaugurates the beginning of eternal life in it."

Devotion to the Precious Blood is not a spiritual option, it is a *spiritual obligation*, and that not only for priests, but for every follower of Christ. To understand the meaning of the Precious Blood we must get some comprehension of the gravity of sin, of the awfulness of offending God, because it required the Blood of the Son of God to forgive that sin. Sin must be the most dreadful thing in the universe.

Why? Because it cost the living God in human form the shedding of His Blood.

"Let us fix our gaze on the Blood of Christ and realize how truly precious It is, seeing that it was poured out for our salvation and brought the grace of conversion to the whole world."...

Pope St. Clement I, dated about 96A.D. Excerpted from *The Precious Blood of Christ*, Fr. John A. Hardon, S.J.



Devotion to the Precious Blood is connected to devotion to the Passion and Death of Our Lord, since through the shedding of His Blood, mankind was redeemed. Consequently, one can say the Church has always honored the Blood of Jesus Christ. Romans 5:9 states, "we are justified by His blood", and Hebrews 13:12 states, "and so Jesus also, that He might sanctify the people by His blood, suffered outside the gate." 1 John 1:7...also writes of the Precious Blood:..."and the blood of Jesus Christ, His Son, cleanses us from all sin." (from http://acatholiclife.com)

Blood of Christ, stream of mercy, save us.

Prayers in Honor of The Precious Blood—9 DAY NOVENA

Prayer to the Precious Blood

Lord Jesus by faith in Your merits, I now take Your Precious Blood and sprinkle it over myself and my family right from the crown of my head to the very soles of my feet.

I claim total and complete protection for my life and my family.

Lord Jesus, keep me free today from evil, sin, temptation, Satan's attacks and afflictions, fear of darkness, fear of man, sickness, diseases, doubts, anger, all calamities and from all that is not of Your Kingdom.

Fill me Lord Jesus with the gifts of Your Holy Spirit and grant me the gifts of wisdom, knowledge, faith, understanding and discernment, so that I will live today in Your Glory by doing what is right.

I praise You Jesus, I thank You Jesus,

I praise You Jesus, I thank You Jesus, I Love You Jesus, I adore You Jesus.

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My God, My God

My God, My God, I believe firmly with all my heart.

I hope and sincerely trust in You. Only You I will adore forever.

With true repentance and love, I fall prostate at Your feet:

I ask pardon of You for those who do not believe and do not want to believe, for those who do not adore and do not want to adore,

And for those who crucified You and are crucifying You daily.

Dear Jesus, I will console You all my life. Amen.

+++++ **Agonizing Prayer**

Agonizing Jesus, I offer You my heart
To be united with Your Agonizing Heart as a co bearer of
Your agony, Jesus, I wish to be in agony with You
So as to hasten Your Glorious Reign of Peace. Amen.

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St. Elizabeth, Queen of Hungary, with St. Matilda and St. Bridget, wishing to know something of the Passion of Jesus Christ, offered fervent and special prayers, upon which there appeared to them Our Lord Jesus Christ Who spoke to each of them. The following is part of what He told them:

"To all those faithful who shall recite for 3 years, each day 2 Paters, 2 Aves and 2 Glorias, in honor of the drops of blood I lost, I will concede the following 5 graces:

- 1st. The plenary indulgence and remittance of your sins.
- 2nd. You will be free from the pains of Purgatory.
- 3rd. If you should die before completing the said 3 years, for you it will be the same as if you had completed them.
- 4th. It will be upon your death the same as if you had shed all your blood for the Holy Faith.
- 5th. I will descend from Heaven to take your soul and that of your relatives until the fourth generation."