Rosary and Devotions at the shrine of
Our Lady of Penrhys

Opening Hymn

Do not be afraid,
For I have redeemed you.
I have called you by your name;
You are mine.

When you walk through the waters
I'll be with you,
You will never sink beneath the waves

When the fire is burning all around you,
You will never be consumed by the flames.

When the fear of loneliness is looming,
Then remember I am at your side.

When you dwell in the exile of a stranger,
Remember you are precious in my eyes.

You are mine, O my child; I am your father,
And I love you with a perfect love.

Opening Prayer

Pour forth, we beseech you, O Lord,
your grace into our hearts,
that we, to whom the Incarnation
of Christ your Son
was made known by
the message of an Angel,
may by his Passion and Cross
be brought to the glory of his Resurrection.
Who lives and reign…
Amen.

Hymn

I'll sing a hymn to Mary,
The Mother of my God,
The Virgin of all virgins,
Of David's Royal blood.
O teach me, holy Mary,

A loving song to frame,
When wicked men blaspheme thee,
To love and bless thy name.

O Lily of the Valley,
O mystic Rose what tree
Or flower, e'en the fairest,
Is half so fair as thee?
O let me, though so lowly,
Recite my Mother's fame:
When wicked men blaspheme thee,
I'll love and bless thy name.

O noble Tower of David,
Of gold and ivory,
The Ark of God's Own promise,
The Gate of Heaven to me;
To live, and not to love thee,
Would fill my soul with shame:
When wicked men blaspheme thee,
I'll love and bless thy name.

But in the crown of Mary,
There lies a wondrous gem,
As Queen of all the Angels,
Which Mary shares with them;
"No sin hath e'er defiled thee,”
So doth our faith proclaim:
When wicked men blaspheme thee,
I'll love and bless thy name.

The Joyful Mysteries of
the Most Holy Rosary
**Hymn**

Daily, daily sing to Mary,
Sing, my soul, her praises due.
All her feasts, her actions worship
With the heart's devotion true.
Lost in wond'ring contemplation,
Be her Majesty confess'd.
Call her Mother, call her Virgin,
Happy Mother, Virgin blest.

She is mighty to deliver.
Call her, trust her lovingly.
When the tempest rages round thee,
She will calm the troubled sea.
Gifts of heaven she has given,
Noble Lady, to our race.
She, the Queen, who decks her subjects
With the light of God's own grace.

Sing, my tongue, the Virgin's trophies
Who for us her Maker bore.
For the curse of old inflicted,
Peace and blessing to restore.
Sing in songs of peace unending,
Sing the world's majestic Queen.
Weary nor nor faint in telling.
All the gifts she gives to men.

**Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**Petitions and Intercessions**

*From St. Bernard…*
"In dangers, in doubts, in difficulties, think of Mary, call upon Mary. Let not her name depart from your lips; never suffer it to leave your heart. And that you may more surely obtain the assistance of her prayer; neglect not to walk in her footsteps."

"With her for (your) guide, you shall never go astray; while invoking her, you shall never lose heart; So long as she is in your mind, you are safe from deception; while she holds your hand, you cannot fall; under her protection you have nothing to fear; if she walks before you, you shall not grow weary; if she shows you favour, you shall reach the goal."

As we bring to the Lord our prayers, and the prayers of the whole parish community, let us remember those who have asked us to pray for them at this sacred place.

**Memorare**

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me.

**Final Blessing & Hymn**

Immaculate Mary!
Our hearts are on fire;
That title so wondrous
Fills all our desire!

*Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!
Ave, Ave Maria!*

We pray for God's glory,
May His kingdom come;
We pray for His Vicar,
Our Father in Rome.

We pray for our Mother,
The Church upon earth,
And bless, sweetest Lady,
The land of our birth.

We pray for all sinners,
And souls that now stray
From Jesus and Mary
In heresy's way.

Now to God be glory
And worship for aye,
And to Gods Virgin Mother,
An endless Ave.