



The Franciscan Family
Chaplet

History
During Holy Week 2010, a Secular Franciscan (Third Order named Nicholas H. Kovacs from the St. Thomas More Fraternity in Houston, Texas, was inspired by the Holy Spirit to create a chaplet, dedicated to praying for the renewal of the Franciscan Order. The title of this prayer is "The Franciscan Family Chaplet".

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Make the sign of the cross

11

Say one "Glory be..." on each of the last 3 beads for the intentions of the Pope and for his continued holiness.

10

End by reciting once "We adore you O Lord Jesus Christ, because by your holy cross, You have redeemed the world." (note - if there is no centerpiece, pray this on the single bead below.)

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7

Begin the third decade by saying: "St. Francis of Assisi, through your intercession, I pray that the Third Order, both Regular and Secular, increases in vocations and that its members continue to grow in holiness." Recite the Our Father

4

Say once on each of these 10 beads: "My God and my all !"

5

Begin the second decade by saying: "St. Francis of Assisi, through your intercession, I pray that the Second Order increases in vocations and that its members continue to grow in holiness." Recite the Our Father

6

Say once on each of these 10 beads: "My God and my all !"

1

Begin with the sign of the Cross and then pray the Apostles' Creed

2

Recite the Hail Mary once on each of these 3 beads.

3

Begin the first decade by saying: "St. Francis of Assisi, through your intercession, I pray that the First Order increases in vocations and that its members continue to grow in holiness." Recite the Our Father.



Franciscan Family Tree

