

Music Notes

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OCTOBER SPIRITUALITY

In our Catholic tradition, the standard full rosary contains 15 mysteries in three sets, until 2002 when Pope (now Saint) John Paul II added another set: The Luminous Mysteries, bringing the total to 20. The Luminous Mysteries are five events highlighted in the newest Rosary set that describe Jesus' public ministry when he is revealed clearly as the Light of the World.

During this month of the Holy Rosary, consider this YouTube of the Rosary led by a Dominican Sister of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist. This version can be a great source of comfort for those who are homebound, elderly, solitary, those with disabilities, or who are unable to speak and young folks who are so very visual. It includes some lovely visual of classic artwork.

This particular video prays the Luminous Mysteries, but traditional videos are available as well on YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lt3C30b5q9g>

The LUMINOUS MYSTERIES of the Rosary are:

The Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan.

The Wedding at Cana

Jesus' Proclamation of the Kingdom of God.

The Transfiguration.

The Institution of the Eucharist.

PRAYER and ACTION

In this strange time in our lives, when it is difficult to visit loved ones and those who need love, consider passing this on to someone who would appreciate it, with your love and greetings.

SOME MARIAN MUSIC: *AVE MARIA*

Ave Maria, Franz Biebl, Chanticleer

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L7C-VXZVSTw>

Ave Maria, Gregorian Chant

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WyGNQJ83pCM>

Ave Maria, Franz Schubert, Placido Domingo

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9Mk_IUj2ccs

Ave Maria, Bach-Gounod, Yo-Yo Ma

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hyUhEjtDLA>

Ave Maria, Sergei Rachmaninoff, Rachmaninov Choir

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=my1d8vpbsQ>