

54 days to change the world. Day 22.

Today is the twenty-second day of this novena. We will be praying the Joyful Mysteries in a spirit of petition.

As we continue to meditate with the saints, let us be comforted by the fact that they, along with our Blessed Mother, are interceding for us! Additionally, these holy men and women speak on the powerful graces that come from praying the Rosary. Following their example and inspired by their intercession, let us continue to lay our petitions at Our Lady's feet!

Today, we will be reflecting on the words of Saint Josemaria Escriva:

“Develop a lively devotion for Our Mother. She knows how to respond in a most sensitive way to the presents we give her. What is more, if you say the Holy Rosary every day, with a spirit of faith and love, Our Lady will make sure she leads you very far along her Son's path.”

“The Holy Rosary: the joys, the sorrows, and the glories of the life of Our Lady weave a crown of praises, repeated ceaselessly by the Angels and the Saints in Heaven — and by those who love our Mother here on earth. —Practice this holy devotion every day and spread it.

“Become little. Our Lord hides Himself from the proud and reveals the treasures of His grace to the humble. Never fear if, when thinking on your own, daring, and childish words and affections escape from you. Jesus wants this. Mary encourages you. If you say the Rosary in this way, you will learn to pray well.”