

The Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary World Refugee Day

Today is World Refugee Sunday. So in union with our Holy Father and all who work to help refugees and migrants, we pray for these brothers and sisters.

First Mystery: The Annunciation

We recall and ponder on that great moment when the angel Gabriel invited Mary to be mother of Jesus, the long awaited Messiah. On this World Refugee Day, we pray for all our brothers and sisters who have had to flee their homes and countries because of violence, persecution and poverty. We pray that we will often remember to pray for these brothers and sisters.

Second Mystery: The Visitation

As we ponder Mary's visit to her cousin Elizabeth, we pray for all who visit those in need. On this World Refugee Day, we especially pray for all who work in Refugee Camps ministering to refugees.

Third Mystery: The Birth of Jesus

As we ponder the birth of Jesus in a stable, we pray for all refugees, migrants, and others who give birth to children in poverty.

Fourth Mystery: The Presentation of Jesus in the Temple

During this decade, we pray for developed nations that they will find a way to receive more refugees and allow them to create a new life for themselves and their children.

Fifth Mystery: The Finding of Jesus in the Temple

In this decade, we pray for all missing children, for children who are separated from their parents. We pray for children living in Foster homes. We pray for all those who have asked us to pray for them.