

## Catholic Prayers: Novena in Honor of Jesus as True King



[Over a period of 9 consecutive days]

Pray one Our Father

Pray one Hail Mary

Pray one Glory Be

**O Lord our God, You alone are the Most Holy King and Ruler of All Nations. We pray to You, Lord, in the great expectation of receiving from You, O Divine King, mercy, peace, justice and all good things.**

**Protect, O Lord our King, our families and the land of our birth. Guard us, we pray, Most Faithful One! Protect us from our enemies and from Your Just Judgement.**

**Forgive us, O Sovereign King, our sins against You. Jesus, You are a King of Mercy. We have deserved Your Just Judgement. Have mercy on us, Lord, and forgive us. We trust in Your Great Mercy.**

**O Most Awe-inspiring King, we bow before You and pray; may Your reign, Your kingdom, be recognized on earth! Amen.**

A novena is a practice where a prayer or groups of prayers are recited for nine consecutive days for special intentions and petitions. The praying of a novena draws its origin from the practice of the disciples who prayed in the upper room for the nine days between the ascension of our Lord and the arrival of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.