

THE WAY TO MAKE THE CONSECRATION TO ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

This consecration should be made on the feast day of the glorious Archangel that is celebrated together with the Archangels Gabriel and Rafael on the 29th of September.

Only those who have lived the Lent without neglecting the daily prayers and recommended dispositions can make the consecration.

It is recommended that confession is up to date and to participate in Holy Mass celebrated in honor of St. Michael.

As a visible sign of this consecration a blessed medal with the effigy of St. Michael may be used.

Prayer of Consecration

Oh, most noble prince of the angelic hierarchies, valorous warrior of Almighty God, and Zealous lover of His glory, terror of the rebellious angels, and love and delight of all the just ones, my beloved Archangel, Saint Michael, desiring to be numbered among your devoted servants, O, today, offer and consecrate myself to you, and place myself, my family, and all I possess under your most powerful protection.

I ask you not to look at how little, I, as your servant, have to offer, being weak and sinful, but to gaze, rather, with favorable eye at the heartfelt affection with which this offering is made, and remember that if from this day onward I am under your patronage, you must during all my life assist me, and procure for me the pardon of my offenses and sins, the grace to love with all my heart my god, my dear Savior Jesus, and my sweet Mother Mary, and obtain for me all the help necessary to arrive at my crown of glory.

Defend me always from my spiritual enemies, particularly in the last moments of my life. Come then, O glorious prince, and help me in my last struggle, and with your powerful weapon, cast far from me and into the abyss that proud angel that one day you defeated in the celestial battle. Saint Michael, defend us in our daily battle so that we may come to glory in the last judgment, Amen.