

THE PARISH CHURCH OF SAINT WILFRID  
HICKLETON

MOTHERING SUNDAY 30th March 2025  
**LENT IV (C)**



(Missal page 222)

**THE PARISH  
MASS**

The Introductory Rites

*When the bell rings we stand*

*The Angelus*

The Angel of the Lord brought tidings to Mary

**And she conceived by the Holy Spirit**

Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with thee Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb  
Jesus

**Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.**

Behold the handmaid of the Lord  
**Be it unto me according to thy word**

Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with thee Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb  
Jesus  
**Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death**

And the Word was made flesh,  
**and dwelt among us.**

Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with thee Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb  
Jesus

**Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.**

Pray for us O Holy Mother of God  
**That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ**

Pour forth we beseech thee O Lord thy grace into our hearts that as we have known the incarnation of thy Son Jesus Christ by the message of an angel, so by his Cross and Passion, we may be brought to the glory of His Resurrection; through the same, Jesus Christ our Lord  
**Amen**

*We sing our first Hymn*

**SING we of the blessed Mother who received the angels word, And obedient to his summons bore in love the infant Lord; Sing we of the Joys of Mary at whose breast that child was fed Who is Son of God eternal and the everlasting Bread.**

**Sing we, too, of Mary's sorrows, of the sword that pierced her through, When beneath the cross of Jesus she his weight of suffering knew, Looked upon her Son and Saviour reigning high on Calvary's tree, Saw the price of man's redemption paid to set the sinner free.**

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**Monday 31st March 2025**

**Sick:** Arthur Jones, Barrie Shippood, Derrick Norris, Dorothy.  
**Years Mind:** Ernest Nuttall, David Andrew Brown, David Dunbar.  
**Church:** Kevin Leaver  
**Local Community:** Magdalene Gardens (G)  
**General:** For Peace

**Tuesday 1st April 2025**

**Sick:** Mary Wilkinson, Mary Robinson, George, Brenda Goodwin.  
**Years Mind:** Grace Mary Watkinson, Doris Carpenter, Shirley Pepper.  
**Church:** Ryan & Chinsonso Leaver  
**Local Community:** Main Street (G)  
**General:** For Aid Workers

**Wednesday 2nd April**

**Sick:** David Stanton, Bob Pennington, John, Steve Webb  
**Years Mind:** Emma Stenton  
**Church:** Kerry & Paul Lennon.  
**Local Community:** Manor Avenue (G)  
**General:** For a Holy Lent

**Thursday 3rd April**

**Sick:** John Freeborn, Vic Humphreys, Gordon Wordsworth  
Maureen Humphreys.  
**Years Mind:** George Cocking, George Smeaton.  
**Church:** Rosalie Mace  
**Local Community:** Manor Way (B)  
**General:** For Christian Unity

**Friday 4th April**

**Sick:** Will Hanley, Josephine Mellor, Enid Green, Janet Newsome.  
**Years Mind:** Mary Farrington, Fanny Dexter, Eric Addis, Tom Feeney, Samuel Dunstan  
**Church:** Cal Malvan.  
**Local Community:** Maori Avenue (B)  
**General:** For a Holy Lent

**Saturday 5th April**

**Sick:** Barbara, Alan Walford, Rena Shaw, Mary Haigh  
**Years Mind:** Madge Myra Otter.  
**Church:** Jan McGann  
**Local Community:** Market Place (B)  
**General:** For the Mission of the Church

**Daily**

For the dead  
For our families  
For Peter Bishop of Sheffield  
For Stephen Bishop of Beverley  
For the Unity of Christ's Church  
For our Church Wardens and PCC members  
For the growth of our Christian Family  
For the poor, the sick and those with no hope  
For any who need our prayers  
For ourselves

**Sing again the joys of Mary when she saw the risen Lord, And in prayer with Christ's apostles, waited on his promised word: From on high the blazing glory of the Spirit's presence came, Heavenly breath of God's own being, Manifest through wind and flame.**

**Sing the chiefest joy of Mary when on earth her work was done, And the Lord of all creation brought her to his heavenly home: Virgin Mother, Mary blessed, Raised on high and crowned with grace May thy Son, the world's redeemer, Grant us all to see his face.**

*Priest:* ✠ In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit  
*People:* **Amen**

*Priest:* The Lord be with you  
*People:* **And with your spirit.**

*The Mass is introduced along with its intention and theme and we call to mind our sins.*

*Priest:* Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

*Cantor:* You were sent to heal the contrite of heart. Lord have mercy.  
*People:* **Lord have mercy.**

*Cantor:* You came to call, you came to sinners. Christ have mercy.  
*People:* **Christ have mercy**

*Cantor:* You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us. Lord have mercy.  
*People:* **Lord have mercy.**

*Priest:* May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.  
*People:* **Amen.**

*The Collect or prayer for the day*

Let us pray.  
O God, who through your Word reconcile the human race to yourself in a wonderful way, grant, we pray, that with prompt devotion and eager faith the Christian people may hasten toward the solemn celebrations to come.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.  
**Amen**

The Liturgy of the Word

*We sit for The First Reading*

A reading from the book of the Prophet Joshua  
*Joshua 5:9a, 10-12*

In those days: The Lord said to Joshua, 'Today I have rolled away the reproach of Egypt from you.' While the people of Israel were encamped at Gilgal, they kept the Passover on the fourteenth day of the month in the evening on the plains of Jericho. And the day after the Passover, on that very day, they ate of the produce of the land, unleavened cakes and parched grain. And the manna ceased the day after they ate of the produce of the land. And there was no longer manna for the people of Israel, but they ate of the fruit of the land of Canaan that year.

The word of the Lord  
**Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm  
*Ps 34(33):2-3. 4-5. 6-7. □ cf. 18b*

Taste and see that the Lord is good.  
**Taste and see that the Lord is good.**

I will bless the Lord at all times, praise of him is always in my mouth. In the Lord my soul shall make its boast; the humble shall hear and be glad.  
**Taste and see that the Lord is good.**

Glorify the Lord with me; together let us praise his name. I sought the Lord, and he answered me; from all my terrors he set me free.  
**Taste and see that the Lord is good.**

***“Rejoice always, pray constantly, give thanks in all circumstances for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you”***  
1 Thessalonians Ch5 vv17-18.

**In this leaflet it is hoped that, as a parish, we will find some direction and focus for our prayers that through praying together for the same things and the same people we may find a common purpose in responding to the needs of our world and our parish and place ourselves more readily into the hands of God.**

**It is hoped that either weekly or daily we can take some time together to pray wherever we are for the needs of our Church, our World, our parish, the individuals we come across and the departed. For, ‘all things are possible for God’.**

**If you would like anyone or anything added to this prayer list, please hand it to the vicar in writing, the list will be revised weekly.**

**Daily Prayer for our Parish**

**Heavenly Father grant us grace in Goldthorpe, Hickleton and Bolton upon Dearne to worship you with all our being, to show your love to all our neighbours and to proclaim your saving power to all the world and in all we do to glorify your Name grant us humble and penitent hearts and all this through the saving merits of our faith in Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.**

**THE PARISHES OF  
GOLDTHORPE, HICKLETON &  
BOLTON UPON DEARNE**

**Parish Intercession List**



**Week commencing  
Fourth Sunday of  
Lent (C)**

# NOTICES

## LENT

Lent begins on Wednesday it is a time for particular repentance, it matters to us as individuals and it matters to us as a church and it matters for our world. There are plenty of resources available at the back of church for prayer and study and we will be raising funds for charity through our Lenten disciplines.

## Easter Flowers

If you would like to contribute towards flowers at Easter in any of our churches, either in thanksgiving for blessings received or in memory of a loved one please see the treasurers and if possible Gift Aid your donation. At Goldthorpe there is a designated donation box near the font. Thank you.

## Easter Egg Raffle

We will be holding Easter Egg Raffles in each of our churches if you would like to donate a prize, please bring it along with you to church.

## Lent lunches

Lent lunches begin on Friday 7th March at 12 noon in Goldthorpe Parish Hall. Please sign the list if you are hoping to be there.

## ELECTORAL ROLL

Our Church electoral Roll is being revised and renewed, (it happens every five years) New forms are enclosed. It is important that you fill out these forms so that you can have a say in what happens in your church.

## PCC Meetings

Thank you to all those who have stood for our new PCCs at the APCM. Thank you also to those who have retired from their offices.. The dates for the new PCC meetings are for Goldthorpe PCC on Sunday 6th April 2025 after Mass at Goldthorpe. Hickleton PCC will meet at Goldthorpe at 7pm on Wednesday 9th April and Bolton PCC will meet at 1pm on Thursday 1st May at church.

## Food Bank

We are collecting items for the Salvation Army Food Bank and there is a basket at the back of church. 'Thank you.

**[www.parishofgoldthorpeandhickleton.co.uk](http://www.parishofgoldthorpeandhickleton.co.uk)**

Look towards him and be radiant;  
let your faces not be abashed.  
This lowly one called; the Lord heard,  
and rescued him from all his distress.  
**Taste and see that the Lord is good.**

*The Second Reading follows*

A Reading from the second letter of Saint Paul to the Corinthians  
*2 Corinthians 5:17-21*

Brothers and Sisters: If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ; God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ: be reconciled to God. For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.  
The Word of the Lord  
**Thanks be to God**

*We stand for the Gospel Acclamation*

**Praise to you O Christ, king of eternal glory. Praise to you O Christ king of eternal glory.**

I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you'.

**Praise to you O Christ, king of eternal glory. Praise to you O Christ king of eternal glory.**

*Priest:* The Lord be with you  
*People:* **And with your spirit.**

✠A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke  
**Glory to you, O Lord**  
*Luke 15:1-3, 11-32*

At that time: The tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to hear Jesus. And the Pharisees and the scribes grumbled, saying, 'This man receives sinners and eats with them.' So he told them this parable: 'There was a man who had two sons. And the younger of them said to his father, "Father, give me the share of property that is coming to me." And he divided his property between them. Not many days later, the younger son gathered all he had and took a journey into a far country, and there he squandered his property in reckless living. And when he had spent everything, a severe famine arose in that country, and he began to be in need. So he went and hired himself out to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him into his fields to feed pigs. And he was longing to be fed with the pods that the pigs ate, and no one gave him anything. 'But when he came to himself, he said, "How many of my father's hired servants have more than enough bread, but I perish here with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you. I am no longer worthy to be called your son. Treat me as one of your hired servants.' " 'And he arose and came to his father. But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and felt compassion, and ran and embraced him and kissed him. And the son said to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you. I am no longer worthy to be called your son." But the father said to his servants, "Bring quickly the best robe, and put it on him, and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet. And bring the fattened calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate. For this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found." And they began to celebrate.  
'Now his older son was in the field, and as he came and drew near to the house, he heard music and dancing. And he called one of the servants and asked what these things meant. And he said to him, "Your brother has come, and your father has killed the

fattened calf, because he has received him back safe and sound." But he was angry and refused to go in. His father came out and entreated him, but he answered his father, "Look, these many years I have served you, and I never disobeyed your command, yet you never gave me a young goat, that I might celebrate with my friends. But when this son of yours came, who has devoured your property with prostitutes, you killed the fattened calf for him!" And he said to him, "Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. It was fitting to celebrate and be glad, for this your brother was dead, and is alive; he was lost, and is found."

The Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

*The Homily now follows*

*We sit*

*We stand for*

The Profession of Faith (Creed)

**I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,**

*At the words that follow, up to and including and became man, all bow.*

**and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the**

**Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.**

**I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.**

**I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the Resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come Amen.**

*The Bidding Prayers now follow*

*Response*

*Priest:* Lord, hear us

*People:* **Lord graciously hear us**

*Priest:* Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord

*People:* **and let light perpetual shine upon them**

*Priest:* May they rest in peace

*People:* **Amen**

*People:* **Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us sinners now, and at the hour of our death.**

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

*We sing the Offertory Hymn*

**Ave Maria, O Maiden, O Mother, fondly thy children are calling on thee; thine are the graces unclaimed by another, sinless and beautiful Star of the sea.**

***Mater amabilis, ora pro nobis, pray for thy children who call upon thee; Ave Sanctissima, Ave Purissima sinless and beautiful Star of the sea.***

**Ave Maria, the night shades are falling, softly, our voices arise unto thee; earth's lonely exiles for succour are calling, sinless and beautiful Star of the sea.**

***Mater amabilis, ora pro nobis,....***

Day	Service/Event	Intention
Monday 31st March 2025 <i>feria</i>	8am Mass at Goldthorpe	For Peace
Tuesday 1st April 2025 <i>feria</i>	10.30am Mass at Bolton Church Hall 7pm Mass at Goldthorpe	For all Aid Workers
Wednesday 2nd April <i>feria</i>	9am Mass at Goldthorpe 2pm Stations of the Cross at Sacred Heart 6pm Vestry Hour at Goldthorpe	For a Holy Lent
Thursday 3rd April <i>feria</i>	10am Mass at Hickleton 1pm Lent course at Bolton	For Christian Unity
Friday 4th April <i>feria</i>	10.30am Mass at Goldthorpe 12noon Lent Lunch in Goldthorpe Parish Hall 6pm Stations of the Cross at Goldthorpe	For a holy Lent
Saturday 5th April <i>Feria</i>	9am Mass at Goldthorpe 10am Coffee Morning at Bolton Church Hall	For the Mission of the Church
Sunday 6th April 2025 Fifth Sunday of Lent C Mothering Sunday	9am Parish Mass at Hickleton 10.30am Parish Mass at Bolton 10.30am Parish Mass at Goldthorpe 12noon Goldthorpe PCC at Goldthorpe	Thanksgiving for the Resurrection and for our Parish.

**This Booklet and the light before the Blessed Sacrament are paid for in loving memory of  
TOM FEENEY  
R.I.P.**

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

<u>March 2025</u>		
Sun 30th	Mothering Sunday	
<u>April 2025</u>		
Wed 2nd	2pm Stations of the Cross	Sacred Heart
Fri 4th	12noon Lent Lunch	(PB) Goldthorpe Hall
	6pm Stations of the Cross	Goldthorpe
Sat 5th	10am Coffee Morning	(CW/JP) Bolton Hall
Sun 6th	12:30 Goldthorpe PCC Meeting	Goldthorpe
Mon 7th	10.45am Dorothy Law's funeral	Bolton
	1.30pm William Lyons' funeral	Ardsley Crem
Wed 9th	2pm Stations of the Cross	Sacred Heart
	7pm Hickleton PCC Meeting	Goldthorpe
Thurs 10th	10.45am Paul Mellor's funeral	Goldthorpe
Fri 11th	12noon Lent Lunch	(PB) Goldthorpe Hall
	6pm Stations of the Cross	Goldthorpe
Sat 12th	Easter Egg Hunt/ /Open day	Hickleton
Sun 13th	<b>Palm Sunday with Procession</b>	All Churches
Mon 14th	12noon Chrism Mass	Goldthorpe
	7pm Mass and Address	Goldthorpe
Tues 15th	7pm Mass and Address	Goldthorpe
Wed 16th	7pm Mass and Address	Goldthorpe
Thurs 17th	7pm Mass of the Lords Last Supper and the watch until midnight	Goldthorpe
Fri 18th	10.30am Stations of the Cross.	Bolton
	2pm The Liturgy of Good Friday	Bolton
	2pm The Liturgy of Good Friday	Goldthorpe
Sat 19th	9am Church cleaning and dressing for Easter	All churches
Sun 20th	<b>EASTER DAY</b>	
Sat 26th	10am Coffee Morning	Goldthorpe Hall
Sun 27th	Sponsored Walk	(JS) ???
<u>May 2025</u>		
Sat 3rd	10am Coffee Morning	(CW) Bolton Hall
Sat 31st	10am Coffee Morning	(SC/PB) Goldthorpe Hall
<u>June 2025</u>		
Sat 7th	10am Coffee Morning	(CW) Bolton Church
???	Disco	(SP/KL) Goldthorpe Hall
TBA	Garden Party	(GW) The Wordsworth's
Sat 28th	10am Coffee Morning	(SC/PB) Goldthorpe Hall
<u>July 2025</u>		
Sat 5th	10am Coffee Morning	(CW) Bolton Church
Sat 19th	10am Focal Ministry Meeting	Goldthorpe Hall
Sun 20th	12:30 Goldthorpe PCC Meeting	Goldthorpe
Wed 23rd	7pm Hickleton PCC Meeting	Goldthorpe
Sat 26th	10am Coffee Morning	(SC/PB) Goldthorpe Hall Fri

**Ave Maria, thy children are kneeling,  
words of endearment are murmured  
to thee;  
softly thy spirit upon us is stealing,  
sinless and beautiful Star of the sea.  
Mater amabilis, ora pro nobis,.....**

*If the prayers of blessing are said aloud the  
people respond each time*

**Blessed be God for ever.**

*We stand*

Pray, my Brothers and Sisters that this  
my sacrifice and yours may be  
acceptable to God the almighty Father

**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at  
your hands for the praise and glory  
of his name, for our good and the  
good of all his holy Church.**

*The prayer over the Offerings*

We place before you with joy these  
offerings, which bring eternal remedy,  
O Lord, praying that we may both  
faithfully revere them and present them  
to you, as is fitting, for the salvation of  
all the world. Through Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

*The Eucharistic Prayer*

*Priest:* The Lord be with you

*People:* **And with your spirit**

*Priest:* Lift up your hearts

*People:* **We lift them up to the Lord.**

*Priest:* Let us give thanks to the Lord  
our God.

*People:* **It is right and just**

*At the end of the preface we sing*

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts  
Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.  
Heaven and earth are full, full of  
your glory Hosanna in the highest.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the  
name of the Lord. Hosanna in the  
highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

*We Kneel After the words of Consecration the  
priest says:*

*Priest:* The mystery of faith.

*People* **When we eat this bread and  
drink this cup we proclaim  
your death, O Lord, until you  
come again**

*At the conclusion of the prayer:*

Through him, and with him, and in him  
O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the  
Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours,  
for ever and ever.

*People:* **AMEN.**

*We stand for The Lord's Prayer*

*Priest:* At the Saviour's command and  
formed by divine teaching, we  
dare to say:

*People:* **Our Father, who art in  
heaven, hallowed be thy  
name; thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done on earth  
as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily  
bread, and forgive us our  
trespasses, as we forgive  
those who trespass  
against us; and lead us  
not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.**

*Priest:* Deliver us, Lord, we pray,  
from every evil, graciously  
grant peace in our days,  
that, by the help of your  
mercy, we may be always  
free from sin and safe from  
all distress, as we await the  
blessed hope and the coming  
of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

*People* **For the kingdom,  
the power and the glory  
are yours now and for ever.**

*Priest:* Lord Jesus Christ, who said  
to your Apostles: Peace  
I leave you, my peace I give  
you; look not on our sins, but  
on the faith of your Church,  
and graciously grant her  
peace and unity in accordance  
with your will. Who live and  
reign for ever and ever.

*People:* **Amen.**

*Priest:* The peace of the Lord be  
with you always.

*People:* **And with your spirit.**

*Priest:* Let us offer each other the sign of  
peace

*We share the sign of peace*

*The Breaking of the Bread*

*People:* **Lamb of God, you take away  
the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away  
the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away  
the sins of the world,  
grant us peace.**

*We kneel*

*Priest:* ✠Behold the Lamb of God,  
behold him who takes away  
the sins of the world.  
Blessed are those called to  
the supper of the Lamb.

*People:* **Lord, I am not worthy that  
you should enter under my  
roof, but only say the word  
and my soul shall be healed.**

*The Communion Sentence*

*Priest:* You must rejoice, my son, for  
your brother was dead and has  
come to life; he was lost and is  
found.

*We come forward to receive Holy Communion*

*We sing the Communion Hymn*

**Mary, most holy, from your hands  
falling  
are heaven's blessings. Hear us, now  
calling.  
Teach us to pray and work for God's  
glory.  
Ave Maria, ave**

**Help us to witness Christ is still living,  
service to others cheerfully giving.  
Teach us to pray and work for God's  
glory.  
Ave Maria, ave**

**Through joy and sorrow, each day's  
condition,  
ever, dear Mother, hear our petition.  
Teach us to pray and work for God's  
glory.  
Ave Maria, ave**

*We stand for the Post Communion prayer*

O God, who enlighten everyone who  
comes into this world, illuminate our  
hearts, we pray, with the splendour of your  
grace, that we may always ponder  
what is worthy and pleasing to your  
Majesty and love you in all sincerity.  
Through Christ our Lord.

*People:* **Amen**

*Any Notices etc may follow now.*

The Concluding Rites

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **and with your spirit.**

*Priest:* Bow down for God's blessing

*Priest:* Look upon those who call to you,  
O Lord, and sustain the weak;  
give life by your unfailing light  
to those who walk in the shadow  
of death, and bring those rescued  
by your mercy from every evil  
to reach the highest good.  
Through Christ our Lord.

*People:* **Amen.**

*Priest:* And may the blessing of  
almighty God, the Father, and  
the Son, † and the Holy Spirit,  
come down on you and remain  
with you for ever.

*People:* **Amen.**

*Priest:* Go forth the Mass is ended

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

*We sing our final Hymn*

**As I kneel before you,  
as I bow my head in prayer,  
take this day, make it yours  
and fill me with your love.  
Ave Maria, gratia plena,  
Dominus tecum, benedicta tu.**

**All I have I give you  
ev'ry dream and wish are yours.  
Mother of Christ, Mother of mine,  
present them to my Lord.  
Ave Maria, gratia plena,  
Dominus tecum, benedicta tu.**

**As I kneel before you,  
and I see your smiling face,  
ev'ry thought, ev'ry word  
is lost in your embrace.  
Ave Maria, gratia plena,  
Dominus tecum, benedicta tu.**