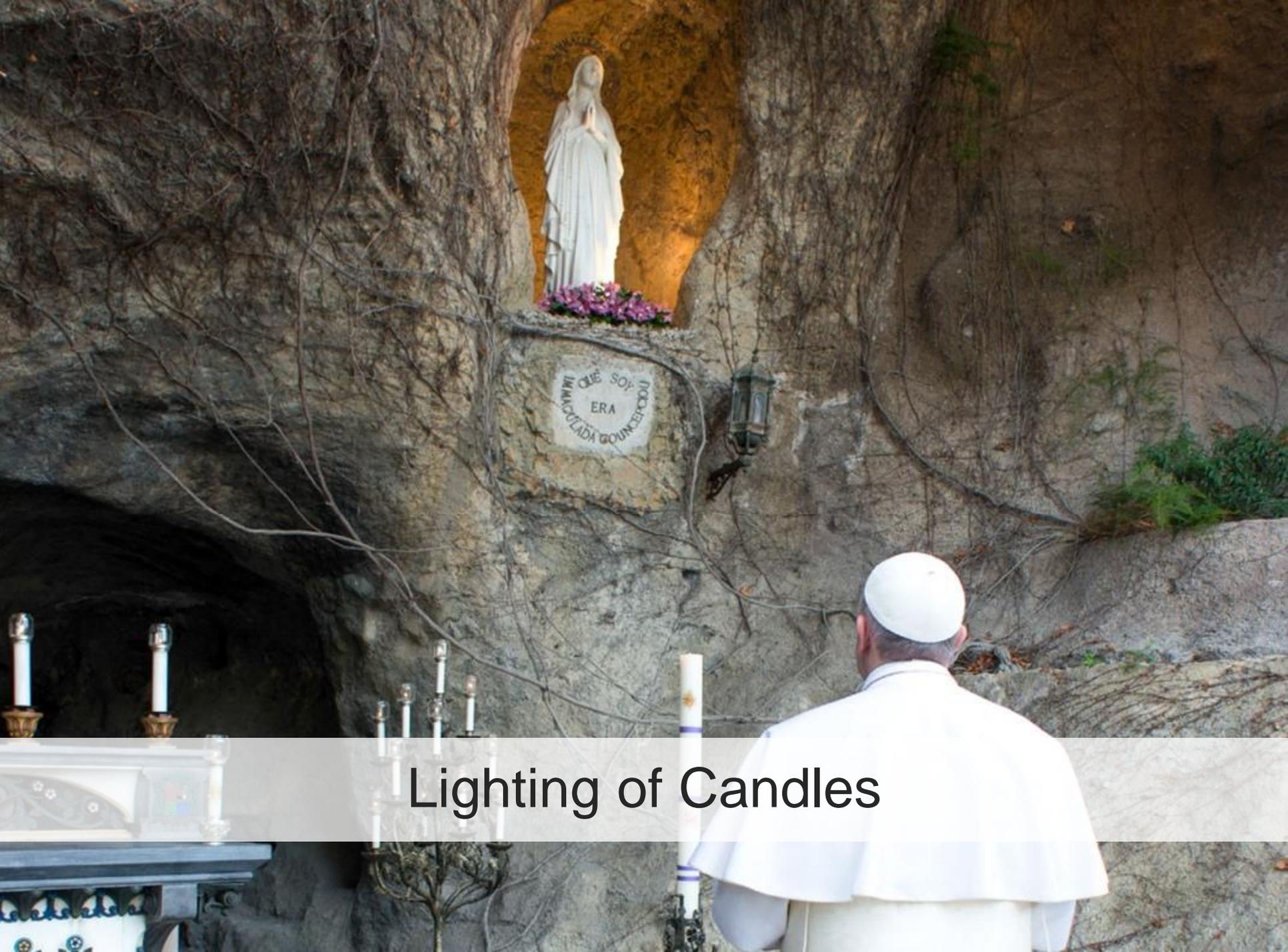




**ROSARY – Joyful Mysteries  
for the end of the Pandemic**  
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# Prayer before Recitation

Heavenly Father, we lift up to you our intentions for the end of the pandemic that has wounded Brunei recently and taken many lives around the world and has caused great hardship for many. May the candles we lit tonight and our prayers illuminate and transform the darkness surrounding us into an aurora of new light. We make this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Lighting of Candles

# The Apostles' Creed

*All:* I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He arose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven, and is seated at the right hand

of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the Communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

*Our Father, three Hail Marys, Glory Be*

# The First Joyful Mystery

## - *The Annunciation*

The angel Gabriel announced to Mary that she would give birth to Jesus. Mary obediently responded “yes” to God’s plan. Dedicate this entire decade to women who are pregnant and fearful during this time- that they may carry in safety and give birth to healthy children.



*Mary, help all pregnant mothers ...*

Our Father ...

Hail Marys ... x10

Glory Be ... O My Jesus ...

# **The Second Joyful Mystery**

## *- The Visitation of Mary to Elizabeth*

Mary visited her cousin Elizabeth, offering to help the aged woman during the final weeks of her miraculous pregnancy. Dedicate this mystery to the aged and to all who are afraid or alone; especially those in nursing homes and hospitals who are not allowed to be visited by their loved ones.



*Mary, comfort those who are alone without  
visitors...*

Our Father ...

Hail Marys ... x10

Glory Be ... O My Jesus ...

# The Third Joyful Mystery

*- The Nativity of our Lord*

Mary and Joseph traveled to Bethlehem and gave birth to Jesus in stable. Dedicate this mystery to families who experience birth at this time without the help of grandparents, relatives or friends. Pray for the safe delivery of babies all over the world born during this time of pandemic - that they will have the love and nourishment they need to lead healthy lives.



*Mary, bring safety and care to all the newly  
born in the world...*

Our Father ...

Hail Marys ... x10

Glory Be ... O My Jesus ...

# **The Fourth Joyful Mystery**

*- The Presentation of Jesus in the Temple*

Mary and Joseph brought Jesus to the temple for purification, and to uphold family tradition. Dedicate this mystery to children, parents and families who are learning patience and how to relate to each other in new ways; that holiness and care for others will be upheld in family situations.



*Mary, show all families how to grow in  
love...*

Our Father ...

Hail Marys ... x10

Glory Be ... O My Jesus ...

# **The Fifth Joyful Mystery**

*- The Finding of Jesus in the Temple*

Jesus was found teaching in the temple among the scholars of his day. Pray this final decade for those devoted to research—that discovery will soon help treat and cure this pandemic. Pray that science and faith may harmonize to bring gratitude into our lives and worship again.



*Mary, inspire scientists and researchers to  
discover a cure...*

Our Father ...

Hail Marys ... x10

Glory Be ... O My Jesus ...

# Hail Holy Queen

*All:* Hail Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy,  
our life, our sweetness and our hope.  
To Thee do we cry, poor banished  
children of Eve. To Thee do we send  
up our sighs, mourning and weeping in  
this valley of tears. Turn then, most  
gracious Advocate, Thine eyes of  
mercy toward us, and after this, our

exile, show unto us the Blessed Fruit of  
Thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving,  
O sweet Virgin Mary!

*Leader:* Pray for us O Holy Mother of  
God,

*All:* That we may be made worthy of  
the promises of Christ.

*Leader:* Let us pray.

*All:* O God Whose only begotten Son by His life, death, and resurrection has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life; grant we beseech Thee, that meditating on these mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

# PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen.

# Pope Prayer to Virgin Mary for Protection

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith. You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need. We are certain that you will

provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial. Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us: He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.

We seek refuge under your protection,  
O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise  
our pleas – we who are put to the test  
– and deliver us from every danger, O  
glorious and blessed Virgin.

# To you, O blessed Joseph

This prayer was composed by Pope Leo XIII in his 1889 encyclical, *Quamquam pluries*. It especially recommended to be prayed at the end of the Rosary.

To you, O blessed Joseph, do we come in our afflictions, and having implored the help of your most holy Spouse, we confidently invoke your patronage also.

Through that charity which bound you to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God and through the paternal love with which you embraced the Child Jesus, we humbly beg you graciously to regard the inheritance which Jesus Christ has purchased by his Blood, and with your power and strength to aid us in our necessities.

O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, defend the chosen children of Jesus Christ; O most loving father, ward off from us every contagion of error and corrupting influence; O our most mighty protector, be kind to us and from heaven assist us in our struggle with the power of darkness. As once you rescued the Child Jesus from deadly peril, so now protect God's

Holy Church from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity; shield, too, each one of us by your constant protection, so that, supported by your example and your aid, we may be able to live piously, to die in holiness, and to obtain eternal happiness in heaven.  
Amen.