Litany of Supplication

As prayed by Pope Francis at the *Urbi et orbi* prayer service on Friday, March 27, 2020

We adore you, O Lord

True God and true man, truly present in this holy Sacrament,

We adore you, O Lord

Our Savior, God with us, faithful and rich in mercy,

We adore you, O Lord

King and Lord of creation and of history,

We adore you, O Lord

Conqueror of sin and death,

We adore you, O Lord

Friend of humankind, the Risen One, the Living One who sits at the right hand of the Father,

We adore you, O Lord

We believe in you, O Lord

Only begotten Son of the Father, descended from heaven for our salvation,

We believe in you, O Lord

Heavenly physician, who bows down over our misery,

We believe in you, O Lord

Lamb who was slain, who offer yourself to rescue us from evil,

We believe in you, O Lord

Good Shepherd, who give your life for the flock which you love,

We believe in you, O Lord

Living bread and medicine for immortality, who give us eternal life,

We believe in you, O Lord



Deliver us, O Lord

From the power of Satan and the seductions of the world,

Deliver us. O Lord

From the pride and presumption of being able to do anything without you,

Deliver us, O Lord

From the deceptions of fear and anxiety, *Deliver us, O Lord*

From unbelief and desperation,

Deliver us, O Lord

From hardness of heart and the incapacity to love,

Deliver us, O Lord

Save us. O Lord

From every evil that afflicts humanity, *Save us, O Lord*

From hunger, from famine and from egoism, Save us, O Lord

From illnesses, epidemics and the fear of our brothers and sisters.

Save us, O Lord

From devastating madness, from ruthless interests and from violence,

Save us, O Lord

From being deceived, from false information and the manipulation of consciences,

Save us. O Lord

Comfort us, O Lord

Protect your Church which crosses the desert,

Comfort us, O Lord

Protect humanity terrified by fear and anguish,

Comfort us, O Lord

Protect the sick and the dying, oppressed by loneliness.

Comfort us, O Lord

Protect doctors and healthcare providers exhausted by the difficulties they are facing, *Comfort us, O Lord*

Protect politicians and decision makers who bear the weight of having to make decisions, *Comfort us, O Lord*

Grant us your Spirit, O Lord

In the hour of trial and from confusion, Grant us your Spirit, O Lord

In temptation and in our fragility, Grant us your Spirit, O Lord

In the battle against evil and sin, Grant us your Spirit, O Lord

In the search for what is truly good and true joy,

Grant us your Spirit, O Lord

In the decision to remain in you and in your friendship,

Grant us your Spirit, O Lord

Open us to hope, O Lord

Should sin oppress us,
Open us to hope, O Lord
Should hatred close our hearts,
Open us to hope, O Lord
Should sorrow visit us,
Open us to hope, O Lord
Should indifference cause us anguish,

Open us to hope, O Lord
Should death overwhelm us,
Open us to hope, O Lord

