

The Prayer of the Angel!

(frequently said by the children of Fatima)

My God, I believe, I adore, I hope,
and love You. I ask pardon for those
who do not believe, who do not adore,
who have no hope, and who do not love
You. **(Three times.)**

Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son, and
Holy Ghost, I offer to You, while I adore
them, the very precious Body, Blood,
Soul and Divinity of Our Lord Jesus
Christ present in all the Tabernacles in
the world in reparation for the outrages
by which He is Himself offended.

By the Infinite merits of His Sacred
Heart and by the intercession of the
Immaculate Heart of Mary, I beg of You
the conversion of sinners.



Shrine of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary
of Fatima

St. Francis Xavier Church

448 Metairie Road

New Orleans 20, La.

Ó meu Jesus, perdoai-nos, livrai-nos do fogo do inferno, levai as almas tôdas para o Céu, ajudai principalmente as que mais precisarem.

My Jesus forgive our sins! Save us from the fires of hell! Relieve the holy souls in Purgatory, especially the most abandoned.

(100 days indulgence)

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The Statue of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary of Fatima, a gift to St. Francis Xavier Church from the Portugese Consul in New Orleans and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Carvalho, was carved in Portugal, at the site of Our Lady's apparitions. It is an exact replica of the statue now in the Basilica in Fatima. Having been carried in a solemn procession of about 10,000 persons to the Basilica, it was blessed by his excellency Most Reverend Senator Dom José Alves Correia da Silva, Bishop of Leiria, on August 13, 1947. Another procession of about 10,000 accompanied the statue on September 8th when it left Portugal for its destination in New Orleans.

The statue is carved from Brazilian cedar wood painted in delicate colors. Embedded in the wood there are 120 jewels. The crown is solid silver surmounted by twelve solid gold stars set with semi-precious stones. The fifteen decade rosary in the hands is solid gold. Supporting the statue is a reliquary containing some soil, a piece of stone, and some leaves of the tree where the apparitions took place. The reliquary itself is over 250 years old, and was given to Mr. Carvalho by the Archbishop of Braga, Portugal.

During the months of December 1947, January and February 1948 the statue was exposed, (with full approval of His Excellency Most Reverend Joseph Francis Rummel, Archbishop of New Orleans) in various churches and institutions of the Archdiocese. After February 29th the statue will be kept permanently in a special shrine in St. Francis Xavier Church, 448 Metairie Road. It being the first statue "Blessed at Fatima" to remain permanently in the United States.

SERVICES IN HONOR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA:—

Every First Saturday of the month at
6:30 and 8:15 A. M.

Every Tuesday at 7:30 P. M.

Every 13th day of the month at
7:30 P. M.