

BENEDICTION

Prayers for Benediction

The following prayers should be said during Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament as noted:

At the principal Benediction on Sundays and Holydays of Obligation *O Blessed Virgin Mary*. However, on 2nd Sunday of the month this is replaced by *Hail Mary* together with *O Merciful God* and *O Loving Lord Jesus*.

On the Friday, Saturday and Sunday following the Feast of Corpus Christi in all Cathedrals, and as far as possible in Parish Churches, the Triduum in honour of the Blessed Sacrament.

On the Feast of the Sacred Heart, the Act of Reparation to the Sacred Heart. The form of Consecration to and the Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus may also be said.

On the Sunday after the Feast of SS Peter and Paul, or on the Feast itself should it fall on a Sunday, the Dedication of England to S Peter.

On 1st Sunday of October the Dedication of England to the BVM.

On the Feast of OLJC the King the Form of Consecration to and the Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

From 1st October to 2nd November inclusive the October Devotions.

In Wales whenever Solemn Benediction is given *O Almighty God* together with the Invocations that follow.

(Ritus Servandus in Solemni Expositione et Benedictione Sanctissimi Sacramenti 1954)