



ST JOSEPHINE BAKHITA

A PRAYER FOR MERCY

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

Gracious and Divine God, we gathered in this holy place, allow Your spirit to fill our very being. Most Gracious and loving God, we remember the struggle of our people, black people, people of African-descent, your people and thank you for your grace, your love, and your mercy. We thank you for leaders that You continue to place in high places and ordinary places. Inspire each of us to work to do Your divine will and purpose; to work more faithful for justice and dignity of life everywhere. Lord God of heaven and earth, we remember the hurts of exclusion and prejudice, but we know that You can raise our vision above all barriers and give us wisdom and courage to make this a better world.

Oh, Merciful and Gracious God, as You give Yourself in the Bread of hope the cup of Mercy show us how to give ourselves to those who are without hope and those who cry out for mercy.

In the Name of the Merciful God of Liberation Christ Jesus.

(Mention Your Request)

Guardian of the Word Incarnate, I feel confident that your prayers on my behalf will be graciously heard before the throne of God. St. Valentine Most Obedient, Pray for us! Amen

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end Amen.

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