

## CHAPLET OF OUR LADY OF THE CAPE (OR NOTRE DAME DU CAP)

The chaplet begins with the traditional novena prayer to Our Lady of the Cape. It can be prayed for 9 days in a row leading up to a Marian feast day or anytime.

### OPENING PRAYER:

O holy Virgin Mary, our most merciful Mother, and powerful Queen,  
We thy children humbly prostrate before thee, implore thy grace and help.

With confidence we come to thee, O Queen of the Holy Rosary;  
To thee do we turn our eyes. Bestow on us, we beg thee,  
This special favour which we ask... (*mention your petition*)

Grant us health of body and purity of soul. Increase our faith and love so that  
we may know thy Divine Son better and serve Him ever faithfully.

O tender and merciful Mother, intercede for those who are dear to us.

Heal the sick, comfort the dying, and have pity on the faithfully departed.

Protect our families; guard our country; and keep holy Mother Church safe from all evil.

Our Lady of the Cape, may we love thee more and more, so that one day, united with thee in  
Heaven, we may praise thy Son eternally. Amen

### PRAY ON 3 DECADES OF A ROSARY

1. **On the first decade (10 beads):** Our Father
2. **On the second decade (10 beads):** Hail Mary
3. **On the third decade (10 beads):** Glory Be

SOURCE: "Welcome to Notre Dame", by Thomas F. Murphy, Nihil Obstat, and Imprimatur, 1963.