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Marian Thoughts of Pope Francis



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January 1 – Angelus –Translated conclusion (January 1, 2020, Vatican.va).

On the first day of the year, the Liturgy celebrates the Holy Mother of God, Mary, the Virgin of Nazareth who gave birth to Jesus, the Savior.

For more of what the pope said about Mary:

http://w2.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/angelus/2020/documents/papa-francesco_angelus_20200101.html

January 1 – Homily on the Solemnity of Mary Mother of God –Translated extract (January 1, 2020, Zenit.org).

In God, there will forever be our humanity and Mary will forever be the Mother of God.

For more of what the pope said about Mary:

<https://zenit.org/articles/pope-on-new-years-day-lets-stand-acclaim-the-lady-the-holy-mother-of-god-all-together-now-three-times/>

January 1 – Pope’s Message for 53rd World Day of Peace –Translated conclusion (January 1, 2020, Zenit.org).

May Mary, Mother of the Prince of Peace and Mother of all the peoples of the earth, accompany and sustain us at every step of our journey of reconciliation.

January 3 – Pope’s Message for 28th World Day of the Sick –Translated conclusion (January 3, 2020, Zenit.org).

To the Blessed Virgin Mary, Health of the Sick, I entrust all those who bear the burden of illness, along with their families and all healthcare workers.

January 5 – Angelus –Translated conclusion (January 5, 2020, Vatican.va).

May the Virgin Mary help us to receive with joy and gratitude the divine design of God, achieved in Jesus Christ.

January 6 – Angelus: On the Feast of the Epiphany –Translated conclusion (January 6, 2020, Vatican.va).

Let us ask the Holy Virgin that we may become witnesses of Christ where we are, with a new life transformed by His love.

January 9 – Pope Francis Addresses Diplomatic Corps –Translated conclusion (January 9, 2020, Zenit.org).

One of Raphael's favorite subjects was the Virgin Mary. To her he dedicated many a canvas that can be admired today in museums throughout the world. For the Catholic Church, this year marks the seventieth anniversary of the proclamation of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

For more of what the pope said about Mary:

<https://zenit.org/articles/pope-francis-addresses-diplomatic-corps-full-text/>

January 12 – Angelus –Translated conclusion (January 12, 2020, Vatican.va).

May Mary Most Holy help us to increasingly understand the gift of Baptism and to live it consistently in everyday situations.

January 13 – Holy Father to the Community of the Pontifical Ethiopian College in the Vatican (Audience) –Translated extract (January 13, 2020, Zenit.org).

As children of the Churches of Ethiopia and Eritrea, love much the Mother of God, Mary Most Holy.

January 19 – Angelus –Translated conclusion (January 18, 2020, Vatican.va).

May the Virgin Mary obtain for us the strength to bear witness to her Son Jesus; to proclaim Him with joy with a life freed from evil and a word full of astonished and grateful faith.

January 20 – Pope Receives Delegation of Fishermen from San Benedetto del Tronto (Audience) –Translated conclusion (January 20, 2020, Zenit.org).

With these wishes, I entrust you to the protection of the Virgin Mary, whom you venerate as "Our Lady of the Sea", and of your patron Saint Francis of Paola.

January 24 – Pope Francis' Message for 54th World Communications Day –Translated extract (January 24, 2020, Zenit.org).

In order to do this, let us entrust ourselves to a woman who knit together in her womb the humanity of God and, the Gospel tells us, wove together the events of her life.

For more of what the pope said about Mary:

<https://zenit.org/articles/pope-francis-message-for-54th-world-communications-day/>

January 26 – Angelus –Translated conclusion (January 26, 2020, Vatican.va).

May the Virgin Mary whom we address in this prayer of the Angelus, support these intentions and strengthen them with her maternal intercession.