

O Lord, our God.
We place our trust in You,
Because you are mercy itself.
We repent of our sins and turn to You for mercy.
We trust You to provide for our every need,
according to Your will.
Help us to forgive others as You forgive us.
We promise to be merciful by our
deeds, words and prayers.
Though we have fears because of human weakness,
we rely on Your infinite goodness and mercy.
We entrust to You the future of our planet,
our Church, our nations, our families and all our needs.
With loud cries we implore your mercy on us
and on the whole world.
Look upon us, created in your image and likeness.
Form us in the Heart of Mary by the power of the Holy Spirit
into the living images of mercy.
May all come to know the depth of Your mercy
and sing the praises of Your mercy forever.
Amen!

THIS PASSPORT BELONGS TO:

MY PASSPORT OF MERCY



CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY

What I did and the date:

FEED THE HUNGRY

- Schedule one family meal per week
- Share a meal with someone who is alone
- Sign up for a gleaning project

GIVE DRINK TO THE THIRSTY

- Give water to someone working outside
- Donate baby formula
- Invite someone to Mass (thirst for God)

CLOTHE THE NAKED

- Provide baby clothes to a pregnancy center
- Help an elderly person put on their socks
- Confront sexual exploitation in society

SHELTER THE HOMELESS

- Show hospitality to newcomers and visitors
- Help build a house with Habitat for Humanity
- Provide a home for orphans/foster children

VISIT THE SICK

- Join a ministry to the sick
- Do yardwork for the homebound
- Attend an Anointing of the Sick service

VISIT THE IMPRISONED

- Provide religious literature for prisoners
- Call someone who is homebound
- Support someone in overcoming addiction

BURY THE DEAD

- Make a meal for a grieving family
- Share support materials with the grieving
- Volunteer for cemetery cleanup days

SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY

What I did and the date:

BEAR WRONGS PATIENTLY

- Frustrated with someone? Step away from the situation, take a few deep breaths, pray the Our Father, asking God for patience

PRAY FOR THE LIVING AND DEAD

- Request a Mass intention for the sick or deceased
- Keep a prayer book with names for intentions
- Ask friends or family how you can pray for them

FORGIVE OFFENSES WILLINGLY

- Guide others towards salvation, without judgment
- When you correct someone, don't be arrogant; we are all in need of God's loving correction

COMFORT THE AFFLICTED

- Cook a meal for a friend in need
- Send a card to someone who is suffering
- Reach out – your time can make a difference

TEACH OTHERS ABOUT THE FAITH

- Go on a service trip or short-term mission trip
- Help a parish religious education program
- Read about the Catholic faith and how to live it

ENCOURAGE RECONCILIATION

- We learn to say sorry as kids, but do we mean it? Forgiveness transforms hearts and lives
- Participate in the Sacrament of Penance

COUNSEL THE DOUBTFUL

- Show God's love through your actions
- Accompany a friend to a parish event or Mass
- Share a helpful faith-related book

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