Praying the Rosary with the Diocese of Westminster The Scourging at the Pillar. Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2020





We offer this decade of the Rosary for all those affected by the coronavirus and we ask the help of Our Blessed Mother, Mary, to take our prayers to her beloved Son, Jesus.



Our Father, Who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Jesus is taken before the High Priest where he is falsely accused, buffeted and insulted.

Grant justice and comfort to those in society who have been adversely affected by the impact of the coronavirus.





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The Jewish leaders take Jesus before Pilate, for only he can impose the death penalty.

Guide our world leaders so that they can continue to work together to reduce the impact of the pandemic.





## The robber, Barabbas, is preferred to Jesus.

Grant comfort to all those in our community who are alone and vulnerable, especially in their time of need.





Pilate can "find no cause in him", yet to appease the crowd, he orders Jesus to be scourged.

Guide our school leaders on the decisions they make to mitigate the impact of the virus on their community.





The scourge is made of leather thongs to which are attached small sharp bones.

Bestow comfort on those who have suffered directly and indirectly from Covid-19.





## 6

Jesus is bound to a pillar and cruelly scourged until his whole body is covered with deep wounds.

Help us to comfort and provide healing for those who have suffered bereavement and loss throughout the pandemic.





# The Lamb of God offers his suffering for the sins of mankind.

We pray for all those within our local community. Help us to act compassionately and do what is necessary to help those in need.





## 8

#### Jesus suffers so much in his sacred flesh to satisfy, especially, for sins of the flesh.

We pray for all those who work tirelessly for the care and healing of others. Grant wisdom to those who strive for a cure for the virus.





## 9

The prophecy of Isaiah is fulfilled: "He was wounded for our iniquities, he was bruised for our sins."

We pray for the Church, may she continue to guide and comfort her flock especially those affected by the pandemic.





## 10

Father, by the merits of Jesus in this painful scourging, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

We pray for our sisters and brothers throughout the world, who have suffered as a result of the pandemic. Bestow on us a compassionate heart so that we can support them in their time of need.







We trust that God who is all-knowing and compassionate will hear our prayers and send us his Holy Spirit so that we can offer ourselves completely to the will of God following the example of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.



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.



Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for September

#### Respect for the Planet's Resources

We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner





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