The Confraternity of the Holy Rosary

The Confraternity of the Most Holy Rosary is an international association established to honor the Blessed Mother through the recitation of the Most Holy Rosary. The members form a union of countless hundreds of thousands of the faithful throughout the world who, along with their own intentions, include the intentions and needs of all other members of the Rosary Confraternity both living and dead.

Obligations of Membership of the Confraternity

Each member strives to pray the original fifteen mysteries of the Rosary during the course of each week (this does not bind under



sin), and must have his/her name inscribed in the register of the Confraternity. (Since Pope John Paul added the five luminous mysteries, it would seem that members of the Confraternity should strive to include that extra weekly Rosary, however, since the Holy See has not mandated this, it is not a requirement of the Confraternity.)

Benefits of membership

- 1. The special protection of the Mother of God.
- 2. A share in the prayer of countless thousands of members the world over, and this even after death.
- 3. A share in the prayers, Masses and apostolic works of the entire Dominican Order.
- 4. The intercession of the entire heavenly court.
- 5. Various plenary and partial indulgences.
- 6. Six times a year the Rosary Center publication *The Rosary Light and Life* is sent to those members who wish it.

If you wish, you can give this application in the collection at Mass next weekend or turn it into the parish office. We will mail it for you.

Application for Membership in the Confraternity of the Holy Rosary

Please print clearly

Name

Address

City ______ State _____ Zip ______