

**FESTIVAL NOVENA PRAYER**

**ST. MARY, STAR OF THE SEA**

**16-24 SEPTEMBER 2022**



To be recited each day for the Intentions that Our Lady has for each parishioner and for the whole Parish.

*Sign of the Cross*

*Prayer of Pope St. John Paul II:*

Mary, Star of the Sea, light of every ocean,  
guide seafarers across all dark and stormy seas  
that they may reach the haven of peace and light  
prepared in Him who calmed the sea.

As we set forth upon the oceans of the world  
and cross the deserts of our time, show us, O Mary,  
the fruit of your womb, for without your Son we are  
lost.

Pray that we will never fail on life's journey,  
that in heart and mind, work and deed,  
in days of turmoil and in days of calm,  
we will always look to Christ and say,  
"Who is this that even wind and sea obey him?"  
Our Lady of Peace, pray for us!  
Bright Star of the Sea, guide us!

Our Lady, Star of the Sea, pray for seafarers, pray for  
us.

*Three Hail Marys*

*Sign of the Cross*