

St Anne and St Joachim Novena  
July 17 until July 25  
Feast day July 26

O Holy Mother and Father of the Blessed Virgin Mary, as parents, you guided and nurtured Mary and, under your protection and love, watched her grow in holiness. Through your faithfulness and goodness the Will of God was fulfilled; the fruits of your virtue and faith brought salvation to the whole world with the birth of the baby Jesus.

***“The Word was made flesh  
and dwelt among us.”***

(John 1:14)

Most Holy Saints Anne and Joachim, come close to us and guide our hands and our hearts in the way of virtue.

Help us to parent our children and grandchildren with a gentle heart as you did.

Show us how to raise our children in faith and bring our families into the Light of Jesus.

Remain close to us and help us on our journey to salvation.

Saints Anne and Joachim, we place our petitions in your hands and ask that you lay them before the child Jesus.

Seek this, my favor [*Mention your request*] but only if it be for the greater glory of God and the good of my soul.

**Pray:** Our Father..., Hail Mary..., Glory be to the Father....

**St. Anne and St. Joachim: Pray for Us**