

33 DAY CONSECRATION TO ST. JOSEPH

After this last reading, recite at least one decade of the Rosary and meditate on The Litany to St. Joseph. Excerpts taken from *Consecration to St. Joseph, The Wonders of Our Spiritual Father*, by Fr. Donald H. Calloway, MIC.

Day 33, Sun, Nov 1st, FEAST OF ALL SAINTS: He Made Him the Lord of His Household, and Prince Over All His Possessions. "As Almighty God appointed Joseph, son of the patriarch Jacob, over all the land of Egypt to save grain for the people, so when the fullness of time was come and he was about to send on earth his only-begotten Son, the Savior of the world, he chose another Joseph of whom the first had been a type, and he made him the lord and chief of his household and possessions, the guardian of his choicest treasures." (Blessed Pope Pius IX)

CONSECRATION DAY

You have completed the 33 Day preparation to Consecration to St. Joseph! 150 years ago, Blessed Pope Pius IX declared St. Joseph the "Patron of the Universal Church." Many have dedicated this year to a more in depth studying and program of consecration to St. Joseph. Fr. Calloway's book became a bestseller, and taller statues of St. Joseph sold out immediately. Thank you to Henry, owner of *Merciful Savior Gift Shop* in Colchester, who took the time to find a distributor who happened to have one statue remaining for immediate sale. Continue to reflect and imitate the virtues of St. Joseph. This will help you grow in holiness. On the back tables is the Act of Consecration to St. Joseph. You can pray it individually, or join the group following the **11 am Mass on Sunday, November 15**th. Remember, in times of need, worries, temptations, joy, fear, go to St. Joseph.