

## THE MONTH OF JANUARY DEDICATED TO THE MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS

*“It is the divine name that alone brings salvation” (Catechism of the Catholic Church, No. 432).*

*Everything about our divine Lord is holy, including His Name. It was the Archangel Gabriel who first spoke the name of Jesus to His mother, “Behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall name him Jesus” ([Luke 1:31](#)).*

Saint Peter was one of the first Apostles to speak with authority in the Holy Name of Jesus when he healed a crippled man saying, “I have neither silver nor gold, but what I do have I give you: in the name of Jesus Christ the Nazorean, rise and walk” ([Acts 3:6](#)).

Say this prayer many times throughout the day this month:

*“Blessed be the most holy name of Jesus without end!”*

*Prayer: Jesus, Name full of glory, grace, love, and strength! You are the refuge of those who repent, our banner of warfare in this life, the medicine of souls, the comfort of those who mourn, the delight of those who believe, the light of those who preach the true faith, the wages of those who toil, the healing of the sick. To You our devotion aspires; by You our prayers are received; we delight in contemplating You. O Name of Jesus, You are the glory of all the saints for eternity. Amen.*