



DIOCESE OF ORANGE

Novena for Los Angeles

✦ Sign of the Cross

In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

✦ Prayer

*Almighty and eternal God, we ask Your protection against destroying fire.
Keep our homes and buildings and woods and fields safe from this scourge.*

*For those impacted by destroying fires, please be with them, be their source of strength.
Help us be a light and a support through our time, talent, and treasure.
Help us all, O Lord grow closer to you and may we always keep away from serious sin,
and live lives of goodness and virtue through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

✦ Prayer for any Special Need(s) or Intention(s)

Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory Be...

✦ Let us pray today through the intercession... (see below per day)

DAY 1 **Our Lady of the Champion**, you who have protected from fire before, intercede for the victims of the fires today. Bring help to those in need and comfort to the suffering. Amen.

DAY 2 **St. Florian**, patron of firefighters, protect those who battle the flames and all who assist the injured and displaced. Pray for their safety and strength. Amen.

DAY 3 **St. Nicholas**, who once saved a child from fire, intercede for those who have been harmed by fire and those who have lost their homes. Bring them hope and restoration. Amen.

DAY 4 **St. Lucy**, whom the flames could not touch, pray for protection from fire. May God's shield guard the vulnerable and keep all safe from harm. Amen.

DAY 5 **St. Helen**, who spread good news through fire, pray that hope spreads quickly to those in despair. May we see signs of God's presence even in times of destruction. Amen.

DAY 6 **St. Francis of Assisi**, lover of creation, we ask for healing of the land and restoration of what has been burned. Inspire us to care for our common home. Amen.

DAY 7 **St. Catherine of Siena**, patron of fire prevention and nurses, pray for those who serve the wounded and all affected—physically, emotionally, and spiritually. May they bring healing and hope. Amen.

DAY 8 **St. Vincent Ferrer**, patron of builders, bless those who will rebuild homes and lives. May their work be a sign of renewal and resilience. Amen.

DAY 9 **Our Lady of the Fire**, whose image remained unscathed, protect us from all fires—both on earth and of the soul. Keep us safe and close to your Son. Amen.

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