

Litany of the Holy Child Jesus

(Prayed by all Holy Child students and faculty on the 25th of each month)

“Mysteries of the most sublime teaching are to be found in the humble, hidden life of the Holy Child Jesus in which God manifests in the most wonderful manner the treasures of his mercy and of his boundless love.”

– *Cornelia Connelly*

***Let us pray together and rejoice in
God’s presence in our lives and in our world.***

God, Creator and Giver of Life,
Jesus, Redeemer and Light of the World,
Holy Spirit, Source of Wisdom and Grace,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Holy Child Jesus, Son of the Living God,
Holy Child Jesus, Word of God Made Flesh,
Holy Child Jesus, Image of God’s Compassion,
Holy Child Jesus, Expression of God’s Mercy and Love,
Holy Child Jesus, Source of Joy,
Holy Child Jesus, Faithful and Obedient
from Crib to Cross,

That we may love You with all our hearts:

That we may recognize your presence
in our lives and the lives of others:

That we may treat everyone with dignity
and respect:

That refugees, immigrants, and other displaced and
homeless people may be welcomed and find safety:

That those who live in constant fear of violence and
war find hope and justice:

That the lonely and vulnerable find
comfort and kindness:

That those burdened with sickness and
hopelessness find consolation and peace:

That all children who suffer abuse
or neglect find protection and love:

Have mercy on us.

**Holy Child, help us to act
with compassion and mercy.**

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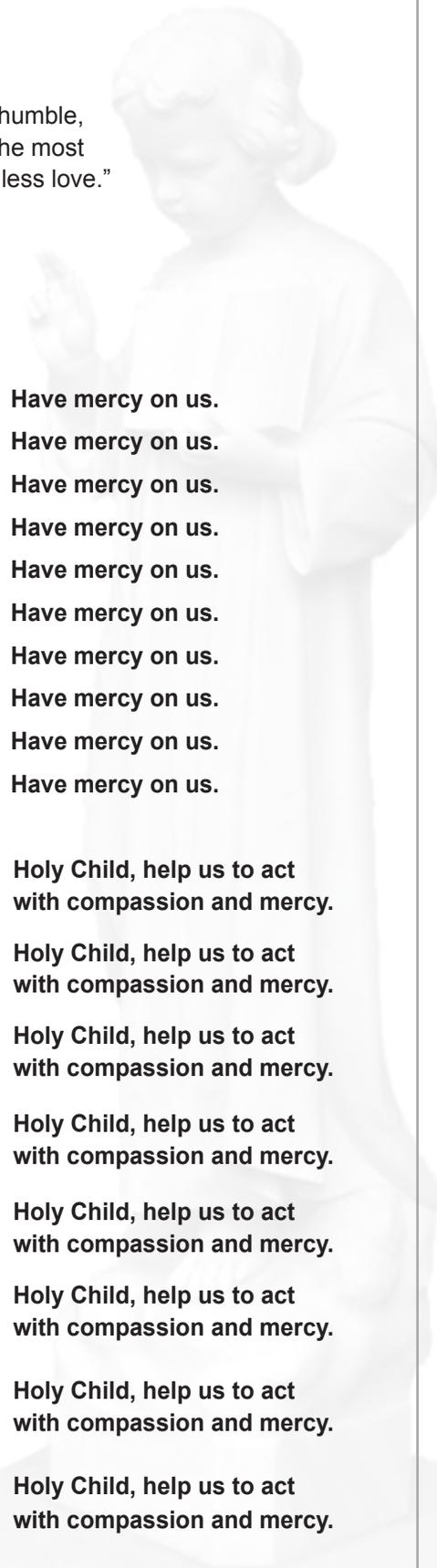
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That all nations and peoples work in unity
for the common good:

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That we may see God's goodness in creation and
respond with thoughtfulness and care for the earth
and all her creatures:

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with compassion and mercy.**

That we may live a "love full of action" in responding
to the needs of others:

**Holy Child, help us to act
with compassion and mercy.**

Child Jesus, bless all Holy Child students, families,
alums, teachers, staff and trustees around the world:

Holy Child, hear us.

Child Jesus, may we have the courage and
determination to live out the motto that
Cornelia Connelly gave us, "Actions not Words:"

**Holy Child, graciously
hear us.**



In the humble and hidden life of the Holy Child Jesus, we find the grace to serve others
through the virtues of simplicity, gentleness, compassion and joy and so we pray:

All: **“Glory be to God whose power working in us
can do infinitely more than we can ask or
imagine.”** – *Ephesians 3:20*



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