

They still do have their minds but in their hearts, in their souls they are empty. I see their Guardian Angels weeping from a great distance. It is dreadful to see an Angel weeping. He would have blessedness in Heaven, yet his mission is to be with us.

Let us pray: „Our FATHER, Who are in Heaven! Hallowed be Your Name by all the world! Your Kingdom come!“ Or do you prefer a kingdom of Bush? „Your Will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our debts as we now, too, want to forgive all our debtors. Then in temptation let us no longer fall, but deliver us from evil. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory from eternity to eternity. Amen!“

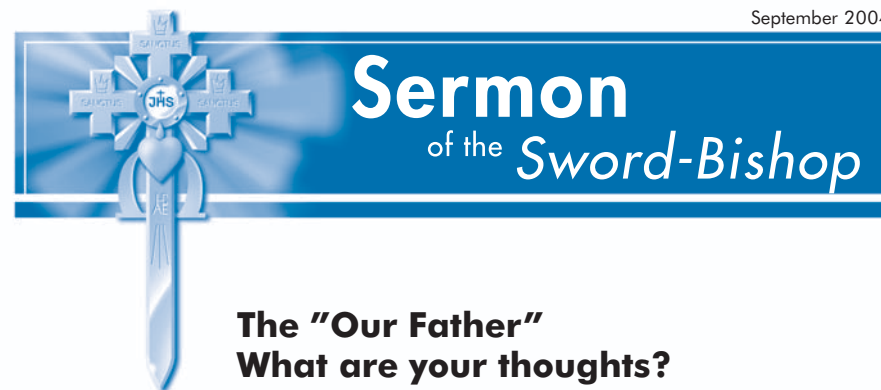
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**Be blessed by GOD TRINITY,  
the + FATHER and the + SON  
and the + HOLY GHOST. Amen!**

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## The "Our Father" What are your thoughts?

### Our FATHER, who are in Heaven

My beloved! You go to confession. Maybe you say: „I have prayed without devotion.“ Then it usually goes on in the same way as before. Let us take the "Our Father" for instance. Do you really think about what you are saying? How many times is it only thoughtless talking – this way you mock GOD. If you say: „Our FATHER“, what are your thoughts? Even if you have no motion of the heart, you ought to know just the same what you are saying, what it means: „Our FATHER, who are in Heaven!“ He loves you as if you were the only one on earth.

In His love JESUS, His SON, has proceeded from Him and has come on the earth. JESUS CHRIST has gone through the horrible martyrdom up to the Cross. No one can understand the dreadfulness, grasp the incomprehensible. The Almighty GOD has taken this torture upon Himself. – The Almighty One who could hold all the stars, the whole universe with two fingers, allows human beings to torture Him to death – for you, for every single person who once was, is and will be.

### Hallowed be Your Name

Where and when do you think should His Name be hallowed? There are many possibilities. Above all, GOD insisted on the Sunday for this. This day you shall keep holy and give glory to GOD and His Name. Where on the altars the greatest, most holy, true and

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immaculate Sacrifice is continually renewed, there is His Name hallowed most: at the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass! That is why Sunday observance is so important for eternity. These natural disasters need not be if Christians observed the Lord's Day. What's more, the "Hallowed be Your Name" should today become the deepest heartfelt wish of every one, also on behalf of all mankind.

### **Your Kingdom come**

Do you know what that means? Are you longing for this from the bottom of your heart? His kingdom will come one way or another. But then it will be your decision for which kingdom you have worked: for the divine one or for the hellish one? Your decision to whose pleasure you have lived: Heaven's or hell's? There is no other choice! GOD may give you an 80 or 90 years' lifetime on earth. Every day He gives you the opportunity to choose freely which kingdom you want to pray for that it may come. GOD does not want the sinner's death but that he may be converted. It is a battle but it is surely worthwhile fighting for an everlasting blessedness.

### **Your Will be done on earth, as it is in Heaven**

In Heaven above His will already happens, but here on earth? – It is up to you again. Do you observe the 10 Commandments because of the Main Commandment? How can you pray: „Your Will be done on earth as it is in Heaven“ if you are not serious about it and you do not, therefore, take GOD's Majesty seriously? If you are serious about it, then you will help with many people to make this wish come true more quickly. That way wars, disasters as well as diseases and many other bad things would vanish.

### **Give us this day our daily bread**

From GOD we receive because of our sinfulness everything only by His mercy. Therefore we say entreatingly, not demandingly: „Give us

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this day our daily bread.“ Not only is the material food meant with it but also the food of the Sacraments – and also important are the graces for every situation: at school, at work and, on the whole, in order to discharge one's duties.

### **Forgive us our debts as we also forgive our debtors**

How many Christians, seemingly pious Christians, are there, who often, even daily go to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, although they are in conflict with other people, whom they are not willing to forgive, even towards some departed, who are languishing for it so much. So many are found in psychiatric wards having ended up there out of sheer hatred and hardening of the heart. The hardness in their hearts has affected their minds. Yet they knew that he who is not willing to forgive cannot be forgiven by GOD. Woe to this poor person, after his death he will have to wait a very long time in purgatory (in purification). Are you not yourself continually saying to GOD: „Forgive us our debts as we also forgive our debtors?“ If you do not want to forgive knowingly, these are empty words, your confessions are in vain and invalid. I know, we are human beings and sometimes it is hard, indeed very hard to forgive. Nonetheless, you should work on it until you are able to do it. And at that, you are the architect of your own fortunes after all.

### **In temptation let us not fall**

GOD knows that it is hard for man not to fall while in temptation. Therefore we are allowed to ask Him in the "Our Father" not to let us fall when we are in temptation. Without His help we will fall even with our best will. As the SAVIOUR says: „The spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak.“ In order not to fall while we are tempted, GOD gave us a Guardian Angel to whom we should have and treasure a very special devotion, a very special friendship. With many people I see that the HOLY SPIRIT can no longer dwell in them although they should be temples of the HOLY SPIRIT after all. They are like lifeless cocoons.

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