

Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

June 7-15

Day Six

Jesus, Wounded Heartbeat of God, heal us for service.

Call to Prayer

As we ponder the wounded heart of Jesus and our call to service, we are challenged to open ourselves to the fragile flesh of our times. This flesh may be that of a child without hope, or an immigrant woman struggling to start a new life.

Scripture (Jeremiah 31:33)

This is the brand-new covenant that I will make with Israel when the time comes. I will put my law within them—write it on their hearts—and be their God. And they will be my people.

Silence: *You are the hands, the feet, the voice of Jesus. Who waits for you today to come?...to speak words of hope and love?*

Presentation Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Jesus, Burning Heartbeat of God and Son of Mary...
--call us to passionate discipleship.

Jesus, Homeless Heartbeat of God...
--grace us with hospitality for all.

Jesus, Merciful Heartbeat of God...
--open us to the vulnerable and weary.

Jesus, Suffering Heartbeat of God...
--reveal the path of justice and peace.



Jesus, Forgiving Heartbeat of God...
--stir courage within us for new beginnings.

Jesus, Wounded Heartbeat of God...
--heal us for service.

Jesus, Creative Heartbeat of God...
--stretch us into new visions and dreams of You.

Jesus, Liberating Heartbeat of God...
--free us from darkness.

Jesus Sacred Heartbeat of God...
--love through us in the sacred homeland of our hearts

Blessing

May the fire of love that burned in Nano's heart open our hearts to be attentive to the broken of our world. Jesus, wounded Heartbeat of God, heal us for service.

Refrain

Heartbeat of God, create within each of us, your daughters and sons, a sacred heart.