The prayers listed below are from the National Holy Name Society web site. This site states that, "There are different ways people have called upon Jesus by name for years, decades, centuries. Different prayers for different purposes, helpful at different times and in different situations. At all time, and in many ways, call on Jesus by invoking Him by name."

https://www.nahns.org/jesusprayers

### Below are some versus from Sacred Scripture that invoke of the Holy Name.

And this is His commandment, that we should believe in the Name of His Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as He has commanded us. - 1 John 3:2

Our help is the name of the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth. - Psalm 124:8

If you ask anything of the Father in My name, He will give it to you. - John 16:23

Whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him. - Col. 3:17

# **Daily Offering to Jesus**

Jesus, I offer Thee my thoughts that You may keep them pure; my actions that they may always glorify Your Name; my words that they may forever give You praise!

### **Holy Name of Jesus Prayer of Contrition**

Most Merciful Jesus, by that Precious Blood which you willingly shed for sinners, I beg You to wash away all my sinfulness and to look mercifully upon me, a poor and unworthy sinner, as I call upon Your Holy Name. Mercifully grant me, through Your adorable Name, which is the joy of heaven, the terror of hell, the consolation of the afflicted, the refuge of sinners and the strength of those who repent, the grace of eternal salvation through the holy Name of Jesus.

I ask this in Your Name, who live and reign with God the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen.

#### Name of Jesus Prayer

"The Name of **Jesus** is the shortest, easiest, and most powerful of all prayers. Our Lord tells us that anything we ask the Father in His name, the name of Jesus, we shall receive. Every time we say "Jesus" we are saying a reverent prayer for all we need."

From The Wonders of the Holy Name by Fr. Paul O'Sullivan, O.P., Tan Books/Benedictine Press.

#### Prayer for Peace in the Holy Name of Jesus

In the name of Jesus Christ crucified and risen, in the spirit of His messianic mission, enduring in the history of humanity, we raise our voices and pray that the love which is in the Father may once again be revealed at this stage of history, and that, through the work of the Son and Holy Spirit, it may be shown to be present in our modern world and to be more powerful than evil: more powerful than sin and death.

From Pope St. John Paul II's Dives in Misericordia Nov 30, 1980

# **Prayer for Salvation in His Name**

God, You appointed Your only begotten Son to be the Savior of mankind, and You commanded His Name to be Jesus. I beg that a most ardent love of Your Divine Son imprint that Name upon my heart; that it always be on my mind, and frequently on my lips; that it be my defense in temptation, my refuge in danger, and my consolation and strength in the hour of my death. I earnestly ask You to wash away all my sinfulness and to look mercifully upon me, a poor and unworthy sinner, as I call upon Your Holy Name. Obtain for me and all those I love, as well as for all the faithful, the grace of eternal salvation through the Most Holy Name of Jesus. Amen.

### **Prayer for Virtues in His Name**

May God, who sees all things, and who is the ruler of all spirits and the Lord of all flesh - who chose our Lord Jesus Christ and us through Him to be a peculiar people - grant to every soul that calls upon His glorious and holy name, faith, fear, peace, patience, long suffering, self-control, purity, and sobriety, to the well-pleasing of His name, through our high priest and protector, Jesus Christ, by whom be to Him glory, and majesty, and power, and honor, both now and for evermore. Amen.

From Pope St. Clement of Rome's First Letter to the Corinthians

#### Prayer for the Petition in the Most Holy Name of Jesus

O Jesus, your name means "Savior." Be my Savior, dear Lord, through this glorious name, mercifully grant all the petitions which I make in this prayer.

(insert intention here)

O Divine Jesus, Thou hast promised that anything we ask of the Eternal Father in Thy name shall be granted. O Eternal Father. In the name of Jesus, for the love of Jesus, in fulfillment of this promise, and because Jesus has said it, grant us our petitions for the sake of Jesus, Thy Divine Son. Amen.

# A Prayer – To Draw Closer to Jesus

**JESUS**, Yours is the name above all names; We offer you our heartfelt praise and gratitude. Deepen in us an abiding reverence for your Holy Name. Jesus, Savior, heal the wounds within that our sin and fear have inflicted. Set us free from all that hinders us from rejoicing in your boundless love and sharing your goodness with others. Jesus,

Friend, draw us ever closer to You. We entrust all we carry in our hearts to Your abundant mercy. Jesus, Lord, pour out the Holy Spirit upon Your people that our lives may overflow with Your grace, our days be filled with Your love, and all our actions shine with Your light. Amen.

## **The Jesus Prayer**

Jesus, Son of God, have mercy on me, a poor sinner!

# The Way of the Holy Name

- I promise to act in the following manner, to the best of my ability, for the praise and honor of Jesus and His Holy Name:
- Honor the name of God, of Jesus, and all things sacred, and strive to bring those in my care to do the same.
- Bow my head at the name of Jesus.
- Abstain from all improper language, such as blasphemy, perjury, profanity,
- cursing,
- obscene speech and indecency and, as far as prudence permits, induce others to do the same.
- Strive for perfection by frequent reception of the sacraments, daily prayer, spiritual reading, acts of penance, and charity.
- Respect God, myself, and others.
- Support all lawful civil and religious authorities in light of Catholic teaching.
- Engage in the Church's corporal and spiritual works of mercy.
- Pray Learn Unite and Serve In His Name.

### **The Devine Praises**

- Blessed be God.
- Blessed be His Holy Name.
- Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.
- Blessed be the Name of Jesus.
- Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart.
- Blessed be His Most Precious Blood.
- Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.
- Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.
- Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most Holy.
- Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate Conception.
- Blessed be her Glorious Assumption.
- Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.
- Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.
- Blessed be God in His Angels and in His Saints.