

PRAYER FOR THE CROWNING OF MARY IN MAY:

After the Processional hymn, the priest says:

Queen of our hearts,
your destiny is meant to be our destiny.
Teach us to love our God as you did,
to love our neighbors as you did
and, above all, to love our family as you loved yours.
We consecrate ourselves and our loved ones to you.

Let us pray:

My Queen, my Mother,
I give myself entirely to you,
and to show my devotion to you,
I consecrate to you this day
my eyes, my ears, my mouth, my heart,
my entire self without reserve.
As I am your own, my good Mother,
guard me and defend me as your property and possession.

In and through your Son, Christ Jesus our Lord.

Amen.

The Salve Regina is now sung.

