## **Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus**

As we pray it in Praise and Worship:

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus I consecrate myself to Thy Most Sacred Heart. Take possession of my whole being and transform me into Thyself. Come, Holy Spirit, Give me the deepest love for the Sacred Heart of Jesus In order to serve Him with my whole heart, soul, mind and strength. Holy Spirit of Love enrich my faith, Strengthen my hope, increase my trust, and inflame my love. Make my soul Thy sanctuary. Amen.

Act of Consecration to the Sacred Heart

By St. Margaret Mary Alacoque:

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, to Thee I consecrate and offer up my person and my life, my actions, trials, and sufferings, that my entire being may henceforth only be employed in loving, honoring and glorifying Thee. This is my irrevocable will, to belong entirely to Thee, and to do all for Thy love, renouncing with my whole heart all that can displease Thee.

I take Thee, O Sacred Heart, for the sole object of my love, the protection of my life, the pledge of my salvation, the remedy of my frailty and inconstancy, the reparation for all the defects of my life, and my secure refuge at the hour of my death. Be Thou, O Most Merciful Heart, my justification before God Thy Father, and screen me from His anger which I have so justly merited. I fear all from my own weakness and malice, but placing my entire confidence in Thee, O Heart of Love, I hope all from Thine infinite Goodness. Annihilate in me all that can displease or resist Thee. Imprint Thy pure love so deeply in my heart that I may never forget Thee or be separated from Thee.

I beseech Thee, through Thine infinite Goodness, grant that my name be engraved upon Thy Heart, for in this I place all my happiness and all my glory, to live and to die as one of Thy devoted servants.

Amen.