

# PRAYER TO Our Lady of Lourdes

*O, Immaculate Conception, Our Lady of Lourdes, you were chosen by God from all time to shelter the Word-Made-Flesh, God's own Son, Jesus. Your "Yes" is our model of trusting faith and true discipleship. You guided St. Bernadette and enabled her to magnify the virtues of humility, obedience and courage to make known God's desire to build a sanctuary in which His people could gather, worship and bring their needs to him. The great Basilica in Lourdes, France, is today a sacred destination for pilgrims, for the sick and suffering and for all people of faith. As you once led Bernadette, we now ask you to guide us in the same way. Inspire our community to re-build our church home in Slidell, Louisiana, under your patronage and protection, for your Son's greater honor and glory. We ask your intercession in Jesus' name.*

*Amen.*



*Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for us.  
St. Bernadette Soubirous, pray for us.*