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- 1 In the Church's Year, May has been called "the month of Mary". In our prayer we can think of the times that Jesus' Mother is mentioned in the Gospels as she supports her Son. We pray:
- 2 **Mary, chosen by God,
you believed the angel's message
and became the Mother of Jesus.
You welcomed
shepherds and wise men:
*Pray for us, Mary,
that Jesus may live in us.***
- 3 **Mary, you were beside Jesus
at the wedding feast at Cana,
and you noticed
that the servants were worried
that the wine was running out.
You told them to do
whatever Jesus would ask of them,
and then he changed
water into wine
in jars that the servants
had filled to the brim:
*Mary, ask your Son
to fill us with the Holy Spirit.***
- 4 **Mary, your love met Jesus, your Son,
as he suffered on the cross:
*Mary, in your love, support us
as we carry our crosses
in daily life.***
- 5 **Mary,
you stayed with the friends of Jesus,
waiting for the Holy Spirit
to change their lives at Pentecost:
*Mary, wait with us
and our families and friends
so that we, too,
may receive all the promises
of Jesus, your Son.
Amen.***

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