

The Crucifix

A crucifix is a cross that holds a corpus, an image of the crucified body of Jesus. While an empty cross points us to the hope of the Resurrection, seeing the corpus on the crucifix helps us always remember Jesus' great love for us, shown through his death on the very first Good Friday.

We hang crucifixes in our churches and homes, have small ones hanging on our rosaries, and even can wear them on a necklace. The crucifix helps us to always keep the sacrificial love of Jesus close in our minds and hearts.