

9 days Novena for Canonisation of Blessed Cyprian Tansi. From 14th to 22nd March 2026 as another choice

In the name of the Father and of the Son
Aand of the Holy Spirit. AMEN

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Blessed Tansi Prayer Book (Page 62)

May God through mercy continue to hear and answer our prayers through the intercessions of Blessed Cyprian Michael Iwene Tansi and Virgin Mother Mary, Queen of Peace, Queen of the Family and Queen of Our Homes. We ask this prayers through Christ Our .

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen.

Ant: Adoremus in aeternum
sanctissimum Sacramentum.

Let us adore for ever the most holy Sacrament.

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(Bl Cyprian)*

Prayer to Blessed Cyprian Tansi

Blessed Cyprian, during your life on earth, you showed your great faith and love in giving yourself to your people and by the hidden life of prayer and contemplation. Look upon us now in our needs, and intercede for us with the Lord *(make your petition)*. May he grant us the favours we ask through your prayers. Amen.

Prayer to obtain graces

Lord, you chose the humble and poor in order that they may be signs of your power, you made your servant Cyprian Michael Tansi a faithful priest in spreading your Gospel and gave him a love for prayer and monastic life. Glorify him according to the designs of your love and through his intercession grant us the favours we ask. *(make your petition)* through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer to Blessed Cyprian for priests

Blessed Cyprian Tansi, in your life as a priest, you preserved the dignity of the priesthood and concerned

yourself more about the things of God than of the world. Pray that all priests be renewed with the Spirit of holiness and give themselves unreservedly for the ministry they received from Our Lord, Jesus, as co-workers with the order of Bishops. May they be faithful in spreading the good news, so that all the ends of the earth, and the family of nations, may become one holy people of God. Amen.

*"Let us show ourselves true children of God the Father whose sun shines on the just and on the unjust. Let us prove ourselves docile disciples of Christ our Lord whose compassion for men knows no bounds."
(Bl Cyprian)*

Novena for the canonisation of Blessed Tansi

O God who granted many graces to your Blessed Servant priest and monk, Cyprian Michael Iwene Tansi, choosing him as your faithful instrument for evangelisation and sanctification of your people, grant also that I may spend my life, loving you and my neighbour and serving the Church. Deign to glorify your servant Cyprian and through his intercession grant me the favour I ask of you ...*(silently make your petition here for a moment)*. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer for resignation to the will of God

Blessed Cyprian Tansi, it was you who said: "If anyone wishes to be a Christian at all, they might as well live entirely for God." I humbly beseech you to intercede for me before Our Lord Jesus Christ to whom you resigned yourself to do his Holy will and who gave his life, in obedience to the

will of the Father, for my salvation. In all things may the most holy, the most just, and the most lovable will of God be done, praised and exalted above all forever. Your will be done, O Lord, your will be done. The Lord has given, the Lord has taken; blessed be the name of the Lord. Amen.

Novena to Blessed Cyprian Tansi

HYMN

Chorus: Oh-O-O Filled with the Holy Spirit

s l t d d-d m. r d d

Filled with the Holy Spirit

r r- r f m r r

Filled with the Holy Spirit

m m- m. s. m f l-

Oh filled with the Spirit

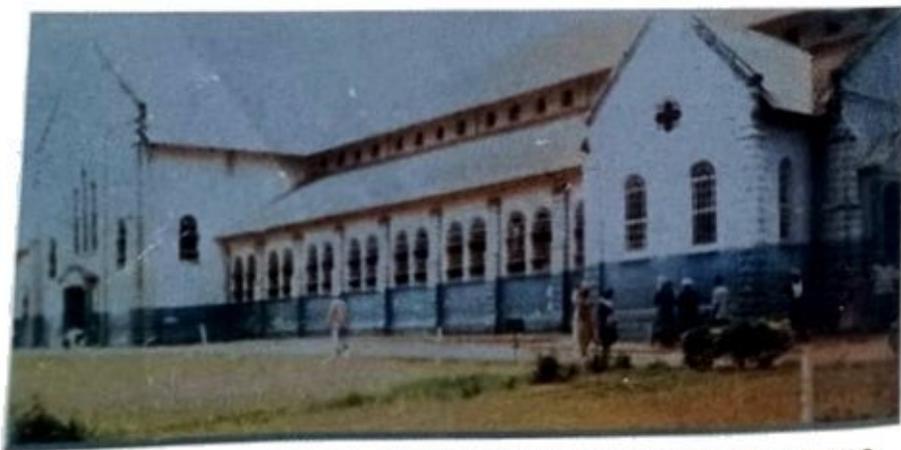
f m d m. r d-

1. Then Tansi filled with the Holy Spirit

Answered the call of God

Filled with the Holy Spirit

Lives now a Blessed man.



HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL, ONITSHA WHERE BL CYPRIAN TANSI WAS ORDAINED IN 1937 AND WHERE HE IS NOW BURIED

2. Let us now filled with the Holy Spirit
Go out to preach the good news
Filled with the Holy Spirit
Spread forth the love of God.

(Text & Music by Archbishop Anthony Obinna)

Prayer of self-offering to God

O Lord, your servant Cyprian Tansi offered himself unreservedly to your holy will; I know that all I am and all that I possess you have given to me. Take and receive my entire being, my memory and my understanding and my whole will. I surrender them all to you to dispose of according to your will. Give me only your love and your grace; with these I will be rich enough to live and will desire nothing more. Amen.

Prayer for Fortitude

In his life, Blessed Cyprian Tansi learnt to bear with great courage the difficult moments of his life and ministry. May you teach me, O Lord, to have courage in paths that I must follow. Bless me, and bless those whom I love, and give us the grace to see that these crosses bravely borne by us will keep us close to you. And when at times a shadow falls in unexpected ways, put your gentle hand in mine and guide me through the days. So bless my people, one and all, with your protecting grace, and impart to them your wisdom. Amen.

Litany of Blessed Cyprian Tansi

Lord have mercy
Christ have mercy
Lord have mercy
Christ hear us

Christ graciously hear us
God the Father of heaven
have mercy on us
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
have mercy of us

God the Holy Spirit, have
mercy on us
Holy Trinity, One God, have
mercy on us

Holy Mary, pray for us
Holy Mary, Queen of Nigeria,

St. Michael the Archangel,

St. Cyprian,

Blessed Tansi, son of Mary,
mother of priests

Blessed Tansi persevering in prayer,

Blessed Tansi, light of the pagans,

Blessed Tansi, living entirely for God,

Blessed Tansi, filled with
heroic humility,

Blessed Tansi, devout follower
of Christ crucified,

Blessed Tansi, who followed
the narrow path,

Onyenweanyi mee ebere
Kristi mee ebere

Onyenweanyi mee ebere
Kristi nuru olu anyi

Kristi nuru anno anyi
Chukwu Nna nke Enigwe

Mel'anyi ebere

Chukwu Nwa onye mgbaputa nke uwa
Mel'anyi ebere

Chukwu Muo Nso, mel'anyi ebere

Ato n'ime ofu di ngozi, mel'anyi ebere

Maria di aso, Yobal'anyi aririo

Maria di aso, Ezenwanyi nke Nigeria

Archangel Michael di aso,

Cyprian di aso,

Tansi di ngozi, nwa Mary nne nke
ukochukwu,

Tansi di ngozi, Kwudosili ike n'ekpere

Tansi di ngozi, ihe ndi na ama
Chukwu,

Tansi di ngozi, onye biri ndu ma
Chukwu,

Tansi di ngozi, onye juputara n'ume

Tansi di ngozi, nwodibo Kristi

apkogburu n'obe,

Tansi di ngozi, onye soro uzo di wara

Blessed Tansi, teacher
according to Christ's mind,
Blessed Tansi, whose
obedience is divine,

Blessed Tansi, lover of chastity,
Blessed Tansi, heroic in
reparation for his people,

Blessed Tansi, full of
patience and prayer for
those who slighted him,

Blessed Tansi, helper of
those in need,

Blessed Tansi, helper of
the down trodden,

Blessed Tansi ardent
pursuer of evangelical
counsel of perfection,

Blessed Tansi,
custodian of Christian marriages,

Lamb of God who takes away
the sin of the world

R. Spare us O Lord

Lamb of God who takes
away the sins of the world,

R. Graciously hear us O Lord

Lamb of God who takes away
the sins of the world,

R. Have mercy on us

Tansi di ngozi, onye
n'akuzi dika Chnsti,
Tansi di ngozi, onye
n'erube isi ka Chukwu si cho,

Tansi di ngozi, onye
huru idi ocha di aso n'anya,

Tansi di ngozi, dike n'opipia
maka ndi nkeya,

Tansi di ngozi, onye juputara
n'ekpere na ndidi maka
ndi n'emedide ya,

Tansi di ngozi, enyem
aka ndi no n'amkpa,

Tansi di ngozi enyemaka
ndi ana emegbu emegbu,

Tansi di ngozi, onye na
eso izu oke dika akwukwo
nso sin choo,

Tansi di ngozi, onye nchekwa
ndi di na nwurue,

Nwaturu nke Chukwu onye
n'pkochapu njo nke uwa

R. Wepu opipia din anyi Oh Dinwenu

Nwaturu nke Chukwu onye
n'ekpochapu njo nk'uwa,

R. Nuru anno anyo Oh Dinwenu

Nwaturu nke Chukwu onye
n'ekpochapu njo nk'uwa,

R. Meere anyi ebere

Pray for us O Blessed Tansi

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ

Let us pray:

O Blessed Tansi, help our people to embrace the authentic teaching of Christ. Help us to be truly repentant and seek the Holy Church and eschew all false doctrines which the enemy might have introduced on the way of life. May paganism which has eaten deep into the minds of many people today be rooted out completely that the true faith may reign everywhere through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Riowara anyi Oh Tansi di Ngozi
R. K'anyi wee new ike ito nkwa
Kristi

Anyi rio aririo:

O Tansi di ngozi, nyere ndi be anyi
kanyi wee n'abata ezi nkuzi Kristi
anyi aka ka anyi nwee chowa
okwukwe nke nzuko gi di aso. Obulu
onwere ndufu mobu nkuzi asi onye
bubatara na uzo nke ndu, nyere
aka ka anyi ju ya wepukwaya.
omenani ndo ogomuo nke bamigolu
ndu anyi nye anyi efe kpam kpan
ezi okwukwe were chiba abenine si
Kristi Dinwenu anyi. Amen.



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