

Anointing of the Sick

Matter: Anointing with Oil (Oil of the Infirm)

Form: “Through this holy anointing, may the Lord in His love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit. May the Lord who frees you from sin save you and raise you up”

Minister: a priest

Effects:

1. Increase in divine life
2. Sometimes restore health to the person
3. Gives actual graces necessary to accept illness
4. Forgives sin and removes temporal punishment due to sin (Apostolic Pardon)
5. Preparation for a happy death