

# pray

## Prayer to the Holy Spirit

**All:** In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.  
Amen.

**Leader:** Gathered as a community of believers, let us listen to God, speaking to us in his Word, today and always.

“If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to be with you always, the Spirit of truth, which the world cannot accept, because it neither sees nor knows it. But you know it, because it remains with you, and will be in you. I will not leave you orphans.”

John 14:15–18

**Leader:** God sends us the Advocate to help guide us. The Holy Spirit is always present to help us in our faith. With faith-filled hearts, let us pray and reflect.

**All:** Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful.  
And kindle in them the fire of your love.  
Send forth your Spirit  
and they shall be created.  
And you shall renew the face of the earth.

**Leader:** Together we pray to the Holy Spirit for guidance and grace.

**All:** O God, by the light of the Holy Spirit you have taught the hearts of your faithful. In the same Spirit, help us to know what is truly right and always to rejoice in your consolation. We ask this through Christ, Our Lord.  
Amen.

**Leader:** In the Sacrament of Confirmation, the Spirit is with us in a special way. The Spirit renews the face of the earth and renews us in Confirmation.

**All:** Loving God, you continue to nourish our souls. Thank you for sending the Holy Spirit to strengthen our faith-filled hearts.  
Amen.

