



## ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST 2024 PENTECOST NOVENA

### **The goal of our Pentecost Novena: Baptism in the Spirit**

“Baptism in the Spirit is a life-transforming experience of the love of God the Father, received through surrender to the Lordship of Jesus Christ, and poured into one’s heart by the Holy Spirit. It brings alive sacramental Baptism and Confirmation, deepens communion with God and with fellow Christians, enkindles evangelistic fervor, and equips a person with charisms for service and mission.”

**7p.m. Eucharistic Adoration and Worship** (see song sheet for music)

**7:30p.m. Teaching on Baptism in the Holy Spirit**

**7:40p.m. Silent Adoration**

**7:50p.m. Chaplet of the Holy Spirit**

O God, come to my assistance.

- **O Lord, make haste to help me.**

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.**

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**1** Come, O Spirit of the love of God the Father, grant to us a life-transforming experience of the Father’s love, that through you we may cry out with confidence, “Abba, Father!”

(7x) Father, in the Name of Jesus,

- **send forth your Spirit and renew the world.**

(1x) O Mary,

- **who by the work of the Holy Spirit, conceived the Savior, pray for us.**

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**2** Come, O Spirit of Surrender and Obedience, only in you can we cry out: "Jesus is Lord!" Give us grace so that we might surrender ourselves entirely to the Lordship of Jesus Christ in every area of our life.

(7x) Father, in the Name of Jesus,  
- **send forth your Spirit and renew the world.**

(1x) O Mary,  
- **who by the work of the Holy Spirit, conceived the Savior, pray for us.**

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**3** Come, O Spirit of Love, be poured into our hearts, that we might be filled with the love of God revealed in Christ who, while we were still sinners, died for us.

(7x) Father, in the Name of Jesus,  
- **send forth your Spirit and renew the world.**

(1x) O Mary,  
- **who by the work of the Holy Spirit, conceived the Savior, pray for us.**

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**4** Come, O Spirit, Lord and Giver of Life, and bring to life in us the gifts of Baptism and Confirmation that we might live as children of God and be set on fire with his love.

(7x) Father, in the Name of Jesus,  
- **send forth your Spirit and renew the world.**

(1x) O Mary,  
- **who by the work of the Holy Spirit, conceived the Savior, pray for us.**

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**5** Come, Holy Spirit, bond of love between Father and Son, Spirit of Unity, bind us more closely in communion with God and with our fellow Christians that we might be one so that the world might come to believe.

(7x) Father, in the Name of Jesus,  
- **send forth your Spirit and renew the world.**

(1x) O Mary,  
- **who by the work of the Holy Spirit, conceived the Savior, pray for us.**

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**6** Come, O Spirit of Mission, clothe us with power from on high and kindle in us evangelistic fervor that we might burn with a desire to bring Christ out to others in our daily lives.

(7x) Father, in the Name of Jesus,  
- **send forth your Spirit and renew the world.**

(1x) O Mary,  
- **who by the work of the Holy Spirit, conceived the Savior, pray for us.**

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**7** Come, O Spirit of Power, grant us new gifts and charisms for service and mission, that through your supernatural power, we might be the hands and feet of Jesus in the world.

(7x) Father, in the Name of Jesus,  
- **send forth your Spirit and renew the world.**

(1x) O Mary,  
- **who by the work of the Holy Spirit, conceived the Savior, pray for us.**

### **Invocation to Mary**

- O most pure Virgin Mary, by your Immaculate Conception you were made a chosen tabernacle of Divinity by the Holy Spirit. Pray for us.

**May the Divine Paraclete come soon to renew the face of the earth.  
Hail Mary, full of grace...**

- O most pure Virgin Mary, by the Mystery of the Incarnation you became true Mother of God by the Holy Spirit. Pray for us.

**May the Divine Paraclete come soon to renew the face of the earth.  
Hail Mary, full of grace...**

- O most pure Virgin Mary, persevering in prayer with the Apostles in the Upper Room, you were abundantly inflamed by the Holy Spirit. Pray for us.

**May the Divine Paraclete come soon to renew the face of the earth.  
Hail Mary, full of grace...**

Let us pray:

**Send your Spirit, Lord, and transform us interiorly with your gifts. Create in us a new heart that we may please you and be conformed to your will. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### **Prayer for Baptism in the Holy Spirit**

Lord Jesus /  
you promised: /  
“John baptized with water,  
but in a few days, / you will be baptized with the holy Spirit.”  
We kneel before you / and we ask you / to fulfill this promise for us now: /  
Baptize us in the Holy Spirit!

We join the Blessed Virgin Mary, / and the Apostles, /  
in the Upper Room, /  
praying for an outpouring of your Holy Spirit. /  
Send Him upon us now / and clothe us with power from on high.

Come, Holy Spirit! /  
Come, by means of the powerful intercession /  
of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, /  
Your well-beloved Spouse! /

Most Holy Spirit, /  
receive the surrender that I make of my entire being. /  
From this moment on, /  
come into every area of my life /  
and into each of my actions. /  
You are my Light, / my Guide, / my Strength,  
and the sole desire of my heart. /  
I abandon myself without reserve / to your Divine action,  
and I desire to be ever docile / to your inspirations.

O Holy Spirit, /  
transform me, / more and more, /  
into the image of Christ Jesus, /  
for the glory of God the Father, /  
and the salvation of the world. /  
Amen.