FACS8 Chosen Session 12 – Due December 14

Opening Prayer

Litany of the Holy Spirit

Lord, have mercy on us. Lord, have mercy on us. God the Father of Heaven. Have mercy on us. God the Son. Redeemer of the world. Have mercy on us. God the Holy Spirit, Have mercy on us. Holy Trinity, One God, Have mercy on us. Divine Essence, one true God, Have mercy on us Spirit of truth and wisdom, Have mercy on us Spirit of holiness and justice, Have mercy on us Spirit of understanding and counsel, Have mercy on us Spirit of love and joy, Have mercy on us Spirit of peace and patience, Have mercy on us Spirit of longanimity and meekness, Have mercy on us Spirit of benignity and goodness, Have mercy on us Love substantial of the Father and the Son. Have mercy on us Love and life of saintly souls, Have mercy on us Fire ever burning, Have mercy on us Living water to guench the thirst of hearts, Have mercy on us From all evil, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From all impurity of soul and body, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From all gluttony and sensuality, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From all attachments to the things of the earth, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From all hypocrisy and pretense, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From all imperfections and deliberate faults. Deliver us. O Holv Spirit. From our own will, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From slander, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From deceiving our neighbors, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From our passions and disorderly appetites, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From our inattentiveness to Thy holy inspirations, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From despising little things, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From debauchery and malice, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From love of comfort and luxury, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From wishing to seek or desire anything other than Thee, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit. From everything that displeases Thee, Deliver us, O Holy Spirit.

Most loving Father, forgive us.

Divine Word, have pity on us.

Holy and divine Spirit, leave us not until we are in possession of the Divine Essence, Heaven of heavens.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world, Send us the divine Consoler.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world, Fill us with the gifts of Thy Spirit.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world, Make the fruits of the Holy Spirit increase within us.

V. Come, O Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Thy faithful,

R. And enkindle in them the fire of Thy love.

V. Send forth Thy Spirit and they shall be created,

R. And Thou shalt renew the face of the earth.

God, Who by the light of the Holy Spirit instructed the hearts of the faithful, grant us by the same Spirit to be truly wise and ever to rejoice in His consolation. Through Jesus Christ Our Lord, Amen.

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- Read page 106
- Watch Lesson 12, Segment 1: Symbols of the Holy Spirit
 - Answer the following
 - 1. In the Creed, we say that the Holy Spirit proceeds from the _____ and the
 - 2. Which of these does the Catechism not list as a symbol of the Holy Spirit?
 - Earth
 - Wind
 - Fire
 - Water
 - 3. What are some images (or symbols) traditionally related to the Holy Spirit?
 - 4. What do they teach us about him?
 - 5. Deacon Burke-Sivers says the Holy Spirit can come in powerful or subtle ways. What are some of the quiet ways we can experience him in our lives?
 - Watch Lesson 12, Segment 2: Our Guide and Map
 - Answer the following
 - 6. Who is the principal author of the Bible?
 - 7. The Holy Sprit is the _____ of the Church
 - 8. What are some ways that you think the Holy Spirit "animates" the Church?
 - 9. How does the Holy Spirit act as our "map"?
 - 10. What are some ways we can "access" that map?
 - 11. Which is one thing you can do to open your heart more fully to the grace of the Holy Spirit every day?
 - Watch Lesson 12, Segment 3: The Holy Spirit in Your Life
 - Answer the following
 - 12. True or False. The Holy Spirit is a pipeline or conduit to God's grace.
 - 13. Deacon Burke-Sivers says that the Holy Spirit is the anchor and ______ of the Church.
 - Motor
 - Sail
 - Defender
 - Promoter
 - 14. Which Person of the Blessed Trinity do you find easiest to talk to?
 - 15. When might you choose to pray directly to the Holy Spirit?
 - Read pages 108 and 109
 - 16. Talk with your parents about this question. What kinds of decisions, are you facing right now that you could bring to God in Adoration to help you make the right choice?
 - Read page 110
 - 17. Complete challenge 2 on page 111.
 - Read page 112-114
 - 19. Talk to your parents about what you learned about the Holy Spirit because of this lesson?