Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of us Your faithful and kindle in us the fire of Your love. Send forth Your Spirit and we shall be created and You shall renew the face of the earth.

Let us pray. Oh God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, instructs the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit, we may be truly wise and ever rejoice in His consolations. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Ultreya Small Group Sharing - Lent

Each person should choose one question on which to focus; then if time permits, sharing may continue with additional questions.

Piety, Study

- In what particular ways have you been seeking the Lord this Lent through your Piety and Study? How has it been helping your ongoing metanoia (conversion and growth) during this season?
- When have you been most aware of Christ's presence in this past week?

Action

- Through your words or actions, how have you attracted others to Christ in the recent past?
- What have you done recently to bring about change in others and/or the world for the better?

Lenten Closing Prayer

Jesus You fasted 40 days in the wilderness to prepare for Your mission and ministry of healing, hope and holiness. Help me follow You by freeing myself of everything that does not bring me closer to You or to my neighbor.

Throughout this holy season of Lent let me not be distracted by worldly possessions but rather may Your Spirit possess me more and more.

May these 40 Days help me to share what I have and give what I can that the world may see You as the Christ and give You glory. Amen.

-Fr. Joseph Veneroso, M.M.