# Novena to the Holy Spirit

## **Invocation Prayer to the Holy Spirit**

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love. O Holy Spirit, beloved of my soul, I adore you. Enlighten me, guide me, strengthen me, and console me. Tell me what to do, direct my every choice. I promise to submit myself to all you desire of me and to accept all that you permit to happen to me. Let me only know your will. Grant this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

**Novena to the Holy Spirit Day Two** Needing the Spirit "Beloved of God"

### Romans: 8:2, 5, 14-16:

For the law of the spirit of life in Christ Jesus has freed you from the law of sin and death. Those who live according to the flesh are concerned with things of the flesh, but those who live according to the spirit the things of the spirit. For those who are lead by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear. But you received a spirit of adoption by which we cry, "Abba, Father!" The Spirit itself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God.

#### **Meditation**:

And greater works than these shall you do. Each individual has the ability to do good works through the power of God's Spirit. This is one of the wonders of the world, the miracle of the earth, that God's power goes out to bless the human race through the agency of so many people who are actuated by His grace. We need not be held back by doubt, despondency and fear. A wonderful future lies before any person who depends on God's power; a future of tremendous power to do good work.

### Prayer for the Day:

Lord, you said in your Word that those who are lead by the Spirit of God are your own children. Lord, I turn from setting my mind on the things of the flesh and I asked to be focused on things of the Spirit that I might please you. Holy Spirit, come to the aid of my weakness and intercede for me in accordance with the mind of God. Oh, how I long to call you "Abba!" Help me be open to the Spirit that I can truly testify that I am your beloved child. Amen.