

## PENTECOST SUNDAY

*We happily arrive at the end of the Easter season. With this feast of the Holy Spirit, the presence of God's love among us.*

*For 50 days, we have witnessed through the word of God how Jesus accompanied his disciples, instructed them, and prompted them on their mission, thus beginning the Church.*

*But why is a feast of the Holy Spirit necessary?*

*Generally, in our life of faith, we relate to our Father God and his Son Jesus Christ, but we rarely realize that we need this power from on high, who is the third person of the Holy Trinity.*

*Therefore, it is extremely important to reflect together on the need for the Holy Spirit in our Christian life.*

*In Jesus' words, the Holy Spirit will remind us of each of the teachings Christ has shared with us, will come to the aid of our weakness, and will inspire us to courageously bear witness to our faith.*

*The whole world needs the presence of God's Spirit to heal all the wounds of injustice, violence, indifference, inequality, and marginalization. It is the Spirit of God that can bring unity and harmony to the world, as it helps us recognize the dignity of others and recognize that we are called to be temples of God's Spirit. He dwells within us, and we must allow ourselves to be guided by Him.*

*We are all witnesses that along the path of our lives, we face discouragement, discouragement, difficulties, pain, and illness; and it is there that the Holy Spirit can act to strengthen, revive, and console us. Without this divine fire, it is almost impossible to move forward.*

*But we are fortunate; God, in His infinite love, has arranged for the Holy Spirit to be our companion on the journey, giving us joy and peace.*

*Let us invoke the help of this power from on high, and through the intercession of Mary Most Holy, filled with the Holy Spirit, may we be granted the grace to be docile to His inspirations. Amen.*