Almighty and everlasting God, who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

LOOK

Two of the most commonly used clichés are "timing is everything" and "seeing is believing".

- 1. When in your life has timing worked for or against you?
- 2. Tell about a time when you had to see something for yourself to believe it.

BOOK

John 20:19-30. After the glorious discovery of the resurrection of their Lord, the disciples lock themselves in a room in fear.

- 1. What was Jesus' purpose for the first visit to the disciples?
- 2. Why is the role of forgiveness or unforgiveness part of receiving the Holy Spirit?
- 3. What was the purpose for Jesus' second visit?
- 4. What have you seen or experienced that makes you want to declare, "My Lord and my God!"

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The Hebrew word *ruach* means "wind," "breath," or "spirit." The corresponding Greek word is *pneuma*. Both words are commonly used in passages referring to the Holy Spirit. Jesus breathed on the disciples after giving them their mission, "As the Father has sent me, so I send you".

- 1. How does the Holy Spirit empower your mission?
- 2. What practices breathe fresh energy into your life?