

Come Holy Spirit the Comforter, Antaryamin! (the Indwelling Presence)

Come Holy Spirit, the flame of the everlasting one,
Come Holy Spirit, the within of all that is,
Come Holy Spirit, the fire of all that is active,
Come Holy Spirit, to fill the hearts of every one of humankind,

Come Holy Spirit, Kindle in us the Fire of your Love

Come to show us the fragility of our basic health care,
Come to enlighten us on the deadly threats to global solidarity,
Come to teach us the terrorism of our armament race,
Come to shake us up from the arrogance of being always right,

Come Holy Spirit, Come to renew our universe,

Come to lay bare our world's deep-seated problems
of hunger, social inequalities, racial disparities, religious discrimination,
Come to expose our vulnerability and to uncover our false and superfluous certainties;
Come to expose our misconceived habits and priorities,
Come to help us listen to the cry of the poor, the migrants and of our ailing planet,



Come Holy Spirit, Come as the Power of Conversion,

Come to lay bare all our prepackaged ideas and forgetfulness of what nourishes our people's souls,
Come to put us in touch with our roots of belonging to the entire creation as brothers and sisters,
Come to shake us awake from wars or injustice across the world,
Come to reveal to us how we have been blinded by our life-styles, our fast-faced lifestyle,
Come to unmask our blinded-ness in celebrating the wrong heroes,
Come to celebrate with us the ones who truly matter – the farmers, daily labourers, health-care personnel, our teachers, our elders,

Come Holy Spirit, Breath in us the Spirit of Trust

Come to nurture every tiny atom of the whole cosmos,
Come as the soothing breeze to this pandemic,
Come as gentle breeze of comfort to all Corona warriors - doctors, nurses, security personnel,
Come as consoling touch to the children and the elderly,

Come Holy Spirit, Kindle in us the Fire of your Love

Come Holy Spirit, walk with us on this pandemic road, stay with us as we distance from one another,
Come Holy Spirit, the flame of the everlasting one,
Come Holy Spirit, the within of all that is,
Come Holy Spirit, the fire of all that is active – our Comforter! Antaryamin!

Come Holy Spirit, Kindle in us the Fire of your Hope !

**Antaryamin, Sanskrit word meaning, the Indwelling Presence*