

Third Day of Novena for Pentecost



**Thou of all Consolers best,
Visiting the troubled breast,
Dost refreshing peace bestow.**

The Gift of Piety

The gift of Piety begets in our hearts a filial affection
for God as our most loving Father.

It inspires us to love and respect for His sake
persons and things consecrated to Him,
as well as those who are vested
with His authority, His Blessed Mother
and the Saints, the Church and its visible Head,
our parents and superiors, our country and its rulers.

He who is filled with the gift of Piety
finds the practice of his religion, not a burdensome duty,
but a delightful service.
Where there is love, there is no labor.

Prayer

Come, O Blessed Spirit of Piety, possess my heart.
Enkindle therein such a love for God,
that I may find satisfaction only in His service,
and for His sake lovingly submit to all
legitimate authority. Amen.

Our Father and Hail Mary ONCE.
Glory be to the Father SEVEN TIMES.

See Novena Pentecost 1 http://holycards.com/novena/pentecost_novena_1.pdf
Image and prayer from [Catholic Tradition](#)