SPIRITUAL COMMUNION MEDITATION May 9, 2021

Lord God: We come before you with grateful hearts for this gift of our Spiritual Communion. May this time together inspire us to more nearly follow Jesus, to use our hearts, minds, and our very souls to increasingly make our earthly home mirror your love...your way of love, justice and unity; to rejoice in the diversities of ALL your children.

In this holy season of Easter, help us to take seriously your call to follow you... and your way for us ,... and, as we try to deepen our discipleship, ..may your Peace come nearer to us. May we increasingly know your promised Blessing that comes with giving and a compassionate heart. Stay with us on our journey as we strive to grow, to change, to make the higher choices.

Draw our attention more and more away from our SELVES and more and more to you, our God, so wonderfully made known to us in Jesus. Increase our awareness of your ever constant presence in our lives and in the world you have made. Awaken our conscience and help us always to strive to do the right thing, in your Holy Name.

Loving God: You offer us a path to a full-filled life with the Love of Jesus Christ guiding our every step/our every decision. Open our hearts, our minds, and our very souls...to the incalculable riches of following this path.

Through both challenges and blessings, help us to remain faithful.

Lord God, hear this, our prayer of gratitude for this Blessing of our Spiritual Communion, which keeps us bonded to you and to one another as our St. Cyprian's Community of Faith.

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