Lectio Divina* Worksheet

- 1. Ask the Holy Spirit to guide you.
- 2. Read the passage silent reflection.
- 3. Read the passage a second time, note key words or phrases.
- 4. Why are those words or phrases important to you? Just jot down a word or two to trigger a thought.
- 5. Read the passage a third time. What is the author trying to say? Write out in one or two sentences at most what the original point of this passage was.
- 6. Read passage a fourth time. What does this passage say to you in your life situation? Does it confirm anything? Does it call you to action?
- 7. Sit silently with the passage, let it roll over in your heart. [See Christ's image in your soul. Look at Him and listen.] Write down any words or impressions.
- 8. Formulate a prayer in your own words that ties it together. Ask God for guidance in following these things out in action.
- 9. What actions, if any, does this prayer call you to do? When and how will you carry them out?
- 10. Conclude with an Our Father or other prayer.