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The rediscovery of the centrality of Holy Scripture in the life of the Church leads us to rethink the concept of inspiration. The Bible, especially in prophetic texts, describes the phenomenon by having recourse to the category of the gift of the Spirit, but above all to the analogy of the word of the messenger. This latter modality makes it possible to understand better how divine revelation is received in the course of history, in which the prophet's disciple has an essential function, as custodian of the memory and transmitter of his literary tradition. In the course of writing down the prophetic word there are outlined, according to the paradigmatic text of Jer 36, the characters of the "scribe", the reader and the redactor, who work together in the communicative process, and to whom a share of the prophetic charisma must therefore be granted