Gathering Song: THE SPIRIT OF GOD

Refrain

The <u>Spirit</u> of God is in the church; God would not let his people walk alone. The Spirit of God is in the church; God would not let his people walk alone.

The Spirit of God is in creation, with the Father and the Son.
 The Spirit of God is in all creation; together they dwell, Three-in-One.
 Refrain

2. The Spirit of God was with the apostles when they walked in the town square. The Spirit of God was with the apostles; sometimes with only their shadows they healed the people there.

Refrain

Psalm Response:

"COME LORD JESUS. SEND US YOUR SPIRIT RENEW THE FACE OF THE EARTH. COME LORD JESUS. SEND US YOUR SPIRIT RENEW THE FACE OF THE EARTH."

PENTECOST SEQUENCE: Sung by Music Ministry
Gospel Acclamation please stand

Halle-Halle -Halleluia.

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Halle-Halle -Halleluia.

COME, HOLY SPIRIT COME AND FROM YOUR CELESTIAL HOME SHED A RAY OF LIGHT DIVINE (repeat above)



Prayer for the Coming of the Holy Spirit

Opening: Source of our life, your Spirit fills the world, embraces all things and knows all human hearts. Send us your Spirit to dwell within our hearts.

All: And you shall renew the face of the earth.

Litany

From the darkness you brought forth light.

All: Come Spirit of Light!

In the sleeping universe you awakened life.

All: Come Spirit of Life!

You nourished your people in the desert and created a holy nation.

All: Come Spirit of Unity!

Through the Prophets of all ages you proclaimed justice.

All: Come Spirit of Truth!

From Mother Mary you joyfully brought forth Christ.

All: Come Spirit of Joy!

From the disciples of Jesus you created Your People, the Church

All: Come Spirit of Faith!

By the outpouring of your presence you empowered your people to proclaim the Gospel.

All: Come Spirit of Power!

You distribute your gifts and ministries throughout the Body of Christ.

All: Come Spirit of Grace!

In every age you enlighten the minds of your people.

All: Come Spirit of Wisdom!

In your mercy you heal the broken-hearted All Come Spirit of Compassion!

From the bondage of death you set your people free.

All: Come Spirit of Liberty!

You gather your people in reconciliation and understanding.

All: Come Spirit of Peace!

Prayer: Come Holy Spirit, enlighten us that we may see beyond our differences to the deeper bond that we share. Give us the mind of Christ that we may understand our needs, heal our wounds, develop our skills, reconcile our differences, and bring peace to those around us and to the whole earth. You are our hope and our strength. Call us again to the path of service, and unite us in the love of Christ.

All: Amen.

The Song of Offertory: HOLY SPIRIT (verses as needed)

Refrain:

Holy Spirit, come into our lives. Holy Spirit, make us truly wise.

Verses:

1. Give us a spirit of wisdom, an understanding heart.
Give us a spirit of knowledge, and lead us to the truth.

Refrain

2. Give us a spirit of courage, and judgment that is wise. Give us a spirit of reverence, of wonder and of awe.

Refrain

3. Spirit of love and compassion, give hope to all the poor. Spirit of justice and mercy, come open every door.

Refrain

4. Spirit of all consolation,
O lift our hearts this day.
Spirit of all understanding,
O help us know your way.

Refrain

Spirit of light and of wisdom,
 O lift us from our sorrow.
 Spirit of peace and forgiveness,
 O help us face tomorrow.

Refrain

6. Spirit of strength and of healing, bend stubborn heart and will.

Spirit of trust and of caring,

O melt us, warm our chill.

Refrain

Communion Song: ONE BREAD, ONE BODY

Refrain
One bread, one body,
one Lord of all,
one cup of blessing which we bless.
And we, though many,
throughout the earth,
we are one body in this one Lord.

1. Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more.

2. Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all.

3. Grain for the fields, scattered and grown, gathered to one, for all.

Closing Song: SEND OUT YOUR SPIRIT

Refrain
O God, send out your Spirit;
renew the face of the earth.
O God, send out your Spirit;
renew the face of the earth.

We bless you, O God, for you are so great. Your Spirit uncovers hidden beauty and grace. Though times we deny all the pain and the tears, your Spirit empowers us and soon we face our fear.