

Pentecost Sequence

Response:

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and enkindle in them the fire of your love.

Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
From your bright celestial home
Rays of healing light impart.

Come, Father of the poor,
Source of gifts that will endure
Light of every human heart.

You, of all consolers best,
You the soul's most welcome guest,
Quickening courage do bestow,
In our labor, rest most sweet,
Grateful coolness in the heat.

Solace in the midst of woe,
O most blessed Light divine,
Let your radiance in us shine,
And our inmost being fill.

Where you are not, we have naught,
Nothing good in deed or thought,
Nothing free from taint of ill.
When we spurn your gracious will.

Cleanse our souls from sinful stain,
Flood our dryness with your rain,
Heal our wounds and mend our way.
Bend the stubborn heart and will,
Melt the frozen, warm the chill,
Guide the steps that go astray.

On the faithful who adore,
And confess you, evermore,
In your sevenfold gift descend.
Give them virtue's sure reward,
Give them your salvation, Lord,
Give them joys that never end.
Amen. Alleluia.

Leader: Let us pray:

All: Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me. Blood of Christ, inebriate me. Water from the side of Christ, strengthen me. O good Jesus, hear me. Within Thy wounds, hide me. Separated from Thee never let me be. From the malignant enemy, defend me. At the hour of death, call me, and bid me to come unto Thee. That I may praise you, in the company of your saints, for all eternity.
Amen.



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