

Welcome and notices.

Let us pray.

Come, Holy Spirit,
fill the hearts of your faithful people,
and kindle in us the fire of your love;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

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HOLY SPIRIT, WE WELCOME YOU.

Holy Spirit, we welcome You.
Move among us with holy fire,
As we lay aside all earthly desires,
Hands reach out and our hearts aspire.
Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit,
Holy Spirit, we welcome You.
Holy Spirit, we welcome You.
Holy Spirit, we welcome You.
Let the breeze of Your presence blow,
That Your children here might truly know
How to move in the Spirit's flow.
Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit,
Holy Spirit, we welcome You.

Holy Spirit, we welcome You.
Holy Spirit, we welcome You.
Please accomplish in me today
Some new work of loving grace, I pray;
Unreservedly have Your way.
Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit,
Holy Spirit, we welcome You.

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If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. **But** if we confess our sins God will forgive us and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silent reflection

Lord, have mercy
Lord, have mercy,
Christ, have mercy
Christ, have mercy
Lord, have mercy
Lord, have mercy.

May the Father forgive *us*
by the death of his Son
and strengthen *us*
to live in the power of the Spirit
all *our* days.

Amen.

Psalm 100

**Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.
Worship the Lord with gladness;
Come before him with joyful songs.
Know that the Lord is God.
It is he who made us, and we are his;
We are his people, the sheep of his pasture.
Enter his gates with thanksgiving
and his courts with praise;
Give thanks to him and praise his name.
For the Lord is good
And his love endures forever;
His faithfulness continues**

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throughout all generations.

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COME DOWN, O LOVE DIVINE,

Seek Thou this soul of mine
 And visit it with Thine own ardour glowing;
 O Comforter, draw near,
 Within my heart appear,
 And kindle it, Thy holy flame bestowing.

O let it freely burn,
 Till earthly passions turn
 To dust and ashes, in its heat consuming;
 And let Thy glorious light
 Shine ever on my sight,
 And clothe me round, the while my path illuming.

Let holy charity
 Mine outward vesture be,
 And lowliness become mine inner clothing;
 True lowliness of heart,
 Which takes the humbler part,
 And o'er its own shortcomings weeps with loathing.

And so the yearning strong,
 With which the soul will long,
 Shall far outpass the power of human telling;
 For none can guess its grace,
 Till he become the place
 Wherein the Holy Spirit makes His dwelling.

after Bianco da Siena (1367-1434), Richard F. Littledale (1833-90)

Bible reading John 7:14-44

Talk

**Holy Spirit,
I open my heart to you today.
Fill me afresh, where I am empty, pour your fullness.
Where I am weak, release your power.
Where I am fearful, ignite your fire.**

Where I am sick, bathe me in your healing.

**Holy Spirit
Transformed my thinking,
Strengthen my faith,
And use my life for your glory. Amen.**

(by J. John.)

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O THOU WHO CAMEST FROM ABOVE

The pure celestial fire to impart,
Kindle a flame of sacred love
On the mean altar of my heart.

There let it for Thy glory burn
With inextinguishable blaze,
And trembling to its source return,
In humble prayer and fervent praise.

Jesus, confirm my heart's desire
To work, and speak, and think for Thee;
Still let me guard the holy fire,
And still stir up Thy gift in me.

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Ready for all Thy perfect will,
My acts of faith and love repeat,
Till death Thy endless mercies seal,
And make the sacrifice complete.

Charles Wesley

Prayers

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O BREATH OF LIFE, COME SWEEPING THROUGH US,

Revive Thy church with life and power.
O Breath of Life, come, cleanse, renew us,
And fit Thy church to meet this hour.

O Wind of God, come, bend us, break us,
Till humbly we confess our need;
Then in Thy tenderness remake us,
Revive, restore; for this we plead.

O Breath of Love, come, breathe within us,
Renewing thought and will and heart:
Come, love of Christ, afresh to win us,
Revive Thy church in every part.

Revive us, Lord! is zeal abating
While harvest fields are vast and white?
Revive us, Lord, the world is waiting,
Equip Thy church to spread the light.

Elizabeth Porter Head.

Peace to you from God who is our Father.
Peace from Jesus Christ who is our peace.
Peace from the Holy Spirit who gives us life.
The peace of the triune God be always with you.

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We offer one another a sign of peace.

The Lord is here

His spirit is with us.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is always right to give you thanks,

God our creator,

Loving and faithful,

Holy and strong.

You made us

And the whole universe.

And filled your world with life.

Holy, holy, holy

You sent your son to live among us,

Jesus our Saviour, Mary's child.

He suffered on the cross;

He died to save us from our sins:

He rose in glory from the dead.

Holy, holy, holy

You sent your spirit

To bring new life to the world,

And clothe us with power from on high.

And so we join the angels

to celebrate and sing;

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**Holy, holy, holy lord,
God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your Glory.
Hosanna in the highest.**

Father, on the night before he died,
Jesus shared a meal with his friends.
He took to bread, and thanked you.
He broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying;
Take and eat this is my body, given for you.
Do this in remembrance of me.

After the meal, Jesus took the cup of wine.
He thanked you, and gave it to them saying;
Drink this all of you. This is my blood,
The new promise of God's unfailing love
do this to Remember Me.

Jesus Christ has died.
Jesus Christ has died.
Jesus Christ is risen.
Jesus Christ is risen.
Jesus Christ will come again.
Jesus Christ will come again.

Father, as we bring this bread and wine,
And remember his death and resurrection,
Send your Holy Spirit, that we who share these gifts, may be fed by
Christ body and blood

Amen, Amen, Amen

Pour your spirit on us

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That we may love one another,
Work for the healing of the earth,
And share the good news of Jesus,
As we wait for his coming in glory.

Amen, amen, amen

For honour and praise belong to you, father,
With Jesus your son, and the holy spirit;
One God forever and ever.

Amen, amen, amen.

As our saviour taught us so we pray
Our father in heaven,
Hallowed be your name,
Your Kingdom come,
Your will be done,
On earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today Our Daily Bread.
Forgive us our sins
As we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
But deliver us from evil.
For the Kingdom, the power,
And the glory are yours
Now and forever Amen

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.
Though we are many, we are one body,
because we all share in one bread.

Distribution

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**We thank you, lord,
That you have fed us in this sacrament,
United with Christ,
And given us a foretaste
Of the heavenly banquet
Prepared for all peoples. Amen**

Song: Build Your Kingdom Here

Come set Your rule and reign
In our hearts again
Increase in us we pray
Unveil why we're made
Come set our hearts ablaze with hope
Like wildfire in our very souls
Holy Spirit come invade us now
We are Your church
We need Your pow'r in us

Chorus

Build Your kingdom here
Let the darkness fear
Show Your mighty hand
Heal our streets and land
Set Your church on fire
Win this nation back
Change the atmosphere
Build Your kingdom here we pray

We seek Your kingdom first
We hunger and we thirst
Refuse to waste our lives
For You're our joy and prize
To see the captives' hearts released

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The hurt the sick the poor at peace
We lay down our lives for heaven's cause
We are Your church
We pray revive this earth

Unleash Your kingdom's pow'r
Reaching the near and far
No force of hell can stop
Your beauty changing hearts
You made us for much more than this
Awake the kingdom seed in us
Fill us with the strength and love of Christ
We are Your church
We are the hope on earth

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You are called and loved by God the father
And kept safe by Jesus Christ.
Mercy, peace and love
Be yours in abundance,
From God the father, son and Holy Spirit **Amen**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ. Amen

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