**PENTECOST SEQUENCE**

Verses (♩ = ca. 69)

1. **Come,** Holy Spirit, come!
2. **You,** of comforters the best;
3. O most blessed Light divine,
4. Heal our wounds, our strength renew;
5. On the faithful, who adore

1. **And** from your celestial home
2. **You,** the soul’s most welcome guest;
3. **Shine** with these hearts of yours,
4. **On** our dryness pour your dew;
5. **And** confess you, evermore

1. Shed a ray of light divine!
2. Sweet refreshment here be low;
3. And our inmost being fill!
4. Wash the stains of guilt away:
5. In your seven-fold gift descend;

*For variety, a second voice may sing measures 1–6 in parallel organum, a perfect 4th below the melody, in one or more verses.

Note: Here are two options for a clear transition from the sequence into the Gospel acclamation:
1. At verse 4 or 5 of the sequence, begin a procession of the Gospel Book from the altar to the ambo, with the cantor gesturing for all to stand. As the book arrives at the ambo, the sequence culminates in the singing of the Gospel acclamation.
2. If a Gospel procession is not done, sing the sequence through to the end, pause slightly; the cantor gestures for all to stand and begins the alleluia refrain.
Soprano

1. Come, Fa - ther of the poor!
2. In our la - bor, rest most sweet;
3. Where you are not, we have naught,
4. Bend the stub - born heart and will;
5. Give them vir - tue’s sure re - ward;

Alto

1. Come, source of all our store!
2. Grate - ful cool - ness in the heat;
3. Noth - ing good in deed or thought,
4. Melt the iro - zen, warm the chill;
5. Give them your sal - va - tion, Lord;

Tenor

1. Come, with - in our bos - oms shine.
2. So - lace in the midst of woe.
3. Noth - ing free from taint of ill.
4. Guide the steps that go a - stray.
5. Give them joys that nev - er end.

Bass

5. ward; Give sal - va - tion,

5.ward; Give sal - va - tion,

5. Lord; Give them joys that nev - er

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PENTECOST SEQUENCE, cont. (2)
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love.

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