

PENTECOST SEQUENCE

Verses (♩. = ca. 69)



1. Come, Ho - ly Spir - it, come!
2. You, of com - fort - ers the best;
3. O most bless - ed Light di - vine,
4. Heal our wounds, our strength re - new;
5. On the faith - ful, who a - dore



1. And from your ce - les - tial home
2. You, the soul's most wel - come guest;
3. Shine with - in these hearts of yours,
4. On our dry - ness pour your dew;
5. And con - fess you, ev - er - more



1. Shed a ray of light di - vine!
2. Sweet re - fresh - ment here be - low;
3. And our in - most be - ing fill!
4. Wash the stains of guilt a - way:
5. In your sev'n - fold gift de - scend;

*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.

PENTECOST SEQUENCE, cont. (2)

5. Give vir - tue's sure re -

Soprano

Alto

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;

Tenor

Bass

5. ward; Give sal - va - tion,

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 fro - zen, warm the chill;
 5. Give them your sal - va - tion, Lord;

5. Lord; Give them joys that nev - er

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.

PENTECOST SEQUENCE, cont. (3)

Refrain

5. end. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le -

1-4. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia, al -

5. A - men.

lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. al - le - lu - ia.

le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. ia.

1-4, Final D.C. (Fine) 5 to Gospel Verse

Gospel Verse: Cantor

Come, Holy Spir - it, fill the hearts of your faithful

and kindle in them the fire of your love.

D.S. al fine

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