

Liturgy of the Hours

PENTECOST SUNDAY
EVENING PRAYER

INTRODUCTION

V - O God, come to our aid
 R - O Lord, make haste to help us
 Glory be...

Intercessions:

We know that the Father is with us because of the Spirit he has given us. With this confidence we turn to you in prayer.

R: Father, send your Spirit into the Church!

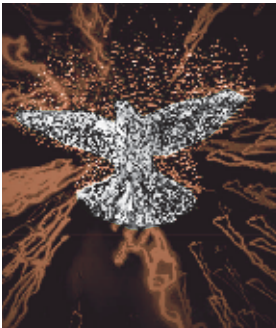
Father, you want to unite all men by baptism in the Spirit; draw all believers together in mind and heart. **R**

You sent the Spirit to fill the earth with your love; let men build the human city in justice and peace. **R**

Lord God, Father of all men, bring to your scattered children unity of faith: make the world alive with the power of your Spirit. **R**

By the work of the Spirit you create all minds afresh: heal the sick, comfort the afflicted, and bring all men to salvation. **R**

Through the Holy Spirit you raised your Son from the dead: Raise us by the power of your Spirit when we come to your kingdom. **R**



OUR FATHER

Our Father,
 Who art in heaven,
 hallowed be Thy name;
 Thy kingdom come;
 Thy will be done on earth
 as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day
 our daily bread;
 and forgive us our trespasses
 as we forgive those
 who trespass against us;
 and lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
 Amen.

Concluding Prayer:

Lord God, you sanctify your Church in every race and nation by the mystery we celebrate on this day. Pour out the gifts of the Holy Spirit on all mankind and fulfill now in the hearts of your faithful what you accomplished when the Gospel was first preached on earth

We make our prayer through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

Go in the peace of Christ, alleluia, alleluia.

R: Thanks be to God, alleluia, alleluia.

The Lord bless us, keep us from all evil and bring us to everlasting life. AMEN.



Spirit of God

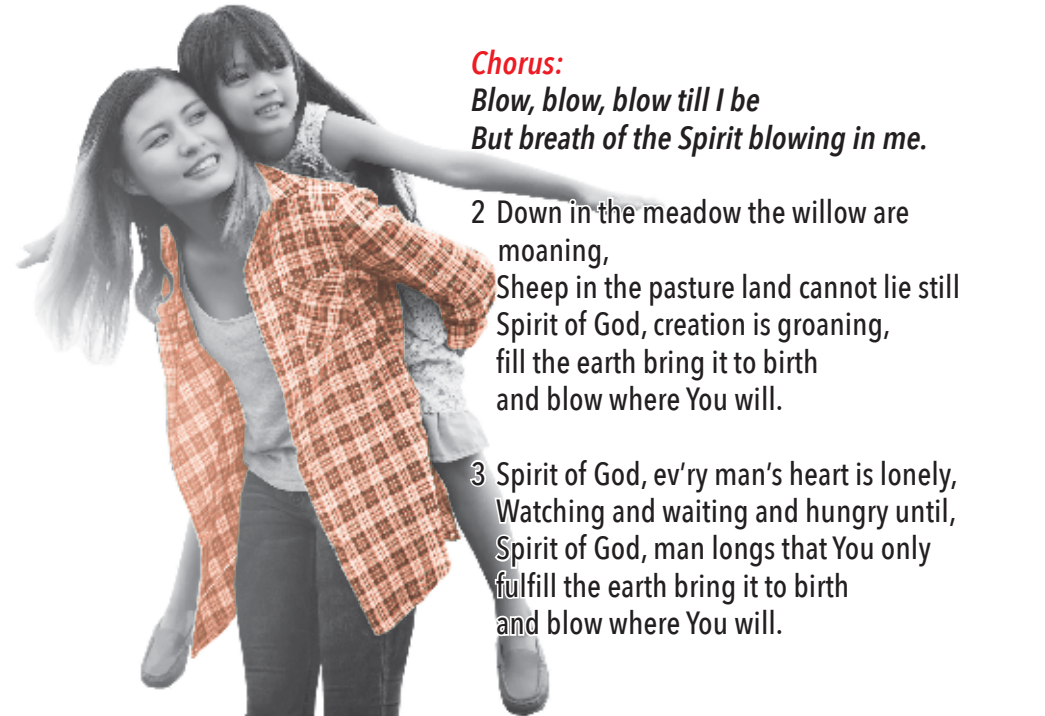
1 Spirit of God in the clear running water
 Blowing to greatness the trees on the hill.
 Spirit of God in the finger of morning
 fill the earth, bring it to birth
 and blow where You will.

Chorus:

**Blow, blow, blow till I be
 But breath of the Spirit blowing in me.**

2 Down in the meadow the willow are
 moaning,
 Sheep in the pasture land cannot lie still
 Spirit of God, creation is groaning,
 fill the earth bring it to birth
 and blow where You will.

3 Spirit of God, ev'ry man's heart is lonely,
 Watching and waiting and hungry until,
 Spirit of God, man longs that You only
 fulfill the earth bring it to birth
 and blow where You will.



Ant. 1: The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world, alleluia.

Psalm 109/110

The Lord's revelation to my Master:
"Sit on my right:
your foes I will put beneath your feet.'

The Lord will wield from Sion
your sceptre of power:
rule in the midst of all your foes.

A prince from the day of your birth
on the holy mountains,
from the womb before the dawn
I begot you.

The Lord has sworn an oath
he will not change.
'You are a priest for ever,
a priest like Melchizedek of old.

The Master standing on your right hand
Will shatter kings in the day of his wrath.

He shall drink from the stream
by the wayside
And therefore he shall lift up his head.

Glory be to the Father...

Ant.: The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world, alleluia.

Ant. 2: Send forth your power, Lord, from your holy temple in Jerusalem, and bring to perfection your work among us, alleluia.

Psalm 113A (114)

When Israel came forth from Egypt,
Jacob's sons from an alien people,
Judah became the Lord's temple,
Israel became his kingdom.

The sea fled at the sight:
The Jordan turned back on its course,
The mountains leapt like rams
And the hills like yearling sheep.

Why was it, sea, that you fled,
That you turned back, Jordan,
on your course?
The mountains leapt like rams,
hills, like yearling sheep?

Tremble, O earth, before the Lord,
In the presence of the God of Jacob,
Who turns the rock into a pool
and flint into a spring of water.

Glory be to the Father...

Ant.: Send forth your power, Lord, from your holy temple in Jerusalem, and bring to perfection your work among us, alleluia.

Ant. 3: They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak, alleluia

Canticle – REV 19:1,2,5-7

Alleluia.
Salvation and glory and power belong to our God, (R: Alleluia)
His judgements are true and just.
R: Alleluia (alleluia).

Alleluia.
Praise our God, all you his servants,
(R: Alleluia)
You who fear him, small and great.
R: Alleluia (alleluia).

Alleluia.
The Lord our God, the Almighty, reigns,
(R: Alleluia)
Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory.
R: Alleluia (alleluia).

Alleluia.
The marriage of the Lamb has come,
(R: Alleluia)
And his bride has made herself ready.
R: Alleluia (alleluia).

Glory be to the Father...

Ant. : They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak, alleluia

Scripture Reading:

Eph 4:3-6

Do your best to preserve the unity which the Spirit gives, by the peace that binds you together. There is one Body and one Spirit, just as there is one hope to which God has called you. There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism; there is one God and Father of all men, who is Lord of all, works through all, and is in all.

Short Responsory

R: The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world, alleluia, alleluia.

V: The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world, alleluia, alleluia..

R: It is he who holds all things in being and understands every word that is spoken.

V: The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world, alleluia, alleluia.

R: Glory be to the Father...

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MAGNIFICAT



Ant: This is the day of Pentecost, alleluia; today the Holy Spirit appeared to the disciples in the form of fire and gave to them his special gifts; he sent them into the world to proclaim that whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, alleluia.

My soul glorifies the Lord,
my spirit rejoices in God,
my Saviour.
He looks on His servant
in her lowliness; Henceforth all ages
will call me blessed.

The Almighty works marvels for me.
Holy His name!
His mercy is from age to age,
on those who fear him.

He puts forth His arm in strength
and scatters the proud-hearted.
He casts the mighty from
their thrones and raises the lowly.

He fills the starving with good things,
sends the rich away empty.
He protects Israel His servant,
remembering His mercy,
the mercy promised to our fathers,
to Abraham and his sons forever.

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