

Come, Holy Spirit

Based on the Pentecost Sequence

Christopher Walker

***REFRAIN**
(♩ = ca. 84)
mf

Descant
Come, Ho - ly Spir - it,

**Soprano/
Melody
Alto**
mf
Come, Ho - ly Spir - it, ——— come

**Tenor
Bass**
mf
Come, Ho - ly Spir - it, come ———

Keyboard
mf
(b)

fill us with your fire, *div.* Al - le - lu - ia! *Fine*

fill us with your fire, ——— Al - le - lu - ia! *Fine*

Fine

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*Refrain may be played once as an introduction. Sing Refrain twice after Verse 5.

Handbell parts are available in the instrument book, *At The Name Of Jesus*, edition 10999.

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*VERSES

p
S *div.*
A *div.*
Ah Ah

Melody

1. Ho - ly Spir - it, Lord of light, from the clear cel -
 2. Of con - sol - ers you are best, you the soul's de -
 3. Light im - mor - tal, light most pure, vis - it now these
 4. Heal our wounds, our strength re - new; on our dry - ness
 5. Now on those who ev - er - more wor - ship and with

p
S
A
Ah ah

T
B *p*

mp

ah

1. es - tial height, your pure beam - ing ra - diance give.
 2. light - ful guest, give re - fresh - ing peace to grow.
 3. hearts of yours, and our in - most be - ing fill.
 4. pour your dew; wash the stains of guilt a - way.
 5. faith a - dore, in your sev'n - fold gifts de - scend.

ah

*Either the SA or SATB choral parts may be used.

Come, Holy Spirit

ah ah

1. Come, O Spir - it of the poor, come with trea - sures that en -
 2. You, in toil, are com - fort sweet; pleas - ant cool - ness in the
 3. If you take your grace a - way, noth - ing pure in us will
 4. Bend the stub - born heart and will; melt the fro - zen, warm the
 5. Give them com - fort when they die; give them life with you on

ah ah

1. dure; come, O light of all who live.
 2. heat, so - lace in the midst of woe.
 3. stay; all our good is turned to ill.
 4. chill; guide the steps that go a - stray.
 5. high; give them joys that nev - er end.

D.C. *D.C.* *D.C.* *D.C.*

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Capo 5: (Am) (D) (F) (Em) (D) (C) (Am)
 Dm G B♭ Am G F Dm

Come, Ho - ly Spir - it, — come fill us with your fire, — Al - le -

VERSES

(D/F#) (E) (A(no 3)) (Am) (Asus4/B) (Am/C)
 G/B A D(no3) Dm Dsus4/E Dm/F

lu - ia! *Fine*

1. Ho - ly Spir - it, Lord of light,
2. Of con - sol - ers you are best,
3. Light im - mor - tal, light most pure,
4. Heal our wounds, our strength re - new;
5. Now on those who ev - er - more

(C/G) (Dm/F) (G) (B♭) (C/G)
 F/C Gm/B♭ C E♭ F/C

1. from the clear cel - es - tial height, your pure beam - ing ra - diance
2. you the soul's de - light - ful guest, give re - fresh - ing peace to
3. vis - it now these hearts of yours, and our in - most be - ing
4. on our dry - ness pour your dew; wash the stains of guilt a -
5. wor - ship and with faith a - dore, in your sev'n - fold gifts de -

(F/A) (C) (D/C) (C) (Em/G)
 B♭/D F G/F F Am/C

1. give. Come, O Spir - it of the poor, come with trea - sures
2. grow. You, in toil, are com - fort sweet; pleas - ant cool - ness
3. fill. If you take your grace a - way, noth - ing pure in
4. way. Bend the stub - born heart and will; melt the fro - zen,
5. scend. Give them com - fort when they die; give them life with

(Dm/F) (G) (B♭/D) (C) (C/E) (D)
 Gm/B♭ C E♭/G F F/A G

D.C.

1. that en - dure; come, O light of all who live. _____
2. in the heat, so - lace in the midst of woe. _____
3. us will stay; all our good is turned to ill. _____
4. warm the chill; guide the steps that go a - stray. _____
5. you on high; give them joys that nev - er end. _____

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SOLO INSTRUMENT in C

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Play any combination of A, B, C, D or E

INTRO/REFRAIN*

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A

B

VERSES 17

*REFRAIN

C

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*REFRAIN

D

VERSES 17

*REFRAIN

E

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SOLO INSTRUMENT in B \flat

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A

VERSES

17

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B

VERSES

17

*REFRAIN

C

VERSES

17

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D

VERSES

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*REFRAIN

E

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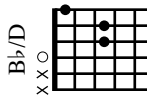
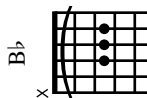
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Performance Notes

This is a setting of the Sequence traditionally sung before the Gospel on Pentecost Sunday. It may also be sung at confirmation and retreats. Vary the verses by having the choir sing in unison, alternating women and men, or using different cantors while the choir sings "ah." Add the descant for the last few verses and repeat the refrain at the end. You may like to try singing the refrain by itself as a prayer response. Handbells are available in the instrument book, edition 10999. If you do not have handbells, the part may be played on a keyboard; the instrument parts can be played in any order you choose.

—C.W.

Guitar Chord Charts



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