

Morning Prayer for Pentecost *and beyond*

[2021]



Intercessions

Thanksgiving

There are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit.
Lord, accept all we offer this day as gifts from thankful hearts,
to the praise of Christ our Saviour. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer: Being made one by the power of the Spirit,
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 in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread, and 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 for ever. Amen.**

The Blessing

May the Spirit of truth lead us into all truth,
give us grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,
and strengthen us to proclaim the word and works of God;
and may the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,
be among us and remain with us always. **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN

Dismissal

Filled with the Spirit's power,
go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
All In the name of Christ. Amen.

Call to Worship

Creator Spirit, come, fresh as the morning dew.
All Inflaming Spirit, come, kindle our hearts anew.

OPENING HYMN

Opening Prayer

**All Faithful God, as we come to you in worship:
come to us and bless us with your holiness.
As we come to you to pray:
come to us and bless us with your power.
As we come to you to give thanks:
come to us and bless us with your protecting love.
In the name of Jesus and in the power of the Spirit. Amen.**

Confession

The Spirit of the Lord fills the world
and knows our every word and deed.
Let us then open ourselves to the Lord
and confess our sins in penitence and faith.

All **Almighty God, long-suffering and of great goodness:
I confess to you, I confess with my whole heart
my neglect and forgetfulness of your commandments,
my wrong doing, thinking and speaking;
the hurts I have done to others,
and the good I have left undone.
O God, forgive me, for I have sinned against you;
and raise me to newness of life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

May the God of love and power
forgive us and free us from our sins,
heal and strengthen us by his Spirit,
and raise us to new life in Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Praise: A Song of the Spirit [verses from Ezekiel 36]

All **The Spirit of God fills the whole world. Alleluia.**

I will take you from the nations
and gather you from all the countries.

All **I will sprinkle clean water upon you
and you will be clean from all that defiles you.**

A new heart I will give you,
and put a new spirit within you,

All **And I will remove from your body the heart of stone
and give you a heart of flesh.**

You shall be my people
and I will be your God.

All **The Spirit of God fills the whole world. Alleluia.**

Collect for the Week

1st Reading

At the end: This is the word of the Lord

All **Thanks be to God**

Gospel Reading

Reader Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to ...

All Glory to you, O Lord.

At the end: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON, followed by a *HYMN*, as we reflect on the message

The Apostles Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**