



A Taizé style service for Pentecost

**Saturday 6 June 2020
7:30pm**

Welcome to this service of reflective prayer. The words and songs of this service move in and out of an underlying silence. There will be a period of silence between each section of the service. We remain seated throughout the liturgy in order to maintain a sense of stillness in the midst of the relentless activity of our lives. This service has been adapted for our period of isolation.

Sentence

God's Love has been poured into your hearts through the Holy Spirit which has been given to us. (Romans 5:5)

The Lighting of the Candles

- I. Come Holy Spirit
- R. Fill us with the wonder of your presence**
- L. Come Holy Spirit
- R. Fill us with the fire of your love**
- L. Come Holy Spirit
- R. Fill us with the grace of your peace**

Song: Veni Sancte Spiritus (Come, Holy Spirit)

<https://youtu.be/Z1fR4SV55qg>

Reading: **John 14: 23.25-27 (NRSV)**

Jesus said, "Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid."

Reflection: (The Rev'd Joan Claring-Bould)

Music for Reflection

Rachel Bruerville (Cello)

Hymn Tune: Come Down, O Love Divine

Song during the prayers: Veni Sancte Spiritus (Come, Holy Spirit)

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Prayers: (adapted from *Prayer for Each Day*. Taizé, 1997)

Holy Spirit, from heaven shine forth with your radiant love.

Come Holy Spirit

Generous Spirit, Light of our hearts. Perfect Comforter, make your peace to dwell in our souls:

Come Holy Spirit

Spirit of Refreshment, in our labour you offer rest; in our trials, strength:

Come Holy Spirit

Kindly Light, enter the inmost depth of our hearts. Bend our rigidity, inflame our apathy:

Come Holy Spirit

Spirit of Healing, enter the depth of our longing. Heal our wounded hearts, minds and spirits:

Come Holy Spirit

Spirit of joy, from heaven shine forth with your radiant love.

Come Holy Spirit

Blessing

May Christ's holy, healing enabling Spirit be with you every step of your way, and be your guide as your road changes and turns...

The Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, give you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and to proclaim the word and works of God...

And the blessing of God Almighty, Father, son and Holy Spirit be with you and remain with you always.

Amen

(A New Zealand Prayer Book. Genesis Publications NZ, 2002)

Song: Holy Spirit Come to us, Kindle in us the fire of your love,

Holy Spirit Come to us, Holy Spirit Come to us.

<https://youtu.be/zasyz-tJkOg>

Notices:

Worship at the Cathedral continues to be online for the time being.

Through the time that we are unable to meet together, the Cathedral staff continues to pray for you, and we encourage you to pray for the ministry of the Cathedral to parishioners, neighbours and the community at this time as well as for each other.

We are working towards slowly and safely returning to worship at the Cathedral in some capacity.

Please keep in touch with the Cathedral through our online inspirational talks, worship, music, and events during the next few months.

Go to the website <http://www.stpeters-cathedral.org.au/> and subscribe the E-newsletter. Also keep watching for updates on the St Peters Cathedral Adelaide Facebook page. Feel free to contact me. (joanCB@adam.com.au)

There is much information about the Taizé community on line <https://www.taize.fr/en>
If you would like to listen to more chants, Google “Taizé songs YouTube.”