



COME, HOLY SPIRIT, COME INTO OUR HEARTS

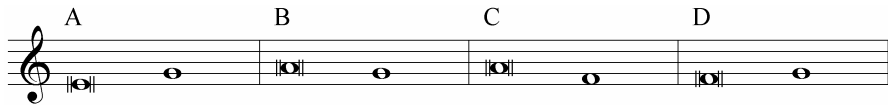
O God, come to my aid.

O Lord, make haste to help me.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

CHANT: *They shall adore you, come and adore you: Lord, ev'ry nation shall come. (Psalm 72)*

SALMO 62, 2-9 L'anima assetata del Signore
La Chiesa ha sete del suo Salvatore, bramando di dissetarsi alla fonte dell'acqua viva che zampilla per la vita eterna (cfr. Cassiodoro).



[A] O Dio, tu sei il mio Dio, all'aurora ti cerco,
[B] di te ha sete l'anima mia,
[C] a te anela la mia carne,
[D] come terra deserta, arida, senz'acqua.

[A] Così nel santuario ti ho cercato,
[B] per contemplare la tua potenza e la tua gloria.
[C] Poiché la tua grazia vale più della vita,
[D] le mie labbra diranno la tua lode.

[A] Così ti benedirò finché io viva,
[B] nel tuo nome alzerò le mie mani.
[C] Mi sazierò come a lauto convito,
[D] e con voci di gioia ti loderà la mia bocca.

[A] Nel mio giaciglio di te mi ricordo,
[B] e penso a te nelle veglie notturne,
[C] tu sei stato il mio aiuto;
[D] esulto di gioia all'ombra delle tue ali.

[A] A te si stringe
[B] l'anima mia.
[C] La forza della tua destra
[D] mi sostiene.

[A] Gloria al Padre e al Figlio,
[B] e allo Spirito Santo.
[C] Come era nel principio e ora e sempre
[D] nei secoli dei secoli. Amen.

Reading

Jesus said, "Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; yet the word you hear is not mine but that of the Father who sent me. "I have told you this while I am with you. The Advocate, the *Holy Spirit that the Father will send in my name, he will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you.* Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid. (John 14:23-27)

Jesús dice: «Si alguno me ama, guardará mi Palabra, y mi Padre le amará, y vendremos a él, y haremos morada en él. El que no me ama no guarda mis palabras. Y la palabra que escucháis no es mía, sino del Padre que me ha enviado. Os he dicho estas cosas estando entre vosotros. Pero el Paráclito, el Espíritu Santo, que el Padre enviará en mi nombre, os lo enseñará todo y os recordará todo lo que yo os he dicho. Os dejo la paz, mi paz os doy; no os la doy como la da el mundo. No se turbe vuestro corazón ni se acobarde. (Juan 14:23-27)

PRAYER IN SILENCE

CHANT: *Tu sei sorgente viva*

Fórmula de la Congregación General.

(Capítulo I, De la elección de los Asistentes ad providentiam)

128.- § 1. Elijan a los Asistentes ad providentiam los mismos que tienen derecho a elegir el Preósito General... § 2. Sean hombres buenos, fieles, amantes de la Compañía y del bien común, dotados del don de discreción, versados en la gestión, capaces de conservar la paz y la unión entre sí y con el Preósito General y en todo tales cual se describen en sus Reglas. Como, por disposición de la Congregación General, son también Consejeros Generales, han de estar versados en los asuntos generales, idóneos para tratar con los hombres, aptísimos para dar consejo sobre la Compañía universal. Los anteriores Asistentes pueden ser elegidos de nuevo para el mismo cargo.

Formula of a General Congregation

(Chapter I, The Election of the Assistants ad Providentiam)

128.- § 1. The same persons who have the right to elect the General elect the Assistants ad providentiam... § 2. They should be upright men, faithful, lovers of the Society and of the common good, endowed with the gift of discretion, experienced in administration, adept at conserving peace and union among themselves and with the General and in all ways men such as described in our Rules. Since, by decision of the General Congregation, they are also General Counselors, they should be men experienced in matters of business, suited for dealing with people, and very well equipped to proffer counsel on behalf of the entire Society. The former Assistants can be reelected for the same position.

Tu sei sorgente viva – instrumental music

PRAYER IN SILENCE

Litany of the Holy Spirit

Refrain:



Come, Ho-ly Spi-rit, come in-to our hearts, make us your new cre-a - tion.

- Spirit of light: let your wisdom shine on us. **Come...**
- Spirit of silence: make us aware of God's presence. **Come...**
- Spirit of courage: dispel the fear in our hearts. **Come...**
- Spirit of fire: inflame us with Christ's love. **Come...**
- Spirit of peace: help us be still and listen to God's word. **Come...**

- Spirit of joy: inspire us to proclaim the good news. **Come...**
- Spirit of love: help us to open ourselves to the needs of others. **Come...**
- Spirit of power: give us all your help and strength. **Come...**
- Spirit of truth: guide us all in the way of Christ. **Come...**

Jesus taught us to call God our Father, and so we have the courage to say:

**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 that trespass against us, and lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

Father of light, from whom every good gift comes, send your Spirit into our lives with the power of a mighty wind, and by the flame of your wisdom open the horizons of our minds. Loosen our tongues to sing your praise in words beyond the power of speech, for without your Spirit man could never raise his voice in words of peace or announce the truth that Jesus is Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **AMEN.**

May the Lord bless us and keep us from all harm;
and may he lead us to eternal life. **A M E N**

May God bless us in mercy - Psalm 67

