## Pentecost Sunday Commonly called Whitsunday

June 5, 2022

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 163 Hail thee, festival day!

Salve Festa Dies

*Refrain* Hail thee, festival day! blest day that art hallowed for ever; Day whereon God from heav'n shone in the world with his grace.

- 1. He who was nailed to the cross is Lord and the ruler of all men; All things created on earth sing to the glory of God: *Repeat Refrain*
- 2. Lo, in the likeness of fire, on them that await his appearing, He who the Lord had foretold, suddenly, swiftly descends: *Repeat Refrain*
- 3. God the All-Father, the Lord, who rulest the earth and the heavens, Guard us from harm without, cleanse us from evil within: *Repeat Refrain*
- 4. Jesus the health of the world, enlighten our minds, thou Redeemer, Son of the Father Supreme, only begotten of God: *Repeat Refrain* 
  - 5. Spirit of life and of power, now flow in us, fount of our being, Light that dost lighten all, life that in all dost abide: *Repeat Refrain*
- 6. Praise to the Giver of good! Thou Love who art author of concord, Pour out thy balm on our souls, order our ways in thy peace: *Repeat Refrain*

Text: Venantius Honorius Fortuatus, 6th century. Tune: Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906.

SEQUENCE HYMN 166 Come, Holy Spirit, heav'nly Dove (vs. 1-2) (The People standing)

St. Agnes

- Come, Holy Spirit, heav'nly Dove, / With all thy quick'ning powers;
   Kindle a flame of sacred love / In these cold hearts of ours.
  - 2. See how we trifle here below, / Fond of these earthly toys: Our souls, how heavily they go, / To reach eternal joys.
  - 3. In vain we tune our formal songs, / In vain we strive to rise: Hosannas languish on our tongues, / And our devotion dies.
- 4. Come, Holy Spirit, heav'nly Dove, / With all thy quick'ning powers; Come, shed abroad a Saviour's love, / And that shall kindle ours.

Text: Isaac Watts, 1707, alt. Tune: John B. Dykes, 1866.

Edsall

- Come, risen Lord, and deign to be our guest; Nay, let us by thy guests; the feast is thine; Thyself at thine own board make manifest. In this our sacrament of bread and wine.
- We meet as in that upper room they met;
   Thou at the table, blessing, yet dost stand:
   "This is my body"; so thou givest yet;
   Faith still receives the cup as from thy hand.
- One body we, one body who partake,
   One Church united in communion blest;
   One name we bear, one Bread of Life we break
   With all thy saints on earth and saints at rest.
- One with each other, Lord, for one in thee, Who art one Savior and one living Head;
   One name we bear, one Bread of Life we break Be known to us in breaking of the bread.

Text: George Wallace Briggs, 1933. Tune: George Henry Day, 1940.

## **264** O God, thy table now is spread

Rockingham

- 1. My God, thy table now is spread, / Thy cup with love doth overflow; Be all thy children thither led, / And let them thy sweet mercies know.
- 2. O let thy table honor'd be, / And furnished well with joyful guests: And may each soul salvation see, / That here its sacred pledges tastes.
- 3. Drawn by thy quick'ning grace, O Lord, / In countless numbers let them come, And gather from their Father's board / The Bread that lives beyond the tomb.
  - 4. Nor let thy spreading Gospel rest, / Till through the world thy truth has run; Till with this Bread all men be blest, / Who see the light or feel the sun.

Text: Philip Doddridge, 1755, alt. Tune: adapted Edward Miller, 1790; arr. Samuel Webbe, 1820.

1. Let thy Blood in mercy poured, / Let thy gracious Body broken, Be to me, O gracious Lord, / Of thy boundless love the token.

## Refrain

Thou didst give thyself for me, / Now I give myself to thee.

- 2. Thou didst die that I might live; / Blessed Lord, thou cam'st to save me: All that love of God could give / Jesus by his sorrows gave me. *Refrain*
- 3. By the thorns that crowned thy brow, / By the spear-wound and the nailing, By the pain and death, I now / Claim, O Christ, thy love unfailing. *Refrain* 
  - 4. Wilt thou own the gift I bring? / All my penitence I give thee; Thou art my exalted King, / Of thy matchless love forgive me. Refrain

Greek; Tr. John Brownlie, 1907; Music: Johann Crueger's Praxis Pietatis Melica, 1653.

## ABLUTION HYMN 482 Come down, O Love divine

Down Ampney

- Come down, O Love divine / Seek thou this soul of mine,
   And visit it with thine own ardor glowing;
   O comforter, draw near, / Within my heart appear,
   And kindle it, thy holy flame bestowing.
  - O let it freely burn, / Till earthly passions turn
     To dust and ashes in its heat consuming;
     And let thy glorious light / Shine ever on my sight,
     And clothe me round, the while my path illuming.
- 3. And so the yearning strong, / With which the soul will long, Shall far outpass the power of human telling; For none can guess its grace, / Till he become the place Wherein the Holy Spirit makes his dwelling.

Text: Bianco da Siena, 15th cent.; tr. R. F. Littledale. Tune: Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906, alt.

Refrain Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim, Till all the world adore his sacred name.

- 1. Led on their way by this triumphant sign, The hosts of God in con'quring ranks combine. *Repeat Refrain* 
  - 2. Each newborn soldier of the Crucified Bears on his brow the seal of him who died. *Repeat Refrain*
- 3. O Lord, once lifted on the glorious tree, As thou hast promised, draw all men to thee. *Repeat Refrain* 
  - 4. So shall our song of triumph ever be: "Praise to the Crucified for victory!" *Repeat Refrain*

Text: George William Kitchin, 1887, alt. Tune: Sydney Hugo Nicholson, 1916.