

# 1990 • Collegeville Hymnal

PENTECOST

**297 Come Creator Spiritus**

Come Creator Spiritus, Hymn 297

1. Come Cre - a - tor Spi - rit high - ly blest, And in our hearts  
 2. O Com - fort - er to you we cry, The heav - en - ly gift  
 3. Your sev - en gifts in us ap - pear, Fin - ger of God beck -  
 4. To ev - 'ry sense your light im - part, And shed your love

take up your rest; Come with your grace and  
 of God most high; The fount of life and  
 on - ing us near; You are the prom - ise  
 in ev - 'ry heart. To our weak flesh, your

heav'n - ly aid, To fill the hearts which you have made.  
 fire of love, And sweet a - noint - ing from a - bove.  
 of the Fa - ther, Who touch - es tongues with ho - ly word.  
 strength sup - ply: Un - fail - ing cour - age from on high.

5. Drive far from us the foe we dread,  
 And grant us your true peace instead;  
 So shall we not, with you for guide,  
 Turn from the path of life aside.

6. O grant that we through you may come  
 To know the Father and the Son.  
 And hold with firm, unchanging faith  
 That you are Spirit of them both.

7. Praise we the Father and the Son,  
 And Holy Spirit, with them one;  
 And may the Son on us bestow  
 The gifts that from the Spirit flow.

*Text: Rabanus Maurus, c. 776-856, attr.; tr. Edward Caswall, 1814-1848, alt, and others  
 Music: Plainchant, Mode VIII*

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VENI CREATOR SPIRUS

**298 Veni Creator Spiritus**

1. Ve - ni, Cre - á - tor Spí - ri - tus, Men - tes tu - ó - rum ví - si - ta:  
 2. Qui dí - ce - ris Pa - rá - cli - tus, Al - tís - si - mi do - num De - i,  
 3. Tu se - pti - fof - mis mú - ne - re, Dígi - tus pa - té - nae déx - te - rae,  
 4. Ac - cén - de lu - men sén - si - bus, In fun - de a - mó - rem cór - di - bus,  
 5. Ho - stem re - pé - las lón - gi - us, Pa - cé - mque do - nes pró - ti - nus:  
 6. Per te sci - á - mus da Pa - trem, No - scá - mus at - que Fí - li - um  
 7. De - o Pa - tri sit gló - ri - a, Et Fí - li - o qui - a mó - ru - is

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