

Hymns for 31st May 2020 – Pentecost

Filled with the Spirit's power [TiS 411]

1. Filled with the Spirit's power with one accord
the infant church confessed its risen Lord.
O Holy Spirit, in the church today
no less your power of fellowship display.
2. Now with the mind of Christ set us on fire,
that unity may be our great desire.
Give joy and peace; give faith to hear your call,
and readiness in each to work for all.
3. Widen our love, good Spirit, to embrace
in your strong care all those of every race.
Like wind and fire with life among us move,
till we are known as Christ's, and Christians prove.

J.R. Peacey (1896-1971) *alt.*

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Servant Song [TiS 650]

- 1 Brother, sister, let me serve you,
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace to
let you be my servant too.
- 2 We are pilgrims on a journey,
and companions on the road;
we are here to help each other
walk the mile and bear the load.
- 3 I will hold the Christ-light for you
in the night-time of your fear;
I will hold my hand out to you,
speak the peace you long to hear.
- 4 I will weep when you are weeping;
when you laugh I'll laugh with you;
I will share your joy and sorrow
till we've seen this journey through.
- 5 When we sing to God in heaven
we shall find such harmony,
born of all we've known together
of Christ's love and agony.
- 6 Brother, sister, let me serve you,
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace to
let you be my servant too.

Richard A. M. Gillard (b. 1953)

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Come down, O Love divine [TiS 398]

1. Come down, O Love divine,
seek now this soul of mine,
and visit it with your own ardour glowing;
O Comforter, draw near,
within my heart appear,
and kindle it, your holy flame bestowing.

2. There let it freely burn,
till earthly passions turn
to dust and ashes in its heat consuming;
and let your glorious light
shine ever on my sight,
and clothe me round, the while my path illuming.
3. Let holy charity
my outer garment be,
and lowliness become my inner clothing;
true lowliness of heart,
which takes the humbler part,
and for its own shortcomings weeps with
loathing.
4. 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 we become the place
in which the Holy Spirit makes her dwelling.

Bianco de Siena (d.1434)

tr. Richard Littledale (1833-1890) *alt.*

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Shine, Jesus, Shine [TiS 675]

1. Lord the light of Your love is shining,
in the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us,
set us free by the truth you now bring us --
shine on me, shine on me.

Chorus

Shine Jesus shine

*fill this land with the Father's glory;
blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.*

Flow, river, flow,

flood the nations with grace and mercy;

send forth your word, Lord, and let there be light.

2. Lord, I come to your awesome presence,
from the shadows into Your radiance;
by your blood I may enter your brightness:
search me, try me, consume all my darkness -
-
shine on me, shine on me.

Chorus

3. As we gaze on your kingly brightness
so our faces display your likeness,
ever changing from glory to glory:
mirrored here may our lives tell your story --
shine on me, shine on me.

Chorus

Graham Kendrick b.1950

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