

Pentecost Sunday

Celebrant

On this great day, when we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit, let us ask God our Father to renew each one of us, his Church and the world, through his Spirit, so that all may be filled with his power.
Amen

Reader:

We pray for the leaders of the Church, may they, like the apostles, be filled with God's Holy Spirit, and speak to the world of his unending love for everyone.

Lord, hear us.

We pray for the world at this time of global pandemic; send forth your Spirit, O Lord, that the face of the earth may be renewed.

Lord, hear us.

We pray for ourselves, that we may radiate the spirit of love, peace, joy, kindness and gentleness to all we meet.

Lord, hear us.

As some of our children return to school this week; we pray for their safety, we also pray for those who are unable to return to school. We pray for teachers, teaching assistants and all who work in our schools that they may remain safe.

Lord, hear us.

Let us pray for our young people who would have been confirmed today, and for the children on our first Holy Communion programme this year. We pray for couples who have had to postpone their weddings. May they soon be able to receive the Lord's sacramental grace.

Lord, hear us

We pray for those who have died; may they find eternal life in the kingdom of God.

Lord, hear us

Renewed in the Holy Spirit, we make our private petitions to God our Father.

(pause)

The Holy Spirit came down on Mary while she prayed with the apostles, so with her we say.

HAIL MARY.....

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Father, your Spirit renews our world. May he fill us with your love and enable us to do your will. Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.