Hymn 1

HAIL THIS JOYFUL DAY'S RETURN

1. Hail this joyful day's return,  
   hail the Pentecostal morn,  
   morn when our ascended Head,  
   on his church his spirit shed!  
   Like the golden tongues of flame,  
   On the twelve the Spirit came-  
   Tongues that earth may hear their call,  
   Fire that love may burn in all.

2. Hear the speech before unknown,  
   Trembling crowds the wonder own,  
   What though hardened some abide,  
   And the Holy work deride?  
   Mystic hour, when Easter's sun,  
   Seven times seven its course hath run,  
   Church of Christ from debt made free,  
   Hail thy day of jubilee.

3. Lord, to thee thy people bend;  
   Unto us thy Spirit send;  
   Blessings of this sacred day,
And our inmost being fill;  
If thou take thy grace away  
Nothing pure in man will stay;  
All his good is turned to ill.

4. Heal our wounds, our strength renew;  
On our dryness pour thy dew;  
Wash the stains of guilt away  
Bend the stubborn heart and will,  
Melt the frozen, warm the chill;  
Guide the steps that go astray.

5. Thou, on us who evermore  
Thee confess and thee adore,  
With thy sevenfold gifts descend;  
Give them comfort when they die;  
Give them life with thee on high;  
Give them joys that never end.

Hymn 3

SEE THE PARACLETE DESCENDING

1. See the Paraclete descending  
Burning with celestial fire,  
Grace and truth on Him attending,  
Man with heavenly love inspire,
2. I saw the scar of a year that lay dying,  
   Heard the lament of a lone whip-poor-will,  
   Spirit of God, see that cloud crying  
   Fill the earth...

Hymn 5  
COME HOLY SPIRIT CREATOR COME

1. Come, Holy Spirit, creator come  
   From thy bright heavenly throne,  
   Come, take possession of our souls,  
   And make them all thy own.

2. Thou who art called the Paraclete,  
   Best gift of God above,  
   The living spring, the living fire,  
   Sweet unction and true love.

3. Thou who art sev'nfold in thy grace  
   Finger of God's right hand;  
   His promise, teaching little ones  
   To speak and understand.

4. O guide our minds with thy blest light  
   With love our hearts inflame  
   And with thy strength which ne'er decays  
   Confirm our mortal frame.

5. Far from us drive our deadly foe,  
   True peace unto us bring,  
   And through all perils lead us safe  
   Beneath thy sacred wing.

5. Through thee may we the Father know,  
   Through thee th'eternal Son,  
   And thee the Spirit of them both,  
   Thrice-blessed Three in One,

7. All glory to the Father be,  
   With his co-equal Son,  
   The same to thee, great paraclete,  
   While endless ages run.
Hymn 6
VENI CREATOR SPIRITUS

1. Veni, Creator Spiritus,  
   Mentes tuorum, visita,  
   Imple superna gratia  
   Quae tu creasti, pectora.

2. Qui diceris Paraclitus,  
   Altissimi donum Dei  
   Fons vivus, ignis, caritas,  
   Et spiritus unctio

3. Tu septiformis munere,  
   Digitus paternae dexterae,  
   Tu rite promissum Patris  
   Sermone ditans guttura

4. Accende lumen sensibus,  
   Infunde amorem cordibus,  
   Infirma nostris corporis  
   Virtute firmans perpeti

5. Hostem repellas longius,  
   Pacemque dones protinus  
   Ductore sic te praevio,  
   Vitemus omne noxium

Hymn 7
THE SPIRIT OF GOD

6. Per te sciamus da Patrem,  
   Noscamus atque Filium  
   Teque utriusque Spiritum  
   Credamus omni tempore

7. Deo Patri sit Gloria,  
   Et Filio qui a mortuis  
   Surexit, ac paraclito,  
   In saecula saeculorum. Amen

1. The Spirit of God rests upon me  
   The Spirit of God consecrates me  
   The Spirit of God bids me go forth  
   To proclaim his peace, his joy

2. The Spirit of God sends me forth  
   Called to witness the kingdom of Christ  
   Among all the nations, called to console  
   The hearts overcome with great sorrow  
   My spirit rejoices in God my saviour
3. The Spirit of God sends me forth
Called to witness the kingdom of Christ
The poor who mourn and who weep
My spirit rejoices in God my saviour

**Hymn 8**

**ON THE WASTELAND**

1. Spirit of God, on the waste and the darkness
Hovering in power as creation began,
Drawing forth beauty from clay and from chaos,

2. Breathing God's life in the nostrils of Man,
Come and sow life in the waste of our being,
Pray in us, form us as sons in the son.
Open our hearts to yourself, mighty spirit, Bear us to life in the three who re one.

**Hymn 9**

**LOVE DIVINE**

1. Come down O love divine
Seek thou this soul of mine
And visit it with thine own ardour glowing;
O comforter, draw near,
Within my heart appear,
And kindle it, thy holy flame bestowing.

2. 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 round, while my path illuminating.

3. Let holy charity
Mine outward vesture be,
And lowliness become mine inner clothing.
True lowliness of heart,
Which takes the humbler part,
And o'er its own shortcomings weeps
with loath in.

4. And so the yearning strong,
With which the soul will long,
Shall far out pass the power of human
telling;
For none can guess its grace,
Till he become the place
Wherein the Holy Spirit makes his
dwelling.

Hymn 10

O HOLY SPIRIT, BY WHOSE BREATH

1. Holy Spirit, by whose breath, life rises
Vibrant out of death:
Come to create, re-new, in-spire;
Come, kindle in our hearts your fire.

2. You are the seeker's sure re-source.
Of burning Love the living source,
Protector in the midst of strife,
The Giver and the Lord of life.

3. In you God's energy is shown,
To us your varied gifts made known.
Teach us to speak; teach us to hear;
Yours is the tongue and yours the ear.

4. Flood our dull senses with your light;
In mutual love our hearts unite.
Your power the whose creation fills;
Confirm our weak, uncertain wills.

5. From inner strife grant us release;
Turn nations to the ways of peace.
To fuller life your people bring
That as one body we may sing:

6. Praise to the Father, Christ his word,
And to the Spirit, God the Lord;
To whom all honour glory be
Both now and for e-ter-ni-ty.
Hymn 11

SPIRIT BLOWING THROUGH CREATION

1. Spirit blowing through creation,
   Spirit burning in the skies,
   Let the hope of your salvation fill our eyes;
   God of splendour, God of glory,
   You who light the stars above,

2. As you moved upon the waters,
   As you ride upon the wind,
   Move us all, your sons and daughters deep within;
   As you shaped the hills and mountains,
   Formed the land and filled the deep,

3. Love that sends the rivers dancing,
   Love that waters all that lives,
   Love that heals and holds and rouses and forgives
   You are food for all your creatures,
   You are hunger in the soul,

Hymn 12

COME DOWN, O LOVE DIVINE

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 pear, and kindle it, your holy flame bestowing.

2. O 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 illumining.
3. And so the yearning strong, with which the soul will long, shall far out-pass the power of human telling; For none can guess its grace, till love creates the place wherein the Holy Spirit makes its dwelling.

**Hymn 13**

**COME, HOLY SPIRIT**

1. Come, Holy Ghost, Creator blest, and in our hearts take up thy rest; come with thy grace and heavenly aid to fill the hearts which thou hast made to fill the hearts which thou hast made.

2. O Comforter, to thee we cry, thou heavenly gift of God most high; thou heavenly gift of God most high Thou fount of life and fire of love, And sweet anointing from above- And sweet anointing from above

3. O Holy Ghost, through thee alone, know we the Father and the Son; Be this our firm unchanging creed, that thou dost from them both proceed That thou dost from them both proceed.

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

**Hymn 14**

**COME, NOW ALMIGHTY KING**

1. Come, now almighty king, help us your Name to sing, help us to praise. Father all glorious, ever victorious, Come and reign over us, ancient of days.

2. Come, now incarnate Son, your life in us begun, our prayer attend, Come and your people bless, and give your word success;
Strengthen your righteousness, Saviour and Friend!

3. Come, holy comforter; your sacred witness bear in this glad hour.
Your grace to us impart, now rule in every hear
Never from us depart, Spirit of Power!

4. To thee great one in three,
   Eternal praises be for evermore!
Your sovereign majesty, may we in glory see
And to eternity love and adore!

Hymn 15

DIVERSE IN CULTURE, NATION, RACE

1. Diverse in culture, nation, race, we come together by your grace, God, let us be a meeting ground where hope and healing love are found.

2. God, let us be a bridge of care connecting people everywhere. Help us confront all fear and hate and lust for power that separate.

3. When chasms widen, storms arise,
   Holy Spirit, make us wise, let our resolve, like steel, be strong to stand with those who suffer wrong.

4. O God, let us be a table spread with gifts of love and broken bread, where all find welcome, grace attends, and enemies arise as friends.

Hymn 16

O BREATHE ON ME, O BREATH OF GOD

1. O breathe on me, O breath of God,
   Fill me with life anew, that I may love the things you love, and do what you would do.

2. O breathe on me, O breath of God,
   un-till my heart is pure; until my will is one with yours, to do and to endure.
3. O breathe on me, O breath of God,  
   My will to yours incline, until this  
   selfish part of me glows with your fire  
   divine.

4. O breathe on me, O breath of God  
   So shall I never die, but live with you the  
   perfect life of your eternity.

Hymn 17
HOLY GOD, WE PRAISE YOUR NAME

1. Holy God, we praise your name;  
   Lord of all, we bow before thee!  
   All on earth thy sceptre own,  
   All in heaven above adore thee.  
   Infinite thy vast domain,  
   Everlasting is thy reign.

2. Hark! The loud celestial hymn  
   Angels choirs above raising:  
   Cherubim and seraphim,  
   In unceasing chorus praising,  
   Fill the heavens with sweet accord;  
   Holy, holy, holy Lord.

3. Holy Father, holy Son,  
   Holy Spirit, three we name thee,  
   While in essence only one  
   Undivided God we claim thee  
   And adoring bend the knee,  
   While we own the mystery.

4. Spare thy people, Lord, we pray,  
   By a thousand snares surrounded;  
   Keep us without sin today;  
   Never let us be confounded.  
   Lo, I put my trust in thee;  
   Never, Lord, abandon me.

Hymn 18
WE BLESS YOU LORD OF LIFE

1. We bless you Father, Lord of life  
   To whom all living beings tend,  
   The source of holiness and grace  
   Our first beginning and our end.

2. We give you thanks, Redeeming Christ,  
   Who bore our weight of sin and shame;  
   In dark defeat you conquered sin,  
   And death by dying, overcome.
3. Come, Holy Spirit, searching fire, 
   Whose flame all evil burns away. 
   Come down to us with light and love, 
   In silence and in peace to stay.

4. We praise you, Trinity in One, 
   Sublime in majesty and might, 
   Who reign for ever; Lord of all 
   In splendour and unending light.

**Hymn 19**

**COME, O CREATOR SPIRIT**

1. Come, O Creator Spirit, come, 
   And make within our hearts your home; 
   To us your graces eternal give, 
   Who of your breathing move and live.

2. Our senses with your light inflame, 
   Our hearts to heavenly love reclaim; 
   Our body's poor infirmity 
   With strength perpetual fortify.

3. Our earthly foe afar repel, 
   Grant us henceforth in peace to dwell; 
   And so to us, with you for guide 
   No ill shall come, no harm betide.

4. May we by you the Father learn, 
   And know the Son, and discern, 
   Who are of both; and thus adore 
   In perfect faith for evermore.

**Hymn 20**

**LOVE UNFAILING**

1. Day is done, but love unfailing 
   Dwells ever here; 
   Shadows fall, but hope, prevailing, 
   Calms every fear. 
   Loving Father, none forsaking 
   Take our hearts, of love's own making 
   Watch our sleeping, guard waking 
   Be always near!

2. Dark descends, but Light unending 
   Shines through our night 
   You are with us, ever lending
New strength to sight;
One in love, your truth confessing,
One in hope of heaven's blessing
May we see, in love's possessing,
Love's endless light!

Hymn 21

CHUKWU MUO NSO ONYE OKIKE

Chorus: Chukwu Muo Nso onye okike
Biakwasi na obi ndi kwerenu
Welu grasia si n'enuigwe
Runye n'obi ndi kwerenu

1. Ibu Onye-ntasi-obi
Nya n'onyinye muo nke Chukwu
Nke nyelu ndu n'ifunanya,
N'ife naso obi naadu

2. Ibu anuli ndi no n'igwe
Ntasi-obi ndi no n'enu uwa
Ifunanya maka ndi nso,
N'obi ebele maka ndinjo.

3. Runye n'obi ndi kwelunu,
Amamife, nghota, alo
Ike omuma, obi di aso
N'onyinye nk'egwu nke Chukwu

4. Chukwu Muo-nso kuziel'anyi,
K'anyi wemalu Nna na Nwa
K'anyi wekwe n'uwa ebebe
K'isi na Nna na Nwa wedi

5. Tobenu Nna, tobenu Nwa,
K'unu weto Chukwu muo-nso
Ka Chukwu Nwa welu grasia
Nke Muo-nso, nk'Ya, kesaa n'uwa.

Hymn 22

CHUKWU MUO NSO, ONYE KELU NDU NINE

Chorus: Chukwu muo-nso. Onye kelu
ndu nine. Biageneta nkupuluobi ndi nke!

1. Anakpo I Onye-ntasi-obi,
N'onyinye Chukwu si n'enuigwe bia

2. Ekpo Chukwu kel'igwe n'ifegaa
Ngi kesalu ndunine n'enu uwa. j'ad
3. Mukesia n’ime obi ndi kweli n’onye nkasiobi.
   Bia bata n’obi ndi gi na ngi k’obi m
   n’acho eh. (Refrain)

4. Okwanga bu ezumike ndi no na ndoli?
   Okwanga bu ezumike ndi no na ndoli?
   Ntuoyi n’oge ekpomoku n’onye
   nkasiobi.
   Ziteli n’anyi ife gi a kachisili wee di aso.
   K’o wee juputakwa n’ime obi ndi kweli
   na gi. (Refrain)

5. Eweruka ngi n’uwa ogini ka mmadu ga
   apu ime?
   Eweruka ngi n’uwa ogini ka mmadu ga
   apu ime?
   Isechapuzia aka I na mmadu obu na
   m’anaa. (Refrain)

6. Bia o, biko sachapu ife lulu alu ni.
   Bia k’ikuru mmiri oyi k’igbawasi obi
   ose n’uwa
   Gwonu anyi oya di anyi n’ime ka oya
   anyi wee naa. (Refrain)
6. Gozie ekwo okponku ka ise oyi jii
nyal'oku bia duzleni
Ukwu na agasie, nye ndi kwel na gi
nnukwu onyinye.
Welu onyinye asaa gi nye ndi tukwasali
gi obi n'uwa.
Bia o, kiweli nzoputa k'i wee kwo anyi
ugwo.
Ugwo nke ibi ezindu, Muo Nso, ka I nye
anyi anuri, anuri di okpu. Amen.
(Refrain)

HYMN 24
O Holy Spirit, beloved of my soul, I
adore You, and I praise You
Guide me, enlighten me, strengthen me
and sanctify me
Tell me what I should do and assist me
follow Your way
I promise to submit myself to all that
You desire and plan for me
And to accept all that You desire You
permit to happen to me
Let me only know Your will and give me
the courage to do it.

SOME CHORUSES

MUO NSO SI N'ELIGWE BIA
1. Muo Nso si n'eligwe bia, bia bia bia,
Muo Nso si n'eligwe bia, bia nyere anyi
aka.

2. Bia bia bia Muo Nso bia
bia bia bia muo nso bia
muo nso bia, bia o, bia
muo nso bia, bia o, bia bia bia

3. Muo Nso badata were onodu
Muo nso badata were onodu
Eze eligwe badata were onodu
Muo nso badata were onodu
Chukwu muo nso badata were onodu
Muo nso badata were onodu

4. Holy Spirit be my comforter
Holy Spirit takes control
As I was walking along the way,
The road is so narrow,
Holy Spirit lead me on.
6. Spirit of God in the clear running water...

7. Nduru eligwe bia
   Nduru eligwe bia
   Eze nduru eligwe bia
   Muo nso nduru eligwe bia.

8. Let the Spirit of the Lord come down, Amen
   Let the Spirit of the Lord come down, Amen
   Let the Spirit of the Lord from Heaven above, let the Spirit of the Lord come down.

   Let the Power of the Lord come down...
   Let the Anointing of the Lord come down...

9. Muo Nso ezi Nduru nke Igwe si n'eligwe bia
    na o nwere ndi na cho Gi.

10. Send down your power, we pray thee O Lord, in the name of Jesus, we say Amen.
    Send down your wisdom...
    Send down your Anointing...
    Send down your Blessing

The Holy Spirit helps us to pray; Rom. 8:27-28.

The Holy Spirit makes us bold to do God’s will; 2Tim. 1:7.

The Holy Spirit empowers us to overcome sin; Rom. 8:1-14.

Grieving the Holy Spirit; Eph. 4:27-30.

The Holy Spirit moves us to obedience; Mt. 7:17-20, Acts 5:32, Jn. 14:15-16.