

COME, HOLY GHOST, CREATOR BLEST

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Latin, 10th Century, Rabanus Maurus 780-856 tr. Fr. Edward Caswall 1814-1878

1. Come, Ho - ly Ghost, Cre - a - tor, come, From
2. Thou who art called the Pa - ra - clete, Best
3. Thou who art sev'n - fold in thy grace, Fin -

Thy bright heav' - nly throne: Come take pos - ses - ion
gift of God a - bove, The liv - ing spring, the
ger of God's right hand; His pro - mise, teach - ing

of our souls, And make - them all Thy own.
liv - ing fire, Sweet un - ction and true love.
lit - tle ones To speak and un - der - stand.

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.

6

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

5

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

7

All glory to the Father be,
With his co-equal Son:
The same to thee, great Paraclete,
While endless ages run.