



# TODAY'S READINGS

Pentecost Sunday

Myeongdong  
Catholic Cathedral  
Archdiocese  
of Seoul  
May 19th, 2024

**1st Reading: ACTS 2:1-11**

**Reader: A reading from the Acts of the Apostles**

When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, they were all in one place together. And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven staying in Jerusalem. At this sound, they gathered in a large crowd, but they were confused because each one heard them speaking in his own language. They were astounded, and in amazement they asked, "Are not all these people who are speaking Galileans? Then how does each of us hear them in his native language? We are Parthians, Medes, and Elamites, inhabitants of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the districts of Libya near Cyrene, as well as travelers from Rome, both Jews and converts to Judaism, Cretans and Arabs, yet we hear them speaking in our own tongues of the mighty acts of God."

**Reader: The word of the Lord.**

**All: Thanks be to God**

**Responsorial Psalm: PS 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34**  
**R; Lord, send out your Spirit,  
and renew the face of the earth.**

1. Bless the LORD, O my soul!  
O LORD, my God, you are great indeed!  
How manifold are your works, O LORD!  
the earth is full of your creatures. **R.**
2. May the glory of the LORD endure forever;  
may the LORD be glad in his works!  
Pleasing to him be my theme;  
I will be glad in the LORD. **R.**
3. If you take away their breath, they perish  
and return to their dust.  
When you send forth your spirit, they are created,  
and you renew the face of the earth. **R.**

**2nd Reading: 1 COR 12:3b-7, 12-13**

**Reader: A reading from St. Paul's first  
letter to the Corinthians**

Brothers and sisters:

No one can say, "Jesus is Lord," except by the Holy Spirit.

There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit;  
there are different forms of service but the same Lord;  
there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone.  
To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit.

As a body is one though it has many parts, and all the parts of the body, though many, are one body, so also Christ.  
For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, slaves or free persons, and we were all given to drink of one Spirit.

**Reader: The word of the Lord.**

**All: Thanks be to God.**

*[Let us read the sequence together]*

**Sequence: Veni, Sancte Spiritus**

Come, Holy Spirit, come!  
And from your celestial home  
Shed a ray of light divine!  
Come, Father of the poor!  
Come, source of all our store!  
Come, within our bosoms shine.  
You, of comforters the best;  
You, the soul's most welcome guest;  
Sweet refreshment here below;  
In our labor, rest most sweet;  
Grateful coolness in the heat;  
Solace in the midst of woe.  
O most blessed Light divine,  
Shine within these hearts of yours,  
And our inmost being fill!  
Where you are not, we have naught,  
Nothing good in deed or thought,  
Nothing free from taint of ill.  
Heal our wounds, our strength renew;  
On our dryness pour your 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.  
On the faithful, who adore  
And confess you, evermore  
In your sevenfold gift descend;  
Give them virtue's sure reward;  
Give them your salvation, Lord;  
Give them joys that never end. Amen.  
**Alleluia.**

**Alleluia:**

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful  
and kindle in them the fire of your love.

**Alleluia.**

**Gospel: JN 20:19-23**

**Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel  
according to John**

**All: Glory to you, O Lord.**

On the evening of that first day of the week,  
when the doors were locked,  
where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews,  
Jesus came and stood in their midst  
and said to them, "Peace be with you."  
When he had said this,

he showed them his hands and his side.  
The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord.  
Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you.  
As the Father has sent me, so I send you."  
And when he had said this, he breathed on  
them and said to them,  
"Receive the Holy Spirit.  
Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them,  
and whose sins you retain are retained."

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**<Looking for Volunteers and Cantors  
for English Mass>**

- \* For whom: Seeking Catholic individuals aged 25-40, baptized at least 3 years ago
- \* Apply due: May 22<sup>nd</sup> (Wed.), 12:00pm
- \* How to apply: Check our website <http://www.mdsd.or.kr>
- \* Interview: Jun. 2<sup>nd</sup> (Sun.)
- \* Please make inquiries by E-mail: [mdemsv@naver.com](mailto:mdemsv@naver.com)

**Midday concert for 2024 at Myeongdong Cathedral**

- \* Date/place: May. 21<sup>st</sup> (Tue) at 12:30pm/Main building
- \* Organist: Choi Soo Young (Francis)
- \* Program: Duruflé-Fugue and 4 more pieces

**New Class for Baptism**

If you need the sacrament of baptism,  
please make request to Fr. Isaac via email:  
[isaacseoul@gmail.com](mailto:isaacseoul@gmail.com)

**Confession for Internationals**

is available in the following languages:  
English, Spanish, Italian

Day	Time	Place
Friday	16:00 - 18:00	GaeSung Girl's High school, 1 <sup>st</sup> floor
Saturday	15:00 - 17:00	
Sunday	08:30 - 08:50	Front left side of the Church

Those who need the sacrament of confession or other sacraments can contact Father Isaac directly via email: [isaacseoul@gmail.com](mailto:isaacseoul@gmail.com)

**Today's Hymns**

Entrance	434	COME, O HOLY SPIRIT
Offering	433	SEND US YOUR SPIRIT
Communion	780	BREAD FOR THE WORLD
	802	ONE LOVE RELEASED
Recessional	443	COME, HOLY GHOST