



# AMERSHAM FREE CHURCH

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2019 Pentecost

MORNING WORSHIP

led by our Ministers

*Organist: Graham Nash*

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*If you are able please stand for those parts of the service marked with an asterisk (\*)*

## GOD INVITES US TO WORSHIP

\* **Hymn:** Come, Holy Spirit come!

*During which the bible is taken to the pulpit*

**1 Come, Holy Spirit come!  
Inflame our souls with love,  
transforming ev'ry heart and home  
with wisdom from above.  
O let us not despise  
the humble path Christ trod,  
but choose, to shame the  
worldly wise,  
the foolishness of God.**

**2 Spirit of truth, arise;  
inspire the prophet's voice;  
Expose to scorn the tyrant's lies,  
and bid the poor rejoice.  
O Spirit, clear our sight,  
all prejudice remove,  
and help us to discern the right,  
and covet only love.**



**3 Give us the tongues to speak,  
in ev'ry time and place,  
to rich and poor,  
to strong and weak,  
the word of love and grace.  
Enable us to hear  
the words that others bring,  
interpreting with open ear  
the special song they sing.**

**4 Come, Holy Spirit, dance  
within our hearts today,  
our earthbound spirits  
to entrance,  
our mortal fears allay.  
And teach us to desire,  
all other things above,  
that self-consuming holy fire,  
the perfect gift of love!**

*Michael Forster CCL257120 Tune : Diademata 262*

## **Opening Responses**

**Minister:** Jesus said: You will receive power when the Holy Spirit  
comes upon you;

**All:** **and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem,  
and in all Judea and Samaria,  
and to the ends of the earth.**

**Minister:** The Lord be with you

**All:** **And also with you.**

## **Opening Prayers of Adoration and Confession**

## **Welcome and Notices**

# WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

## All Age Focus and Pentecost Liturgy

\* **Hymn:** The Spirit lives to set us free,  
I The Spirit lives to set us free,  
walk, walk in the light.  
He binds us all in unity,  
walk, walk in the light.  
*Walk in the light, x3*  
*walk in the light of the Lord*

2 Jesus promised life to all,  
walk, walk in the light.  
The dead were wakened by his call,  
walk, walk in the light. *Refrain* .

3 He died in pain on Calvary,  
walk, walk in the light,  
to save the lost like you and me,  
walk, walk in the light. *Refrain*

4 We know his death was not the end,  
walk, walk in the light.  
He gave his Spirit to be our friend,  
walk, walk in the light. *Refrain*

5 By Jesus' love our wounds are healed,  
walk, walk in the light.  
The Father's kindness is revealed,  
walk, walk in the light. *Refrain*

6 The Spirit lives in you and me,  
walk, walk in the light.  
His light will shine for all to see,  
walk, walk in the light *Refrain* Damian Lundy CCL257120



## **Prayer of Blessing for Junior Church** *remain standing*

*Children and young people leave for their Junior Church groups.  
Babies and toddlers are welcome in The Crèche.*

**Reading:** Acts 2.1-13 N.T. p 101  
John 14.8-17, 25-27 N.T. p.93  
**Reader:** In this is the word of the Lord  
**All:** **Thanks be to God**

*This morning's reader is Chris Dawson*

### **Songs 308 and 309:**

*We sing them remaining seated as a prayer before the sermon*

### **Sermon: 'Godly, Universal and Peaceable Spirit'**

*Sermon notes are available as you leave and on the church website*

## **OUR RESPONSE**

### **Silent Reflection**

\* **Hymn 302:** O Breath of life, come sweeping through us

### **Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession**

**The Offering and \* Prayer of dedication** *remaining standing for*  
**Hymn 294:** Come down, O Love Divine

### **Dismissal and Blessing with sung Amen** *All Standing*

*Join us for coffee, tea or a cold drink in the Alfred Ellis Hall where the Fairtrade stall is open.*

