

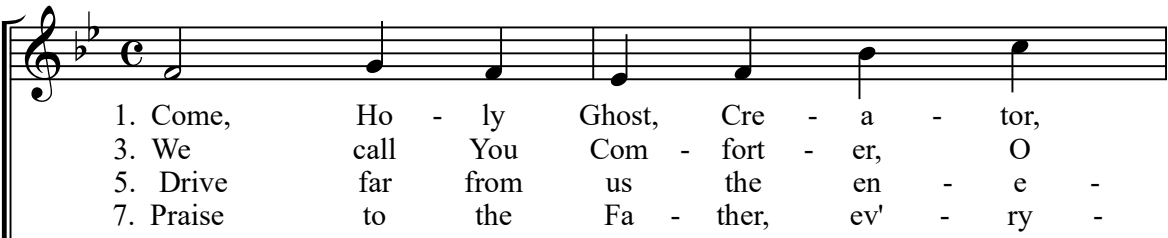
23. Come, O Creator, Holy Ghost,

Komm, heilger Geist, o Schöpfer du
Pentecost

Angelus Silesius (Johannes Scheffler) (1624-1677)
after Veni creator spiritus, Rabanus Maurus (c. 776-856)

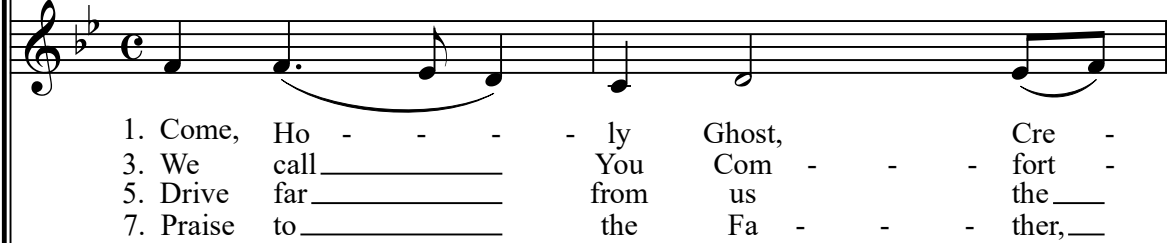
Hugo Distler
Der Jahrkreis, op. 5, no. 23

Soprano




1. Come, Ho - ly Ghost, Cre - a - tor,
3. We call You Com - fort - er, O
5. Drive far from us the en - e -
7. Praise to the Fa - ther, ev' - ry -

Alto



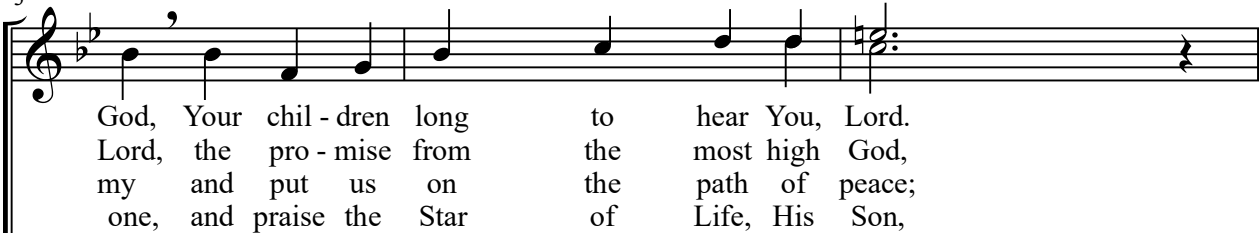
1. Come, Ho - - - - ly Ghost, Cre -
3. We call _____ You Com - - - fort -
5. Drive far _____ from us the ____
7. Praise to _____ the Fa - - - ther, ____

Bass



1. Come, Ho - ly Ghost, Cre - a -
3. We call You Com - fort - er,
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7. Praise to the Fa - ther, ev -

3




God, Your chil - dren long to hear You, Lord.
Lord, the pro - mise from the most high God,
my and put us on the path of peace;
one, and praise the Star of Life, His Son,

Calmly [*Ruhig!*]



a - tor, God, Your chil - dren long to hear You, Lord. With grace re -
er, O Lord, the pro - mise from the most high God, the Source of
en - e - my and put us on the path of peace; and on that
ev - 'ry - one, and praise the Star of Life, His Son, and to the



tor, God, Your chil - dren long to hear you, Lord. With grace re - fresh,
O Lord, the pro - mise from the most high God, the Source of life, -
e - my and put us on the path of peace; and on that path,
'ry - one, and praise the Star of Life, His Son, and to the Ho -

6

With grace re - fresh, O Guest most dear,
 the Source of life, of love the Well,
 and on that path, by Your grace led,
 and to the Ho - ly Spir - it be

fresh, with grace re - fresh, O Guest most dear, the
 life, the Source of life, of love the Well, the
 path, and on that path, by Your grace led, may
 Spir - it, to the Ho - ly Spir - it be all

— O Guest _____ most dear, the hearts you
 — of love _____ the Well, the Salve for
 — by Your _____ grace led, may we re -
 - - ly Spir - - - - - it be all hon - or,

9

Calmly [Ruhig!]

the hearts you have cre - a - ted here.
 the Salve for hearts that pain dis - pels.
 may we re - main un - touched by dread.
 all hon - or, praise e - ter - nal - ly.

hearts you have _____ cre - - a - ted here.
 Salve for hearts _____ the _____ pain dis - pels.
 we re - main _____ un - touched by dread.
 hon - or, praise _____ e - - - ter - nal - ly.

have cre - a - - - - - ted here.
 hearts that pain _____ dis - pels.
 main un - touched _____ by dread.
 prasiie e - ter - - - - - nal - ly.

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2. To help us un-der-stand, give light. With-in
 4. O Fount of all the gifts of grace, O Hand
 6. Teach us to know the Fath-er well and how-

2. To help, to help us un-der-stand, give light.
 4. O Fount, O Fount of all the gifts of grace,
 6. Teach us, teach us to know the Fath-er well

15

our hearts love's flame ig-nite and strength-en our weak
 of God that won-ders makes, cut loose from all our
 to praise His Son as well. And by our faith may

With-in our hearts love's flame ig-nite and strength-
 O Hand of God that won-ders makes, cut loose
 and how to praise His Son as well. And by

18

flesh and blood with heav-'nly food, with Your di-
 tongues the bands; Your Word make known, Your word make
 it be known how You from both, how You from

- - en our weak flesh and blood with Your di-vine
 from all our tongues the bands; Your Word make known
 our faith may it be known how You from both

21

vine and heav-'nly food.
 known in ev-'ry land.
 both to us have come.

and heav-'nly food.
 in ev-'ry land.
 to us have come.

(* Proposal: 3-part: verses: 1, [3, 5,] and 7

2-part verses: 2, [4,] and 6. [H. D.]