

Litany for Christian Unity

That we may lift our voices as one. *

Come, Holy Spirit.

That we may live as a global communion. *

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That we may be a community bound together in love. *

Come, Holy Spirit.

Across all our barriers of language, race, and nationality, *

unite us, Jesus.

Across all our mutual ignorance, prejudice, and hostility, *

unite us, Jesus.

Across all our differences of thought, outlook, and denominational allegiance, *

unite us, Jesus.

O God, for your greater glory, *

gather together your separated people.

O God, for the triumph of goodness and truth, *

gather together your separated people.

O God, that there may be one flock and one shepherd,

gather together your separated people.

O God, to confound the pride of Satan and his assaults, *

gather together your separated people.

O God, that peace may reign in the world at last, *

gather together your separated people.

That we may hear each other as we cry out to you, *

gather together your separated people.

O God, for the greater joy of the heart of your Son, *

gather together your separated people.

O God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, our only Savior, the Prince of Peace: Give us grace seriously to lay to heart the great dangers we are in by our unhappy divisions; take away all hatred and prejudice, and whatever else may hinder us from godly union and concord; that, as there is but one Body and one Spirit, one hope of our calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of us all, so we may be all of one heart and one soul, united in one holy bond of truth and peace, of faith and charity, and may with one mind and one mouth, glorify you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**