

*God of tender mercy, God of love,  
God of glorious light from heav'n above  
in Your light we see light, in Your love we feel love:  
Light eternal, love which never ends.*

Living God, creator of all life,  
heav'n and earth proclaim Your mighty power.  
Man and woman You have fashioned  
in Your loving kindness,  
setting them to prosper and to grow.

Word of God, inviting us to trust,  
bidding us to pledge our hope-filled vow,  
son and daughter by Your grace  
in one flesh now united,  
called to live the sacrament of love.

Spirit of our God and bond of peace,  
day by day You call us to be one.  
Hopes and fears we bring to You  
in sorrow and rejoicing,  
strengthened by the promise of Your love.

Age to age shall raise its voice in song,  
as Your Church rejoices in Your name:  
singing to the God of life  
and source of ev'ry blessing:  
praise and glory now and ever more!