



“TREE OF LIFE, AWESOME MYSTERY
seed that dies to rise in history,
may we see ourselves in you.”

Loving Father, “Gentle Jesus, mighty Spirit,
come enflame our hearts anew.”

You have chosen us to be here
in this community of the Blessed Trinity;
stir into flame your gift,
that what we have received
we may take, bless, break and give.

“TREE OF LIFE, AWESOME MYSTERY,”
teach us to

HONOR THE PAST,

with blessed memory, as the roots of our beginnings
were planted with hopeful trust, living sacrifice
and the strength of vision.

“Help us remember truth once spoken,
with love passed on through act and word.”

“TREE OF LIFE, AWESOME MYSTERY,”
strengthen us to

SERVE THE PRESENT

with loving hands and open hearts.
Let us hold and be held by one another,
from generation to generation,
so that we may hear the cry of the poor
and the longing of “every person lost and broken;”
let us embrace the vision of youth
the innocence of children; the hope of families
and the dreams of the forgotten.

“TREE OF LIFE, AWESOME MYSTERY,”
“come inflame our hearts anew,”
inspire us with wisdom to

PROVIDE FOR THE FUTURE:

make us a new creation with eyes to see clearly
and “hearts to live more nearly”
the new life of the Gospel.

“Hold us close through each tomorrow,
love as near as every breath.”

Stir into flame the Spirit you have given;
a Spirit that makes us “strong, loving and wise.”

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may we see ourselves in you.”

HEAR US AND BE WITH US, FATHER, SON
AND HOLY SPIRIT:
BLESSED TRINITY FOREVER AND EVER.

AMEN.



The righteous thrive like a palm tree and grow like a cedar tree in Lebanon.

Planted in the house of the Lord,
they thrive in the courts of our God.

They will still bear fruit in old age,
healthy and green, to declare:

"The Lord is just;

He is my rock,

and there is no unrighteousness in Him."

Psalms 92:12-15



Provide for the Future



Serve the Present



Honor the Past

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