

Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling

Rees

1. Holy Spirit, ever dwelling
in the holiest realms of light;
Holy Spirit, ever brooding
o'er a world of gloom and night;
Holy Spirit, ever raising
those of earth to thrones on high;
living, life-imparting Spirit,
you we praise and magnify.
2. Holy Spirit, ever living
as the Church's very life;
Holy Spirit, ever striving
through us in a ceaseless strife;
Holy Spirit, ever forming
in the Church the mind of Christ;
you we praise with endless worship
for your gracious gifts unpriced.
3. Holy Spirit, ever working
through the Church's ministry;
quick'ning, strength'ning, and absolving,
setting captive sinners free;
Holy Spirit, ever binding
age to age and soul to soul
in communion never ending,
you we worship and extol.

Lyrics: 87.87 D; Timothy Rees, 1874-1939.