

Invocation Of The Trinity

I thought this was fairly self-explanatory but I lost the argument so here I am writing yet another blurb! One type of Celtic Prayer is an invocation, or prayer asking God to be with us. These prayers of invocation often call on each person in the "Godhead", usually Father, Son and Spirit. Here I have tried to use less explicitly male images for the persons in the Trinity. A prayer of invocation is designed to be recited at the beginning of the day and draws inspiration from the elements that are important for daily life such as the sun, water and food.

We rise this day with the sun
warming our faces

God be with us
Christ be with us
The Spirit be with us

We prepare for this day with water
to cleanse and refresh

God be with us
Christ be with us
The Spirit be with us

We welcome the day with bread
from the earth

God be with us
Christ be with us
The Spirit be with us

We meet this day in community
to share our stories of faith

God be with us
Christ be with us
The Spirit be with us

We celebrate this day with the One
who names us as children of God

God be with us
Christ be with us
The Spirit be with us.

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