

First Church at Worship

THE OPENING VOLUNTARY

Gerald Near

Come, Holy Spirit, Come

* CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

* THE PENTECOST GREETING

The Spirit descends like a dove,
bringing peace to unite the world in a just and caring community.

The Spirit comes like a breath, bringing life to renew God's people.

The Spirit spreads like fire with energy, witnessing to the love of God.

Spirit of the living God, come and transform our lives by your power.

* THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN No. 539

Forest Green

O Spirit of the Living God

* THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

* HYMN OF THE DAY No. 324

Salva Festa Dies

*Hail Thee, Festival Day
Pentecost Refrain only*

Hail thee, Festival Day!
blest day that art hallowed forever;
day when the Holy Ghost
shone in the world with his grace.

~ WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD ~

THE FIRST LESSON

Acts 2:1-21

¹When the day of Pentecost had come, [the apostles] were all together in one place. ²And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

⁵Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?" ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." ¹²All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. ¹⁵Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. ¹⁶No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

¹⁷"In the last days it will be, God declares,
that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
and your young men shall see visions,
and your old men shall dream dreams.

¹⁸Even upon my slaves, both men and women,
in those days I will pour out my Spirit;
and they shall prophesy.

¹⁹And I will show portents in the heaven above
and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

²⁰The sun shall be turned to darkness
and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.

²¹Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.' ”
This is the word of God for the people of God
Thanks be to God.

THE PSALTER

Psalm 104

Martyrdom

**Your works, O Lord, are manifold
And wisely made and well;
You filled the earth with forms of life,
More than our lips can tell.**

**These look to you and you provide,
They gather what you give;
You open wide your hand with good
To fill all things that live.**

**You send your Spirit forth and so
Create and give new birth;
May all your glory long endure;
Rejoice, Lord, in your earth.**

THE SECOND LESSON

Romans 8:14-17

¹⁴For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. ¹⁵For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" ¹⁶it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

This is the word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

* THE SEQUENCE HYMN No. 347

*The Spirit Song
vs. 1*

Spirit Song

* THE GOSPEL LESSON

John 14:8-17, (25-27)

⁸Philip said to [Jesus,] "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." ⁹Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? ¹⁰Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. ¹¹Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. ¹²Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. ¹³I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

¹⁵"If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. ¹⁷This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive,

because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. [²⁵"I have said these things to you while I am still with you. ²⁶But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. ²⁷Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid."] The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise be to thee, O Christ.

* THE SEQUENCE HYMN No. 347

*The Spirit Song
vs. 2*

Spirit Song

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Mr. Josh

SERMON

Rev. Kyle Randle

~ WE RESPOND TO THE GOSPEL ~

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *I Will Sing With the Spirit*

John Rutter

* PRESENTATION OF THE TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Doxology No. 94

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

THANKSGIVING FOR OUR BAPTISM

Alleluia! Christ is risen.
Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

In the waters of baptism,
we have passed over from death to life with Jesus Christ,
and we are a new creation.
For this saving mystery, and for this water, let us bless God,
who was, who is, and who is to come.

We thank you, God, for your river of life,
flowing freely from your throne:
through the earth,
through the city,
through every living thing.

You rescued Noah and his family from the flood;
You opened wide the sea for the Israelites.
Now in these waters you flood us with mercy,
and our sin is drowned forever.
You open the gate of righteousness
and we pass safely through.

In Jesus Christ, you calm and trouble the waters.
You nourish us and enclose us in safety.
You call us forth and send us out.

In lush and barren places, you are with us.
You have become our salvation.

Now breathe upon this water
and awaken your church once more.
Claim us again as your beloved and holy people.

Quench our thirst; cleanse our hearts; wipe away every tear.
To you, our Beginning and our End,
our Shepherd and Lamb,
be honor, glory, praise, and thanksgiving,
now and forever. **Amen.**

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead and buried,
the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and
sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

* THE GLORIA PATRI No. 70

Meineke

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

God, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

~ **Thanksgiving and Communion** ~

The Great Thanksgiving

see insert

~ **WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD** ~

* HYMN OF SENDING No. 541

Afron (Major)

See How Great a Flame Aspires

* BENEDICTION

* CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

* CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Sigfrid Karg-Elert

Improvisation on *Nun Danket Alle Gott*

* Congregation Standing

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God,
by Carlee Vieux.

This Week at FUMC

Sunday, June 5

9:30 a.m. The Hut Bible Class / Broadcast WRNN 99.5 FM
9:30 a.m. Sunday School / Education Building
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service / Sanctuary
5:30 p.m. Vacation Bible School / Education Wing

Monday, June 6

5:30 p.m. Vacation Bible School / Education Wing
6:30 p.m. NA Meeting / Family Life Center Room 102 (FLC)

Tuesday, June 7

5:30 p.m. Vacation Bible School / Education Wing
6:00 p.m. CA Meeting / FLC Room 102
7:00 p.m. Cub Scouts Meeting / FLC Gathering Room
8:00 p.m. AA Meeting / FLC Room 102
8:00 p.m. Al Anon Meeting / FLC Room 101

Wednesday, June 8

9:30 a.m. Sandwich Project / FLC Gathering Room
5:30 p.m. Vacation Bible School / Education Wing
6:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal / Choir Room 105
6:45 a.m. Sextet Rehearsal / Choir Room 105

Thursday, June 9

6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts Meeting / FLC Room 103
6:30 p.m. NA Meeting / FLC Room 102

Friday, June 10

12:15 p.m. NA Meeting / FLC Room 102
6:30 p.m. CA Meeting / FLC Room 102

Please pray for the Randles as they vacation in Alaska with their family.
Leaving Friday, June 10th / they will return on Monday, June 20th
Contact the Church Office with any pastoral needs.

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Pentecost Sunday

June 5, 2022

10:30 a.m.

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Welcome to First United Methodist Church

Out of a broken and sinful world, all people are welcomed into the body of Jesus Christ at First Church. As children of God, together we join in worship to experience the transforming love of our Savior.

We are here this morning to worship God. Through our songs, words of praise, prayers and scripture reading, we give honor and glory to God. Wondrous things happen as we worship. Lives are changed. The presence of God brings hope, comfort, healing, and joy. Let us worship in gladness. Jesus, the Lord of Life is with us.