



## THE DAY OF PENTECOST



**Sunday, May 24, 2026 (8 & 10 am)**

*The Rt. Reverend. Anne B. Jolly, Bishop of Ohio*

*The Reverend Dr. Robin Woodberry, Rector*

*James W. Shiell, Director of Music*

*Paul W. Keriotis, Director of Spiritual Formation*

**Prelude**

Come, Holy Ghost, Our Souls Inspire – Wilbur Held

**AT THE PROCESSION TO THE ALTAR**

*The People stand for the Processional Hymn and remain standing through the Collect of the Day*

**Processional Hymn No. 372** Praise to the living God – *Leoni*

**OPENING ACCLAMATION**

*Celebrant* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

***People*** **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

*The Celebrant says the Collect for Purity*

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

**Song of Praise No. S280**

Glory to God

*setting: Robert Powell*

**COLLECT OF THE DAY**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

***People*** **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Swahili

Rev. Robin Woodberry

O God, who on this day taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: Grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

Ee Mungu, ambaye katika siku hii uliwafundisha mioyo ya watu wako waaminifu kwa kuwapelekea mwanga wa Roho wako Mtakatifu: Tujalie kwa huyo huyo Roho tuwe na maamuzi sahihi katika mambo yote, na daima tufurahi katika faraja yake takatifu; kwa njia ya Yesu Kristo Mwanao Bwana wetu, aishiye na kutawala pamoja nawe, katika umoja wa Roho Mtakatifu, Mungu mmoja, milele na milele. Amina.

## **THE WORD OF GOD**

*The People sit*

### **The First Reading: Acts 2:1-21**

Russian

Jeff Heakin

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

Чтение из Деяний святых Апостолов.

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

1 Когда наступил день Пятидесятницы, все они были вместе в одном месте. 2 И внезапно с неба раздался шум, подобный порыву сильного ветра, и наполнил весь дом, где они сидели. 3 И явились им разделяющиеся языки, как бы огненные, и по одному на каждом из них почил язык. 4 И исполнились все Духа Святого и начали говорить на иных языках, как Дух давал им провещевать.

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

<sup>14</sup>But 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. <sup>15</sup>Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. <sup>16</sup>No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

5 В Иерусалиме же жили иудеи, люди благочестивые, из всякого народа под небом. 6 И когда раздался этот шум, собралось множество народа и пришло в смятение, ибо каждый слышал, как они говорили на его родном языке. 7 Изумленные и пораженные, они спрашивали: «Не все ли эти говорящие — галилеяне? 8 Как же мы слышим, каждый из нас, на своем собственном родном языке? 9 Парфяне, мидяне, еламиты и жители Месопотамии, Иудеи и Каппадокии, Понта и Азии, 10 Фригии и Памфилии, Египта и частей Ливии, прилежащих к Киринее, и пришельцы из Рима — как иудеи, так и прозелиты, 11 критяне и арабы — на наших собственных языках мы слышим, как они говорят о великих делах Божиих». 12 И все были изумлены и недоумевали, говоря друг другу: «Что бы это значило?» 13 А иные насмеялись и говорили: «Они напились молодого вина». 14 Пётр же, встав с одиннадцатью, возвысил голос и обратился к ним: «Мужи Иудеи и все живущие в Иерусалиме! Да будет это известно вам, и внимательно выслушайте мои слова. 15 Ведь эти люди вовсе не пьяны, как вы полагаете, — ведь сейчас лишь девять часов утра. 16 Нет, это то, о чём было сказано через пророка Иоила:

<sup>17</sup>‘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.

17 „И будет в последние дни, — говорит Бог, —  
что Я изолью Дух Мой на всякую плоть;  
и будут пророчествовать сыновья ваши и дочери ваши,  
и юноши ваши будут видеть видения,  
и старцы ваши будут видеть сны.

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

18 Даже на рабов Моих и на рабынь Моих  
в те дни изолью Я Дух Мой;  
и будут они пророчествовать.

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

19 И явлю Я знамения на небе вверху  
и чудеса на земле внизу:  
кровь, и огонь, и столбы дыма.

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

20 Солнце обратится во тьму,  
и луна — в кровь,  
прежде чем настанет великий и славный День Господень.

<sup>21</sup>Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.' ”

21 И тогда всякий, кто призовет имя Господне, спасется“».

*Reader*            The Word of the Lord.  
*People*            **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 104:25-35, 37**

***Benedic, anima mea***

O LORD, how manifold are your works! \*  
**in wisdom you have made them all;  
the earth is full of your creatures.**

Yonder is the great and wide sea  
with its living things too many to number, \*  
**creatures both small and great.**

There move the ships,  
and there is that Leviathan, \*  
**which you have made for the sport of it.**

All of them look to you \*  
**to give them their food in due season.**

You give it to them; they gather it; \*  
**you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.**

You hide your face, and they are terrified; \*  
**you take away their breath,  
and they die and return to their dust.**

You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; \*  
**and so you renew the face of the earth.**

May the glory of the LORD endure for ever; \*  
**may the LORD rejoice in all his works.**

He looks at the earth and it trembles; \*  
**he touches the mountains and they smoke.**

I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; \*  
**I will praise my God while I have my being.**

May these words of mine please him; \*  
**I will rejoice in the LORD.**

Bless the LORD, O my soul. \*  
**Hallelujah!**

**The Second Reading:** Acts 1 Corinthians 12:3b-13  
*The people sit*

Stacy Costley - Spanish

A Reading from Paul's First letter to the Church in Corinth.

Lectura de la Primera carta de Pablo a la Iglesia en Corinto.

<sup>3b</sup>No one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit.

3b Nadie puede decir «Jesús es el Señor» sino por el Espíritu Santo.

<sup>4</sup>Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; <sup>5</sup>and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; <sup>6</sup>and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. <sup>7</sup>To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. <sup>8</sup>To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, <sup>9</sup>to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, <sup>10</sup>to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. <sup>11</sup>All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

4 Ahora bien, hay diversidad de dones, pero el mismo Espíritu; 5 y hay diversidad de servicios, pero el mismo Señor; 6 y hay diversidad de actividades, pero es el mismo Dios quien las activa todas en todos. 7 A cada uno se le da la manifestación del Espíritu para el bien común. 8 A uno se le da, por medio del Espíritu, palabra de sabiduría; a otro, palabra de conocimiento según el mismo Espíritu; 9 a otro, fe por el mismo Espíritu; a otro, dones de sanación por el único Espíritu; 10 a otro, la realización de milagros; a otro, profecía; a otro, discernimiento de espíritus; a otro, diversos tipos de lenguas; a otro, la interpretación de lenguas. 11 Todo esto lo activa uno y el mismo Espíritu, que distribuye a cada uno individualmente tal como el Espíritu quiere.

<sup>12</sup>For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. <sup>13</sup>For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

12 Pues, así como el cuerpo es uno y tiene muchos miembros, y todos los miembros del cuerpo, aunque muchos, son un solo cuerpo, así sucede también con Cristo. 13 Porque en un solo Espíritu fuimos todos bautizados para formar un solo cuerpo —judíos o griegos, esclavos o libres— y a todos se nos dio a beber de un solo Espíritu.

*Reader*           The Word of the Lord.  
*People*           **Thanks be to God.**

**Sequence Hymn: (sung twice)** Spirit of the Living God

**LEVAS 115**

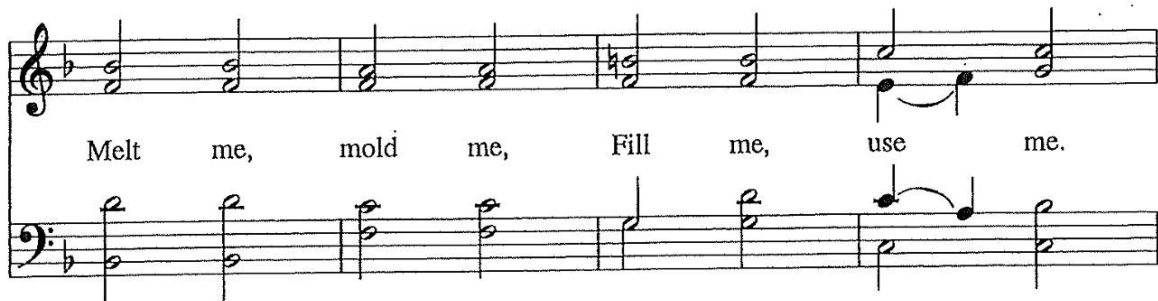
*All stand.*

Spir - it of the Liv - ing God, Fall fresh on me,

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Spir - it of the Liv - ing God, Fall fresh on me.

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Melt me, mold me, Fill me, use me.



Spir - it of the Liv - ing God, Fall fresh on me.

Words: Daniel Iverson (1890-1977)

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### **The Gospel: John 7:37-39**

*Gospeller*      The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John  
*People*            **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

On the last day of the festival, the great day, while Jesus was standing there, he cried out, “Let anyone who is thirsty come to me, and let the one who believes in me drink. As the scripture has said, ‘Out of the believer’s heart shall flow rivers of living water.’” Now he said this about the Spirit, which believers in him were to receive; for as yet there was no Spirit, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

*Gospeller*      The Gospel of the Lord.  
*People*            **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**Sermon**

Rev. Dr. Robin Woodberry

### **The Nicene Creed (p 358)**

*All stand*

We believe in one God,  
     the Father, the Almighty,  
     maker of heaven and earth,  
     of all that is, seen and unseen.  
 We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
     the only Son of God,  
     eternally begotten of the Father,  
     God from God, Light from Light,  
     true God from true God,  
     begotten, not made,  
     of one Being with the Father.  
 Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation  
    he came down from heaven:  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
    he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
    he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
    in accordance with the Scriptures;  
    he ascended into heaven  
    and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
    and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
    who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
    and the life of the world to come. *Amen.*

## **THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

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*All remain standing.*

Gracious Lord, we meet together to celebrate the gift of your Holy Spirit to the church. Bless us as we seek to serve you. Fill us with your Spirit, that we might be your voices, hands, and presence in the world, and draw others into your kingdom, saying

***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

We pray for our Church that at this time we may be renewed by the gifts of the Holy Spirit and reach out to one another as true disciples with faith, love and hope.

Help us to understand our weaknesses and our differences, so we can build a strong and loving parish. We pray for Christians everywhere, that they may be united in one Church through the action of the Holy Spirit... ***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

Your Holy Spirit gave your apostles the gift and power of forgiveness. Grant us that gift, so we may use it to heal a broken world... ***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

Most Holy Spirit, grant an extra measure of Your gifts to those who lead us in Your Church, as they strive to guide our spiritual journey through these trying and uncertain times... ***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

We pray for all those who fear for their lives, for the victims of violence and war, and for those weighed down by troubles and anxieties. We pray that we may reach out to others with hope and care... ***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

Let us pray for all who are lonely, weak and vulnerable, that they may be aware that you are with them in their troubles. We pray for those who cannot cope on their own, and all who ask for our prayers whatever their need may be... ***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

Almighty God, You carry the burdens of our lives in Your hands. Deliver from illness and suffering all who cry to You for release. Hear us on behalf of the sick, the dying and those who mourn. Answer Your people O Lord and deliver them from their infirmities and their grief by Your grace... ***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

Lord, we ask you to be with those who struggle to find adequate food and clean water, clothing and shelter, and the other basic needs of life, and we pray that governments and agencies, including the church, will reach out to change the course of their history, sharing from the abundance held by others. Lord, grant us the courage and generosity to be part of the solution by working with local charities and organizations reaching out around the globe... ***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

Give sharp eyes, wise hearts, and generous hands to our elected and appointed leaders, in government and in all walks of life where they are given authority and power. Help each of us to notice our neighbor’s distress and give us the grace and the willingness to show them mercy, especially during these difficult times... ***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

Lord, we ask for your prayers for all who are forgotten and neglected - those who are so easy to forget – comfort them. Children who lay abandoned and abused - protect them. Communities who suffer at the hands of prejudice - shield them. Help us to heal those who are broken in body and spirit and turn their sorrow into joy... ***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

Lord, we ask that you give guidance to all who are seeking employment, those struggling with addictions, and troubled youth. Give them courage, lead them to new opportunities and fill them with hope... ***“Lord in your mercy, Hear Our Prayer.”***

Let us pray for the sick, especially **Gail Cantelmo, Roger Carnahan, Gloria Duran, Janet Gladd, Jan Henrey, Al Novak, Jean Pinti, Deacon Peggy, Fred Schweitzer, and Richard Williams...**Are there others?

Let us pray for all those who are celebrating birthdays this week...Especially **Angela Snelson, Jason Cleland, Faith Scarmuzzi, & Aaron Woodberry.**

Are there others?

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

*Silence*

*The People may add their own petitions*

**YOUR INTERCESSIONS AND THANKSGIVINGS ARE INVITED SILENTLY OR ALOUD**

Hear us, Lord;

***For your mercy is great.***

## PRAYER FOR MEMORIAL DAY

*Celebrant:* Almighty God, we see our world with many faces—faces of peace and faces of war, faces of plenty and faces of want, faces of joy and faces of sadness. In times past, when the faces of courage and sacrifice were needed, we were blessed with men and women who offered their lives and did not doubt that it was right. Today, in this service, we remember them. Lord, help us show our gratitude by sharing the face of freedom with others. We can do no less for those who have done so much for us.

*Amen.* <https://edsd.org/news/prayers-for-memorial-day-2/>

## CONCLUDING COLLECT

*Said by Celebrant*

Living God, through Jesus Christ, you give peace that the world cannot give. By the power of your Holy Spirit, calm our troubled and fearful hearts and fill them with rejoicing as we await Christ's glorious return; we pray this in his name. *Amen.*

## CONFESSION OF SIN

*Celebrant says*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Minister and People*

Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will,  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. *Amen.*

*The Priest stands and says*

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen.*

## THE PEACE

*Celebrant*            The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
*People*              **And also with you.**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### THE CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

**Offertory Sentence:** Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.

**Offertory Anthem:** Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me – K. Lee Scott

**Offertory Response:** Praise God from whom all blessings flow – *Lasst uns Erfreuen*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
Praise him all creatures here below. Alleluia, Alleluia!  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost,  
O praise him, O praise him, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**Great Thanksgiving:** Eucharistic Prayer A

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. In fulfillment of his true promise, the Holy Spirit came down from heaven, lighting upon the disciples, to teach them and to lead them into all truth; uniting peoples of many tongues in the confession of one faith, and giving to your Church the power to serve you as a royal priesthood, and to preach the Gospel to all nations.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

**Sanctus S-125 – Holy, holy, holy**

*setting:* Richard Proulx

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

*The people stand or kneel.*

Holy and gracious God: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and maker of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, Almighty God, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. AMEN.

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER (BCP p. 363)**

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

**Au nom du Pere et du Fils et du St. Esprit**

**Our Father who art in heaven**

Notre Pere qui etes aux cieux

**Hallowed be thy name**

Que votre nom soit sanctifier

**Thy kingdom come,**  
Que votre règne arrive

**Thy will be done,**  
Que votre volonté soit faite

**On earth as it is in heaven.**  
Sur la terre comme au ciel

**Give us this day our daily bread**  
Donnez nous aujourd'hui notre pain quotidien

**And forgive us our debts,**  
Comme nous pardonnons

**As we forgive our debtors**  
A ceux qui nous ont offensés

**And lead us not into temptation,**  
Et ne nous soumettez pas à la tentation,

**But deliver us from evil:**  
Mais délivrez-nous du mal

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
And the glory, for ever.**  
Car c'est à toi qu'appartiennent le royaume, la puissance et la gloire, pour les siècles des siècles.

**Amen**  
Ainsi soit-il

## **The Breaking of the Bread**

**Fraction Anthem S-155**

Alleluia! Christ our Passover

*setting: Gerald Near*

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

**Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
therefore let us keep the feast.**

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

*Celebrant:* The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on Him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

## **Prayer for Spiritual Communion**

*Celebrant:* Please join us in praying with our siblings in Christ who are with us online and receiving communion spiritually.

In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, I desire to offer to you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, Lord Christ; I proclaim your resurrection; I await your coming in glory. Since I cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, I ask you to come spiritually into my heart.

Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. **Amen.**

## **The Distribution**

*All are welcome and invited to the altar rail for communion. If you need communion brought to your pew, please inform an usher. You may eat the bread and take a sip from the common cup, or you can dip the bread into the common cup. If you would like to receive a blessing instead, please cross your arms on your chest.*

**Communion Hymn no. 554** ‘Tis the gift to be simple – *Simple Gifts*

## **Post Communion Prayer**

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **Blessing for Pentecost**

May Almighty God, who enlightened the minds of the disciples by pouring out upon them the Holy Spirit, make you rich with His blessing, that you may abound more and more in that Spirit forever.

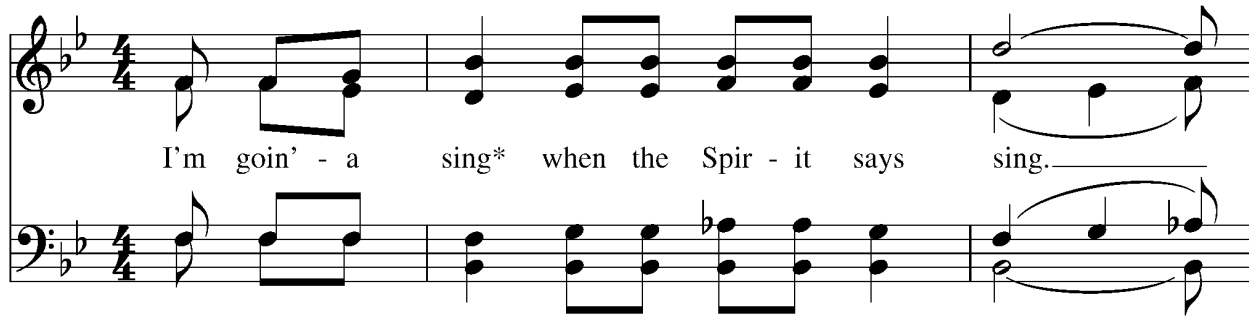
**Amen**

May God, who sent the Holy Spirit as a flame of fire that rested upon the heads of the disciples, burn out all evil from your hearts. **Amen**

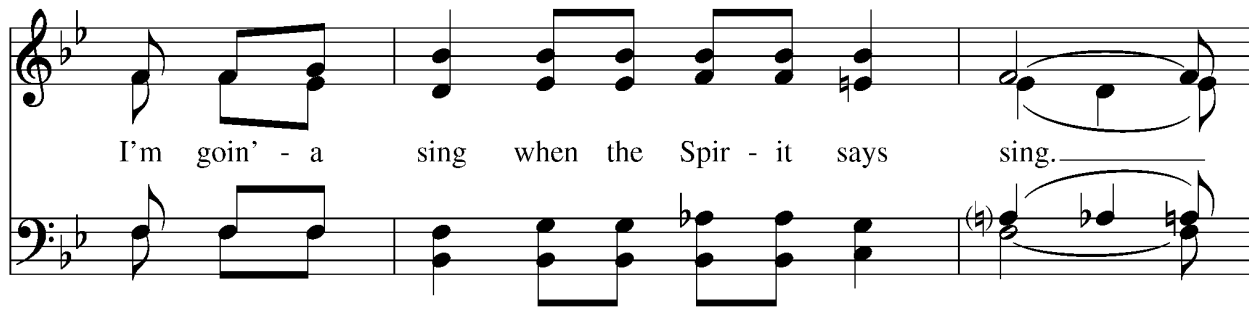
May God, who by the Holy Spirit caused those of many tongues to proclaim Jesus as Lord, strengthen your faith and send you to bear witness to him in word and deed. **Amen**

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always. **Amen**

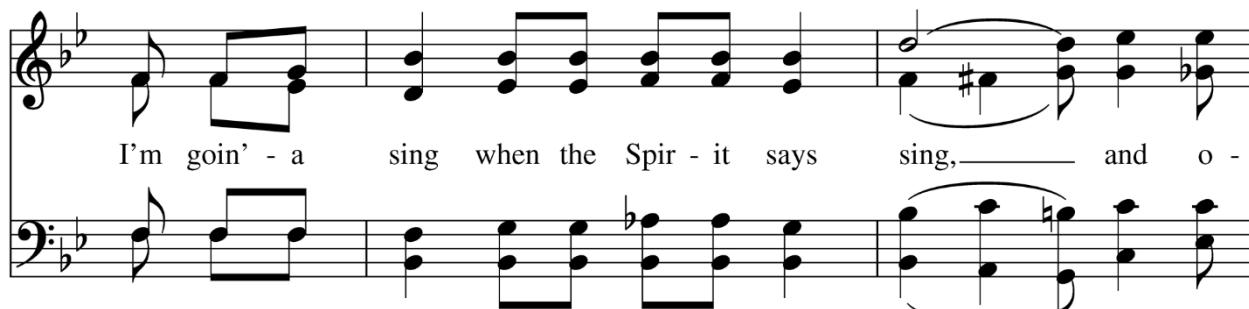
Recessional Hymn: *I'm Goin'-a Sing When the Spirit Says Sing (LEVAS 117)*



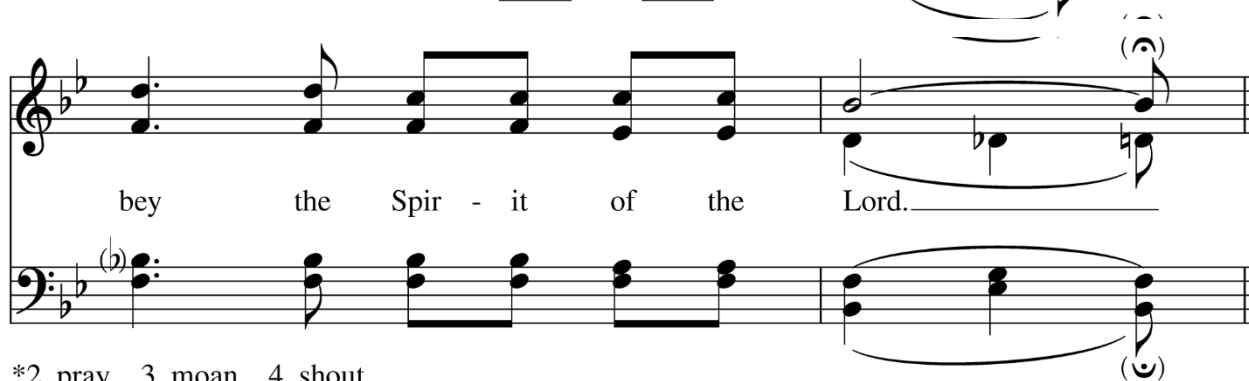
I'm goin' - a sing\* when the Spir - it says sing.



I'm goin' - a sing when the Spir - it says sing.



I'm goin' - a sing when the Spir - it says sing, and o -



bey the Spir - it of the Lord.

\*2. pray 3. moan 4. shout

**Dismissal**

*Celebrant* Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.  
*People* Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

**Postlude**

Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest – Flor Peeters

## **Assisting with our Worship**

MacKenzie Pinto – Music

8am: Kathi Kovacic & 10am: Karen Andrus – Chalice Bearer/Prayers of the People

8am: Beth Landers & 10am: Karen Andrus & Stacy Costley – Altar Guild

Amie Prezioso & Sam Davis - Greeters

Don Senne & – Ushers

Liz Clark – Bakers

Deb Murphy & Aaron Woodberry– Audio/Visual

**ALL are invited! ALL are welcome! ALL the time!**

## **PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH!** We are happy to have you worship with us today! If you are a visitor or would like to know more about the life, work, and ministry of Christ Church, please fill out a “Connect Card” in the pew rack. You can drop the completed card in the offering plate or give it to a member of our staff, an usher, or a Vestry member following the service. We are glad you are here!

**PARISH DISCERNMENT SESSION 2 (TABLE TALKS)** As we continue discerning the future God is calling us toward, you are invited to join us for Session 2 of our Table Talks conversations on Sunday, May 24<sup>th</sup>. Together, we will continue exploring “Planting for Tomorrow, Growing in Faith Today: Phase II,” building upon the faithful vision that has already blessed our parish in so many ways. Join us following the both services as we reflect on the life of our church, the needs of our community, and the opportunities before us.

**REGIONAL CONFIRMATION SERVICE** You are invited to attend the Regional Confirmation Service on Saturday, May 30 at 3:00 PM at Christ Episcopal Church, 21 Aurora Street, Hudson. Two of our own, Jayhannys Nazario Rivera and Aaron Woodberry, will be confirmed. All are encouraged to come and celebrate this special milestone. They will also be honored at Coffee Hour on Sunday, May 31.

**BYLAW REVIEW COMMITTEE** A Bylaw Review Committee has been formed, and we are seeking a member-at-large to serve as part of this important work. If you are interested in participating or would like more information, please contact the church office at 330-372-4998 or speak with Mother Robin.

**SUMMER SUNDAY IDEAS WANTED!** As we look ahead to the summer months, we would love your ideas for fun and creative summer-themed Sundays! Forms will be available in the library and in the narthex for you to share your suggestions. We look forward to hearing your ideas as we plan meaningful and joyful gatherings together this summer.



June Birthdays

2 Jeannine Morris	2 Lesley Gaskell	3 Wynn Henrey
6 Colin Snelson	17 Kristen Doan	28 Jean Pinti
28 Marissa Vath		



**Summer Outreach:** Join us this summer as we share Christ’s love beyond our church walls through several community outreach opportunities! We will have a presence at the Pride Festival, African American Fest, and Italian Fest, and we need volunteers to help welcome visitors, share information about our church, and represent our congregation in the community. Sign-up sheets are available in the Library and Narthex. Whether you can help for an hour or a full day, your presence makes a difference!

**Calling All Golfers!!!** Golfers are invited to participate in the Trumbull Mobile Meals Golf Outing honoring Jean Schlect on Friday, June 19th at Riverview Golf Course. Come enjoy a great day of fellowship and fun while supporting an important community ministry. If you are interested in playing or would like more information, please see Mother Robin.

**QUARTERLY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS**

Couples whose wedding anniversaries fall between April and June will be honored during both worship services on **Sunday, June 7**. Participation is optional, and all couples are welcome to take part as they are able. If you would like to be included, please fill out and submit the form below or notify the church office with your names and wedding date.

**Please submit form: place in offering basket or drop off at the Church Office**



Name of Couple	Anniversary Date	Total Years Celebrating	Phone

## **June Outdoor Service Information** (In the Outdoor Chapel, weather permitting)

### **June 7<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00 a.m. in Chapel**

**10:00 a.m. in Outdoor Chapel**

### **June 14<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00 a.m. in Chapel**

**10:00 a.m. in Outdoor Chapel**

### **June 21<sup>st</sup>**

**8:00 a.m. in Chapel**

**10:00 a.m. in Outdoor Chapel**

### **June 28<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00 a.m. in Chapel**

**10:00 a.m. in Outdoor Chapel**



Please note that our summer worship schedule will begin on Sunday, July 5th. During July and August, we will gather for one combined service at 9:00 a.m. in the Chapel.

To add a little extra joy to the season, we'll also be celebrating with themed Sundays throughout the summer! A full schedule of themes will be shared soon—so stay tuned and get ready to have some fun together!

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!**  
**June 8th-12th**  
**8AM-1 PM**

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**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JUNE 1ST!**

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 Pick up forms in the Church Office | 2627 Atlantic Street NE  
 Mon-Thurs, 9 AM-2 PM | Warren, Ohio 44483  
 or register online at [christchurchwarren.org](http://christchurchwarren.org)

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Memorial Day,  
Monday May 25<sup>th</sup>  
We will reopen on Tuesday the 26<sup>th</sup> at  
09:00**



## **PRAYER LIST**

Starting this week, we are going to put our prayer list in the bulletin. We want to make sure that you know who could use your prayers. In the meantime, if you are the one who puts the person on the prayer list, please let us know when and if the person can be removed from the list.

Prayer list May 24, 2026

**Gail Cantelmo**

**Roger Carnahan**

**Gloria Duran**

**Janet Gladd**

**Jan Henrey**

**Al Novak**

**Deacon Peggy**

**Sandy Schelecht**

**Fred Schweitzer**

**Richard Williams**

**Nancy Cramer**