

*Welcome to worship! Activity bags for children are available on the book shelf in the lobby if your little one would like to pack a bag of items to play with during worship. Children are always welcome in sanctuary, but a staffed nursery is also available at the end of the hall for any babies, toddlers, and preschoolers who prefer more space to wiggle and play. Large print bulletins are available near the entrance and hearing assistance devices are available at the sound board for those who need them. May God meet you here in this space as we worship together today!*

\* indicates you are invited to stand

**Bold text** indicates a unison prayer or response

## PRELUDE

## GREETING

## CALL TO PRAISE AND PRAYER

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit! Ignite our hearts with joy and confidence!

**People: For God has done wondrous things for us.**

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit! Fill us with the power of the rushing wind that we may faithfully serve you in all that we do..

**People: Help us to boldly proclaim Christ Risen. Amen.**

## \*OPENING SONG

"Spirit of God" Faith We Sing # 2117

## OPENING PRAYER

**God of wind and fire, embolden us this day to receive your power. Help us to proclaim the wondrous things that you have done and continue to do in our lives. Give us strength and courage to share the Good**

**News of your love and your presence. For we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen.**

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

"Happy Birthday!"

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

John 14:8-17, 25-27

Acts 2:1-21

## MESSAGE

"Inspired and On Fire!"

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Pastoral Prayer

Silent Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

## PRAYER HYMN

"Spirit of the Living God"

Hymnal # 393

## OFFERING OF GRATITUDE

## \*DOXOLOGY

Hymnal # 94

## THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Hymnal p. 14

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

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

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is right...and join their unending hymn:

**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.**

Holy are you...as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

**Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.**

Pour out your Holy Spirit...all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

#### CLOSING PRAYER

God of such gentle power, whose mighty wind stirred hesitant disciples to become preachers and teachers; whose mighty wind didn't knock people down but lifted them higher to visions of profound community where men and women, young and old, share in partnership; whose mighty wind released such joy as to cause a scene; bless us with that wind of inspiration today. Your gentle power on Pentecost built the church; your upbuilding power created a movement that weaves its way to us today. We give you thanks for the fresh winds of the Spirit, the loving and empowering Spirit that abides in hearts, giving insight to see beauty in the midst of routine and moving us to help in the presence of need. **Amen.**

#### \*CLOSING HYMN

"Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness"

Faith We Sing # 2120

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

#### POSTLUDE



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