

Sunday, May 23, 2021 Day of Pentecost

LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION - REMOTE WORSHIP

- P In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

- P Alleluia! Christ is risen.
- C Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!
- A Refreshed by the resurrection life we share in Christ, let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

Water may be poured into the font as the presiding minister gives thanks.

- P We thank you, risen Christ, for these waters where you make us new, leading us from death to life, from tears to joy.
- A We bless you, risen Christ, that your Spirit comes to us in the grace-filled waters of rebirth,
- P like rains to our thirsting earth, like streams that revive our souls, like cups of cool water shared with strangers.
- P Breathe your peace on your church when we hide in fear.
- C Clothe us with your mercy and forgiveness.
- P Send us companions on our journey as we share your life.
- C Make us one, risen Christ.
- P Cleanse our hearts.
- C Shower us with life.
- P To you be given all praise, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God, now and forever.
- C Amen.

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GATHERING HYMN

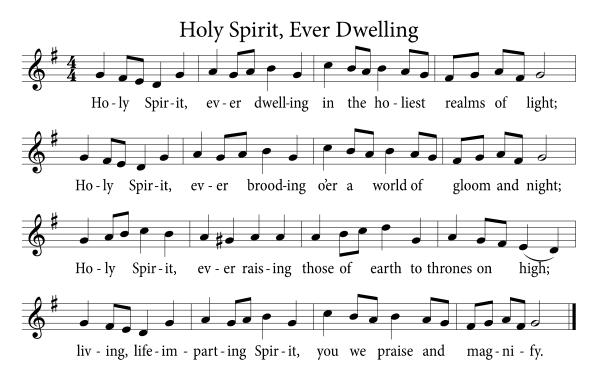


APOSTOLIC GREETING

- P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C And also with you.



HYMN OF PRAISE



PRAYER OF THE DAY

P Let us pray

A brief silence is kept before the prayer.

- P Mighty God, you breathe life into our bones, and your Spirit brings truth to the world. Send us this Spirit, transform us by your truth, and give us language to proclaim your gospel, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.

A READING FROM EZEKIEL THE 37TH CHAPTER

Ezekiel 37:1-14

¹The hand of the LORD came upon me, and he brought me out by the spirit of the LORD and set me down in the middle of a valley; it was full of bones. ²He led me all around them; there were very many lying in the valley, and they were very dry. ³He said to me, "Mortal, can these bones live?" I answered, "O Lord GOD, you know." ⁴Then he said to me, "Prophesy to these bones, and say to them: O dry bones, hear the word of the LORD. ⁵Thus says the Lord GOD to these bones: I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. ⁶I will lay sinews on you, and will cause flesh to come upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live; and you shall know that I am the LORD."

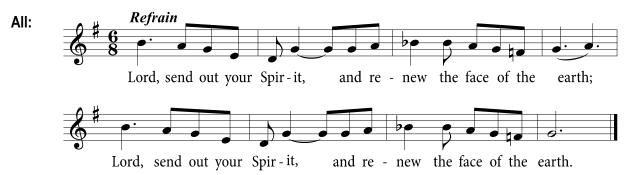
⁷So I prophesied as I had been commanded; and as I prophesied, suddenly there was a noise, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. ⁸I looked, and there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them; but there was no breath in them. ⁹Then he said to me, "Prophesy to the breath, prophesy, mortal, and say to the breath: Thus says the Lord GOD: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live." ¹⁰I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood on their feet, a vast multitude.

¹¹Then he said to me, "Mortal, these bones are the whole house of Israel. They say, 'Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are cut off completely.' ¹²Therefore prophesy, and say to them, Thus says the Lord GOD: I am going to open your graves, and bring you up from your graves, O my people; and I will bring you back to the land of Israel. ¹³And you shall know that I am the LORD, when I open your graves, and bring you up from your graves, O my people. ¹⁴I will put my spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you on your own soil; then you shall know that I, the LORD, have spoken and will act, says the LORD."

- A Word of God. Word of Life.
- C Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM—Psalm 104

Cantor: Lord, send out your spirit, and renew the face of the earth; Lord, send out your spirit, and renew the face of the earth.



Cantor: O bless the Lord, my soul, O Lord, how great are your ways! How many are your works O Lord! The earth is full of your glory!

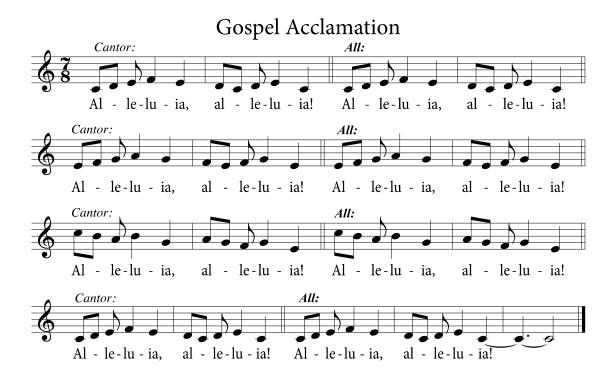
All: Refrain

Cantor: You take back your spirit, they die, returning to the dust. You send forth your spirit, they are created, you renew the face of the earth!

All: Refrain

Cantor: May the glory of God be forever, may the Lord rejoice in his works! May my thoughts and my deeds be pleasing to him, I find my joy in the Lord.

All: Refrain



HOLY GOSPEL

Acts 2:1-21

P The Holy Gospel according to Acts, the 2nd chapter.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

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.' "
- P The Gospel of the Savior.
- C Praise to you, O Christ.

The Easter Festival is over, the Paschal Candle is extinguished.

MESSAGE

Pastor Dorothy

HYMN OF THE DAY

Please sing with the 1,324 vocal and instrumental participants from across North America and around the globe, all united in our prayer for God's Spirit to bring healing and newness, and for the days when we will again "gather in song, our hearts aglow."

O Day Full of Grace 1. 0 day full of grace that now we pear - ing on see ap -0 2. day full of grace, 0 bless - ed time, our Lord on the 3. For Christ bore our sins, and not his own, when he on the 4. God came then at Pen - te - cost, the Spir - it new to us 5. When we on that fi - nal jour - ney that Christ go is for ho - ri bring light from our earth's zon, God that we may then came the world that light sub earth ar - riv ing; to was hang cross ing; and then he a - rose and moved the life re - veal might no death be ing, that we more in our pre - par we'll gath er hearts us ing, in song, а be bun - dant in joy this sea son. God, shine for us a -all _ lime, great joy for us re - triev ing; for Ie sus all might stone, that un - to him be - long ing, join with an we, lost, its power o - ver us dis - pel ing. This flame will the _ glow, all joy of the heav-ens shar ing, and there we will 0 now this dark place; your name on our hearts em - bla in zon. mor - tals did em - brace, all shame and des-pair re - mov ing. hosts to gel - ic voic - es in end - less raise our sing ing. sin ef - face and bring to us all true heal mark of ing. join God's end - less praise, with an - gels and saints a - dor ing.

NICENE CREED

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. was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. 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.* who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

A Alive in the risen Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit, we bring our prayers before God who promises to hear us and answer in steadfast love.

A brief silence.

A Gracious God, you give the Holy Spirit to your church, filling it with many and varied gifts. In the church throughout the world, strengthen us in our visioning and dreaming, that it may discover anew the Spirit's creative work. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

- A God of life, your mighty works are too numerous to count. The earth is full of your creatures, living things both great and small. Open your hand and give them the necessities of this life. Send your fresh Spirit over the face of the earth. Hear us, O God.
- C Your mercy is great.

A God of the nations, at the sound of the rushing wind, people speaking different languages proclaimed and heard together your deeds of power. Fill the leaders of nations with your Holy Spirit, so that they exercise your gracious will in the lives of people. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A God of faithfulness, you tend to the needs of your people, even the sighs of our hearts. Hear those who cry out to you in distress. Restore to wholeness all who are in any need this day, *especially: Sandy, Bob, Laura, Bill K., Lois, Jeff, Cindy, Bev, Dale, Peter A., Suzanne, Wayne B, Carl, Ned & Carolyn, Jerry, Hal, John, Duane, Jean, Jason, Anson, Dawn, and Humphrey.* Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A God of love, fill this congregation with gratitude for the gifts we have received from you. Renew our ministries, heal our divisions, and open us to the needs of our neighbors. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

For what else do the people of God pray...

A God of hope, those who have died in you raise their eternal song of praise. We give you thanks for the many gifts of your people and rejoice in the witness of your saints. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

- P In the hope of new life in Christ, we raise our prayers to you, trusting in your never-ending goodness and mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
- C Amen.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

- P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C And also with you.

Tim will randomly assign you to small groups that will automatically send you to breakout rooms.

When you see a box on your screen, click on the "go to room #". You will join a couple of other people there.

Have fun. Please unmute your sound.

When the time is over, you will automatically return to the worship space where we will continue with announcements.

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND OFFERING

OFFERING PRAYER

- A Let us pray.
- C God of love, you call us beloved children and welcome us to your table. Receive our lives and the gifts we offer. Abide with us and send us in service to a suffering world; for the sake of your beloved Child, Jesus Christ. Amen.

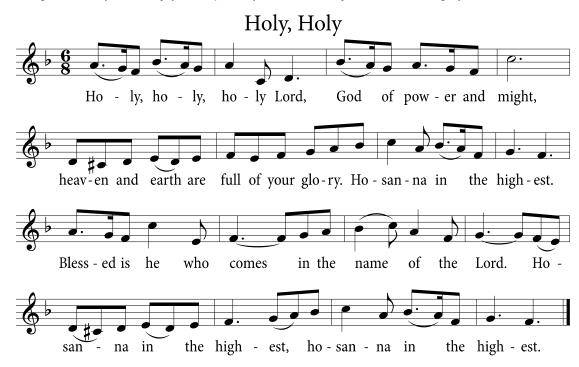
(If you have not already done so, you may remove the veil from your communion elements)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

- P The Lord be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P Lift up your hearts.
- C We lift them to the Lord.
- P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

P Blessed are you, O God of the universe...
 With this bread and cup we remember our Lord's Passover from death to life as we proclaim the mystery of faith:



P With your holy ones of all times and places....O God, blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever..



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 and ever. Amen.

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

P The risen Christ is present at your table. Eat and be satisfied.

COMMUNION BLESSING

P May the body and blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus the Christ, strengthen you and keep you to life eternal.

C Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

A Let us pray.

C Wellspring of joy, through this meal you have put gladness in our hearts. Satisfy the hunger still around us, and send us as joyful witnesses, that your love may bring joy to the hearts of all people, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING BLESSING

- P May our glorious God grant you a spirit of wisdom to know and to love the risen Lord Jesus. The God of life, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.
- C Amen.



DISMISSAL

- A Sent by the Spirit, go and tell the good news.
- C Thanks be to God.

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DAY OF PENTECOST

Fifty days after Easter, we celebrate the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on Pentecost. Crossing all boundaries that would separate us, the Spirit brings the wideness of God's mercy to places we least expect it—to a crowd of strangers of different lands and tongues, to dry bones, to our weak hearts. Jesus promises his disciples that they will be accompanied by the Holy Spirit, and that this Spirit reveals the truth. We celebrate that we too have been visited with this same Spirit. Guided by the truth, we join together in worship, and then disperse to share the fullness of Christ's love with the world.

LOOKING AHEAD TO THE BIBLICAL TEXTS:

 The Holy Trinity – May 30
 Isaiah 6:1-8
 Psalm 29
 Romans 8:12-17
 John 3:1-17

THE FEAST OF THE HOLY TRINITY

Be prepared for in-person worship next Sunday, May 30, 2021, 10:30am. There is room for about 40 in the sanctuary. Masks are still required indoors. There will be no singing, no passing of the peace and no assembly speaking out loud. Communion distribution and offering will be new and different.

And, if all goes according to plan, there will be simultaneous live streaming of the service on Zoom.

BOOK OF FAITH - Wednesday, May 26, 7pm, Zoom link on website.

ANTI-RACISM – Thursday, May 27, 7pm, Zoom link on website.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Continue to set aside non-perishable food for the Cascade Vineyard Church food bank. You can stop by the church and drop it in the barrel outside the office doors. Bless you!

ADDITIONAL NOTES: This worship service is being recorded and will be uploaded to Facebook, YouTube and the church Website <u>www.tigardlutherans.com</u>.

PRAYER REQUESTS

In this time of distance, we continue to pray for one another. When you have a prayer request there are several ways you can communicate that with us. One, call the church office, 503.639.2789. Two, send an email to <u>jeannedurbetaki@gmail.com</u> and Jeanne will activate the prayer chain. Three, go to the church's website <u>www.tigardlutherans.com</u> and click on the "How May We Pray For You" button.

GIVING

There are at least four ways to share your tithes and offerings. First, you can mail a check to the church office. Second, you could use your online banking bill pay. Third, you can set up an automatic payment through our third-party giving platform, Vanco (if you need help setting this up, give a call to the church office). Fourth, you can go to the website www.tigardlutherans.com and click on the "donate" button to make single contributions through Vanco.

Those in our Prayers: Sandy Clifton, Bob Brink, Laura Barzee, Bill Klein, Lois DeLong, Del Metcalf, Jeff Taylor, Cindy Finnegan, Keith Griswold, Gery, Bev Ashenfelter, Tammy Brink, Dale Conley, Peter, Suzanne Metcalf, Chris Rovog, Wayne B, Carl Cottingham, Ned & Carolyn Snow, Jerry Gleason, Hal Schmidt, John Maher, Duane Birkeland, Jean Baker, Jason Carroll, Anson Holt Steele, Dawn Stell, and Humphrey Chai.

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