

Day of Pentecost

May 20, 2018

**Those who are able, please stand.*

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude

Nun bitten wir den heiligen Geist

D. Buxtehude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Leader: Celebrating the source of love and life, who created us;

All: let us worship the eternal God.

Leader: Celebrating the risen one, who came to live among us and save us;

All: let us worship Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Leader: Celebrating the holy fire, who renews us and sustains us;

All: let us worship the Spirit.

In the name of our triune God, let us praise God together.

*Hymn #324

Open My Eyes that I May See

*Prayer of Adoration and the Lord's Prayer

Call to Confession

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Spirit of God, you are the breath of creation, the wind of change that blows through our lives, opening us up to new dreams and new hopes, new life in Jesus Christ. Forgive us our closed minds, which barricade themselves against new ideas, preferring the past to what you might want to do through us tomorrow. Forgive our closed eyes, which fail to see the needs of your world, blind to opportunities of service and love. Forgive our closed hands, which clutch our gifts and our wealth for our own use alone. Forgive us our closed hearts, which limit our affections to ourselves and our own. Spirit of new life, forgive us and break down the prison walls of our selfishness, that we might be open to your love and open for service in your world, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri

Hymn #579

*Lighting the Peace Candle and Sharing the Love, Joy, and Peace of Christ

Leader: The Peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Children's Moment (11:00)

Kathleen Lifsey

Following our time together, children ages 3 & 4 are invited to participate in Worship Workshop in Room 1, which is located on the Ground Floor beside the High School Youth Room. Children in Kindergarten and 1st grade are invited to participate in Gateways to Worship in Room 101, located on the Main Floor, between the Library and the Chapel.

Prayer for Illumination

Spirit of the Living God

Russ Hovda, Guitar

New Testament Reading: Acts 2:1-21

(pew Bible NT, p. 119)

New Testament Reading: 1 John 5:14-21

(pew Bible NT, p. 241)

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

"Act Like It!"

"The Face" by Ryandan

Liturgical Dance by Red Shoes Dance Company

Peter Thompson

arr. Spencer Bingham

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Call to Offering

Offertory

Come, Holy Spirit, Come

S. D. Wolff

*Doxology

Hymn #592

*Prayer of Dedication

Celebrating the Sacrament of The Lord's Supper

WE GO OUT IN GOD'S SERVICE

*Hymn

They'll Know We are Christians by Our Love

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,

And we pray that all unity may one day be restored: *Refrain*

Refrain: And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love,
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand,

We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand,

And together we'll spread the news that God is in our land: *Refrain*

We will work with each other, we will work side by side,

We will work with each other, we will work side by side,

And we'll guard each man's dignity and save each man's pride: *Refrain*

All praise to the Father, from whom all things come,

And all praise to Christ Jesus, His only Son,

And all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one: *Refrain*

*Charge and Benediction

Postlude

God of Grace and God of Glory

P. Manz

Worship Leader: Winston Green

Celebrating the Lord's Supper: Today in worship we are celebrating the sacrament of the Lord's Supper (Communion) together. All, including children, are invited to participate. We will be receiving communion by "Intinction." All who are able are asked to process forward up the center aisle to one of the stations up front, take a wafer from the plate, dip it into the cup, partake of the elements, and then return to your seat along the side aisles. If you are unable to come forward, please just remain in your seat, where a communion server will come to you with the elements.

THIS WEEK AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday, May 20

8:45 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)
9:55 a.m. Spiritual Growth (Various Classrooms)
11:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)
12:00 p.m. Church Picnic

Monday, May 21

9:00 a.m. GME Bible Study (Bride's Room)
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Scout Room)
7:00 p.m. Men's Community Bible Study (Martin-Gifford Room)

Tuesday, May 22

9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting (Library)
5:15 p.m. Worship & Music Committee (Library)
5:30 p.m. Spiritual Growth Committee (Martin-Gifford Room)

Wednesday, May 23

12:30 p.m. Al-Anon (Room 126)

Thursday, May 24

7:00 a.m. Colin Caldwell Men's Bible Study (Martin-Gifford Room)
10:30 a.m. Westminster Canterbury Morning Devotion (WC Chapel)

Pastor on Call: Peter Thompson (336) 269-7270

Members Helping Members for May: Stannard Preston (851-2414) and Elizabeth Clarkson (384-3182).

The Flowers are given, to the glory of God, and in honor and celebration of Jenny Osinga and Noel Thomas and their dedication to Faith Mountain and the children for the past three years.

Change in Worship Time: Don't forget that we change to summer schedule. Beginning on Sunday, May 27, we will only have 1 service, at 10:00 a.m.! WLNI radio service will still be broadcast at 11:00 a.m.

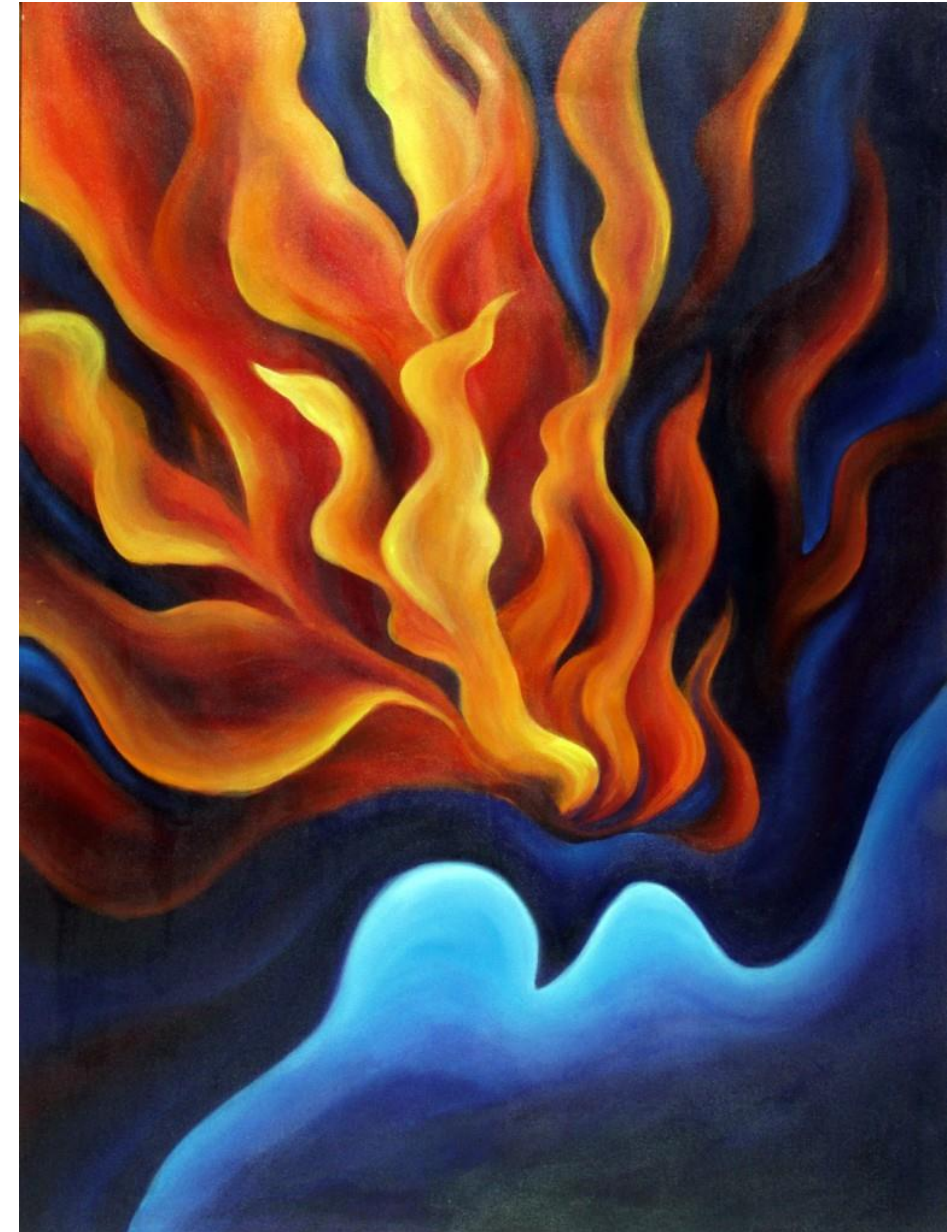
Children's Vacation Bible School: June 11-15 from 8:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. This year's theme is **Rolling River Rampage**: Experience the Ride of a Lifetime with God! Registration forms can be found on the table just off of the foyer, across from the mailroom. Please read instructions posted on the table in yellow. Email Kathleen for electronic versions or with any other questions! Kathleen@fpclly.org

Adult Vacation Bible School: June 10, July 29, August 26 from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. We will begin with dinner for everyone to enjoy in the Fellowship Hall and then have time for devotion and discipleship as adults. There will be activities for children each of these evenings as well. Stay tuned for more information coming soon!

Church Picnic: Today, following the service, is the Church Wide Picnic in the Fellowship Hall/ Back Lawn. This is catered by **The Silver Pig**; great BBQ and all the fixin's. Come enjoy finger lickin' food and friendly fellowship!

Memorial Gifts:

In Memory of Colin Caldwell by The Ravotti Family (designated Malawi Mission Fund)
In Memory of Colin Caldwell by Dr. & Mrs. Harold Riley (designated Malawi Mission Fund)
In Memory of Colin Caldwell by Eve Ingram (designated Malawi Mission Fund)
In Memory of Colin Caldwell by The Baker Family (designated Malawi Mission Fund)
In Memory of Colin Caldwell by Mr. and Mrs. Doug Brockman (designated Malawi Mission Fund)



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