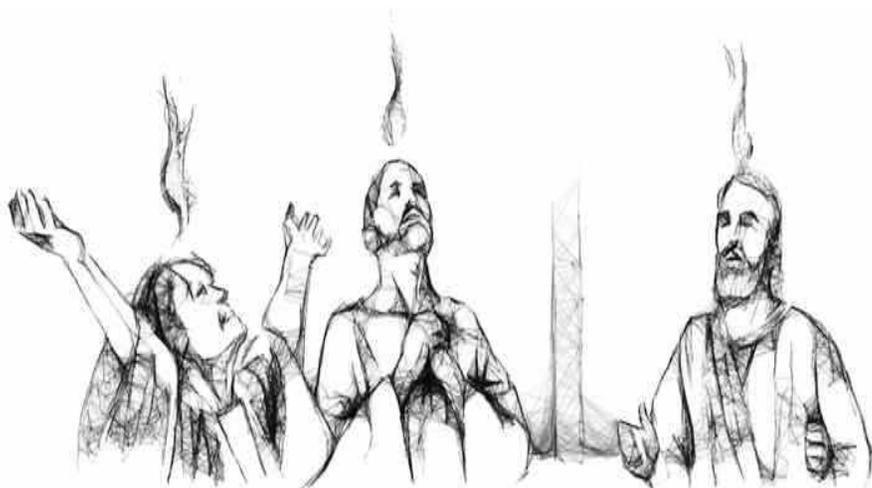


2021

"Our Hope is in the Lord, for HE who promised is Faithful"



WELCOME TO WORSHIP
DAY OF PENTECOST SUNDAY

Please tune your car radio to 106.1 FM to Worship with us today!

Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for He who promised is faithful. Hebrews 10:23

Call Statement:

"My call is to share my Faith in Christ"

Mission Statement:

"To live my Faith in Christ I will build loving relationships so others will become disciples with Jesus as Lord and Savior."

PRELUDE

Beth Helwagen

WELCOME AND PRAYER

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Leader: In the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Leader: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom 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 Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Leader: Most merciful God,

All: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God, in His mercy, has given His Son to die for you and, for His sake, forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And also with you. (Wave and/or Honk to each other)

SONG Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness WOV #684

Chorus

Spirit, Spirit of gentleness,
Blow through the wilderness Calling and free;
Spirit, Spirit of restlessness,
Stir me from placidness, Wind, wind on the sea.

Verse 1

You moved on the waters, You called to the deep,
Then You coaxed up the mountains From the valleys of sleep;
And over the eons You called to each thing;
"Awake from your slumbers And rise on your wings."

Chorus

Verse 2

You swept through the desert, You stung with the sand.
And You goaded Your people With a law and a land;
And when they were blinded With their idols and lies,
Then You spoke through Your prophets To open their eyes.

Chorus

Verse 3

You sang in a stable, You cried from a hill,
Then You whispered in silence When the whole world was still;
And down in the city You called once again,
When You blew through Your people On the rush of the wind.

Chorus

Verse 4

**You call from tomorrow, You break ancient schemes.
From the bondage of sorrow The captives dream dreams;
Our women see visions, Our men clear their eyes.
With bold new decisions Your people arise.**

Chorus

APOSTOLIC GREETING

Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray: O King of Glory,

All: the Lord almighty, on this day You ascended above all the heavens in triumph. Do not leave us as orphans, but send us the Spirit of truth Whom You promised from the Father. Alleluia. Amen.

LESSON

Acts 2:1 - 21

GOSPEL

John 15:26 - 16:15

THE MESSAGE

Pastor Jeffrey J. Lee

Oh, to Have the Passion & Persuasion of Peter!

SONG

Shine, Jesus, Shine

Verse 1

Lord, the light of Your love is shining,
In the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us,
Set us free by the truth You now bring us.
Shine on me, Shine on me.

Chorus

**Shine, Jesus, shine, Fill this land With the Father's glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze, Set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow, Flood the nations With grace and mercy;
Send forth Your Word, Lord, and let there be light**

Verse 2

**Lord, I come to Your awesome presence,
From the shadows into Your radiance;
By the blood I may enter Your brightness,
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness.
Shine on me, Shine on me.**

Chorus

Verse 3

**As we gaze on Your kingly brightness,
So our faces display Your likeness;
Ever changing from glory to glory,
Mirrored here may our lives tell Your story.
Shine on me, Shine on me.**

Chorus

APOSTLES' CREED (in unison)

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven
and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit,
and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under
Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
On the third day He rose again. He ascended into
heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living 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.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Pastor: Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us be united as the Church in heart and mind as we go to our heavenly Father in prayer..
Pastor: *(After each petition. . .)* Lord, in your mercy,
All: **hear our prayer.**
Pastor: . . . Into your hands, Father, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.
All: **Amen.**

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Pastor: The Lord be with you.
All: **and also with you.**
Pastor: In the night in which He was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to His disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.
Again, after supper, He took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

All: **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.**

THE DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION INSIDE

All are welcome to receive the Lord's Body and Blood who are baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit and believe that Jesus Christ, crucified and risen, is truly present in, with and under the forms of bread and wine for the forgiveness of sins, life and salvation. Children who have not received first communion instruction are welcome to come forward and receive a blessing.

SONG (Please join in singing during communion)

Here Is Bread, Here Is Wine

Verse 1

**Here is bread, here is wine, Christ is with us, He is with us.
Break the bread, drink the wine, Christ is with us here.**

Verse 2

**Here is grace, here is peace, Christ is with us, He is with us.
Know His grace, find His peace, Feast on Jesus here.**

Chorus

**In this bread there is healing, In this cup there's life forever.
In this moment, by the Spirit, Christ is with us here.**

Verse 3

**Here we are, joined in One, Christ is with us, He is with us.
We'll proclaim, 'til He comes, Jesus crucified.**

Chorus

THE SENDING PRAYER

Leader: Let us pray. Heavenly Father,

All: **Open my eyes, open my heart, so I see and have compassion on broken and lost people around me. Move me to bring Hope into their lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Give me courage. Give me patience. Guide my words. Through me I pray they experience Jesus' redeeming Love. I ask in Jesus' Name. Amen.**

THE BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

All: **Amen.**

SONG

Light the Fire

Verse 1

**I stand to praise You, But I fall on my knees.
My spirit is willing, But my flesh is so weak.**

Chorus

**Light the fire in my soul, Fan the flame, make me whole.
Lord, You know just where I've been,
So light the fire in my heart again!**

Verse 2

**I feel Your arms around me, As the power of Your healing begins.
Your Spirit blows through me, Like a mighty rushing wind.**

Chorus

Chorus

Ending

**So light the fire in my heart again, light the fire in my heart again,
light the fire in my heart again!**

THE DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go and be a witness for the Lord!

All: **Thanks be to God!**

THE DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION IN THE PARKING LOT

At the conclusion of the worship service, we will bring Holy Communion to you as you sit in your car.

Share your Faith in Christ!

Tell another about Jesus this week!

NEXT SUNDAY May 30, 2021

Holy Trinity Sunday

Memorial Day Weekend

Scripture Readings for Next Sunday

Isaiah 6:1-8 Psalm 29 Acts 2:14a, 22-36

John 3:1-17

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Today, PENTECOST, we will Celebrate with Holy Communion the Outpouring of the HOLY SPIRIT, the First Preaching of the GOSPEL of JESUS CHRIST, and the establishment of the CHURCH. For those worshipping inside, Holy Communion will be distributed continuously during the service. For those worshipping outside, following the worship service, we will bring Holy Communion to you as you sit in your car.



Blessings in a Bottle

The Women in Service (WinS) Group of FIC once again have colorful baby bottles for you to pick up, take home, fill with money and return them to the church the end of June. These months contain the special days of both Mother's Day and Father's Day so are very appropriate for this special fundraiser to benefit our youngest angels. ***All funds collected will go to benefit women and children in need in Clark county.*** Please return your filled baby bottle by June 30th.