

Day of Pentecost

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Order of Worship

Prelude

For the Beauty of the Earth

Rhonda R.

Welcome and Announcements

Thanksgiving for Baptism

In the name of the Father,
And of the + Son,
And of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

**We give you thanks, O God,
for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters
and by your Word you created the world,
calling forth life in which you took delight.**

Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family.

Through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery into freedom.

At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit.

**By water and your Word you claim us as daughters
and sons,
making us heirs of your promise and servants of all.
We praise you for the gift of water that sustains life,
and above all we praise you for the gift of new life in
Jesus Christ.**

**Shower us with your Spirit,
and renew our lives with your forgiveness, grace,
and love.**

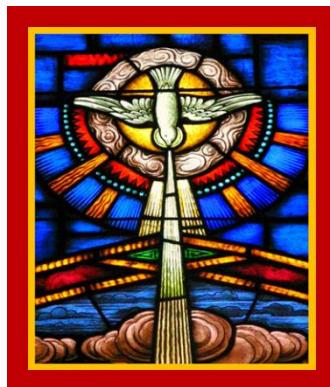
**To you be given honor and praise
through Jesus Christ our Lord
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.**

Amen.

Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

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Spirit of God, descend upon my heart;
Wean it from earth, through all its pulses move;
Stoop to my weakness, strength to me impart,
And make me love you as I ought to love.



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I ask no dream, no prophet ecstasies,
No sudden rending of the veil of clay,
No angel visitant, no op'ning skies;
But take the dimness of my soul away.

Have you not bid me love you, God and King;
All, all your own, soul, heart, and strength, and mind?
I see your cross; there teach my heart to cling.
Oh, let me seek you and, oh, let me find!

Teach me to love you as your angels love,
One holy passion filling all my frame:
The baptism of the heav'n-descended dove,
My heart an altar, and your love the flame.

Text: George Croly; **Music:** Frederick C. Atkinson.

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

Response: *And also with you.*

Canticle of Praise

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Refrain:

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.

Worthy is Christ the Lamb who was slain,
Whose blood set us free to be people of God.
Power and riches and wisdom and strength,
And honor and blessing and glory are his. **Refrain:**

Sing with all the people of God
And join in the hymn of all creation:
Blessing and honor and glory and might
Be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.

This is the feast of victory for our God,
For the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign.
Alleluia. Alleluia.



Prayer of the Day

God our creator, the resurrection of your Son offers life to all the peoples of the earth. By your Holy Spirit, kindle in us the fire of your love, empowering our lives for service and our tongues for praise, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

First Reading – Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. 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. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

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

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. Indeed,

these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: '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. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'"

Word of God, Word of Life.

Response: *Thanks be to God!*

Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

O Lord, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

Yonder is the sea, great and wide, creeping things innumerable are there, living things both small and great. There go the ships, and Leviathan that you formed to sport in it.

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These all look to you to give them their food in due season; when you give to them, they gather it up; when you open your hand, they are filled with good things.

When you hide your face, they are dismayed; when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.

When you send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the ground.

May the glory of the Lord endure forever; may the Lord rejoice in his works—who looks on the earth and it trembles, who touches the mountains and they smoke.

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

May my meditation be pleasing to him, for I rejoice in the Lord.

Bless the Lord, O my soul. Praise the Lord!

Second Reading – Romans 8:14-17

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, “Abba! Father!” it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

Word of God, Word of Life.

Response: *Thanks be to God!*

Gospel Acclamation

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Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

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Gospel – John 14:8-1, 25-27

Response: *Glory to You, O Lord.*

Philip said to him, “Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.” Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves.

Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.
”If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be

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with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

“I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

Response: *Praise to you, O Christ.*

Sermon

How Do We Hear?

Pastor Mandsager

Ev'ry Time I Feel the Spirit

Every time I feel the Spirit
Moving in my heart, I will pray.
Yes, ev'ry time I feel the spirit,
Moving in my heart, I will pray.

Upon the mountain, my Lord spoke.
Out of God's mouth came fire and smoke;
All around me, it looked so fine.
I asked the Lord if all was mine.

Every time I feel the Spirit
 Moving in my heart, I will pray.
 Yes, ev'ry time I feel the spirit,
 Moving in my heart, I will pray.



Jordan River, chilly an' cold,
 It chills the body, but not the soul.
 There ain't but one train upon this
 track,
 It runs to heaven an' runs right back.

Every time I feel the Spirit
 Moving in my heart, I will pray.
 Yes, ev'ry time I feel the spirit,
 Moving in my heart, I will pray.

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

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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 the Church

Christine Sine, alt.

God, the light of your Spirit has fallen upon us,
The seal of your ownership is on us,
You have placed the Holy Spirit in our hearts.

Like tongues of fire it has renewed and restored.

In our rising and our sleeping,
In our working and our playing,
In our joys and in our sorrows,

Your Spirit's brightness has dispelled the darkness.

God, your spirit fell like tongues of fire.

**It filled those that were empty,
It empowered those that were weary.**

God, your spirit fell like tongues of fire.

**By its power we can walk together as one,
By its power we can find strength to share.**

God, your spirit fell like tongues of fire.

**By its power we can find freedom in loving each other,
By its power we can find life in you.**

God, we believe you have sent your Spirit to live within us,

Your indwelling Spirit leads us into all truth.

God, we believe your Spirit teaches your followers to serve others,

Your empowering Spirit equips us with gifts for service.

God, we believe your Spirit writes your law on our hearts,

**Your liberating Spirit sets us free to love our neighbors
as we do ourselves.**

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God we believe your Spirit calls us to follow you.

God, we believe this is the path from death to eternal life.

God, thank you for your spirit breaking down barriers within and without;

Barriers that distort our ability to lead a life fully integrated with you and your ways.

Forgive us for the times we have deliberately resisted the Spirit's work.

Life giving spirit, God's advocate and guide, have mercy on us.

Forgive us God for the barriers we create within ourselves, Barriers that resist your healing work and prevent us moving toward wholeness.

Forgive our self-centeredness, our anger, our fear of change, our lack of trust in your love.

Life giving spirit, God's advocate and guide, have mercy on us.

Forgive us God, for the barriers we create between us and you,

Barriers that separate us from your love and the assurance of your salvation.

Life giving spirit, God's advocate and guide, have mercy on us.

Forgive us God, for the barriers we create that separate us from neighbors near and far and inhibit mutual love and care.

Forgive our resentment of others, our love of control, our indifference to the poor.

Life giving spirit, God's advocate and guide, have mercy on us.

Life giving spirit,

We trust in your presence with us at NRC. Inspire us to love and care for one another; to reach out our hands and hearts in fellowship and service.

May soft breezes and mighty winds remind us that the Holy Spirit is ever present in our lives.

We pray that we will feel your constant presence when we are troubled in spirit or body; that we may be comforted in loneliness and grief.

Bless our residents, staff, and their families with the flame of faith.

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Glorious God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
We go into this day knowing your Spirit dwells within us.
May your Counselor make us wise and help us understand
what it means to know you.
May the Spirit's fire ignite our hearts so that we understand
the hope of being chosen by God.
May we discover the glorious blessings we share together
with all God's people.

**God we go into this day knowing it is you who makes us
stand firm in Christ
We are filled with your Spirit,
We are anointed to serve,
We go out to bring resurrection life.**

May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all,
this day and forever.

Amen.

Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always.

Response: And also with you.



Offertory

Let Us Break Bread Together

Rhonda R.

HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE



The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

Response: And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

Response: We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

Response: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, 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.

Invitation

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Let us pray.

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.

Communion Distribution



Communion Song*Lamb of God*

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Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
Have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
Have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
Grant us peace, grant us peace.

Prayer

Oh, grant us then, well-strengthened with heav'nly food
while here, our course on earth is lengthened, to serve you
free from fear; and bring us home to praise you where none
can peace destroy, where we will ever raise you glad songs in
endless joy. **Amen.**

Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord's face shine upon
you with grace and mercy; the Lord look upon you with favor
and give you peace. **Amen.**

O Day Full of Grace

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O day full of grace that now we see
Appearing on earth's horizon,
Bring light from our God that we may be
Abundant in joy this season.
God, shine for us now in this dark place;
Your name on our hearts emblazon.

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O day full of grace, O blessed time,
Our Lord on the earth arriving;
Then came to the world that light sublime,
Great joy for us all retrieving;
For Jesus all mortals did embrace,
All shame and despair removing.

For Christ bore our sins, and not his own,
When he on the cross was hanging;
And then he arose and moved the stone,
That we, unto him belonging,
Might join with angelic hosts to raise
Our voices in endless singing.

God came to us then at Pentecost,
The Spirit new life revealing,
That we no more in death be lost,
Its pow'r over us dispelling.
This flame will the mark of sin efface
And bring to us all true healing.

When we on that final journey go
That Christ is for us preparing,
We'll gather in song, our hearts aglow,
All joy of heaven sharing,
And there we will join God's endless praise,
With angels and saints adoring.

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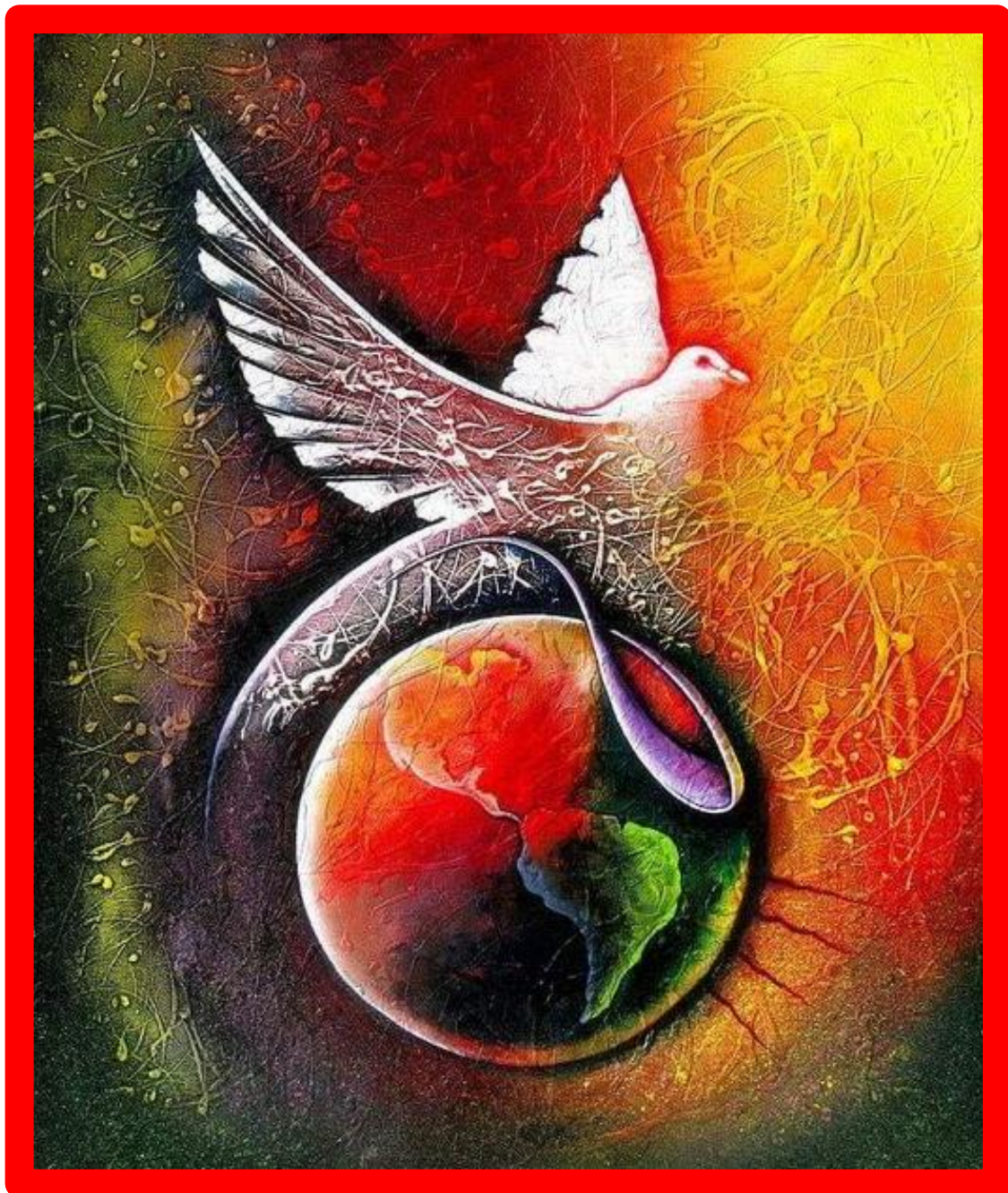
Go in peace. Live in love, as Christ loved us.

Response: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

*Spirit of God,
Descend upon My Heart*

Rhonda R.





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