

# DAY OF PENTECOST SUNDAY, JUNE 8, 2025



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#### **PRELUDE**

### WORDS OF WELCOME

### **GATHERING**

#### **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

If we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. Let us confess our sin to God who is faithful and just and who has promised to forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Most merciful God,

have mercy on us.

We confess to you that 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 trusted you with our whole heart; we have not loved one another in deed and in truth. In your compassion forgive our sin and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ our light and our truth. Amen.

With joy, I proclaim to you that Almighty God, rich in mercy, abundant in love, forgives you all your sin and grants you newness of life in Jesus Christ. **Thanks be to God!** 

GATHERING HYMN #394 Hail Thee, Festival Day! (See last pages)

#### **GREETING**

Come, Holy Spirit. **Kindle in us the fire of your love.**The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.** 

#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

God our creator, the resurrection of your Son offers life to all the peoples of 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.

## **WORD**

FIRST READING Acts 2:1-21

<sup>1</sup>When the day of Pentecost had come, [the apostles] were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup>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. 3Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. <sup>4</sup>All 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. <sup>6</sup>And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. <sup>7</sup>Amazed 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? <sup>9</sup>Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup>Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, <sup>11</sup>Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." 12 All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" 13But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine." <sup>14</sup>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. <sup>15</sup>Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. <sup>16</sup>No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

<sup>17</sup>'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. <sup>18</sup>Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. <sup>19</sup>And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. <sup>20</sup>The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. <sup>21</sup>Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'"

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

#### SECOND READING

Romans 8:14-17

<sup>14</sup> For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. <sup>15</sup> 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!" <sup>16</sup> it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, <sup>17</sup> 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. **Thanks be to God.** 

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**



Cantor: Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts | of your faithful, and kindle in us the fire | of your love.

**GOSPEL** 

John 14:15-17, 25-27

The holy gospel according to John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

<sup>15</sup> "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. <sup>16</sup> And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. <sup>17</sup> 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.

<sup>25</sup> "I have said these things to you while I am still with you. <sup>26</sup> 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. <sup>27</sup> 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. **Praise to you, O Christ.** 

# CHILDREN'S MESSAGE/SERMON Pastor Lynette Chapman

## **HYMN OF THE DAY**

# ACS#944 O Spirit All-Embracing (See last pages)

### **APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate. was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven. he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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

Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.** 

#### **PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

## **MEAL**

#### **OFFERING**

Thank you for joining us this morning. Offerings may be given online at <u>gslc-cu.org</u>, by scanning the code below, or left in the plate on the table as you exit the sanctuary.



#### OFFERING HYMN

#531 The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing (See screens or hymnals)

#### OFFERING PRAYER

Risen One, you have gathered us around your table of grace along with these gifts we bring. Come among us again, breathe your life into us, and enliven us with this meal, that we may live as your risen body in the world. Amen.

### **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

#### THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Blessed are you, O God of the universe. Your mercy is everlasting and your faithfulness endures from age to age.

Praise to you for creating the heavens and the earth. Praise to you for saving the earth from the waters of the flood. Praise to you for bringing the Israelites safely through the sea. Praise to you for leading your people through the wilderness to the land of milk and honey. Praise to you for the words and deeds of Jesus, your anointed one. Praise to you for the death and resurrection of Christ. Praise to you for your Spirit poured out on all nations.

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.

With this bread and cup we remember our Lord's passover from death to life as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

O God of resurrection and new life: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts of bread and wine. Bless this feast. Grace our table with your presence.

Come, Holy Spirit.

Reveal yourself to us in the breaking of the bread. Raise us up as the body of Christ for the world. Breathe new life into us. Send us forth, burning with justice, peace, and love.

Come, Holy Spirit.

With your holy ones of all times and places, with the earth and all its creatures, with sun and moon and stars, we praise you, O God, blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever.

Amen.

## LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours, now and forever.
Amen.

## INVITATION TO COMMUNION/COMMUNION

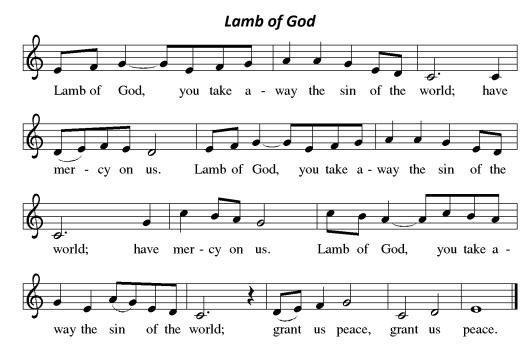
Come to the table of grace. Receive the gift of new life.

Come forward at the pastor's or ushers' direction.

Baskets located on front pews for used communion cups.

When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say
The body of Christ, given for you.
The blood of Christ, shed for you.
and each person may respond

Amen.



### **HYMNS DURING COMMUNION**

(See last pages) #403 Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song ACS #943 As the Wind Song

## **TABLE BLESSING**

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Living One, in this feast you have made yourself known to us. Send us now to tell of your wonders, sing of your glory, and proclaim your risen life to a wounded and weary world. **Amen.** 

### **SENDING**

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **BLESSING**

The triune God, who was, who is, and who is to come, Sovereign, + Savior, and Spirit, light your way with resurrection dawn, now and always.

Amen.

SENDING HYMN ACS#942 Every Time I Feel the Spirit (See last pages)

### **DISMISSAL**

Come Holy Spirit. **Kindle in us the fire of your love.**Go in peace. Tell what God has done. **Thanks be to God.** 

## **POSTLUDE**

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **ALTAR FLOWERS GIVEN BY:**

The Keene Family in celebration of Dylan's 19<sup>th</sup> birthday!

## THANK YOU TO OUR SERVERS TODAY:

**READER:** Rebecca Nef-Heffernan **ACOLYTE:** Declan O'Connell

**COMMUNION:** Tim O'Connell, Mary

Szyszka, Becky Fisher

**CHANCEL CARE:** Jenelle Keene

FLOWER DELIVERY: Carol Steinman

FOOD DELIVERY: Bob Clark

**USHER:** Sue Plisch

LIVESTREAM: Darrell Hoemann

**NURSERY:** Carol Manley &

**Amy Chamley** 

**COFFEE/DONUTS:** Kim McFarland &

Jim Manley

# SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

TODAY following the service

Budget Approval &

Elections of Council Nominees

## **OUTDOOR WORSHIP SERVICE**

Sunday, June 15, 9AM @ GSLC
Service includes a Hymn Sing & a
Blessing for Faithful Men

## **WELCOMING NEW MEMBERS**

Sunday, June 29, 9AM
Join us as we welcome new
members to our congregation.

## SHARE YOUR MUSICAL GIFTS THIS SUMMER!

From Now to August 31, singers and instrumentalists of all ages and skill levels are invited to share special music during worship.

Sign up by scanning the QR below. Questions? Contact Leon Harrell at <a href="mailto:leon@gslc-cu.org">leon@gslc-cu.org</a>.



## **WEEKLY EVENTS**

## **PIECEMAKERS QUILT GROUP**

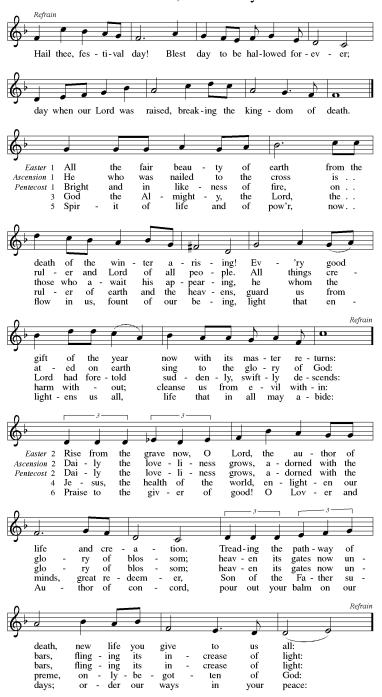
Tuesdays, Noon-3PM GSLC Quilt Room

MEN'S COFFEE GROUP Wednesdays @ 9:30AM GSLC Choir Room

## **WORSHIP STAFF**

Rev. Pastor Lynette Chapman Leon Harrell, Musician Julia Hartman, Choir Director Katrina Widholm, Program Assistant

## Hail Thee, Festival Day!



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Outside USA: Music from The English Hymad. © Oxford University Press 1906.

## O Spirit All-Embracing



Text: Delores Dufner, OSB, b. 1939

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Music: THAXTED, Gustav Holst, 1874-1934

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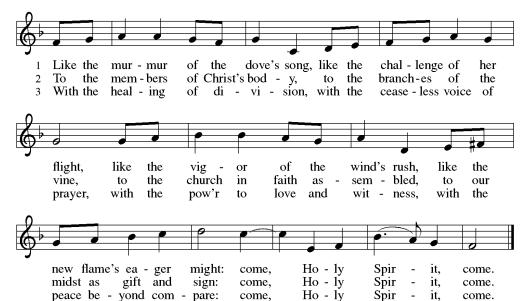
prayer we come be - fore you

dy - ing flame te - na - cious, burn in your church a - new.

to

wait up - on your light.

## Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song



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Music: BRIDEGROOM, Peter Cutts, b. 1937
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## As the Wind Song



Text: Shirley Erena Murray, 1931-2020

Music: WAIRUA TAPU, Lim Swee Hong, b. 1963

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## Every Time I Feel the Spirit



Text: African American spiritual

Music: PENTECOST, African American spiritual; arr. Melva W. Costen, b. 1933

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