



LA JOLLA
UNITED METHODIST

We Believe
The Holy Spirit

Sunday, July 10, 2022

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

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WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF CHRIST

Prelude

Pastorale Op. 19

Cesar Franck
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Introit

Gracious Spirit, Dwell in Me

Arr. Donald Moore
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Welcome

† Opening Hymn

Come, Holy Ghost, Our Hearts Inspire

UMH 603

1. Come, Holy Ghost, our hearts inspire,
let us thine influence prove;
source of the old prophetic fire,
fountain of life and love.
2. Come, Holy Ghost (for moved by thee
the prophets wrote and spoke),
unlock the truth, thyself the key,
unseal the sacred book.
3. Expand thy wings, celestial Dove,
brood o'er our nature's night:
on our disordered spirits move,
and let there now be light.
4. God, through the Spirit we shall know
if thou within us shine,
and sound, with all thy saints below,
the depths of love divine.

Blessing for Children

Prayers of the People

*A Pastor will begin a time of prayer and name those for whom our congregation is praying.
Online Worshipers may type prayer requests in the Live Chat, taking care for privacy.*

Pastoral Prayer

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. Amen.

WE HEAR OF THE LOVE OF CHRIST

Scriptures

Genesis 1:1-2 (CEB)

When God began to create the heavens and the earth— the earth was without shape or form, it was dark over the deep sea, and God’s wind swept over the waters.

Acts 2:1-4 (CEB)

When Pentecost Day arrived, they were all together in one place. Suddenly a sound from heaven like the howling of a fierce wind filled the entire house where they were sitting. They saw what seemed to be individual flames of fire alighting on each one of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages as the Spirit enabled them to speak.

Scriptural Response

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

All: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Anthem

Ev’ry Time I Feel the Spirit
Chancel Choir, Randy Seward, Soloist

Arr. William Dawson
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Message*We Believe: The Holy Spirit*

Rev. Bob Rhodes

WE RESPOND TO THE PRESENCE OF CHRIST

Response in the World**Invitation to the Offering****Offertory***Offertory in G*

Leon Boellmann
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† Doxology*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

UMH 94

Affirmation of Faith

One: We believe!

All: in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;

One: We believe!

All: in Jesus Christ, his 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, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.

One: We believe!

All: 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.

One: We believe!

All: We believe! Amen.

WE FOLLOW CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

† Closing Hymn

Spirit of God

TFWS 2117

1. Spirit of God, bright Wind,
breath that bids life begin,
blow as you always do;
create us anew.

Give us the breath to sing,
lifted on soaring wing,
held in your hands,
borne on your wings.

Refrain

Alleluia!
Come, Spirit, come!
Alleluia!
Come, Spirit, come!

2. Spirit of God, bright Dove,
grant us your peace and love,
healing upon your wings
for all living things.

For when we live your peace,
captives will find release,
held in your hands,
borne on your wings.

Refrain

Alleluia!
Come, Spirit, come!
Alleluia!
Come, Spirit, come!

3. Spirit of God, bright Hands,
even in far-off lands
you hold all the human race
in one warm embrace.

No matter where we go,
you hold us together so,
held in your hands.
borne on your wings.

Refrain

Alleluia!
Come, Spirit, come!
Alleluia!
Come, Spirit, come!

4. Spirit of God, bright Flame,
send us in your holy name,
the power to heal, to share
your love everywhere.

We cannot fail or fall,
or know defeat at all,
held in your hands,
borne on your wings.

Refrain

Alleluia!
Come, Spirit, come!
Alleluia!
Come, Spirit, come!

5. Spirit of God in all,
we gladly hear your call,
the life in our hands that sings,
the power of your wings.

Born of your grace we rise,
love shining in our eyes,
held in your hands,
borne on your wings.

Refrain

Alleluia!
Come, Spirit, come!
Alleluia!
Come, Spirit, come!

† **Benediction**

Postlude

Postlude in G

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