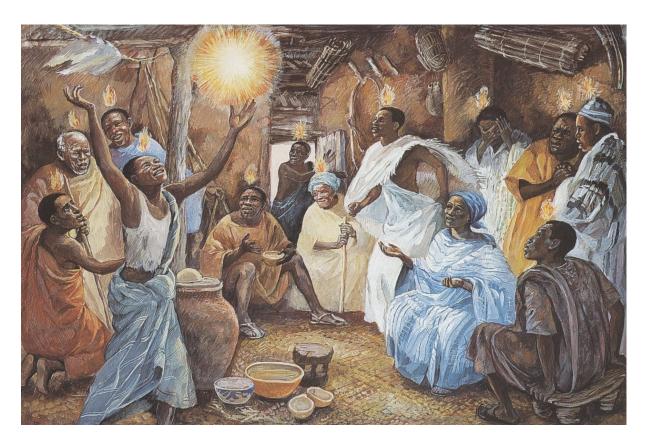


# THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER



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> The Day of Pentecost Liturgy of the Word, Rite II May 31, 2020

PRELUDE Thomas Heidenreich

#### THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

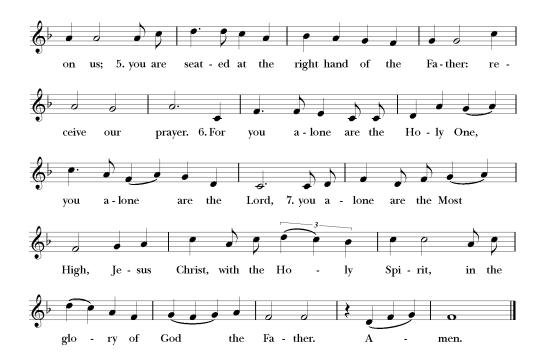
#### **OPENING ACCLAMATION**

Officiant Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

All Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you 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 Christ our Lord. Amen.





## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

*Officiant* Let us pray. Almighty God, on this day you opened the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of your Holy Spirit: Shed abroad this gift throughout the world by the preaching of the Gospel, that it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

#### FIRST LESSON

Moses went out and told the people the words of the Lord; and he gathered seventy elders of the people, and placed them all around the tent. Then the Lord came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders; and when the spirit rested upon them, they prophesied. But they did not do so again. Two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the spirit rested on them; they were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. And a young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp." And Joshua son of Nun, the assistant of Moses, one of his chosen men, said, "My lord Moses, stop them!" But Moses said to him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the Lord's people were prophets, and that the Lord would put his spirit on them!" And Moses and the elders of Israel returned to the camp.

Reader The Word of the Lord. People **Thanks be to God.** 

## THE RESPONSE

- 25 O LORD, how manifold are your works! \* in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.
- 26 Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to number, \* creatures both small and great.
- 27 There move the ships, and there is that Leviathan, \* which you have made for the sport of it.
- 28 All of them look to you \* to give them their food in due season.
- 29 You give it to them; they gather it; \* you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.
- 30 You hide your face, and they are terrified; \* you take away their breath, and they die and return to their dust.
- 31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; \* and so you renew the face of the earth.
- 32 May the glory of the LORD endure for ever; \* may the LORD rejoice in all his works.
- 33 He looks at the earth and it trembles; \* he touches the mountains and they smoke.
- 34 I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; \* I will praise my God while I have my being.
- 35 May these words of mine please him; \* I will rejoice in the LORD.
- 37 Bless the Lord, O my soul. \* Hallelujah!

#### SECOND LESSON

No one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body ~ Jews or Greeks, slaves or free~ and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

Reader The Word of the Lord. People **Thanks be to God.** 

### <u>GOSPEL SONG</u>

HOLY SPIRIT (BY JESUS CULTURE)

#### Verse 1 There's nothing worth more that will ever come close No thing can compare You're our living hope Your Presence

Verse 2 I've tasted and seen of the sweetest of loves Where my heart becomes free and my shame is undone In Your Presence Lord

Chorus Holy Spirit You are welcome here Come flood this place and fill the atmosphere Your glory God is what our hearts long for To be overcome by Your Presence Lord Interlude Your Presence Lord

Bridge Let us become more aware of Your Presence Let us experience the glory of Your goodness (Lord)

Chorus Holy Spirit You are welcome here Come flood this place and fill the atmosphere Your glory God is what our hearts long for To be overcome by Your Presence Lord

#### <u>THE GOSPEL</u>

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 7:37-39.People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

On the last day of the festival, the great day, while Jesus was standing there, he cried out, "Let anyone who is thirsty come to me, and let the one who believes in me drink. As the scripture has said, 'Out of the believer's heart shall flow rivers of living water.'" Now he said this about the Spirit, which believers in him were to receive; for as yet there was no Spirit, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord. People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

#### THE HOMILY

There will be a pause for silent reflection immediately following the homily.

#### THE 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: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. 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. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He 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.

## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader	Christ has gathered the Church in unity through the Spirit. With sure and certain hope, let us pray for the Church and for the World saying: In the power of the Holy Spirit, <b>make us your advocate</b> .
Silence	
Leader	Maker of all things, in the beginning, you created heaven and earth. In the fullness of time, you restored all things in Christ. Renew our world, in this day, with your grace and mercy. In the power of the Holy Spirit,
People	Make us your advocate.
Leader	Holy Trinity of Love, you desire the unity of all people. Set aflame the whole Church with the fire of your Spirit, and inspire us to live in the world as a sign of your love. In the power of the Holy Spirit,
People	Make us your advocate.
Leader	Life of the world, you breathed new life into the flesh you first created. By your Spirit, breathe new life into the children of earth. Turn hatred into love, sorrow into joy, and war into peace. In the power of the Holy Spirit,
People	Make us your advocate.
Leader	We give thanks for all healthcare workers and all public servants in our community, and for all the blessings of this life. I invite your thanksgivings from grateful hearts. In the power of the Holy Spirit,
People	Make us your advocate.
Leader	God of compassion, through your Spirit you supply every human need. Heal the sick, comfort the distressed, befriend the friendless, and free the forgotten, remem- bering especially all those effected by the corona virus; and those you wish to name. In the power of the Holy Spirit,
People	Make us your advocate.
Leader	We commend to your mercy all who have died. We pray that they may rest in the comfort of your saving embrace; and that we may share with them in your eternal kingdom. In the power of the Holy Spirit,
People	Make us your advocate.
Leader	Source of peace, your Spirit restores our anxious spirits. In our labor, give us rest; in our temptation, give us strength; in our sadness, give us solace. In the power of the Holy Spirit,
People	Make us your advocate.

*Leader* Faithful God, your Spirit empowered the first disciples to witness to your truth. Empower us, and all who believe, to speak your word and do your will, that the world may know the life and love of Jesus Christ. **Amen.** 

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

#### People and Officiant

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

## THE BLESSING

Following the Blessing, the people respond **Amen.** 

#### THE PEACE

OfficiantThe peace of the Lord be always with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

POSTLUDE

Thomas Heidenreich

Veni Creator en Taille

## IN THANKSGIVING & MEMORY

#### WE GIVE THANKS FOR THOSE CELEBRATING:

<u>Birthdays</u> in the next week: Thomas Federl, Ben Perez, Emma Perez, Sam Perez, Vere Gaynor, Dave Blocksom, Liz Schildknecht, Mohab Foad, Kristin Theobald, Emmie Morehous, Nancy Schulhoff, Diane Hopper, Audrey Sesler, Meg Cosgrove, Peter Ludwig, Mike Carroll, Daniel von Allmen, Katy Mallon, Ingrid Kindel, Elliott Ayres, Randol Haffner, Lisa Frey.

<u>Anniversaries</u> in the coming week: Elizabeth & John Grover, Laurie & John McKernan, Perin & Michael Goodman, Ann & Lee Bulger, Stefanie & David Riddle.

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