



The Table
ORDER OF
WORSHIP

Pentecost

June 8, 2025



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THE TABLE'S GOD GIVEN PURPOSE:

As followers of Jesus, we are guided by the Holy Spirit to affirm God's unconditional love and grace for all people by advocating for, serving and walking with one another and our neighbors.

OUR VISION

is to experience and extend God's transforming love by—

- Being in relationship with God, set free to share God's grace.
- Building authentic relationships within our faith community and with our neighbors through accompaniment and service.
- Aspiring to love like Jesus.
- Growing in faith through spiritual practices including worship, Bible study and prayer.
- Extending genuine hospitality, especially to the marginalized, those who have been hurt by the church and those who do not know God's love.
- Educating ourselves and others, advocating for, and implementing practices grounded in social justice.

BULLETIN ICONS can help you navigate the worship service:



indicates that the congregation will be speaking. The words that will be said together are printed in **bold** on your bulletin or on the worship supplement.



indicates a time of prayer.



indicates a song to sing together.



indicates a time for quiet listening.



indicates a time when you may be asked to move around the worship space. The worship leader will give more instructions when it's time to move.

- * an asterisk indicates that you are invited to stand in body or in spirit for this portion of the worship service.

GATHER



***CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: The Holy Spirit is here—

All: Shaking up the order of things

One: Pouring out Mystery over our lives

All: Prophesying through unlikely sources

One: Like mist on a mountainside Like fire cleansing a forest

All: Sometimes subtle Sometimes unwieldy

One: But always dreaming of a World to Come—

**All: Where all speak the language of compassion and are
alight with the flame of solidarity.**



***CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

One: Blessed be the Holy Trinity, ☩ one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever. It is our tradition to have a prayer of confession each week—not to harp on ourselves or to drum up guilt, but because we believe God is not done with us yet. So please join me in the prayer of confession, because God is always listening and God's grace is always full to the brim.

All: O God, You who are always doing a new thing, we confess that we sometimes close windows against the fresh air of new ideas, against the noise of other people's worries, against the winds of change. God of every place and time, we confess that we often draw the curtains against people who are different, against world news or community concerns. Forgive us our insulation in our locked homes, our shuttered churches, the security systems on our hearts. Open up our lives, and let your Spirit blow through.

(Pause for silent, personal confession and reflection)

One: The Spirit, Ancient and Ever-New, stirs us from our limited and limiting frameworks, renews our strength, and blows with the winds of forgiveness and freedom from sin.

All: Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Amen.



***GATHERING SONG** - *(printed on the weekly worship supplement)*



***PRAYER OF THE DAY** - *(printed on the weekly worship supplement)*



***GREETING**

One: 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.



***SHARING GOD'S PEACE**

TRANSFORM



SCRIPTURE READING - *(printed on the weekly worship supplement)*



A TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

(children are invited to come forward and learn more about today's Bible story and theme with Pastor Pam)



SERMON



***SERMON SONG** - *(printed on the weekly worship supplement)*



***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** by Tim Graves, adapted by Pastor Pam

**All: We sing of God the Spirit,
who from the beginning has swept over the face of
creation,
animating all energy and matter
and moving in the human heart.**

**We sing of God the Spirit,
faithful and untameable,
who is creatively and redemptively active in the world.**

**The Spirit challenges us to celebrate the holy
not only in what is familiar,
but also in that which seems foreign.**

**We sing of the Spirit,
who speaks our prayers of deepest longing
and enfolds our concerns and confessions,
transforming us and the world.**

**We offer worship
as an outpouring of gratitude and awe
and a practice of opening ourselves
to God's still, small voice of comfort,
to God's rushing whirlwind of challenge.
Through word, music, art, and sacrament,
in community and in solitude,
God changes our lives, our relationships, and our world.**



PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING



OFFERING PRAYER

One: Let us pray together:

**All: Towards the new order of things—where oppressors
are no more. Where healing is readily accessible. Where all
have what they need. To the new order of things—we
dedicate our gifts and resources, Holy Mystery. Come and
dwell among us, root us in ancient wisdom, breathe our
bodies awake. Amen.**



HOLY COMMUNION

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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



THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION



THE LORD'S PRAYER

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, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.



INVITATION TO COMMUNION & THE COMMUNION OF GOD'S PEOPLE

(Please come forward to receive the elements. Take a cup from the tray then proceed to the pastor to receive the bread and the communion assistant to receive the wine. If you would prefer, there are also sealed, pre-packaged wafer and juice combination cups on the tray. If you are not able to come forward but would like communion, please signal to the pastor or the communion assistant and we will be glad to bring it to you at your seat.)



PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

One: Let us pray

All: Spirit of the Living God, in this meal you have revealed yourself to us. Fill us with your fire and zeal as we go out from this place to share you with the world. Amen.

SEND



BLESSING

One: 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.

All: Alleluia! Amen!



***SENDING SONG** - *(printed on the weekly worship supplement)*



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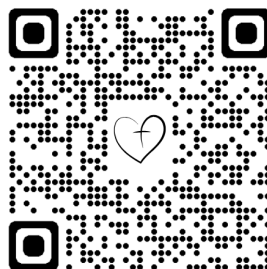
One: God blesses us so that we can be a blessing to others. We go out to follow Jesus in the world — to show and tell the good news of God to everyone.

All: Thanks be to God!

*Go in peace to love
and serve the Lord!*

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