

First Presbyterian Church

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Embodying Christ's inclusive love through heart, mind, and service

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Oak Ridge, Tennessee
A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

June 5, 2022 • Pentecost Sunday

**Please stand, in body or in spirit. Text printed in bold italics to be read in unison.*

Prelude

Welcome

***Call to Worship**

God declares, "I will pour out my Spirit on all people.

Your sons and your daughters will prophesy.

Your young will see visions. Your elders will dream dreams."

The wind of God is among us, doing something new.

The Spirit of God is here, transforming lives and leading us forward.

Let us worship the living God!

***Hymn 305**

Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!

***Call to Confession**

***Prayer of Confession**

Almighty God, long ago you poured out your Spirit upon gathered disciples, creating a bold, new community of faith. We confess our reluctance to be as courageous when it comes to speaking the good news of your love. We fear the rush of your Spirit in our lives and what you might call us to do. We build barriers of protection more easily than we build bridges of reconciliation.

Forgive us, we pray. Transform our timid lives by the power of your Spirit, that we may live with joy and with faithfulness for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

***Assurance of Forgiveness**

***The Peace of Christ**

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

***Sung Response**

We are forgiven

We are forgiven. We are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God.

We are forgiven. We are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God.

Time with the Children

Anthem

I Feel the Spirit

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Scripture Reading

Acts 2:1-21

Sermon

“What’s That You Say?”

Sharon Youngs

Musical Reflection

The Eucharist

Invitation to the Table

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks ...

who forever sing to the glory of your name:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory, Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Thank you for Jesus, our Savior and Lord. ...

Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us ...

with the Holy Spirit in the holy church, now and forever. ***Amen.***

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.

Breaking of the Bread

Communion

Prayer after Communion

You have given yourself to us, Lord. Now we rise from this table to give ourselves to others. May your Spirit continue to strengthen and inspire us in both word and deed, now and always; in Jesus’ name. Amen.

*Hymn 280

Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us

*Charge and Blessing

*Sung Response

Irish Blessing

May the road rise to meet you, may the wind blow at your back,

May the sun shine warmly on your face. May the rain fall softly on your field,

And until we meet again, until we meet again,

May God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen.

Postlude



*The flowers today are given by Chris Iversen and Peter Bancroft
to the glory of God on what would have been Mary's 100th birthday.
We will miss her.*



Announcements

—Thank you to Mimi Tilley for serving as our liturgist today.

—Special thanks to our guest accompanist, Teresa Gross, for sharing her musical gifts with us today.

—Youth Group will be having their end-of-school party at 3 p.m. today at Peggy Claiborne's house.

—**This Thursday, June 9, is our monthly Welcome Table.** We'll distribute taco soup meals and groceries from 5:30 to 6:00 p.m. (drive-thru only). Ongoing thanks to those who donate canned goods for our food pantry.

Welcome to First Presbyterian Church!

No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here. We hope you feel the love that is present and our joy in having you with us. If you'd like to know more about First Presbyterian Church, let's talk! Please speak with Sharon or any of the ushers after the service.

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