St. Dunstan's Episcopal Church
Atlanta, Georgia

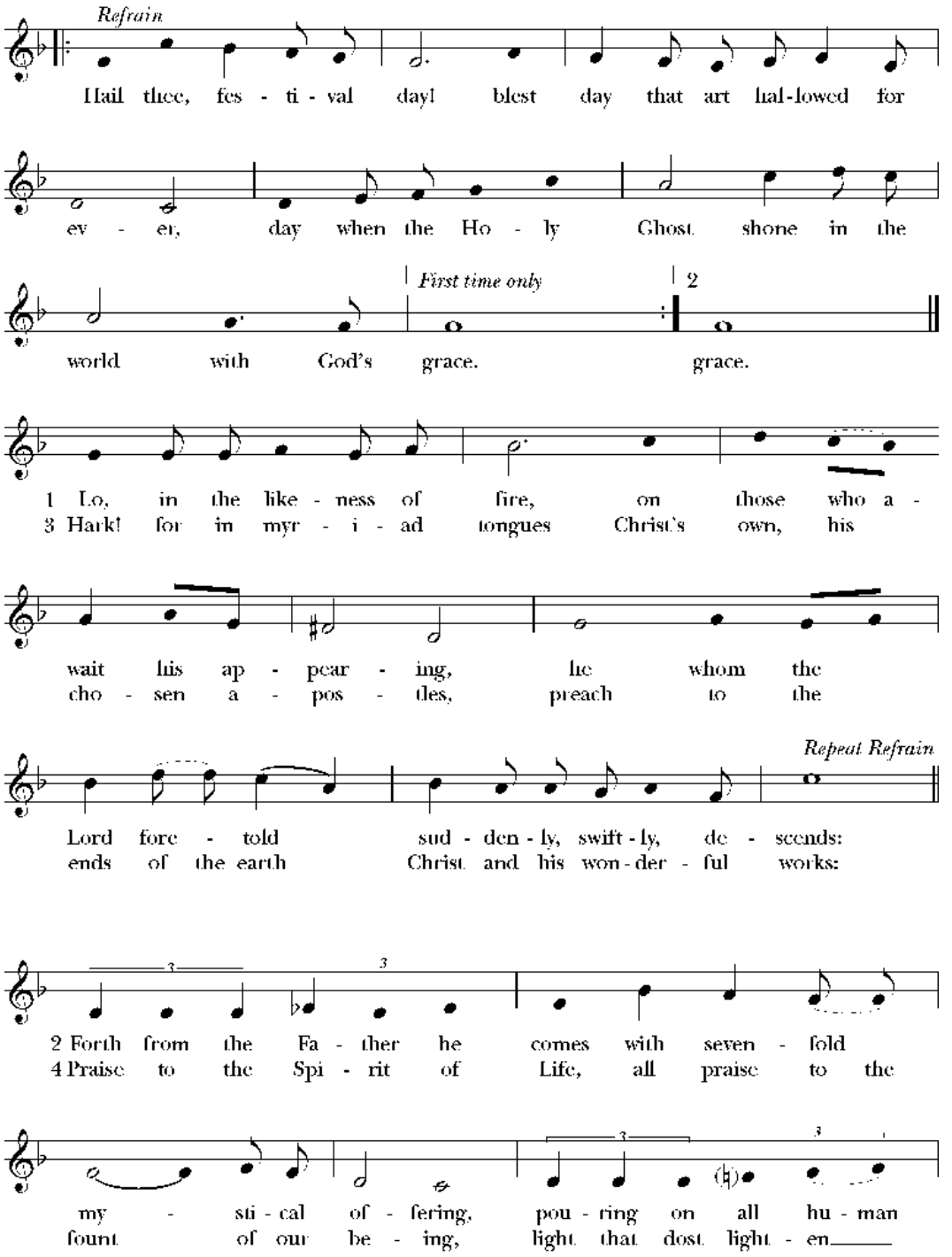
The Day of Pentecost

June 8, 2025

The Holy Eucharist

Streaming FaceBook Live at 10:00 A.M.

Prelude	Veni creator spiritus	Raymond Weidner


Refrain
Hail thee, fes - ti - val day! blest day that art hal-lowed for
ev - er, day when the Ho - ly Ghost shone in the
First time only
2
world with God's grace. grace.
1 Lo, in the like - ness of fire, on those who a -
3 Hark! for in myr - i - ad tongues Christ's own, his
wait his ap - pear - ing, lie whom the
cho - sen a - pos - tles, preach to the
Repeat Refrain
Lord fore - told sud - den - ly, swift - ly, de - scends:
ends of the earth Christ and his won - der - ful works:
2 Forth from the Fa - ther he comes with seven - fold
4 Praise to the Spi - rit of Life, all praise to the
my - sti - cal of - fering, pou - ring on all hu - man
fount of our be - ing, light that dost light - en

The Word of God

Opening Acclamation

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ is risen!
People ***The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!***

The Collect for Purity *said by the Celebrant*

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.***

Gloria in excelsis S 277 Glory to God Hurd

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People ***And also with you.***
Celebrant Together, let us pray.

The Collect *said by all*

Living God, Mystery of love given and received before all foundations, you wound our hearts, hardened to division and indifference: deepen our yearning for unity and enrich our love for diversity that the whole creation might share in your communion; through Jesus Christ, who makes known your love. Amen.

The First Lesson **Acts 2:1-21**

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. 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. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God’s deeds of power.” All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” But others sneered and said, “They are filled with new wine.”

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. Indeed, these

are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

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

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People ***Thanks be to God.***

Psalm **Psalm 104:25-35, 37b**

O Lord, how manifold are your works!
in wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.

Yonder is the great and wide sea
with its living things too many to number,
creatures both small and great.

There move the ships,
and there is that Leviathan,
which you have made for the sport of it.

All of them look to you
to give them their food in due season.

You give it to them; they gather it;
you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.

You hide your face, and they are terrified;
you take away their breath,
and they die and return to their dust.

You send forth your Spirit, and they are created;
and so you renew the face of the earth.

May the glory of the Lord endure for ever;
may you rejoice in all your works.

You look at the earth and it trembles,
you touch the mountains and they smoke.

I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
I will praise my God while I have my being.

May these words of mine please him;
I will rejoice in the Lord.

Bless the Lord, O my soul.
Hallelujah!

The Second Lesson **Romans 8:14-17**

All who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. 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!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, 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.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People ***Thanks be to God.***

Sequence Hymn 511 Holy Spirit, ever living *Abbot's Leigh*

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The Gospel **John 14:8-17, 25-27**

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People ***Glory to you, Lord Christ****.*

Philip said to Jesus, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, `Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. 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."

"I have said these things to you while I am still with you. 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. 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."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People ***Praise to you, Lord Christ.***

Sermon **The Reverend Patricia Templeton**

The Creed

I believe in God, the Creator, the Almighty,
maker of a heaven and earth without borders or nations,
who created all people in the Divine image,
who led people from slavery to freedom
through exile and exodus,
the God of homelands lost and found,
the God of Temple and desert, of manna and sacrifice.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,
and was made human, joining us as strangers and exiles on the earth,
showing us how to bring about God's kingdom here and now,
who was born under occupation

and as an infant fled with his parents to Egypt for safety,
becoming aliens in a foreign land,
who suffered under the imperial power of Pontius Pilate,
was crucified by the state, died, and buried.
On the third day he rose again, opening for us the door to new life,
destroying the power of death.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who speaks all languages, lives in all countries, and reunites all races,
who proceeds from the Creator and the Son, unity in diversity, three in one.

I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church,
a communion of saints across countries and centuries.
I look for the coming of the Kingdom of God,
where our passport is love,
our bodies are resurrected and healed,
where the image of God in all of us is honored,
and all nations, tribes, creeds, and people are reconciled in the place
where there is no mourning or sadness, no exile or despair,
where we will be no longer strangers or guests
but lambs gathered safely home in the arms of the Good Shepherd. AMEN.

The Prayers of the People, Form III

Gracious God, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest;
Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others including our parishioners, **Christine Bird**; **Lucy Davidson, Eileen Zimmer; Priscilla Davis; Cathy Leake; Donna Thomas; Rhea Hannah; Sheila Woodard;** and **Penny France.**

We give thanks for our parish community especially **Sara Thomas; Sara Thornton; Susie & Jon Throop;** and **Alan Toney.**

Silence and concluding Collect.

Almighty God, kindle, we pray, in every heart the true love of peace, and guide with your wisdom those who take counsel for the nations of the earth, that in tranquility your dominion may increase until the earth is filled with the knowledge of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Peace

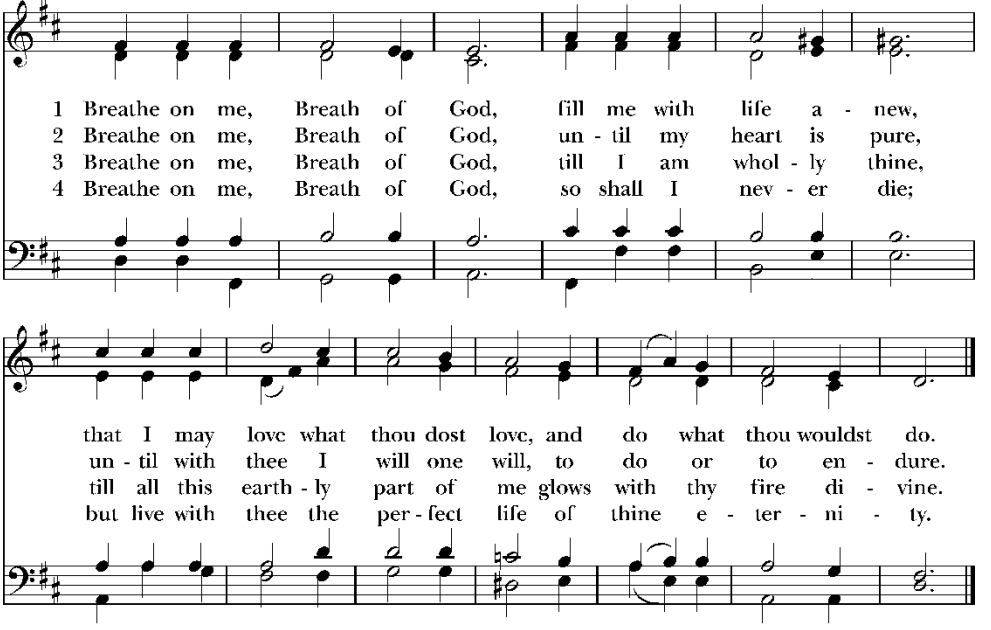
Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People ***And also with you.***

Greetings & Announcements

The Holy Communion

Offertory Music Andante Semplice (Opus 65, No 2) Edvard H. Grieg

Offertory Hymn 508 Breathe on me, Breath of God *Nova Vita*



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The Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer A)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People ***And also with you.***

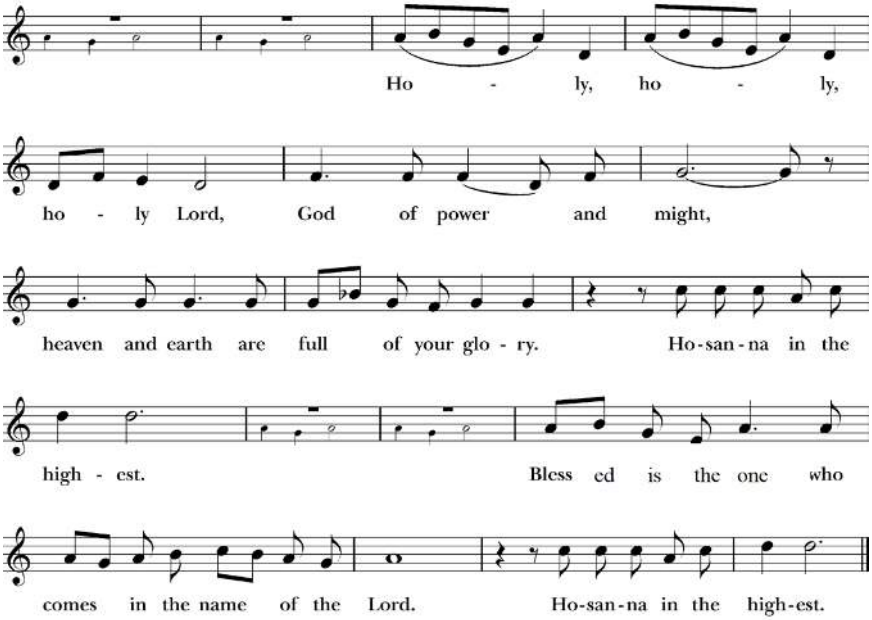
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People ***We lift them to the Lord.***

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

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus *S. 128* Holy, holy, holy Lord Mathias



Then the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious God: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you; This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

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

Celebrant continues
We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O God, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

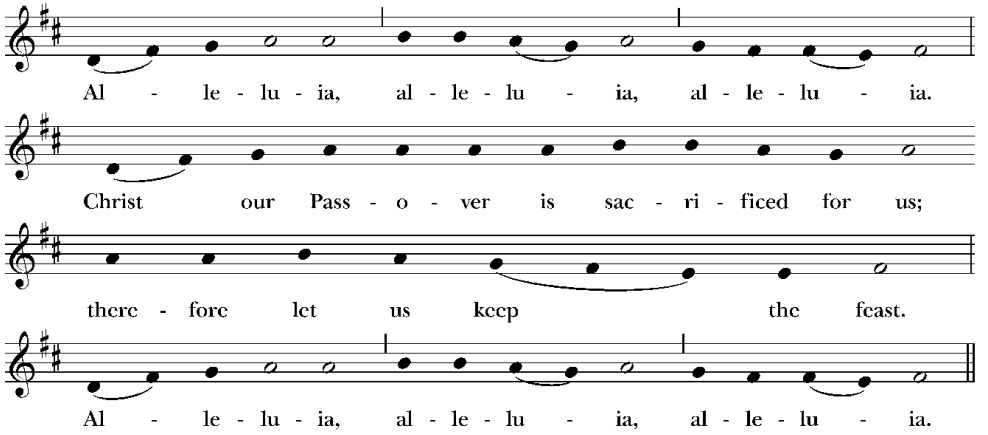
Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him, Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By Him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

The Lord's Prayer
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.

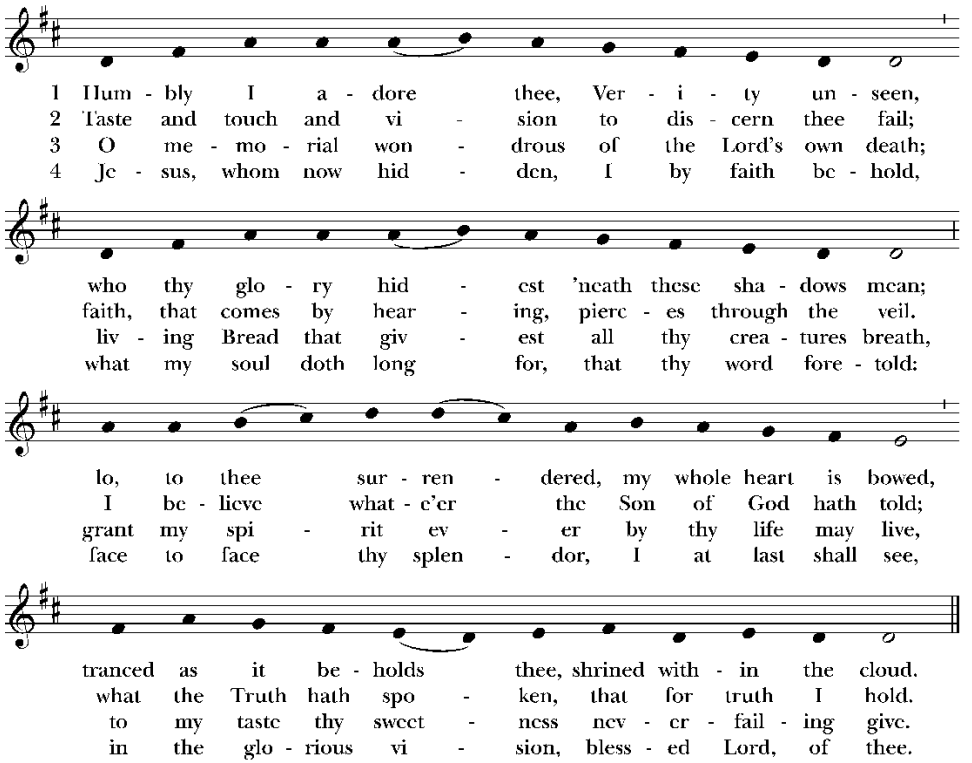
The Breaking of the Bread Fraction Anthem S. 154 Christ our Passover



Celebrant The gifts of God for the people of God.

The Communion of the People *All people are invited to receive Communion.*

Communion Hymn 513 Like the murmur of the dove's song *Bridegroom*



Prayer after Communion *Celebrant and People*

God of all power and love,
we give thanks for your unfailing presence
and the hope you provide in times of uncertainty and loss.
Send your Holy Spirit to enkindle in us your holy fire.
Revive us to live as Christ's body in the world:
a people who pray, worship, learn,
break bread, share life, heal neighbors,
bear good news, seek justice, rest and grow in the Spirit.
Wherever and however we gather,
unite us in common prayer and send us in common mission,
that we and the whole creation might be restored and renewed,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing

May the joyful fire of the Spirit
dance within you
and set happiness ablaze in your life.

May the blaze of the Spirit's courage
ignite in you
a passion for truth and justice.

May the wind of the Spirit
breathe into you
new life, new hope, and new blessings,
this day and always. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn 507 Hail the Spirit in creation *Julion*

Verses 1,4,6

On following page

The Dismissal

Response **Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia**!

Postlude Sarabande Adrian Self

We welcome Ernest Plunkett as our guest musician today.

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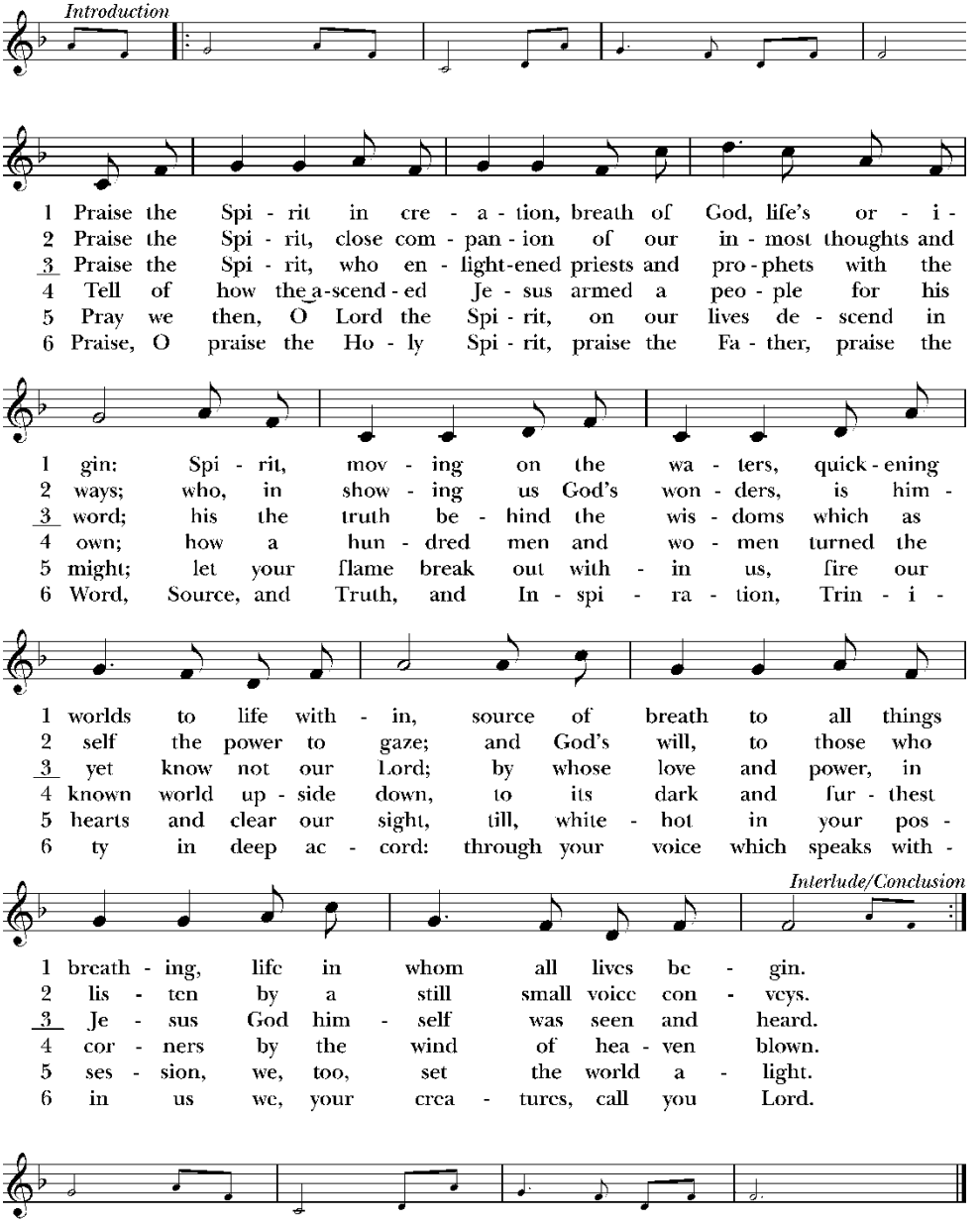

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Ministry Schedule

	June 8 - Pentecost	June 15th - Trinity
Vestry on Duty	Tom Wilson	Susie Throop
Lay Reader: 10:00	Bill Reece	Susie Throop
Lector 1st Lesson	Josh Taylor	Jon Throop
Lector 2nd Lesson	Zoe McMichael	Bill Hancock
Ushers / Greeters	Tom Wilson	Bill Hancock
Altar Guild	Marshall / Mary Jane	Claudia / Mary Jane
Flower Guild	Suzanne Van de Mark	Cat Hackett

Happy Anniversary

Jessie & Tim Leyden June 13 **Cathy & Toby Raper** June 13

Happy Birthday

Gwen McAlpine June 11 **Shirley Morgan** June 11 **Lindsey Reece** June 12

Prayers

Parishioners: Christine Bird; Lucy Davidson; Eileen Zimmer Priscilla Davis; Cathy Leake; Donna Thomas; Rhea Hannah; Sheila Woodard; and **Penny France.**

Family: Cody Young, nephew, Deborah & Bill Reece**; Carra & Vincent Lafitte, Larry & Sharon Mobley, Jack & Linda Mobley** family of Daria and Bruce Lafitte**; Ava Marie Buchholz,** grandniece**, Mary Morris**, sister-in-law of Lee Morris; **Betsy, Kate, Geoff & Alex,** family of Brenda Patten and Andrea & Anil Weerakoon**; Charlie Bunn,** cousin of Tiffany Wilson; **Harry Kastanakis III,** brother of Reneé**; Debra Powers**, sister of Lucy Kaltenbach; **Pamela V. Bowers**, sister of Suzanne Van de Mark; **Aggie Whyte, Priscilla Williams**, sisters of Bessie Holland; **Matthew Michaelides,** son of Margaret Michaelides; **Antoinette Watts**, sister of Marshall Kress; **Oakley Family,** cousins of Priscilla Davis; **Mary Jane Hobbs**, sister of Sara Thomas; **Deni Omundson**, **Sydney Cortez & Family**, relatives of Jeanne & Josh Taylor; **Roswitha & Klaus Moos,** grandparents of Katharina McCawley; **Karen**, sister of Steve Hauser; **Joyce Emmons,** cousin, Elizabeth Wong Mark; **Dan Westphal,** father of Lori; **Diana Jacinto,** daughter in-law, and **Aaron Atkinson,** family of Bob Longino; **Jessica LeClaire,** sister of Sara Thornton; **Clare Richardson**, sister-in-law of Penny France; **Tiffiny Lucas,** niece, **Linda Johnson**, sister of Vivian Siggers; **Deborah Ellis-Williams**, mother of Jackie O'Connell; **Jeannette Davis**, sister-in-law of Priscilla Davis; **Barbara Martello**, niece of Mimi Gold.

Friends: Carolyn Timmons, (Sandra & Joe Dobbs); **Sara Corredor** (Tiffany Wilson); **Dobrik Family; Lynell Walker, Pat Park** and **Rik Rasmussen** (Anil & Andrea Patten-Weerakoon); **Carol Fitzgerald,**

Sam Roberson (Lee Morris); **Gay McNeely, John Ware** (Suzanne Van de Mark); **Lauren Courtney Robinson** (Lindsey Reece); **Neil, Emma, Addison Bonser** (Brown family); **Barry Mazor** (Bob Wolfson); **Kishell Muir** (Barbara Hawker); **Anne Cronin; Walter Buchanan** (Rhea Hannah); **Loretta Roberts, Benjamin Banas** (Cathy Leake); **Swan Family** (Kate Gaul); **Bill Cobb, Sandy Jusak, Michellene Tipton**, **Joshua Dowd, Debbie Bogard**, **James Bogard** (Jeanne and Josh Taylor); **Carol Davis** (Sandra Dobbs); **Carolyn Neely Holmes** (Vivian Siggers); **Steve Murray** (Bob Longino); **Madison Fucita & Family; K.C. Williams, Thomas Futch, Lisa Ridges, Bill Whitte, Tony Rozen, Amanda Ippolito & Family, Rose Faison, Mary Jane Graff, Anne Henry, Tim Embry** (Priscilla Davis); **Jennifer Pern, Sherrel Howard** (Mimi Gold).

We pray for those who have died.

We give thanks for our parish community especially **Holly Swing & Robert Stumpe; Jeanne & Josh Taylor; Tricia Templeton and Joesph Henry Monti;** and **Donna & Ben Thomas.**

Announcements

This summer we will be working on a new pictorial directory. Tom Wilson has agreed to be the photographer. He and his camera will be set up from 9-9:45 am and after church until noon on **June 15th, June 29th, and July 13th**. There will be a form for you to fill out with the contact information you want listed in the directory. If you can't make it to any of those sessions, you may submit your own photo at tom@tomwilsonphotography.net. We hope to have the new directory ready to hand out in the fall.

Name Tags: We're bringing the production of Name tags in house. Claudia will start with folks that have yet to receive their name tag and will proceed to replacing name tags for everyone.

Vestry 2025 - 2026

Susie Throop, Sr. Warden; Andrea Patten-Weerakoon, Jr. Warden;
Suzanne Johnson; Ralph Paulk; Sarah Hancock;
Marshall Kress; Jessica Peoples; Alexander Pierre; Tom Wilson

The Reverend Patricia Templeton, Rector
The Reverend Maggie Harney, Priest Associate
The Reverend Colin Brown, Priest Associate
Julie Bunn, Church Organist
Claudia Gimson, Parish Administrator
Rhea Hannah, Volunteer Administrative Assistant

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