

## Worship on the Day of Pentecost

May 19, 2024, at 10:00 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Rosanna Anderson, Designated Term Pastor  
Organist Diane Dexter

**Prelude** "For Lo, the Winter Is Past" Lani Smith

**Welcome and Announcements** Dr. Rosanna Anderson

### Call to Worship

Remember the promise of the Lord:

**God will pour out the Holy Spirit on all people.**

The Holy Spirit helps us in our weakness,

**Praying for us with sighs too deep for words.**

The Holy Spirit renews the earth.

**Let us worship God!**

### Prayer of the Day

**God of glory, on Pentecost you sent your Holy Spirit to ordinary people so that they would tell the world of your redeeming love and draw all people to you. Fill us with your Spirit so that we may share boldly the good news of Jesus Christ with neighbors near and far. Amen.**

**Hymn 89** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

### Prayer of Confession

**Almighty God, you poured your Spirit on the apostles, filling them with joy and empowering them to speak your praise. Through their witness, you expanded the community of faith. We confess that at times we have failed to listen for your word of grace, speak the good news of your love, or live as people made new in Christ. Have mercy**

**on us, O God. Transform our lives by the power of your Spirit. Fill us with a desire to be faithful people who do your will for the sake of Jesus Christ our risen Lord. Amen.**

### Assurance of Forgiveness

### Prayer for Illumination

**Old Testament** Ezekiel 37:1-14

**New Testament** Acts 2:1-21

**Sermon** "Dem Dry Bones" Dr. Rosanna Anderson

**Offertory** "Here I Am, Lord" Dan Schutte

**Doxology** Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise him, all creatures here below.  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

### Prayer of Dedication

**Living God, only you can send your Spirit to bring us new life. You speak your word of hope in times of uncertainty as well as in times of peace. Thank you for always working to fulfill your promises. May our giving show our trust in you. Amen.**

### Sharing Praise and Prayer Concerns

**Prayers of the Church and the Lord's Prayer** (*trespasses*)

**Hymn 577** "God of Grace and God of Glory"

**Benediction** Dr. Anderson

**Postlude**    “Hallelujah”                      George Frideric Handel

**Church Calendar**

Sunday, May 19    10:00 – 11:00 a.m. Sanctuary and online  
**Pentecost Sunday Worship Service**

**Fishers Island Churches Golf Classic**

**Guided Tour of the Venture Smith Exhibit**

Wednesday, May 23    9:00 – 10:00 a.m. Parlor and online  
**Bible Study Fellowship**

Thursday, May 23    10:00 – 11:00 a.m. **Moms’ Group**

Saturday, May 24    8:00 a.m. Courtyard and Fellowship Hall  
**Spring Fair** from 9:00 a.m. – noon  
Set up before and clean up afterward.

Sunday, May 25    10:00 – 11:00 a.m. **Worship Service**

Noon **Memorial Day Parade**  
Dr. Rosanna Anderson will lead the prayers.

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