

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Pentecost Call to Worship from Acts 2
“On Pentecost, they were all sitting together. Suddenly from heaven they heard a sound like a strong wind. It filled the whole house. **They saw what looked like flames of fire, separated and over each person there. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and they spoke different languages, praising God!** Religious Jews from every country in the world were in Jerusalem. They heard the sound and formed a crowd. They were all surprised and amazed, because each one heard them speaking in his own language. **They said, ‘Look! Aren’t all those people from Galilee? But each of us hears them speaking in his own language. How is it possible? We are from different places:** Parthia, Media, Elam, Mesopotamia, Judea, Cappadocia, Pontus, Asia, Phrygia, Pamphylia, Egypt, the areas of Libya near Cyrene, Rome (both Jews and those who had become Jews), Crete and Arabia. We hear them telling in our own languages about the great things God has done!’ **They were confused and asked each other, ‘What does this mean?’ But others made fun of them, saying, ‘They’ve had too much wine.’**
But Peter stood up with the eleven apostles. In a loud voice he said, ‘My fellow Jews, and everyone in Jerusalem, pay attention and listen to me. They’re not drunk; it is only nine in the morning! But Joel the prophet wrote about what is happening here today: **‘God says: in the last days I will give my Spirit freely to all kinds of people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy. Your old men will dream dreams. Your young men will see visions. At that time, I will give my Spirit even to my servants, both men and women, and they will prophesy.** I will show miracles in the sky and on the earth: blood, fire and thick smoke. The sun will become dark. The moon will become red as blood. **And then the great and glorious day of the Lord will come. Then anyone who asks the Lord for help will be saved.’”**

Hymn 103 “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

Prayer of Confession from Psalm 51
Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out our sins. Wash us thoroughly and cleanse us completely. For we know our transgressions, and our sin is ever before us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and sustain us with your Holy Spirit. We pray through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Genesis 42 - 43

Sermon “A Family Reunion” Dr. Rosanna Anderson

Gathering the Collection

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication
Living God, you are the Lord of all! Only you can send your Spirit to bring us new life. You graciously speak your word of hope in times of struggle and uncertainty, as well as in times of joy and peace. We are grateful that you are continually at work in our lives and the world to fulfill your promises. May our giving today show our trust in you. We pray through your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

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

Hymn 73 “O Worship the King, All-Glorious Above”

Benediction

Postlude

Church Calendar

Heartfelt thanks to Louise Burnham Packard and everyone who worked together to make our Spring Fair a success! We are grateful to all who contributed to this special annual fundraiser in support of our mission and ministries!

Sunday, May 24 **Worship and Fellowship** 10:00 a.m.
All are welcome to worship God with us in person or via live stream and enjoy refreshments at coffee hour.

Monday, May 25 **Memorial Day Holiday / Church Closed**

Tuesday, May 26 **Alcoholics Anonymous** 6:00 p.m.
Connect with the facilitator by emailing info@finyaa.org.

Wed., May 27 No Bible Study meeting this week
Now is a great time to order your book for the first Bible study of the summer, *Galatians for You* by Timothy Keller.
https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/1908762349/ref=ewc_pr_img_1?smid=ATVPDKIKX0DER&psc=1 We will meet in the church Parlor and via Zoom on June 3 from 9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

Tots Time 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Toddlers and caregivers enjoy conversation and snacks.

Friday, May 29 **Church Office Closed / Pastor's Day Off**

Saturday, May 30 **Alcoholics Anonymous** 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 31 **Worship and Fellowship** 10:00 a.m.
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