

BUCKINGHAM PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

May 31, 2020

DAY OF PENTECOST

10:00 A.M. ONLINE at BUCKINGHAM'S FACEBOOK PAGE

Rev. Glenn Zuber, Pastor & Gregory Fraser, Music Director

THE GATHERINGPRELUDE with SILENT PRAYERS: Mozart *Piano Concerto 27 2nd movement*

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT: "Spirit of the Living God"

Spirit of the living God, Fall afresh on me; Spirit of the living God, Fall afresh on me.
 Melt me, mold me, Fill me, use me.
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CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 104 – The Lord of creation sends forth the Spirit to renew the earth:

²⁴ O Lord, how manifold are your works!

In wisdom you have made them all;
 the earth is full of your creatures.

²⁵ Yonder is the sea, great and wide,
 creeping things innumerable are there,
 living things both small and great.

²⁶ There go the ships,
 and Leviathan that you formed to sport in it.

²⁷ These all look to you
 to give them their food in due season;

²⁸ when you give to them, they gather it up;
 when you open your hand, they are filled with good things.

²⁹ When you hide your face, they are dismayed;
 when you take away their breath, they die
 and return to their dust.

³⁰When you send forth your spirit,^[a] they are created;
and you renew the face of the ground.

³¹May the glory of the Lord endure forever;
may the Lord rejoice in his works—

³²who looks on the earth and it trembles,
who touches the mountains and they smoke.

³³I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

³⁴May my meditation be pleasing to him,
for I rejoice in the Lord.

^{35b}Bless the Lord, O my soul.
Praise the Lord!

HYMN: Spirit Song

O let the Son of God enfold you with His Spirit and His love; let Him fill your heart and satisfy your soul. O let Him have the things that hold you, and His Spirit, like a dove, Will descend upon your life and make you whole.

Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill Your lambs. Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill Your lambs.

O come and sing this song with gladness as your hearts are filled with joy; Lift your hands in sweet surrender to His name. O give Him all your tears and sadness; give Him all your years of pain, And you'll enter into life in Jesus' name.

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PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE: Veni, Sancte Spiritus (Repeat)

(Translation: Holy Spirit, Come to Us)

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NEW TESTAMENT: Acts 10:44-48

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MUSICAL INTERLUDE

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MEDITATION

HYMN: Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us

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We would raise our alleluias For the grace of yester-years; For tomorrow’s unknown pathway, Hear, O Lord, our humble prayers. In the church’s pilgrim journey You have led us all the way, Still in presence move before us, Fire by night and cloud by day.

Come, O Spirit, dwell among us; Give us words of fire and flame. Help our feeble lips to praise You, Glorify Your holy name. Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Three in one: what mystery! We would sing our loud hosannas Now and through eternity.

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MUSIC FOR CONTEMPLATION

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Sweet Holy Spirit, Sweet heavenly Dove,
 Stay right here with us, filling us with Your love.
 And for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise.
 Without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived
 When we shall leave this place. (Refrain)

There are blessings you cannot receive
 Till you know Him in His fullness and believe;
 You're the one to profit when you say,
 "I am going to walk with Jesus all the way."
 (Refrain)

If you say He saved you from your sin,
 Now you're weak, you're bound and cannot enter in,
 You can make it right if you will yield,
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CHARGE and BLESSING

Rev. Glenn Zuber

Go now in peace. Never be afraid God will go with you each hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know He will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen. Amen. Amen.

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