

**ORDER OF WORSHIP
DAY OF PENTECOST**

June 9, 2019

10:00 a.m.

*The beginning of the opening voluntary is a call to silent, personal meditation.
Please silence all electronic devices as we prepare our hearts and minds to worship God.*

OPENING VOLUNTARY

*Komm, Gott Schöpfer, Heiliger Geist
Come, God Creator, Holy Ghost*

J. S. Bach
(1685-1750)

INTROIT

Iain Quinn
(b. 1973)

Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord renews the face of the earth;
come let us adore him; Alleluia.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning is now
and will be for ever, Amen.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: Holy Spirit, Creator, in the beginning you moved over the waters. From your breath all creation drew life. Without you, life turns to dust.

People: Come, Holy Spirit!

Minister: Holy Spirit, Counselor, by your inspiration, the prophets spoke and acted in faith. You clothed them in power to be bearers of your word.

People: Come, Holy Spirit!

Minister: Holy Spirit, Power, you came as fire to Jesus' disciples; you gave them voice before the rulers of this world.

People: Come, Holy Spirit!

Minister: Holy Spirit, Sanctifier, you created us children of God; you make us the living temple of your presence; you intercede within us with sighs too deep for words.

People: Come, Holy Spirit!

Minister: Holy Spirit, Giver of life, you guide and make holy the church you create; you give gifts –

the spirit of wisdom and understanding,
the spirit of counsel and fortitude,
the spirit of knowledge and piety,
the spirit of the fear of the Lord,
that the whole creation may praise you.

People: Come, Holy Spirit!

*HYMN 128

On Pentecost They Gathered

MUNICH

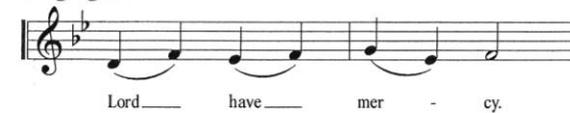
PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Most holy and merciful God, we confess to you and to one another, that we have sinned against you by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not fully loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have not always had in us the mind of Christ. You alone know how often we have grieved you by wasting your gifts, by wandering from your ways. Forgive us, we pray you, and free us from our sin. Renew in us the grace and strength of your Holy Spirit, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior.

KYRIE ELEISON

Thomas Juneau
(b. 1977)

Congregation



Choir Lord, have mercy.

Congregation



Choir Christ, have mercy.

Choir and Congregation



Choir Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison.

All repeat Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

PROMISE OF THE GOSPEL

***GLORIA PATRI**

Juneau

PSALTER

Psalm 104:25-26, 28-32, 35

Peter R. Hallock
(1924-2014)

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the
 Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er
 shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

***THE PEACE**

Minister: As a forgiven people, let us share Christ's peace with one another.
The peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

By the light of your holy fire, O God, illumine our minds. Through our study of your word, set our hearts aflame and our hands to work, that all may know your love. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Genesis 11:1-9 (p. 9)

Minister: Holy wisdom, holy Word.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

Choir: Antiphon

Organ: *Everyone:*
 Send forth your Spir-it, O Lord, and re-new the face of the earth.

Congregation: Antiphon

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.

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.

Congregation: Antiphon

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 the Lord rejoice in all his works.

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

Congregation: Antiphon

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Acts 2:1-21, 43-47 (p. 119)

Minister: Holy wisdom, holy Word.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S ANTHEM

Ruth Artman
(1919-2010)

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord!
Sing it loud and clear for all the world to hear!
Sing joy unto the Lord!

Come, come before his presence with a song,
a song of grateful praise!
Singing "Glory hallelujah!"
Sing joy unto the Lord!

*After the Children's Anthem, children through fifth grade
may process to the Chapel to meet for the Gathering.*

SERMON

Having All Things in Common

Austin Crenshaw Shelley

*"All who believed were together and had all things in common;
they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all,
as any had need."*

Acts 2:44-45

*HYMN 504

Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether

UNION SEMINARY

PRAYERS

Minister: The Lord be with you,

People: And with your spirit.

Minister: Let us pray. O Lord show thy mercy upon us,

People: And grant us thy salvation.

Minister: O God, make clean our hearts within us,

People: And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

Prayers concluding with 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.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Andrew Carter
(b. 1939)

Holy Spirit, truth divine,
dawn upon this soul of mine.
Voice of God and inward light,
wake my spirit, clear my sight.

Holy Spirit, love divine,
glow within this heart of mine.
Kindle every high desire,
purify me with your fire.

Holy Spirit, power divine,
fill and nerve this will of mine.
Boldly may I always live,
bravely serve, and gladly give.

Holy Spirit, peace divine,
still this restless heart of mine.
Speak to calm this tossing sea,
grant me your tranquility.

Holy Spirit, joy divine,
gladden now this heart of mine.
In the desert ways I sing –
spring, O Living Water, spring!

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

***HYMN 129**

Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us

EBENEZER

LEADING WORSHIP: Brian D. Russo and Austin Crenshaw Shelley

***BENEDICTION**

MUSIC: Gallery Choir; Daniel Spratlan, Conductor; Ken Lovett, Organist; Julie Snyder Bishop, Conductor, Church School Sings

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Allegro
(Variations on Veni Creator Spiritus)

Maurice Duruflé
(1902-1986)

GREETERS: Elders: Beth Nell Vaccaro and James Walker; Deacons: Courtney and Trish Franklin

USHERS: Michael Baughman, Team #2 Leader; James Burns, Jill Bown, Jason Jones and Barbara Olson

*Congregation standing

FLOWER GUILD: Ken Lovett

**A Meeting of the Congregation
Called for June 23, 2019**

A meeting of the congregation of The Presbyterian Church of Chestnut Hill will be held at the conclusion of the service of worship on June 23, 2019 for the purpose of acting on the recommendation of the Pastor Nominating Committee.

Respectfully submitted,
Katherine F. Connelly, Clerk of Session

*Flowers in the chancel are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of
and thanksgiving for
the family of
Barbara Rubin.*

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