



Pentecost Sunday

May 24, 2026 | 10:00am

More Than Enough

The Spirit Poured Out at Pentecost



Welcome! We're glad you're here!



If you are a guest and are interested in knowing more about this community and the ministries that Holy Shepherd is engaged in, please add your information on the clipboard located at the **Information Center** kiosk. You may add as much information as you'd like to share. We look forward to getting to know you!

Trusting God + Loving the World

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Rejoice in the Lord always!

Again, I will say, rejoice!

Do not worry about anything,

But in everything by prayer with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.

And the peace of God, which passes all understanding,

Will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Opening Song

Spirit of Gentleness

ELW 396 vs. 1,2,4

Refrain

Spirit, Spirit of gentleness, blow through the wilderness calling and free;
Spirit, Spirit of restlessness, stir me from placidness, wind, wind on the sea.

You moved on the waters, you called to the deep,
then you coaxed up the mountains from the valleys of sleep;
and over the eons you called to each thing:
"Awake from your slumbers and rise on your wings." *Refrain*

You swept through the desert, you stung with the sand,
and you goaded your people with a law and a land;
and when they were blinded with idols and lies,
then you spoke through your prophets to open their eyes. *Refrain*

You call from tomorrow, you break ancient schemes.
From the bondage of sorrow all the captives dream dreams;
Our women see visions, our men clear their eyes.
With bold new decisions your people arise. *Refrain*

Confession & Forgiveness

Holy Spirit, how we need you! Our vision is dim, our dreams too small.

Come, Holy Spirit: inspire and direct us.

Our body is broken, our unity breached.

Come, Holy Spirit: heal and revive us.

Our lives are cluttered, our souls clogged.

Come, Holy Spirit: blow life into us.

Our hearts are cold, our faith feeble.

Come, Holy Spirit: kindle a fire within us.

Fill this place with songs and praise. Fuel our lives with power and grace. Renew this church, this community, this world, we pray, that we might glow with the light of your love and show forth your salvation. Amen.

Jesus promised the Holy Spirit – a helper, an advocate, God’s own presence within us. Receive the Spirit of God, and may the fresh winds of forgiveness blow freely within you.

We are filled with the Spirit, filled with God’s forgiveness. Alleluia! Amen!

Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

Prayer of Day

Holy Spirit,

You alone are the source of all wisdom and understanding. By your guidance, open our minds to learn from our neighbors of every language and culture around the world, that in so doing we might find you everywhere we look, and treat all of creation with the same loving kindness we would want to receive ourselves. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.



God speaks to us in scripture, preaching & song

The Holy Spirit melded the languages of the people gathered as Christianity was birthed in that moment.

Reader Scripture Reading

Acts: 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. ²And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. ⁵Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷Amazed and astonished, they asked, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?” ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God’s deeds of power.” ¹²All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” ¹³But others sneered and said, “They are filled with new wine.” ¹⁴But 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. ¹⁵Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. ¹⁶No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: ¹⁷“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. ¹⁸Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. ¹⁹And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. ²⁰The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord’s great and glorious day. ²¹Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

Reader Scripture Reading

Philippians 4:4-7

⁴Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. ⁵Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. ⁶Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ⁷And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

Invitation to God's Word

Holy Spirit rain down, rain down.
O Comforter and Friend, How we need Your touch again.
Holy Spirit rain down, rain down.
Let Your power fall, let Your voice be heard,
come and change our hearts as we stand on Your Word.
Holy Spirit rain down.

Holy Gospel

John 14:16-17

The holy gospel according to John. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

¹⁶And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. ¹⁷This 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.

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

+ Children's Time +



Children's Church

Children age 3yrs – 4th grade.
After children's message, meet
the leader in back of church.



Message

Song

O Living Breath of God

ELW 407

O living Breath of God, wind at the beginning upon the waters;
O living Breath of God, bearing the creation to wondrous birth;

Refrain

Come now, and fill our spirits; pour out your gifts abundant.
O living Breath of God, Holy Spirit, breathe in us as we pray.

O living Breath of God, by whose pow'r the Son came to birth among us;
O living Breath of God, who to the creation gives life anew. *Refrain*

O living Breath of God, bearing us to life through baptismal waters;
O living Breath of God, sighing with creation for freedom's birth. *Refrain*

Prayers of the People

With renewed confidence in your power and love, we pray for the church,
the world, and all in need.

Sung before and after all prayers

The Spir - it in - ter - cedes for us with
sighs too deep for words to ex - press. Oh, oh.

End

Prayer petitions response

God of new life, **hear our prayer.**

Hear all our prayers, spoken and unspoken, and gather them into your loving arms,
for the sake of our risen savior, Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

Sharing God's Peace

May the peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ

Great Thanksgiving

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

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

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

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. Fulfilling the promise of the resurrection, you pour out the fire of your Spirit, uniting in one body people of every nation and tongue. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, Holy, Holy

**He is exalted the King is exalted on high; I will praise Him.
He is exalted forever exalted, and I will praise His name.
He is the Lord, forever His truth shall reign.
Heaven and earth, rejoice in His holy name
He is exalted the King is exalted on high.**

Eucharistic Prayer

Holy, living, and loving God, we praise you for creating the heavens and the earth. We bless you for bringing Noah and his family through the waters of the flood, for freeing your people Israel from the bonds of slavery, and for sending your Son to be our Redeemer. We give you thanks for Jesus who, living among us, healed the sick, fed the hungry, and with a love stronger than death, gave his life for others.

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
'Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
'This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering, therefore, his life-giving death and glorious resurrection, we await your promised life for all this dying world. Breathe your Spirit on us and on this bread and cup: carry us in your arms from death to life, that we may live as your chosen ones, clothed in the righteousness of Christ. We praise you, O God, blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever. **Amen.**

Prayer

Celtic Version, Newell

**Holy One beyond all names, Eternal Wellspring
May love rise again in us today
With food for every table
Shelter for every family
And reverence for every life
Forgive us our failing in love
And free us from all falseness
That the light of our souls may shine**

And the strength of our spirits endure
For earth and all its people
This day, tonight, and forever. Amen

Invitation

Jesus Christ, who was and is and is to come, invites each and every one of you to this table, to share in this holy meal with your siblings in his name both here in this community and around the world. Come take your place among the fellowship of all believers in this foretaste of the great feast which has no end.



+ *All Are Welcome at the Table* +

Options for receiving Holy Communion

Please come forward to the front where the pastors are standing. Come forward starting with the front pews, there will be no ushers. After you have received communion please exit by the side aisles and put your empty cup in the basket. There are kneelers on each side where you are free to kneel and pray before you return to your seat. Bread (gluten-free) and wine or grape juice (center of the tray) will be given to you with the words spoken:

“The body of Christ given for you. The blood of Christ shed for you.”

If you would like communion served in the pew, please signal to a pastor or let the usher in the back know.

You are invited... To bring **offering** forward during Holy Communion or before or after worship. The offering is gathered in front of the church in front of the communion table (altar) where we are reminded of God's gifts given to us in Christ and our response to these gifts.

Communion Song

You Are My All in All

- Jernigan

**You are my strength when I am weak, You are the treasure that I seek.
You are my all in all.
Seeking You as a precious jew'l, Lord to give up I'd be a fool,
You are my all in all.**

Refrain

**Jesus, Lamb of God, worthy is Your name.
Jesus Lamb of God, worthy is Your name.**

Taking my sin my cross my shame, rising again I bless Your name.
You are my all in all.
When I fall down You pick me up, when I am dry You fill my cup.
You are my all in all. *Refrain*

Gracious Spirit, Heed Our Pleading

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Gracious Spirit, heed our pleading, fashion us all anew.
It's your leading that we're needing, help us to follow you.

Refrain

Come, come, come, Holy Spirit, come.
Come, come, come, Holy Spirit, come.

Come to teach us, come to nourish, those who believe in Christ.
Bless the faithful, may they flourish, strengthened by grace unpriced. *Refrain*

Guide our thinking and our speaking, done in your holy name.
Motivate all in their seeking, freeing from guilt and shame. *Refrain*

Keep us fervent in our witness; unswayed by earth's allure.
Ever grant us zealous fitness, which you alone assure. *Refrain*

Prayer after Communion

Living One, in this feast you have made yourself known to us. Send us now to tell of your wonders, sing of your glory, and proclaim your risen life to a wounded and weary world.
Amen.

God blesses us and sends us out in mission to the world.

Blessing

The triune God, who was, who is, and who is to come, Creator, ✠ Redeemer, and Spirit, light your way with resurrection dawn, now and always. **Amen.**

Sending Song

Every Time I Feel the Spirit

- Spiritual

Upon the mountain my Lord spoke,
out of his mouth came fire and smoke.
Looked all around me, it looked so fine,
till I asked my Lord if all was mine.

Refrain

Ev'ry time I feel the spirit,
moving in my heart, I will pray.

Ev'ry time I feel the spirit,
moving in my heart, I will pray.

Jordan river, chilly and cold,
It chills the body but not the soul.
There ain't but one train upon this track,
It runs to heaven and right back. *Refrain*

Oh, I have sorrows and I have woe
And I have heartache here below.
But while God leads me I'll never fear
For I am sheltered by His care. *Refrain*

Sending

Fill us with your love. **Blow through us, Spirit of God.**

Fill us with your joy and hope. **Blow through us, Spirit of God.**

Fill us with your peace, that we may share the gifts of your Spirit with others every day.

Blow through us, Spirit of God. Amen.

With the Spirit resting on your heads and in your hearts, GO and bless the world with God's light and abundant life. **With God's Spirit, WE WILL!**

Postlude



Worship Leadership

PastorsJulie Brooks, Kim Gonia
Pianist/OrganistChris Johnson
Reader Sue Scott
Communion Assistants Christy Young, Open
Greeters Pam & Dean Klenz
Usher..... Bob Mohrbacher
Altar Guild Open
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WORSHIP SERVICE NOTES

THANK YOU for being considerate of disabled worshippers and their families. Please leave the pew cuts and several adjoining seats available for those with walkers & wheelchairs.

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES are located at the sound booth located in the back of the sanctuary on the east side. You can also download the app WaveCast Receiver which is designed for hearing aids with Bluetooth capability. See our sound engineer Mark, in the sound booth if you have any questions. (*Back of the sanctuary, SE corner*).

CANDLE STATION is available for candle-lighting. (*In the back of the sanctuary*).

RELATIONSHIP BUILDING (FELLOWSHIP)

After worship, you are invited to get to know one another for the first – or 100th time, in the narthex (behind the sanctuary) or in the fellowship hall with coffee and snacks.

OFFERING



Your financial gifts support Holy Shepherd and its vision to nurture trusting relationships with God and with one another, along with its vision to engage in generous activities that serve to love the world as Jesus has shown us. Cash, or checks made out to Holy Shepherd, can be placed in the front bowl by the front pews on your way to communion. (Envelopes are available in your pews if you'd like.) You can also scan the QR code to the left and give through Tithely. *Thank you for your generosity.*

KIDS

Kids Zone (un-staffed) is available your family to use if you need a place to step out with kids during the service. It is located off the hallway west of the sanctuary and has a television available for watching the worship live-stream.

Kid busy bags are located in the narthex (outside the sanctuary) and contain kid friendly items for families to take into worship. Please return to the stand after worship.

Children's Church is offered after the kids, typically 3 years old to 4th grade, come up for *Children's Time* with the pastor. This optional activity is during the pastor's message and is led by an adult. It is located in the room just through the nursery off the west hallway of the sanctuary.

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