





May 19, 2024

Pentecost

Gathering Around the Word

Prelude

"Spirit of God"

Welcome

Call to Worship

On this day of Pentecost, as we worship,

May God pour out his great Spirit upon us.

May the power and promise of that day long ago,

Renew us and our church on this Pentecost day.

In our worship, may our hearts be set afire with enthusiasm,

And may our lives glow with energy and courage as we live the good news of new life.

Songs of Praise

"We Are Called"
"God Is Here"
"They'll Know We Are Christians"

#296

#246, v. 1, 3, 4

#256

Prayer of Confession

Heavenly Father; your son has told us that where two or more are gathered in his name, that Jesus, our brother is with us. Yet, even then, we sin. Father, our sin blinds us. Our sin hurts us all. Our sin separates us from you, our maker, who loves us like no other. We are so blind, we don't know how far off the path we have wandered. We are like lost sheep on the road to Sheol. Lord help us. We need you and the forgiveness you alone can offer, through your son, our savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

Thanks be to God!

Passing of the Peace

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

Please greet one another with the peace of Christ.

Proclaiming the Word

Scripture Reading Acts 2:1-4 Jim Buckmaster

Time for Young Disciples

Barb and Bob Pappas

Scripture Reading Ezekiel 37:1-14

Sermon "Fire, Wind, and Bones" Paul Mattson

Responding to the Word

Hymn of Response "Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God" #746
Offering

Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below.
Praise him above ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayers of the People 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.

Bearing and Following the Word into the World

Closing Hymn "Come, Holy Ghost" #232

Benediction

Postlude Chorale Mendelssohn

Leading in Today's Service

Worship Leaders: Paul Mattson, Jim Buckmaster, Michael Rivers

Pianist/Organist: Anna Nichols

Worship Music Team (varies): Beverly Brown, Jim Buckmaster,

Pam Carnahan, Dick Chambers, Iantha Frazer

Media Team (varies): Paul Stutesman, Todd Haworth, Wayne Brown,

Bruce McCloskey, Bonnie McCloskey, Dorita Reed, Bret Curtis, Dona Hair,

Mark Wendt, Barb Pappas, Bob Pappas, Sadie Miller

Slides: Lauren Corder, Cathi Hughes

Next Sunday's Worship - May 26, Trinity Sunday

John 3:1-17, *Isaiah 6:1-8; "Send Me"

In a vision, Isaiah is taken before the throne of God where he has an amazing experience: a winged seraph takes a burning coal from the altar and touches Isaiah's mouth with it. Instead of burning him, it purified him. Free from sin and guilt, Isaiah was not ready to answer God's call. "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" "Here I am; send me!" Forgiven and free in Christ, we, too, are ready to serve. Where is God calling you?

Announcements

FYI, Monday, May 20, 9 am - Noon, Fellowship Hall in use (Garden Club)

Deacons, Tuesday, May 21, 4 pm, Fellowship Hall

FISH Company, Tuesday, May 21, 8 am, Zoom

Praise Team, Tuesday, May 21, 6:45 pm, Sanctuary

Women's Bible Study, Wednesday, May 22, 9 am, Fellowship Hall

Sunday Worship, May 26, 8:30 am and 11:00 am; Sunday School, 9:45 am

Reception for Ted and Marilyn Mattie, Sunday, May 26, 9:45 am - bring chocolate chip cookies!

Memorial Day, Monday, May 27, Church Office Closed

The First Presbyterian Church of Port Angeles is a community of people of all ages who believe in Jesus Christ as the Son of God and who seek to follow his teachings. We come together to worship God, to grow in our love and support for each other, and to learn about God's will for our lives. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we go out to the community and the world to share our faith and to serve others.

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