



# FAITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SIERRA VISTA, ARIZONA

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Order of Worship

**PENTECOST**

June 5, 2022

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*At the sound of the chimes, please use this time to silently prepare for worship.*

## CHIMES

**PRELUDE**      *“Come, Gracious Spirit, Heavenly Dove”* - arr. Broughton

**GREETING**      **One:** This is the day that the Lord has made!  
                         **All:** *Let us rejoice and be glad in it!*

**CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT**      *“Spirit of the Living God”* #288

*Spirit of the living God, fall a-fresh on me.  
Spirit of the living God, fall a-fresh on me.  
Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me.  
Spirit of the living God, fall a-fresh on me.*

## **\*CALL TO WORSHIP (responsively)**

Come, Holy Spirit, with your language of wonder:  
*so we may mingle our words together  
to scatter the gospel of grace to all around us.*  
Come, Holy Spirit, with the music of your heart:  
*so we may sing songs filled with memories,  
and listen to the new carols sung by children.*  
Come, Holy Spirit, to rattle the windows of our souls:  
*to burst through the closed doors of our hearts,  
and dance with us in the fire of renewal.*  
Come, Holy Spirit, we pray!  
*Come, Holy Spirit, to us this day!*

**\* OPENING HYMN - “As the Wind Song”** #292

**\* THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)**

*We look for tongues of fire to dance upon us, God of Pentecost, but hold only the ashes of our broken promises. We long to speak simply and clearly so that everyone, everywhere, might understand your love for them, but we scatter our words to the wind with our inability to care for others. We want you to show us the secrets of the kingdom, never noticing they are revealed in the songs of children, the memories of older folks, the dreams of the young all around us.*

*Have mercy on us, and pour out your Spirit, God of amazing days. When we pull the shutters of our souls shut, fling them open with the breath of wonder. When we turn out all the lights and huddle in the shadows of fear, illumine our hearts with the dancing flames of the Spirit's joy. When we find it impossible to come up with the language of love, pour your Word, Jesus Christ, into our emptiness so we may fill others.*

(silent reflection)

**\* THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON (responsively)**

Hear the good news for us. God pours the Spirit upon us in these moments - the Spirit which comforts us, which encourages us, which transforms us through God's grace.

*Thanks be to God! The Spirit brings us peace, comforts our hearts, and fills us with hope. We are forgiven and made new. Amen.*

**\* GLORIA PATRI** Traditional Version

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

**WELCOME**

We invite all our guests to identify themselves as they wish.

**CONGREGATIONAL LIFE AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CHILDRENS TIME** - Elder Richard Carter

**SPECIAL MUSIC** - "Holy Spirit" - Torwalt Debi Godwin, Soloist

**HYMN**    ***“Breath on Me, Breath of God”*** (verse 1)    #286

**SCRIPTURE - OLD TESTAMENT - Psalm 104:24-34**

*Holy Wisdom, Holy Word. Thanks be to God.*

**HYMN**    ***“Breath on Me, Breath of God”*** (verse 2)    #286

**SCRIPTURE - NEW TESTAMENT - Acts 2:1-21**

*Holy Wisdom, Holy Word. Thanks be to God.*

**HYMN**    ***“Breath on Me, Breath of God”*** (verse 3)    #286

**SERMON - “Come Holy Spirit”**

**RESPONSE**            **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.*

**SHARING OUR PRAYERS FOR JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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.*

**RECEPTION OF OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD**

**OFFERTORY MUSIC:**    *“Holy Spirit, Truth Divine”* - arr. Davis

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD

### \* DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

### \* PRAYER OF DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERINGS

### \* CLOSING HYMN - *“Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness”* #291

### \* BENEDICTION

### \* BENEDICTION RESPONSE - *“Like the Murmur of a Dove’s Song”* #285 vs 2

*To the members of Christ’s body, to the branches of the Vine,  
To the church in faith assembled, to our midst as gift and sign:  
Come, Holy Spirit, come.*

### POSTLUDE *“Sweet, Sweet, Spirit”* arr. Bock

