

Communion Music

One: The bread which we break is our communion in the Body of Christ.

All: **The cup of blessing for which we give thanks is our Communion in the blood of Christ. Amen.**

*Benediction

*Hymn *Let There Be Peace on Earth* No. 677
(After worship, a serving elder will be available at the back of each side aisle for personal prayer)

Postlude *Breathe On Me, Breath of God*
arr. David Lasky
David Williams, organ

**All who are able, please stand*

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(Disciples of Christ)
Decatur, Illinois

June 5, 2022

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David Martin
Youth Director

Ben Hawkinson
Director of Music

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope.

Prelude *Prelude on "Munich"*
(*On Pentecost They Gathered*)
arr. Lani Smith
David Williams, organ

Words of Welcome Michael E. Karunas

*Opening Hymn No. 237
On Pentecost They Gathered (vs. 1, 2, 4)

*Responsive Reading
Leader: Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on us.
People: Melt us and mold us into your new creations.
Leader: Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on us.
People: Fill us and use us to spread your Gospel of hope to all the nations.
Leader: Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on us.
People: On this Pentecost day, we come to be transformed by your limitless power.

*Invocation

*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.**

*Gloria Patri No. 35

Children's Moment

Prayer Hymn *Holy Spirit, Truth Divine (vs. 1, 4, 5)* No. 241

Pastoral Prayer

(8:00) Prayer Response
(10:30) Special Music, Thomas Karunas

Offertory Invitation

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

(8:00) Special Music Thomas Karunas
(10:30) Anthem *Softly and Tenderly*

Scripture Reading Acts 2:1-13

One: The Word of God for the People of God.
All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon *To See What Isn't There*

Invitation to Discipleship

*Communion Hymn No. 248
Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove (vs. 1, 2)

(In Christ's name we welcome all persons into membership into the church by confession of faith and baptism or by transfer of membership. Please step to the front pew during the singing of this Hymn of Communion.)

Meditation Paul Gorden

Words of Institution Tina Miller

Prayer of Consecration Karen Wade
(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation.)

Prayer List



Last updated 6/3/2022

Members

Barbara Tyler
Karma Lynn Carpenter
Unique Hess
Evelyn Sanders
Gretchen Barron
Linda Kuhns
David Ash
David Poisel
Herb & Duff Knudsen
Bob & Pat O'Connell
Larry Pepper
Susie Bean
Tessa McCoy
Sarah, Chad, & Amelia Jennings
Dean Gray
Bob Logan

We Pray for Those in the Military:

Bobby Backes (nephew of Keith & Jeannie Backes)
Trysten Hall (son of Sheila & Charles Hall,
great-grandson of Lawrence & Sally Thicksten)
Katy & Matt Holden (granddaughter &
grandson-in-law of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Phillip Johnston (son of Becky Johnston)
Mitchell Lucas (grandson of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Jeremiah & Rachel Singletary
(great-nephew of Marilyn Ward)
Preston Wade (son of Larry & Karen Wade)
Lucas Ward (grandson of Marilyn Ward)

Members in Nursing Home & Assisted Living

Doris McAarty (Imboden Creek)
Arlene Penn (Imboden Creek)
Zettie Stern (Imboden Creek)
Nancy Turner (Imboden Creek)
Merle Chapman (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Elaine Hynds (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Wanda Poisel (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Marilyn Riley (Randall Residence)
Max Sperry (Randall Residence)
Glen & Arlone Dalluge (Randall Residence)
Doris Matey (Hickory Pt Christian Village)
Ellen Sheffer (Hickory Pt Christian Village)
Helen Ryan (Hickory Pt. Christian Village)
Joan Smith (Heritage Health)
Bess King (The Glenwood)
Bob & Chloe Hoaglin (Vonderlieth)
Jean Booher (Primrose)
Morris Birkhead (Villas at Hollybrook)

Friends & Family

Misty Mochel (friend of Marci Baumann)
Diane Lockwood (Friends of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Barb Disney (Friend of Penny Rutherford)
Shannon Francisco (Friend of Bob Smith)
Janet May Carpenter (mother of
Karma Lynn Carpenter)
Michael Moran (son in law of Larry &
Marla Winkleblack)
Jill Bolin (Larry & Marla Winkleblack's daughter)
Carrol Virt (father of Diana Ritter)
Juanita Churchill (mother of Theresa Fulk)
Ruth Albin (family of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Michelle Yeager (daughter of Gail Prince)

Friends & Family, continued

Mac Funk (son of Steve & Carrie Funk)
Edna Straghan (mother of Kathy Kauzlarich)
Stacy Dill (friend of Donna Dash)
Jim Nuernberger (friend of Jim & Debbie Hoffert)
Curt Jackson (cousin of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Harriette York (mother of David York)
Ron Price (brother of Debbie Hoffert)
Vickie Jacobs (daughter of Maria Jacobs)
Jeff Powers (son-in-law of Dave & Nita Phillips)
Jane Spires (friend of many CCC members)
Debbie Seitz (friend of Julie & Ken Jacoby)
Jackson (friend of Janelle Beedle)
Mary Teller (cousin of Steve & Carrie Funk)
Kim Klotz Schuhardt (relative of Mary Jane Oliver)
Linda & Wayne Mollohan (friends of
Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Mark Demoulin (son of Jahala Demoulin)
Robert A. Young (father of Michele Bafford)
Cecelia Adams (granddaughter-in-law of
Ed & Joy Adams)
Lena Rutherford (niece of the Rutherford families)
Jackie Pepperman (niece of Maria Jacobs)
Bob & Jane Campbell (brother & sister-in-law
of Bruce Campbell)
Maya Anthony (friend of Liz Campbell)
Dick Martin (friend of Jim Bednar)
Kay Green (friend of Penny Rutherford)
Bradley Day (friend of Charles & Sandra Hunter)
Quentin Wilmot (brother of Kevin Wilmot)
Lisa Richards (daughter of Carolyn McCall)

Worship Extras

June 5, 2022

Sermon Theme: To See What Isn't There

Pentecost

"50" (50 days after Easter)

Acts 2:1-13

Why so little attention given to this important day?

(More important what the Holy Spirit gives us than how
the Holy Spirit came to us)

Holy Spirit

Takes what is there and reveals what has not yet been there

Takes what is "visible" and reveals what is "in-visible"

1) Holidays

Old / Traditional - Festival of Weeks

New / Transformed - Pentecost

2) Galileans

Old / Traditional - plain, ordinary, and
unsophisticated

New / Transformed - witnesses of the Good News

Fire - represents "awakening"

Enlightening and inspiring us to see what has always been
there, but which has been overlooked

Hopelessness - seeing what is there (stuck)

Hope - Holy Spirit revealing what is also there (just not seen yet)



Acts 2:1-13 NRSVUE

¹ When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. ² And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³ Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. ⁵ Now there were devout Jews from every people under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶ And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷ Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?" ⁸ And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹ Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰ Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹ Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." ¹² All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³ But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."