



Pentecost

The Spirit of God has fallen on us!

May 28, 2023

Welcome and Opening Prayer

O God, who on this day taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: Grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

“Raise a Hallelujah”

Scripture Reading

Acts 2:1-21

The Response:

Psalm 104:25-35, 37

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.

There move the ships,
and there is that Leviathan,
which you have made for the sport of it.

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.

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.

He looks at the earth and it trembles;
he touches the mountains and they smoke.

I will sing to the LORD as long as I live;
I will praise my God while I have my being.

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

Bless the LORD, O my soul.
Hallelujah!

Prayer

Fill out a Connect Card if you have a prayer request

“Holy Water”

“Spirit of the Living God”

The Spirit Gives Like Oprah

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be ignorant. You know that when you were gentiles you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says “Let Jesus be cursed!” No one can say “Jesus is Lord” except by the Holy Spirit. Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

“Holy Spirit”

Communion

Communion is open to all who profess faith in Jesus
If you need gluten free bread, please let an usher know.

Closing

Giving

You can drop any gift that you have in one of our offering boxes in the back of the sanctuary or give online westwoodchristian.com/give

Westwood Piano Recital - June 4

We have a few of our young people who have been learning how to play piano from Ashley Crutcher and we would like to have a small recital to encourage them. Stick around after church to hear their work!

Summer Book Study -The Practice of the Presence of God

Pick up a copy of our summer Book study *The Practice of the Presence of God*, a classic on spiritual devotion and how to be aware of God’s presence! We’ll start our study on June 18!

Benediction

John 20:19-23

We want to bear witness to God.

We do that by seeing where God is working,
joining God in that work, and telling the world what
God has done.

We hope you witness God today.

Use this space to reflect on how you witnessed God today.
Whether in song, sermon, Scripture or elsewhere.



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