

*** THE HYMN 320**

The Lone, Wild Bird

*** THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

*** THE CHORAL RESPONSE**

Go Ye Now in Peace

Eiler

Go ye now in peace, and know that the love of God will guide you. Feel His presence here beside you. God will see you through.



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WORSHIP MAY 11, 2008

DAY OF PENTECOST

Thank you for making sure your cell phone is off during the worship hour.

THE PRELUDE

Walter Huff

*** THE CALL TO WORSHIP**

Christopher Henry

Leader: Hear the word of the Lord:

People: I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, the old shall dream dreams, and the young shall see visions.

All: In the power of the Holy Spirit, let us worship God.

*** THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN 442**

The Church's One Foundation

(verses 1 through 4)

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, who sent the promised power of the Holy Spirit to fill disciples with willing faith: we confess that we have held back the force of your Spirit among us; that we have been slow to serve you, and reluctant to spread the good news of your love. God, have mercy on us. Forgive our divisions, and by your Spirit draw us together. Fill us with flaming desire to do your will, and be a faithful people; for the sake of your Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

**(The asterisk indicates parts of the worship when the congregation is invited to stand as they are able.)*

A MOMENT OF SILENCE *(for examination of conscience and personal prayers of confession)*

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*** THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** (Hymn 126)

**Come, Holy Spirit, heavenly Dove, with all Thy quickening powers;
Come, shed abroad a Savior's love, and that shall kindle ours. Amen.**

*** THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

*(Children are always welcome in the Sanctuary during worship. Should you find that your child grows restless, there is child care available. Infants are cared for in the Nursery in Room 105, toddlers 18 months through two years in Room 112. Children ages 2-11 are invited to leave after the **Baptism** for special classes. Preschoolers are in Room 204 and K-5th grade are in Room 201.)*

THE CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

(Visitors and members are invited to sign the blue friendship register pad and pass it down the pew.)

THE RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Leader: These children have now been received into the one holy catholic and apostolic church through baptism. God has made them members of the household of God. See what love the Father has for us, that we should be called children of God, and so we are. Let us welcome the newly baptized.

People: With joy and thanksgiving we welcome these children into Christ's church. We are the family of God for we are all one in Christ.

THE CHORAL RESPONSE *Child of Blessing, Child of Promise* Copes

THE FIRST LESSON I Corinthians 12:4-13 (page 163 in the Pew Bible)

THE ANTHEM *The Heart Worships* Holst

Silence in heaven, silence on earth, silence within. Thy hush, O Lord, o'er all the earth covers the din. I do not fear to speak of thee in mortal kind, and yet, to all thy namelessness, I am not blind. Only I need and kneel again, thy touch to win. Amen.

THE SECOND LESSON Numbers 11:24-30 (page 125 in the Pew Bible)

THE SERMON "Power Sharing" Joanna Adams

"...Would that all the Lord's people were prophets, and that the Lord would put his spirit on them!" Numbers 11:29b

*** THE HYMN 316** *Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

*** THE CREED** A Brief Statement of Faith - Presbyterian Church (USA)

**We trust in God the Holy Spirit,
everywhere the giver and renewer of life.
The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith,
sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor,
and binds us together with all believers
in one body of Christ, the church.**

**In a broken and fearful world
the Spirit gives us courage
to pray without ceasing,
to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior,
to unmask idolatries in church and culture,
to hear the voices of peoples long silenced,
and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.**

**In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit,
we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks
and to live holy and joyful lives,
even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth,
praying, Come, Lord Jesus!**

THE OFFERTORY *Veni Sancte Spiritus (Come, Holy Spirit)* Berthier
(sung in Latin, German, Spanish, Italian and French)

*** THE DOXOLOGY, PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND LORD'S PRAYER** (Hymn 592)

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.