

**BENEDICTION RESPONSE “The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve”**

The Spirit sends us forth to serve; we go in Jesus’s name to bring glad tidings to the poor, God’s favor to Proclaim.

**POSTLUDE** “Sing, Sing, Sing”

**Youth Worship Leaders**

**Call To Worship:** Tyler Bulthuis  
**Prayer of Adoration and Confession:** Isabelle Kienholz  
**Children’s Blessing:** Caleb Woltjer and Isabelle Kienholz  
**Scripture Reader:** Abigail Thompson  
**The Message:** Kathryn Gubrud  
**Prayers of the People/Lord’s Prayer:** Elliot Christensen  
**Prayer of Dedication:** Elliot Christensen  
**Special Music:** Kathryn Gubrud, Abigail Thompson, Elliot Christensen  
**Youth Music Team:** Isabelle Kienholz, Andrea Walz, Kathryn Gubrud  
**Pentecost Letter Readers:** Brock Lesteberg, Presley Magnuson, Sami Marquardt, Cody Raasch, Jay Goldenstein, Maddie Douglas, Michael Goldenstein, Kate Marquardt



**Pianist:** Jill Boeyink  
**Projectionist:** Shara Goldenstein  
**Sound Tech:** Terry Woitaszewski  
**Nursery Supervisor:** Erica Boeyink  
**Valet Parking:** George Christensen  
**Ushers & Greeters:** The Youth  
**Counters:** Doug and Sharon Bakker  
**Coffee Fellowship:** Marv and Sally Packer

**First Presbyterian Church  
Willmar, MN  
May 20, 2018**



**WE GATHER TO WORSHIP**

*\*Please rise as you are able.  
Please join in speaking **bolded** text.*

**PRELUDE** “Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)” Abigail Thompson

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**MOMENT FOR MISSION: Pentecost Offering**

**PREPARING OUR HEARTS** “You Raise Me Up” Kathryn Gubrud

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: This is the day of Pentecost!  
All: **When the flame of fire**

**becomes the flame of faith.**

One: This is the day of Pentecost!

**All: When the tongue of fire becomes Good News for the world.**

One: This is the day of Pentecost!

**All: When the passion of fire becomes the cleansing of our hearts.**

One: This is the day of Pentecost!

**All: Let the people of God rejoice together in this place.**

**HYMN #455 (PH)**

“All Creatures of Our God and King”

### **PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

One: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, on this festival day we rejoice in your presence. You breathe into our worship the power of your Spirit, your Spirit of love, your Spirit of joy, your Spirit of hope, your Spirit of peace. May we be filled to overflowing with the gifts of your Spirit as we gather here. May we expect the unexpected and welcome spontaneity, unpredictability, exuberance, all the ways that we are compelled to testify to the power of your Spirit at work in us, shaping, caressing, motivating and inspiring. As we open ourselves to possibility, we ask forgiveness for all those times we have limited your Spirit, those times we have expected little, those times we have accepted mediocrity when you wanted to shower us with your excellence, those times when we have dampened the enthusiasm of others by our tepid response.

*(Silence for Reflection)*

One: Lord forgive us.

**All: Pour out your spirit a fresh today and renew us in overwhelming love. Amen.**

### **\*THE PEACE**

One: The Peace of Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

### **WE HEAR GOD’S WORD**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

“Do Lord”

Children’s Choir

**CHILDREN’S BLESSING** “Kernels Into Corn”

**\*HYMN #129 (SH)**

“Refiner’s Fire”

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**

Acts 2:1-21

One: This is the word of our Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

**MESSAGE**

“Transformative Spirit”

### **WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE 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.**

**PRESENTING OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS**

**MUSICAL OFFERING**

“Everywhere I Go”

Youth Music Team

**\*DOXOLOGY #2237 (SF)**

**We are learners; we are teachers; we are Pilgrims on the way.**

**We are seekers; we are givers; we are vessels made of clay.**

**By our gentle, loving actions we would show that Christ is light.**

**In a humble, listening Spirit, we would live to God’s delight.**

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (Unison)**

**Lord God, your spirit overflows in us. May we overflow in love. Take us and our gifts and use us to change the world with you. Amen.**

**RECOGNITION OF CEYM VOLUNTEERS**

### **WE LEAVE TO SERVE**

**\*HYMN #319 (PH)**

“Spirit”

**\*P.E.N.T.E.C.O.S.T. CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**