



Service for the Lord's Day

June 5, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Day of Pentecost



New to Hunter? Here's some information to help you feel at home. Where you see asterisks in the bulletin, you're invited to stand. When we pass the peace, you're invited to greet those around you with a joyful sign of Christ's peace. You will see our current Communion instructions in the Sunday Announcements section of the bulletin. We choose from a selection of several different kinds of bread (including gluten-free crackers) coming from various cultures in order to evoke the diversity of God's people, and our grape juice is non-alcoholic. We offer a nursery for newborns through 3-year-olds. Thank you for visiting Hunter. We're glad you're here! Before you leave, please place a welcome card in the offering plate.

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

Prelude *Choral Varié sur le thème 'Veni Creator,' Op. 4* Maurice Duruflé

Welcome & Announcements

*Call to Worship

Come Holy Spirit, Come!

Renew our lives, inside and out.

With fire and wind, come to this place;

Gather us in, send us out.

*Hymn 282

"Come Down, O Love Divine"

DOWN AMPNEY

Prayer of Confession

Gracious and loving God, open our hearts so that we are able to admit to you the fullness of our lives – that which is beautiful and good, and that which is hurtful and hateful.

We confess that we do not follow Jesus in all that we do.

We love with condition.

We judge and condemn.

We cast the first stone, and keep the logs in our own eyes.

We do not turn to You as the source of our healing. Forgive us, we pray and empower us to be imitators of Christ in love and service. Amen

(moment for silent reflection)

Assurance of Grace

*Hymn #583

"Glory to God"

GLORIA

(sing thru 2x, once in English, once in Latin)

*Passing of the Peace

May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

HEARING THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Reading from the New Testament Acts 2: 1-8; 14-21 (N.T., p. 119)

Reading from the New Testament John 14: 8-17; 25-27 (N.T., p. 108)

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

Message

"Waiting, Listening, Receiving"

Susan Warren

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Choral Anthem

"Christ Sends the Spirit"
Guest Flutist, Maria Wright

Richard Proulx

Prayers of the People

Presenting Our Tithes & Offerings

Offertory

"Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"
Tenor Soloist, Larry Brandenburg

Donald P. Hustad

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Dedication

The Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you!

And also with you!

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Let us pray...

...therefore we praise you, joining our voices with all creation.

Hymn #552

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

LAND OF REST

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

The Prayer continues

...Let us declare the great mystery of our faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The Prayer continues

Words of Institution

Prayer after Communion

*Hymn 280

"Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us"

EBENEZER

*Charge & Benediction

*Hymn 587

"Alleluia!"

CELTIC ALLELUIA

Postlude

"Komm, Gott Schöpfer, Heiliger Geist", BWV 667
("Come, God Creator, Holy Ghost")

J.S. Bach

Depart in Peace

*Please stand as you are able.

Household Prayer: God our creator, earth has many languages, but your gospel proclaims your love to all nations in one heavenly tongue. Make us messengers of the good news that, through the power of your Spirit, all the world may unite in one song of praise; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Sunday Announcements

A warm welcome to all visitors. We are glad you chose to worship with us today.

Our liturgist today is: **Ruth Beattie**

Prayer Requests

Prayers for: The Uvalde, TX and Buffalo, NY victims and their families, Kevin Eddy, Duane Tracy (Doris Palmer's son), Brittany Spradling (granddaughter-in-law of Rue Wallace), the family of Danny Waggoner (brother-in-law of Kevin's friend, Mike Cooper), Mary Rowland (client of Marianne Griffith's), Judi Ison (friend of the Lockhart's), the people of Ukraine, Beth Webster (Joyce Abbott's nephew's wife), Lori Taylor (a friend of Lynn Davis') and Rue Wallace.

This morning we welcome Rev. Susan Warren, who retired as senior pastor at Beaumont Presbyterian in 2016. Since then Susan has traveled, gardened, locked down, emerged, and enjoyed visiting with two granddaughters, 5 and 2, who live in New York. In her "spare time," she chairs a presbytery commission, served as campaign press secretary for Mayor Linda Gorton, and serves as a fellow of the Commonwealth Policy Institute, an arm of the Lexington Women's Network, in addition to regular supply preaching. Susan is a second career minister, the first being a reporter at the Capitol in Frankfort for 20 years.

Pastor Ray will be on vacation from May 30 through June 13. Should you have a pastoral need during this time, please reach out to Ruth Beattie at: rebeat1@uky.edu or leave a message at the church office.

If you are interested in learning more about the Celtic Christian Tradition, Ray is offering a weekly Zoom study for 6 – 8 weeks beginning in mid-June. If you would like to attend this study, please contact Ray through email (rwmend@gmail.com) or via text message or phone call (859-940-1735). Please list which of the possible times listed here suits your schedule: Monday, Tuesday or Thursday afternoon, Thursday morning or Wednesday or Thursday night. Indicate all that work for you.

The Pentecost Offering unites us in a church-wide effort to support young people and inspire them to share their faith, ideas, and unique gifts with the church and the world. A gift to the Pentecost Offering helps the church encourage, develop, and support its young people, and also address the needs of at-risk children.

Thank you to those who shared in leading today's service: Larry Brandenburg, Allen Fletcher, Ruth Beattie, Colin Smith and Val Zeps.

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Larry Brandenburg, Interim Choir Director; Allen Fletcher, Organist;
Kevin Eddy, Property Manager; Lynn Davis, Administrative Assistant.