

## THE DAY OF PENTECOST

May 20, 2018

### HOLY BAPTISM and HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II – 10:30 A.M.

*The Service begins on page 299 of The Book of Common Prayer.*

Prelude: Veni Creator Spiritus  
Veni creator en taille à 5  
Fugue à 5  
Behold now, bless the Lord

Nicolas de Grigny (1672–1703)  
William H. Harris (1883–1973)

## THE WORD OF GOD

Introit *Spiritus Domini* Anglican Chant: G. Hancock

The Spirit of the Lord hath filled the whole world, alleluia: and that which contained all things hath knowledge of the voice, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Let God arise, and let his enemies be scattered: let them also that hate him flee before him.

Hymn 225: “Hail thee, festival day!” Salve festa dies, *stand*

### Opening Sentences

*Priest:* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
*People:* **And blessed be God’s kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

*Priest:* There is one Body and one Spirit;  
*People:* **There is one hope in God’s call to us;**

*Priest:* One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;  
*People:* **One God and Father of all.**

### The Collect of the Day

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.  
*People:* **And also with you.**  
*Priest:* Let us pray.

Almighty God, on this day you opened the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of your Holy Spirit: Shed abroad this gift throughout the world by the preaching of the Gospel, that it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

*People:* **Amen.**

## The Lessons

*Lector:* A Reading from The Book of The Acts of the Apostles. (2: 1-21) *sit*

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. 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. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs — in our own languages we hear them speaking about God’s deeds of power.” All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” But others sneered and said, “They are filled with new wine.” But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, “Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: ‘In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord’s great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.’”

The Word of the Lord.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 104: 25-35, 37

- 25 O Lord, how manifold are your works!  
in wisdom you have made them all;  
the earth is full of your creatures.
- 26 **Yonder is the great and wide sea  
with its living things too many to number,  
creatures both small and great.**
- 27 There move the ships, and there is that Leviathan,  
which you have made for the sport of it.
- 28 **All of them look to you  
to give them their food in due season.**
- 29 You give it to them; they gather it;  
you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.
- 30 **You hide your face, and they are terrified;  
you take away their breath,  
and they die and return to their dust.**
- 31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are created;  
and so you renew the face of the earth.
- 32 **May the glory of the Lord endure for ever;  
may the Lord rejoice in all his works.**
- 33 He looks at the earth and it trembles;  
he touches the mountains and they smoke.
- 34 **I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;  
I will praise my God while I have my being.**
- 35 May these words of mine please him;  
I will rejoice in the Lord.
- 37 **Bless the Lord, O my soul.  
Hallelujah!**

*All:* **Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Anthem

Grayston Ives (b. 1948)

Listen sweet Dove unto my song,  
And spread thy golden wings in me;  
Hatching my tender heart so long,  
Till it get wing, and flie away with thee.

Such glorious gifts thou didst bestow,  
That th' earth did like a heav'n appeare;  
The starres were coming down to know  
If they might mend their wages, and serve here.

The sunne, which once did shine alone,  
Hung down his head, and wisht for night,  
When he beheld twelve sunnes for one  
Going about the world, and giving light.

Lord, though we change, thou art the same;  
The same sweet God of love and light:  
Restore this day, for thy great name,  
Unto his ancient and miraculous right.

— from “Whitsunday,” George Herbert

*Priest:*        The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.        *stand*  
                  (15: 26–27; 16: 4b–15)

*People:*        **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said to his disciples, “When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning. I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. But now I am going to him who sent me; yet none of you asks me, ‘Where are you going?’ But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your hearts. Nevertheless I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. And when he comes, he will prove the world wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: about sin, because they do not believe in me; about righteousness, because I am going to the Father and you will see me no longer; about judgment, because the ruler of this world has been condemned. I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.”

*Priest:*        The Gospel of the Lord.

*People:*        **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

The Sermon: The Reverend Kelly B. Carlson

*sit*

Hymn 516: "Come down, O Love divine"

Down Ampney, *stand*

*(The children join the Service from their Sunday School classes.)*

## HOLY BAPTISM

Presentation and Examination of the Candidate

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Baptismal Covenant

*Priest:* Do you believe in God the Father?

*People:* **I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

*Priest:* Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

*People:* **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

**He descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again.**

**He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

*Priest:* Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

*People:* **I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

*Priest:* Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship,  
in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

*People:* **I will, with God's help.**

*Priest:* Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent  
and return to the Lord?

*People:* **I will, with God's help.**

*Priest:* Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

*People:* **I will, with God's help.**

*Priest:* Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

*People:* **I will, with God's help.**

*Priest:* Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

*People:* **I will, with God's help.**

#### Prayers for the Candidate

*Priest:* Let us now pray for Birch who is to receive the Sacrament of new birth.

*Lector:* Deliver him, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* Open his heart to your grace and truth.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* Fill him with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* Keep him in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* Teach him to love others in the power of the Spirit.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* Send him into the world in witness to your love.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* Bring him to the fullness of your peace and glory.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Priest:* Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for ever.

*People:* **Amen.**

#### Thanksgiving over the Water

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*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Priest:* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People:* **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

*Priest:* We thank you, Almighty God, ...

*sit*

*People:* **Amen.**

The Baptism

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*After the Baptism:*

*Priest:* Let us welcome the newly baptized.

*All:* **We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

Exchanging the Peace

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Announcements

*sit*

### THE HOLY COMMUNION

*All baptized persons are invited to receive Communion.*

*If you would like to receive gluten-free bread, let the priest know at the altar rail.*

The Offertory Anthem

Leo Sowerby (1895–1968)

Come, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire,  
and lighten with celestial fire.  
Thou the anointing Spirit art,  
who dost thy sevenfold gifts impart.

Anoint and cheer our soiled face  
with the abundance of thy grace.  
Keep far from foes, give peace at home:  
where thou art guide, no ill can come.

Thy blessed unction from above  
is comfort, life, and fire of love.  
Enable with perpetual light  
the dullness of our blinded sight.

Teach us to know the Father, Son,  
and thee, of both, to be but One,  
That through the ages all along,  
this may be our endless song.

Praise to thy eternal merit,  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*—Anon. 9th-c. Latin, tr. John Cosin*

The Presentation

Lasst uns erfreuen, *stand*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;  
alleluia, alleluia. Praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son,  
and Holy Ghost. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer B

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Sanctus and Benedictus

Mass in E, Jeffrey Smith (b. 1960)

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord.  
 God of pow'r and might, heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-  
 san - na in the high-est. Bless - ed is he who  
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na, ho-  
 san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread

Administration of the Sacrament

*kneel*

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*sit*

Motet

Olivier Messiaen (1908–1992)

O sacrum convivium!  
 in quo Christus sumitur:  
 recolitur memoria passionis eius:  
 mens impletur gratia:  
 et futurae gloriae nobis pignus datur.  
 Alleluia.

*O sacred banquet!*  
*in which Christ is received,*  
*the memory of his Passion is renewed,*  
*the mind is filled with grace,*  
*and a pledge of future glory to us is given.*  
*Alleluia.*

– Vespers Antiphon, Corpus Christi

Hymn 502: “O Holy Spirit, by whose breath”

Veni Creator Spiritus

A Prayer of Thanksgiving

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The Blessing

Hymn 573: “Father eternal, Ruler of creation”

Langham, *stand*

The Dismissal

*Priest:* Alleluia. Alleluia. Let us go forth into the world,  
rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

*People:* **Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

Voluntary: Komm, Heiliger Geist, BWV 651  
(*Come, Holy Ghost*)

J. S. Bach (1685–1750)

*MUSIC NOTES:* This summer marks the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the death of American composer *Leo Sowerby* (1895–1968), often called “the Dean of American church music.” Among Sowerby’s many anthems is the plainsong-inspired *Come, Holy Ghost* for Pentecost. • French composer *Olivier Messiaen* (1908–1992) had synesthesia, a neurological condition that allowed him to “see” colors of sound. His remarkable communion motet *O sacrum convivium* presents a vivid spectrum of harmonies indeed, a veritable musical rainbow for the New Covenant found in the “sacred banquet.” • The concluding hymn (573) brings to mind the Tower of Babel (“building proud towers”), which is traditionally presented as the opposing narrative of the Day of Pentecost.

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God ...*

*In honor of the Baptism of Birch Mahaffey Heinzl, by his family.*

*In loving memory of Tom and Dolly Miller,  
and in honor of the seventieth anniversary of their wedding,  
by Sarah Bryan Miller and Eleanor Rix.*

Lector/Eucharistic Ministers:	Carrie Burroughs, Wendy Olk
Ushers:	Didi Noelker, Connie Lohr, Kurt Hibler, Bette Handy
Acolytes:	Jack Dutton, Joe Dutton, Addie Bitting, John Rich
Acolyte Master:	Bill Gilbert
Hospitality:	Suzanne Johnson, Alden Pflager, Kathleen Rogers
Greeter:	Elly Painter
Altar Guild:	Cheryl Gelstein, Claudia McMillin, France Gay Barbara Roberts, Susan Schettler
Counters:	Bob Messey, Susan Hall

## ***PRAYER LIST***

**In Thanksgiving For:** The Baptism of Birch Mahaffey Heinzl.

**For Family and Friends:** Meg Fuller, Sophia Mandl and Glenda Wiman.

**For the Faithful Departed:** Jane Hughes, David Krajcovic, Lea Lauer and Aiden Mandl.

**For those Committed to Our Ongoing Prayers:** Lanney Beecham, Patricia Beseda, Donna Brookman, Chris Canepa, Lucy Dolan, Daisy Fennebresque, Martha Ferguson, Jimmy Grimmett, Richard Hamman, Patty Hecker, Marsha Hussung, Helen Jenks, Susan Kerkering, Bobby Leatherman Sr., Elizabeth Mendoza, Cheryl Meyer, Bryan Miller, Carolyn Miles, Signe Myles, Jeffrey Rixleben, Ray Sellenriek, Lorry Sharp, Kristi Simpson, Dan Singer, Jane St. John, Julie Stephenson, Alice Vosburgh and Dick Williams.

## ***TODAY...***

**CHILDCARE** is available in the Little Building from 9:00 until 11:45 a.m.

**PARISH BREAKFAST** – Come enjoy a hot breakfast in the Undercroft today, served from 8:45 until 10:00. The cost is \$3 per person or \$10 per family.

**RECTOR'S FORUM** meets each Sunday, 9:15-10:00 a.m. in the Undercroft. Our series on Virtue Ethics continues today and next Sunday. Join us!

**CHILDREN'S CHAPEL** – Please join us in Grace Chapel, 10:15 to 10:25 a.m. this morning before Sunday School. There will be no Children's Chapel next Sunday on the holiday weekend, but we will continue to meet on the Sundays in June.

**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL** – Today is the last day for our September-to-May regular Sunday School schedule. The nursery for children up to age 4 is available throughout the year, 9:00-11:45 a.m. We will not have a Sunday School activity for the children next Sunday, May 27<sup>th</sup>, on Memorial Day weekend, but will begin our Summer Sunday School class for Kindergarten to Grade 5 the following week on June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:30 a.m., on the top floor of the Little Building. Please contact Ann Babington if you have any questions, [annbabington@gmail.com](mailto:annbabington@gmail.com).

**CHILDREN'S PRAYER BOOKLET** – This morning the children will receive a new little booklet with prayers just for them, compiled from parishioners' favorite prayers! Please read and pray them with your children and grandchildren. Extra booklets are available in the Undercroft at the welcome table.

## ***THIS WEEK...***

**WOMAN'S GUILD** – Join us this Tuesday for lunch at 12:15 p.m., followed by our program speaker, parishioner Loura Gilbert, who will speak about banks and the community. Yoga meets at 11:00 a.m. Save the date—May 29<sup>th</sup>—for our annual Play Day!

**SEARCHING FOR GOD IN THE DAILY NEWS** meets on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. in the Conference Room across from the office. Come explore the lively intersection where theology meets current events.

**SYMPHONY TROMBONES IN CONCERT** – St. Peter's is excited to host the Trombones of the St. Louis Symphony when they perform a concert here this Wednesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:30 p.m. The program includes music of Gershwin and Prokofiev, as well as some of their own arrangements and compositions.

**BIBLE STUDY** – Join us at 7:00 on Thursday mornings in the Elliot Room.

**PRAYER GROUP** – Everyone is welcome on Friday mornings at 10:00 in the Elliot Room to pray for the needs of the parish and the world.

## ***UPCOMING EVENTS...***

**SCHOOL'S OUT POOL PARTY** – Come splash into summer at the Schafer residence on Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>, Noon-2:00 p.m. We'll enjoy Chik-fil-A for lunch and pool party shenanigans. All youth (rising 6<sup>th</sup> through graduated seniors) are invited to join. Kindly RSVP to Maria by Monday, May 28<sup>th</sup>.

**YOUTH COUNCIL LUNCH** – New and returning members, mark your calendars for our first meeting of the 2018-19 Youth Council! Meet at Moe's Southwest Grill on Olive Blvd. on Tuesday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, 12:45 – 2:00 p.m. (original time pushed back by 15 minutes to accommodate VBS volunteers!), we'll have lunch, get to know each other, and discuss our plans for the upcoming year.

**BOOK GROUP** – Join us on Wednesday, June 6<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. to discuss *The Collector of Lives: Georgia Vasari and the Invention of Art*, by Ingrid Rowland and Noah Charney.

**ANGELS IN THE GARDEN** – Join St. Peter's Episcopal Church, The Woman's Guild, and the Committee of Garden Lovers for the 2018 Angels in the Garden event on June 8-9<sup>th</sup>. Enjoy an evening in a magical private garden for a Garden Party on Friday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, 6-8:00 p.m. On Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup> the Garden Walk will be 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Buy tickets online @ [stpetersepiscopal.org/give/](http://stpetersepiscopal.org/give/). All proceeds will benefit our outreach programs. Volunteers are needed. If you are willing to help at either the party or one of five gardens, contact Kathy Atwood, [atwoodkathy@att.net](mailto:atwoodkathy@att.net) or 314-580-3986. A sign-up sheet is available in the Undercroft at the Welcome Table.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION** – Your children and grandchildren, ages 4 to 12, will want to join us for St. Peter’s Vacation Bible School, June 4-8, 9:00 a.m. to Noon. We’ll have a whole week of fun studying the Fruits of the Spirit from Galatians, God’s love, and how that love blooms inside us. Register at [stpetersepiscopal.org/vbs2018](http://stpetersepiscopal.org/vbs2018), and contact Ann Babington at [annbabington@gmail.com](mailto:annbabington@gmail.com) if you have questions.

**BRATWURSTS!** – Our **150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Food Truck Lollapalooza** will follow the 10:30 service on Sunday, June 10<sup>th</sup>. Because we’re inviting our neighbors and having an extra truck to accommodate the crowd, this year we’ll be charging admission. \$10 per person gets an all-you-can-eat wristband, and \$30 for wristbands for the whole family! Wristbands are for sale today, and will be for sale every Sunday, including June 10<sup>th</sup>. Get your wristbands early and plan to enjoy Buzz’s Hawaiian Grill, Blues Fired Pizza and Frankly Sausages, followed by an old-fashioned ice cream truck, Cool Treats!

***SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 20 - 27, 2018***

Sunday	5/20		<b>The Day of Pentecost</b>
		8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		8:45-10:00	Parish Breakfast – Undercroft
		9:15 a.m.	Rector’s Forum – Undercroft
		10:15 a.m.	Children’s Chapel
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Tuesday	5/22	12:15 p.m.	Woman’s Guild Lunch
		5:00 p.m.	Vestry Meeting
Wednesday	5/23	1:00 p.m.	Searching for God in the Daily News
		5:30 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
		6:00 p.m.	Young Adult Bible Study – off-campus
		7:30 p.m.	Trombones Concert
Thursday	5/24	7:00 a.m.	Bible Study
		6:00 p.m.	Choristers
		7:15 p.m.	Parish Choir
Friday	5/25	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Group
Sunday	5/27		<b>Trinity Sunday</b>
		8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		8:45-10:00	Parish Breakfast – Undercroft
		9:15 a.m.	Rector’s Forum – Undercroft
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist