

PENTECOST SUNDAY

WE GATHER AROUND GOD'S WORD

♪ **Prelude** · Toni DiCapua

Call to Worship (responsively) · Lowell Hickey

Leader: Then I will pour out my spirit on all flesh, thus says the Lord.

People: Send down the fire of your justice!

Leader: Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,

People: Send down the rain of your love!

Leader: Your old shall dream dreams,
and your young shall see visions.

People: Send down your Spirit, breathe life in your people!

Leader: In those days, I will pour out my spirit.

People: And we shall be people of God.

* ♪ **Hymn of Praise** · *Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart*

No. 326

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

Our youth offer prophesy of challenge and judgement, we nod politely with clenched teeth and closed eyes. Invited to dream dreams, we prefer the familiarity of the past. Winds of vision swirl around us, we close the windows and bolt the doors. Gracious and merciful God, grant us your forgiveness and your love that we may truly care for one another. Refresh and renew us with your Spirit so that we can be fruitful and vital disciples of Jesus Christ. Amen.

(silent reflection)

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

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*  **Gloria Patri**

No. 579

* **Passing of The Peace**

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Greetings and Announcements

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Interactive Scripture Reading · Lowell Hickey

Ezekiel 37:1-14 (pg. 1345)

 **Anthem** · Chancel Choir

Come, Holy Spirit ... Ron Harris

Richard Dinwiddie, director; Mollie Wakeman, accompanist
(CCLI #20405356)

Interactive Scripture Reading · Faye Wilson

Acts 2:1-21 (pg. 1692)

Ministry of the Word · The Rev. Renée Rico

"A Spirit That Blows Through Closed Doors"

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WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

- * 🎵 **Hymn of Response** · *Spirit of the Living God*
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Acknowledgment and Blessing of Offerings

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

- * 🎵 **Closing Hymn** · *Spirit*
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- * **Benediction**

- * 🎵 **Congregational Response** · *Go Now in Peace*

🎵 **Postlude** · Toni DiCapua

