PEWEE VALLEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"Learning, Glorifying, Celebrating, and Following ..."

GATHERING ...

Gathering Music The Ringing of the Bell **Words of Welcome**

PREPARING ...

Prelude Come Holy Ghost, Lord God DIETRICH BUXTEHUDE

*Call to Worship Richard Ray

Leader: Do not give easy or unthinking responses to this day's call to

worship, for today we ask God's Spirit to fill us.

People: So that we may prophesy, dream dreams, and have visions.

Leader: The call to worship today is a summons to be touched by holy fire!

People: Even now the flames dance above our heads!

WE WOULD BE PROPHETS, VISIONARIES AND ALL:

DREAMERS! LET US WORHIP WITH COURAGE

AND WITH HOPE!

*Hymn 289 On Pentecost They Gathered MUNICH

Call to Confession and Prayer (unison)

Almighty and ever gracious God, we confess that we have failed to open our hearts to the power of your Spirit. We continue the divisions of Babel, speaking in tongues that confound rather than clarify, hurt rather than heal, and separate rather than unite. Though we are not deserving, we pray for the gift of fellowship that confirms your presence among us. Restore our fractured lives that we, with one voice, may ever give you thanks and praise. In Christ's name, hear our silent prayers ...

(A Time of Silence for Personal Confession: Pray the above prayer again, but this time substitute "I, my, and me" for "we, our, and us.")

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: There is no greater joy in the heart of God than the moment when

a son or daughter opens to the gift of forgiveness.

People: God reaches out to assure us of welcome in Christ. Leader: In the name of Jesus Christ we are God's by grace!

People: With great joy we are made alive! ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD! AMEN.

*Response, No. 322 Spirit of the Living God LIVING GOD

Passing of the Peace

HEARING ...

Time for Young Disciples Rev. Joel Weible

Anthem Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal arr. ALICE PARKER

Scripture Acts 2:1-4, 12-21

Sermon RAISING OUR VOICES, TOO Rev Joel Weible

RESPONDING ...

*Hvmn 451 Open My Eyes That I May See OPEN MY EYES

*Affirmation of Faith

from A BRIEF STATEMENT OF FAITH

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 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. Amen.

Time of Giving Thanks

Announcements

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

*Doxology 592 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

*Prayer of Dedication (unison)

Holy God, we give you thanks and praise for light and life and love. Above all we give thanks for the presence of the living Lord among us. By your Spirit that breathes within us, strengthen our faith, use our gifts, and work in our lives to bear witness to the resurrection that is possible every day of our lives. Amen.

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION (see insert)

Serving Communion: Margaret Hill, Richard Ray, Larry Vice, Ron Warren

SENDING ...

*Hymn 708 We Give Thee but Thine Own

SCHUMANN

*Charge and Benediction

The Ringing of the Bell

*Postlude

Fugue a la Gigue

J.S. BACH

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Pewee Valley Presbyterian Church



"We have found in this church a spiritual home where we learn to serve others. enjoy and glorify God, celebrate differences, and faithfully follow the Lord Jesus Christ."

> **Sunday Morning Worship** June 5, 2022 - Day of Pentecost

^{*} Please stand, if comfortably able to do so

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Leader: When Jesus sat at table and enjoyed communion with those

he had gathered he proclaimed that God's care knows no bounds. As we gather here, we proclaim again the comfort

and challenge of that witness.

People: All are invited now to share God's table, and be

nourished by the Bread of Life.

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord is 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 be thankful and full of praise.

Living God, you send the Holy Spirit to breathe life into your church. Let us no longer be captives to fear, but messengers of your saving love, so that all may be reconciled in you; through Jesus Christ, our peace.

Sung Response, Hymn No. 552

LAND OF REST

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest..

When Christ ascended into heaven to reign with you in power and glory, you sent the Spirit of truth to guide us into the way, the truth, and the life of Christ. Let your Spirit, our Advocate, guide us still – preserving us from judgment, protecting us from sin, and leading us

into righteousness, so that we may testify to the good news: Fullness of life and joy for all; through Christ our Lord and Savior.

Sung Response, Hymn No. 553

LAND OF REST

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

Lord, God, through Christ and in the unity of the Holy Spirit you have given us a peace that the world cannot give. Let your Spirit of truth abide with us so that we may live in hope, grow in faith, and keep your commandments of love; in the name of Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread and Pouring of the Cup

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Communion of the People

(Please wait to partake of the elements until all are served.)

Prayer after the Sharing (unison)

For the healing you have given us in the brokenness of bread and the pouring out of the cup, we thank you, O God. For the community you have restored in us through the sharing of life, we thank you. Send us forth from this place in love, letting justice be worked out with gentleness, and power known in the presence of your Spirit. Amen.