

Order of Worship
TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
10:00 am – August 15, 2021

Watching Live?
Text your prayer requests to 805-309-6867 before the end of the first hymn.

PRELUDE David Maddux
Hymns
Daniel Arichea, vocalist; Miriam Arichea, pianist

WELCOME Esther Benedict

HYMN *Welcome Holy Spirit*
CCLI / Streaming: 345977 / 20105371 / CCLI Song # 1875831

Welcome Holy Spirit, be here with Your presence, fill me with Your power, live inside of me.
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You're the living water, never-drying fountain, Comforter and Counselor, take complete control.

Welcome Holy Spirit, be here with Your presence, fill me with Your power, live inside of me. (3x)

CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

O Lord, open our eyes that we may see the needs of others.

Open our ears that we may hear their cries.

Open our hearts so that they need not be without succor.

**Let us not be afraid to defend the weak because of the anger of the strong,
nor afraid to defend the poor because of the anger of the rich.**

Show us where love and hope and faith are needed, and use us to bring them to those places.

**And so open our eyes and our ears that we may this coming day
be able to do some work of peace for Thee. Amen**

(adapted from UMH 456)

HYMN UMH 454
Open My Eyes, That I May See
CCLI / Streaming: 345977 / 20105371 / CCLI Song # 68003

Open my eyes, that I may see glimpses of truth thou hast for me;
place in my hands the wonderful key that shall unclasp and set me free.
Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see. Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!

Open my ears, that I may hear voices of truth thou sendest clear;
and while the wave notes fall on my ear, everything false will disappear.
Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see. Open my ears, illumine me, Spirit divine!

Open my mouth, and let me bear gladly the warm truth everywhere;
open my heart and let me prepare love with thy children thus to share.
Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see. Open my heart, illumine me, Spirit divine!

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER Tom Hundley

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC *Holy Spirit Rain Down*
Bruce Miller, vocals; Tyler Carlisle, piano
CCLI / Streaming: 345977 / 20105371 / CCLI Song # 2405227

Holy Spirit rain down, rain down; O Comforter and Friend, how we need Your touch again;
Holy Spirit rain down, rain down; let Your power fall, let Your voice be heard;
Come and change our hearts as we stand on Your Word; Holy Spirit, rain down.

Holy Spirit rain down, rain down; O Comforter and Friend, how we need Your touch again;
Holy Spirit rain down, rain down; let Your power fall, let Your voice be heard;
Come and change our hearts as we stand on Your Word; Holy Spirit, rain down.

No eye has seen, no ear has heard; No mind can know what God has in store,
so open up heaven, open it wide, over Your church and over our lives.

Holy Spirit rain down, rain down; O Comforter and Friend, how we need Your touch again;
Holy Spirit rain down, rain down; let Your power fall, let Your voice be heard;
Come and change our hearts as we stand on Your Word; Holy Spirit, rain down.

Let Your power fall, let Your voice be heard;
Come and change our hearts as we stand on Your Word; Holy Spirit, rain down.

SCRIPTURE

Ephesians 5: 15-20
The Word of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God.**

Bruce Miller

MESSAGE

God's Household: Filled With the Spirit

Esther Benedict

OFFERTORY PRAYER (unison)

Gracious God, grant us wisdom through your Holy Spirit to use all that you have generously given us -material gifts, our time, our voices. In all times and in everything we give thanks to you in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen

HYMN

Filled With the Spirit's Power
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UMH 537

Filled with the Spirit's power, with one accord the infant church confessed its risen Lord.
O Holy Spirit, in the church today no less your power of fellowship display.

Now with the mind of Christ set us on fire, that unity may be our great desire.
Give joy and peace; give faith to hear your call, and readiness in each to work for all.

Widen our love, good Spirit, to embrace in your strong care all those of every race.
Like wind and fire with life among us move, till we are known as Christ's, and Christians prove.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Grand Choeur
Tyler Carlisle, organ

by Salomé

Prayer Requests:

Santa Clarita Korean UMC — Pastor Sang Hung Park

Inyokern: Community UMC — Church Leaders, Members & Ministry Partners

Carl Ashley—brother Don passed away 8-8

Maryann Turner (Happy Ventures Teacher) prayers for Aunt Jane who has had a stroke

Martha Raysor passed away Friday 8-13—prayers for family and friends



STARTING AUGUST 22ND
Worship time will begin at
9:30 AM



Sunday School for children up to 5th grade at 9:30 am
Kids are staying in smaller groups to ensure their safety.



Fellowship & refreshments will resume after worship in the courtyard



Students & teachers are invited to bring their backpack/work bag for a Blessing of the Backpacks