



Consider the following options to center yourself for worship:

BREATHING PRAYER: (Psalm 104:30)

*In For A Count Of 4: **Send forth your Spirit ...***

*Out For A Count Of 4: ... **That creates and renews.***

REFLECT ON QUOTE

"The Spirit comes not to quench desire, but to deepen it" ~ Rowan Williams

READ SCRIPTURES

I Corinthians 12:3b-13 Acts 2:1-21

ORDER OF WORSHIP

May 24, 2026

Pentecost Sunday

PRELUDE

Forrest Green
Jerry Bursch, Piano

arr. Mark Dorian

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PENTECOST VIDEO

WELCOME / OPPORTUNITIES FOR FAITH AND SERVICE

Pastor Matt

*Please rise in body and spirit.

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Melissa Pryor

Come, Holy Spirit,

The wind of God, the breath of Life.

Come, Holy Spirit,

Our Advocate, our Counselor.

Come, Holy Spirit,

Teacher of Wisdom, Reminder of Christ.

Come, Holy Spirit,

Granter of forgiveness, giver of peace.

Come, Holy Spirit.

May we feel God breathing through our worship.

May we receive the Holy Spirit in this place. Amen

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*HYMN

Holy Spirit, Truth Divine

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Song # 3128905

1. Holy Spirit, Truth divine,
dawn upon this soul of mine;
Word of God and inward light,
wake my spirit, clear my sight.

2. Holy Spirit, Love divine,
glow within this heart of mine;
kindle every high desire;
perish self in thy pure fire.

3. Holy Spirit, Power divine,
fill and nerve this will of mine;
grant that I may strongly live,
bravely bear, and nobly strive.

4. Holy Spirit, Right divine,
King within my conscience reign;
be my Lord, and I shall be
firmly bound, forever free.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

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CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

Melissa Pryor

Rushing Wind, where fear and doubt leave us winded, breathe new life within us through your mercy and grace. Living Water, where pride and prejudice isolate us from one another, wash away the divisions that fracture our love. May your holy fire burn within us, rekindling our courage, compassion, and hope. May your rivers of grace release our passion for justice, equity, and mercy. In the power of your transforming Spirit, we pray. Amen.

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SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

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 and ever. Amen.

*HYMN:

Spirit of God

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1. Spirit of God, bright Wind, breath that bids life begin,
blow as you always do; create us anew.
Give us the breath to sing, lifted on soaring wing,
held in your hands, borne on your wings.

Refrain: Alleluia! Come, Spirit, come. Alleluia! Come, Spirit, come.

2. Spirit of God, bright Dove, grant us your peace and love,
healing upon your wings for all living things.
For when we live your peace captives will find release,
held in your hands, borne on your wings. **Refrain**

3. Spirit of God, bright Hands, even in far-off lands
you hold all the human race in one warm embrace.

*Please rise in body and spirit.

No matter where we go you hold us together so,
held in your hands, borne on your wings. **Refrain**

4. Spirit of God, bright Flame, send us in your holy name,
with power to heal, to share your love everywhere.
We cannot fail or fall or know defeat at all,
held in your hands, borne on your wings. **Refrain**

5. Spirit of God in all, we gladly hear your call,
the life in our hands that sings, the power of your wings.
Born of your grace we rise, love shining in our eyes,
held in your hands, borne on your wings. **Refrain**

SCRIPTURE READINGS I Corinthians 12:3b-13 Acts 2:1-21 Melissa Pryor

I Corinthians 12: 3b-13 (NRSVue)

No one can say “Jesus is Lord” except by the Holy Spirit.
Now there are varieties of gifts but the same Spirit, and there are varieties of
services but the same Lord, and there are varieties of activities, but it is the
same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the
manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the
Spirit the utterance of wisdom and to another the utterance of knowledge
according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another
gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of powerful deeds, to
another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various
kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are
activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as
the Spirit chooses.

For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of
the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in the one Spirit
we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we
were all made to drink of one Spirit.

*Please rise in body and spirit.

Acts 2:1-21 (NRSVue)

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 people 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, "Fellow Jews 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

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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 God for the People of God. **Thanks be to God!**

MESSAGE

Pastor Matt

CHORAL RESPONSE

Spirit of the Living God
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Song # 23488

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Spirit of the living God
Fall afresh on me
Spirit of the living God
Fall afresh on me
Melt me, mold me
Fill me, use me
Spirit of the living God
Fall afresh on me

RESPONDING IN FAITH

We live out our membership vows by offering our prayers, our presence, our service, our gifts, and our witness. In this way, we glorify God with our whole lives.

CHORAL OFFERING

Canticle of the Spirit
Chancel Choir Jerry Bursch, Director

arr. David Poole

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*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise God all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus

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Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia!

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Melissa Pryor

Holy Spirit, breathe into us and fill us with your peace. Let your presence be known in every life touched by this church's ministries. Receive these offerings as the outpouring of grateful hearts and use them to fan the flame of your love throughout the world. In the name of the Giver of the Spirit, we pray. Amen.

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*HYMN

O Spirit of the Living God

UMH 539

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1 O Spirit of the living God,
thou light and fire divine,
descend upon thy church once more,
and make it truly thine.
Fill it with love and joy and power,
with righteousness and peace;
till Christ shall dwell in human hearts,
and sin and sorrow cease.

2 Blow, wind of God! With wisdom blow
until our minds are free
from mists of error, clouds of doubt,
which blind our eyes to thee.
Burn, winged fire! Inspire our lips
with flaming love and zeal,
to preach to all thy great good news,
God's glorious commonweal.

3 Teach us to utter living words
of truth which all may hear,
the language all may understand
when love speaks loud and clear;
till every age and race and clime
shall blend their creeds in one,

*Please rise in body and spirit.

and earth shall form one family
by whom thy will is done.

4 So shall we know the power of Christ
who came this world to save;
so shall we rise with him to life
which soars beyond the grave;
and earth shall win true holiness,
which makes thy children whole;
till, perfected by thee, we reach
creation's glorious goal!

*BENEDICTION

Pastor Matt

*HYMN OF PARTING

Shalom to You

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Song #1913569

Shalom to you now, shalom my friends.
May God's full mercies bless you, my friends.
In all your living and through all your loving
Christ be your shalom. Christ be your shalom.

POSTLUDE

Every Time I Feel The Spirit
Jerry Bursch, Piano and Clavinova

arr. John Carter

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Serving in Worship Today

Greeter: Cathy Brocker
Ushers: Linda Whitney & Malin Williams
Liturgist: Melissa Pryor
Music Director: Jerry Bursch
Pastor: Matthew M. McPhee

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Video of today's worship can be found at www.indioumc.org/media
Contact the Church Office at 760-347-1046 or office@indioumc.org. Secure online contributions to the church can be made on our Church App or at www.indioumc.org/give.

CALENDAR:

- May 24**— You are invited to Coffee Fellowship after worship in the Fellowship Hall.
- May 25-29** – **New Day Devotions 8:00 AM** via Zoom. (Link available in weekly e-news or by contacting the office)
- May 26** —**Bell Choir Practice 3:00 PM** in the Sanctuary.
- May 27**—**Men's Breakfast 8:00 AM** at Sloan's Restaurant in Indio
- May 27**—**Tai Chi 10:00 AM** in the Fellowship Hall.
- May 27**—**Bridge Donations - Garage Open 8 to 9:45 am & Fellowship Hall 10—11 AM**
- May 30**—**Bridge Feeding & Health Ministry**. Contact Cathy Brocker for more information. Want to serve? A group will leave from the garage at 7 AM
- May 31** —**Chancel Choir Practice 8:20 AM** in the Sanctuary.
- May 31** – **Worship 10:00 AM** in the Sanctuary, followed by Coffee Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall.

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