

DAY OF PENTECOST

JUNE 5, 2022, 11AM



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ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Day of Pentecost

Rector: The Rev. Catherine D. Hicks

(BCP—Book of Common Prayer, H-Hymnal 1982; S Numbers are the service music found in the front of The Hymnal 1982; WLP-Wonder, Love and Praise)

LEVAS-Lift Every Voice and Sing II)

In the name of Christ, we welcome you to this Church. May those who sorrow find comfort; the weary, rest; the unhappy, joy; the troubled, peace; the stranger, friends; and to all the sense of God's Presence in this holy place. We acknowledge that we gather on the traditional land of the first people of Port Royal, the Nandtaughtacund, and we honor with gratitude the land itself and the life of the Rappahannock Tribe.

Ringling of the Bell

Prelude	Prelude in D Minor	J.S. Bach
Opening Hymn	Come, Thou fount	<u>LEVAS 111</u>
Opening Acclamation		<u>BCP 355</u>
Song of Praise	There's a sweet, sweet Spirit	<u>LEVAS 120</u>

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

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. *Amen.*

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles, Chapter 2, verses 1-21.

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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.

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!**

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.

A Reading from Paul's Letter to the Romans, Chapter 8, verses 14-17.

All who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have

received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ-- if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn

Spirit of the Living God

LEVAS 115

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Philip said to Jesus, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you."

"I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to

you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

The Rev. Tom Hughes

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

The Prayers of the People

With joy for the gift of the Holy Spirit, let us pray for the well-being of the church, the world and all in need.

We thank you for the wonder that erupted on the day of Pentecost, for the birth of the church, for the gifts of amazement and challenge, and for all the witnesses whose lives have been altered by your power alive in our world. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For the many peoples of this earth whose visions differ, whose languages offer special insights, whose ways of worship and compassion feed our own, we thank you. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For the earth itself, through whose creatures we see your love, and in whose gentle breezes and rushing winds we remember the coming of the Spirit, we thank you. God in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Make us grateful for the confounding experiences the Holy Spirit's presence creates in our lives, for the marvel of new visions, for the wisdom in prophetic words, and for the prayers of Jesus for us. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Make us hungry to protect the health of all people, let your fire burn in the leaders of the nations, in governors and mayors, on town councils and school boards; guard the lives of peacemakers and soldiers, especially those on our prayer list. Pool the skills and passion of all your people for the sake of our delight and the nourishment of others. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

As we pray for the determination to end our violence toward one another in thought, word, and deed, give solace to those who mourn this day who have lost a child, a parent, a brother or sister, husband, wife or friend due to gun violence. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Give comfort to all people who are refuges from war and famine, especially the people of Ukraine, those who are lonely and frightened, those who are ill, imprisoned, homeless or without work, and for those who are addicted. We pray especially today for the healing power of your Spirit to enfold John Whitfield, Toni Faibisy, Roger Key, Howard Lee Fleming, Sr., friend of the Volland family, Joanne Wilkerson, sister of Johnny Davis, all on our prayer list, and those whose names are known to you alone. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for all who have died, especially for Austin Fields, son of Cindy and Stanley Fields. Bring him to the fullness of your joy, where mourning and pain will be no more. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Knowing that it is your Holy Spirit who has flowed through your witnesses of ages past, we give you thanks for the saints who have gone before us. With them, and with confidence that you hear our prayers, we commend all for whom we lift our voices, trusting that you give more than we need. Through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

Confession of Sin

BCP 356

The Peace

The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
And also with you.

Announcements

Birthday and Anniversary Blessings

BCP 830 #51/431

Offertory

**Love Divine
St. Peter's Choir**

Wesley/Burrows

The Holy Communion

Eucharistic Prayer for Pentecost

The Lord be 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 give God thanks and praise.

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God,
source of life abundant.

From before time you made ready the creation.

Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being:
sun, moon and stars; earth, winds, and waters;
and every living thing.

You brought us from the dust in your image and likeness,
and breathed into us the breath of your life.

You taught us to walk in your ways.

But we rebelled against you and wandered far away
into a wasteland of our own making.

And yet, you never stopped calling us
to live in the completeness of your love.

In the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in
Jesus.

Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your
glory.

Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil,
opening the way of freedom and life,
and promised to us the coming of the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, to be
with us forever.

And so on the day of Pentecost,
in fulfillment of your Son's promise

the Holy Spirit came from God
and with the rush of a mighty wind,
settled like fiery flames on your disciples,
to teach them and to lead them into all truth;
uniting people of many languages and nations with the knowledge of
your life giving love,
and giving to your Church the power to serve you and to witness to the
good news of your love throughout the world.

And so we praise your holy name as we sing,

Sanctus

S 125

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

Lord God, we have seen your glory
in the heavens torn apart and your Spirit descending like a dove
on your beloved son at his baptism in the River Jordan.

Lord God, we give you thanks for our own baptisms in water and the
Spirit.

When we cry out to you, it is your very Spirit bearing witness with our
spirits that we, your sons and daughters, are joint heirs with your son
Jesus, of your eternal reign of love.

**For through Jesus Christ our Redeemer,
you have freed us from sin,
brought us back into your life,
reconciled us to you,
and restored us to the glory you have always intended for us.**

On the night before he died for us,

Jesus was at the table with his friends.

He took bread, gave thanks to you,
broke it, gave it to them, and said:

“Take, eat:

This is my Body, which is given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.”

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine.

Again, he gave thanks to you,
gave it to them, and said:

“Drink this, all of you:

This is my blood of the new Covenant,
which is poured out for you and for all
for the forgiveness of sins.

Whenever you drink it,

Do this for the remembrance of me.”

Remembering his death and resurrection

we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine.

Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts

that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ.

By the power of your Spirit

feed us with bread from heaven.

Fill us with the new wine of your reign.

Breathe your Spirit on us and make us a new creation.

Continue to fill this church with your Holy Spirit

like the rush of a mighty wind,

like a consuming fire.

Teach us to proclaim

the good news of salvation

to all the nations of the world.

Grant that we, burning with your Spirit’s power,

may be a people of hope, justice and love.

And fill us all with dreams and visions and longing
for that great and glorious day
when our Lord Jesus Christ will come again
and we will join in the heavenly banquet,
in the joy of your eternal reign
with all the saints who have gone ahead before us.

**All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ.
By him, and with him, and in him,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit
all honor and glory is yours,
Almighty Father, now and forever. Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer **BCP 364**

The Breaking of the Bread **BCP 364**
The Communion of the People of God

Communion Hymn **In remembrance of me** **LEVAS 149**

Post-Communion Prayer **BCP 365**

The Blessing

God's Blessing be with you,
Christ's peace be with you,
The Spirit's outpouring be with you,
Now and always. **Amen.**

Closing Hymn **Oh, let the Son of God enfold you** **LEVAS 118**

Postlude

Resource:
Prayers of the People: Feasting on the Word, Liturgies for Year C, Vol 1,
Kimberly Bracken Long, ed.

Announcements

Welcome to St Peter's. May you find God's love present with you in this place and return here often to worship. The communion bread is gluten free. All are welcome at the Lord's table.

The offering plates are in the back next to the doors. Your gifts help support God's work in the world through this church. Mail - PO Box 399, Port Royal, VA 22535. **and online -** <https://churchsp.org/onlinegiving>

Celebrate Pentecost by enjoying a slice of Brad's pound cake topped with strawberries, following this service.

Happy Birthday! Odessa Davis (June 7), Tucker Fisher (June 10), Happy Anniversary – Johnathan, Odessa Davis (June 5), Jim, Elizabeth Heimbach (June 8)

Bible Study Wed. June 8, 10am-12pm. Parish House.

Village Dinner Wed., June 8, 4:30pm-6:00pm. Come gather around the table with friends. Take out is also available. Call Susan Linne von Berg to make your reservation.

St Peter's contributed \$384.88 to the United Thank Offering for the spring ingathering. Thanks to all who contributed to this important ministry.

Send a card to the Kunstmanns! Their new address is Fair Winds Desert Point, 10701 North La Reserve Dr, Apt 342, Oro Valley, AZ 85737.

The Rev. Canon E. Mark Stevenson was elected as the 14th Bishop Diocesan of the Diocese of Virginia at the special convention held yesterday. Currently, he serves as the principal liaison between Presiding Bishop Michael Curry and the House of Bishops, the various dioceses, and many of the governing bodies of The Episcopal Church. He will be ordained and consecrated a bishop on Sat., December 3, 2022.

The flame of the Paschal Candle symbolizes the light of the Risen Christ. On Pentecost, the extinguishing of the Paschal Candle serves as a reminder Christ's work on earth is now complete, and that our job as Christians is to carry the light of Christ out into the world.

Sunday worship— On Zoom at

11AM. <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86999263545?pwd=WHpNa1JrU0JOOGdMV3NMRlhmWUVCCz09> Meeting ID: 869 9926 3545 Passcode: 889278

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The Vestry

Becky Fisher, Andrea Pogue (2023), Cookie Davis, Robert Bryan (2024)
Elizabeth Heimbach, Helmut Linne von Berg (2025)

Jim Heimbach, Treasurer, Elizabeth Heimbach Registrar
Becky Fisher, Senior Warden
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Prayer List

John Hess, Roger Key, Millie Muhly, Charles McGuire, Brad Volland,
Clarence and Betty Kunstmann, Robert Bryan, Cornesha Howard,
Tommy Segar, Terri Harrison, John and Toni Faibisy, Linneth Feliciano,
Thom Guthrie, Vivian McDonald, Mike and Marilyn Newman, Fred and
Crystal Pannell, Bill Wick, Barbara and Boyd Wisdom

Howard Lee Fleming, Sr (friend of Brad Volland), Joanne Wilkerson and
Jimmy Davis (sister and brother of Johnny Davis), Lois Christie, Sandra
Smith, Rosie Dowdy, Bill Lauck, Nathaniel Schakenberg, Mary Grace
Dorsey, John Kassouf, John Whitfield (Laura Carey's son), Martha
Oldham (Mike Newman's sister), Jonathan Coleman (Cleo Coleman's
son), Anthony Bowman, Leon Boxley, (friend of Linda Kramer), Dylan
Puryear (BJ's grandson), Ruth Smith, Joyce Smith (Laura Carey's sisters-
in-law), Jeremy Pitts, Orville Watson (Linneth Feliciano's brother), Gloria
Jewell, Mary Ann Betchy, K. D., Kathryn, David and Bobby Hill (Lydia
O'Neil's family), Lorena McElwain, (friend of the Pogues), Odessa Davis,
Kelly Paterino, G. Lee Baldwin, Linda Oliver, Pat Crenshaw (Brad
Volland's cousin), Joan Pemberton (Brad Volland's aunt), Anna Haug,
Morgan Chapman and Jess Suggs, (friends of Laura Long), Albert Barnett
(Andrea's uncle), Scott Crabtree (Eunice Key's brother), Louise Chapman
(Barbara Segar's cousin), Dot Wright, , Gracelyn McCallum, Carolyn and
Butch Delhagen (Newman relatives), Mary Lawrence Hicks (Catherine
and Ben Hicks' daughter), Tommy Hicks and the Reynolds family,
Rodney C. Johnson (Hicks' friend), Ann Pyle (Carolyn Duke's mother), ,
Charlene Schakenberg, (Becky Fisher's mother)
Passed into eternal life: Austin Fields

Serving in the Armed Forces

PJ Koons	Scott Estes	Joseph George
Cliff Lance	Steven Lee	Greg Merkl
Alexis Rye	Michael Hobbs	Alex Long V