

Sunday 19t May, 2024 11.00 am

The Day of Pentecost

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Welcome & Intimations

Introit

Call to Worship

Hymn 559 There is a Redeemer,

There is a Redeemer,
Jesus, God's own Son
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah
Holy One

*Thank you, o my father
For giving us Your Son
And leaving us Your Spirit
Till your work on Earth is done*

Jesus my Redeemer
Name above all names
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah
Once for sinners slain

Chorus

When I stand in Glory
I will see His face
And there I'll serve my King forever
In that Holy Place

Chorus
Melody Green(b.1946)

Call to Prayer

Prayer of Approach and Confession

Children's Address

Hymn 588 Praise the Spirit in creation

- 1 Praise the Spirit in creation,
breath of God, life's origin :
Spirit, moving on the waters,
forming order deep within,
source of breath for all things breathing,
life in whom all lives begin.
- 2 Praise the Spirit, close companion
of our inmost thoughts and ways ;
who, in showing us God's wonders,
moves our hearts to love and praise ;
and God's will, to those who listen,
by a still small voice conveys.
- 3 Praise the Spirit, who enlightened
priests and prophets with the word ;
hidden truth behind the wisdoms
which as yet know not their Lord ;
by whose love and power in Jesus
God himself is seen and heard.
- 4 Praise the Spirit, sent by Jesus
when ascended to his throne,
who pours out on men and women
power for turning upside down
all the world and every people
as the gospel is made known.
- 5 Pray we now, Lord, Holy Spirit,
on our lives descend in might ;
let your flame burn bright within us,
our hearts and clear our sight,
till, consumed with your compassion,
we too set the world alight.

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Acts 2:1-21

Hymn 204 I am the church! You are the church!

I am the church! (With your thumb, point to yourself)
You are the church! (Point to you partner)
We are the church together! (Shake hands)
All who follow Jesus, (Reach out with both hands)
All around the world, (Circle arms over head)
Yes, we're the church together. (Link arms)

- 1 The church is not a building, the church is not a steeple.
The church is not a resting place, the church is a people!
Chorus
- 2 We're many kinds of people with many kinds of faces:
All colours and all ages, too, from all times and places.
Chorus
- 3 Sometimes the church is marching, sometimes it's bravely burning,
Sometimes it's riding, sometimes hiding. Always it's learning!
Chorus
- 4 And when the people gather there's singing and there's praying,
There's laughing and there's crying sometimes, all of it saying:
Chorus
- 5 At Pentecost some people received the Holy Spirit
And told the good news through all the world to all who would hear it.
Chorus
- 6 I count if I am ninety, or nine, or just a baby;
There's one thing I am sure about and I don't mean maybe:
Chorus

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St. John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15

Anthem

Sermon

The Offering (& Sung Doxology: Hymn 807)

Prayer of Intercession & The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father which art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy Name.**

Thy Kingdom come.

Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:

**For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for
ever. Amen.**

Hymn 110 Glory be to God the Father

- 1 Glory be to God the Father,
Glory be to God the Son,
Glory be to God the Spirit,-
Great Jehovah, Three in One!
Glory, glory, glory, glory
While eternal ages run!
- 2 Glory be to him who loved us,
Washed us from each spot and stain!
Glory be to him who bought us,
Made us kings with him to reign!
Glory, glory, glory, glory
To the Lamb that once was slain!
- 3 Glory to the King of angels,
Glory to the Church's King,
Glory to the King of nations!
Heaven and earth, your praises bring;
Glory, glory, glory, glory
To the King of Glory bring!

4 'Glory, blessing, praise eternal!'
Thus the choir of angels sings;
'Honour, riches, power, dominion!'
Thus its praise creation brings;
Glory, glory, glory, glory
Glory to the King of kings!

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Benediction

Choral Amen (3-fold)