

St. Mark Presbyterian Church

Worship Service 9:45 a.m.

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Day of Pentecost
May 19, 2024



Pastor
Director of Christian Education
Director of Music/Organist
Clerk of Session
Church Office Administrator

Rev. Dr. Paul M. Burns
Rev. Dr. Randall McGee
Mr. Gary O'Neal
Ms. Diane Llywelyn
Ms. Darlene Wright

We exist to know Jesus and make Him known.

True and only Light, from whom comes every good gift. Send your Spirit into our lives with the power of a mighty wind. Open the horizons of our minds by the flame of your wisdom. Loosen our tongues to show your praise, for only in your Spirit can we voice the words of peace and acclaim Jesus as our Lord. **Amen.**

- * **Gloria Patri** “Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me” No. 582
(children and youth are invited to come to the chancel steps)

Time for Young Disciples

Call to Confession Pastor

Confession Hymn “Breathe on Me, Breath of God” (Verses 1 and 2) No. 286
(In silence, confess your personal sins to God.)

Assurance of God’s Forgiving Grace Pastor and Congregation
(Responsive)

Hope is in God! For with God, there is steadfast love and great power to redeem. The God who knows our coming and our going made us with love and loves us still; God forgives our failure to love and serve those in need. God loves each of us.

Thanks be to God.

Prayer for Illumination (Responsive) Liturgist and Congregation

John 16:12-13a Jesus said to his disciples, I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth.”

Let us pray.

Come, Holy Spirit, freshening breeze. Breathe life into the ancient words of Scripture. Let our minds bloom open, like petals unfurling. Kindle within us your dreams for the earth. Amen.

First Reading: Ezekiel 37:1-14 (p. 724-725 Pew Bible) Liturgist
This is the Word of the Lord!

Response: Thanks be to God!

Second Reading: Acts 2:1-21 (p. 909-910 Pew Bible) Pastor
Holy Wisdom. Holy Word.

Response: Praise to you, O Christ!

Sermon

“The Bone Rattling Spirit”

Rev. Dr. Paul Burns

Anthem

“The Spirit Sings”
(arr. by Mark Hayes)

Sanctuary Choir

* **Affirmation of Faith** (Unison)

Pastor and Congregation
– The Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People and Lord’s Prayer

Pastor and Congregation

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 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, forever. Amen.

* **Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

Doxology No. 606

A public offering to God is one of the oldest forms of worship. Although we give in varied ways through the week, our participation in the Sunday Offering is a witness to God and to the world of our love and commitment.

If you have not already done so, please place your offering in the offering plates located at the front and back of the Sanctuary after the worship service.

* **Prayer of Dedication**

Pastor

* **Hymn**

“Every Time I Feel the Spirit”

No. 66

* **Charge and Benediction**

Pastor

* **Postlude**

Gary O’Neal, Organist

* **Invitation to stand**



Assisting in worship today is Susie Miller, Liturgist.



The usher is Lorraine Stephen.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 19TH

Today	1:00	Community Jam Club
	6:00	Journey Community Church Pentecost Service (FC)
Tuesday	6:30	Session Mtg.
	6:00	Christian Ed. Com. Mtg.
	6:30	Casa View Haven Neighborhood Assoc.
Wednesday	6:00	Way Out Wednesday Mtg.
	6:00	Handbell Rehearsal
	7:00	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	10:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	6:00	Zoom Yoga

SESSION MEMBERS

Diane Llywelyn – Clerk

Class of 2024

Kathleen Hale
Susie Miller
Lorraine Stephen

Class of 2025

Bill Grayson
Daniel Robinson
Leigh Taylor

Class of 2026

Diane Llywelyn
Bill Oney
Charlene Taylor