

## First United Methodist Church of Gilbert

Serving, Giving, Welcoming, Growing in the likeness of Christ

May 23, 2021 Pentecost

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#### Welcome!

Services at 8:30 and 10:00 am • See gilbertumc.org for important information

**Pre-service Music:** "Variations on Brethren, We Have Met to Worship" Kevin DeYager by George Askins; arr. Raymond H. Haan

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome and Greeting

Pastor Diamond with the Rhoden Family

**Bringing in the Light of Christ** 

**Prelude** "O Day of Peace" Kevin DeYager

UM Hymnal #729 by Daw/Parry/Webb; arr. Callahan

**Call to Worship** (8:30) Elaine Miller (10:00) Laurel Redman

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit,

People: The wind of God, the breath of Life.

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit,

People: Our Advocate, our Counselor.

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit,

People: Teacher of Wisdom, Reminder of Christ.

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit,

People: Granter of forgiveness, giver of peace.

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit.

All: May we feel God breathing through our worship.

**Opening Hymn** "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" vs. 1, 2 4 #384

UM Hymnal #384 WORDS: Charles Wesley MUSIC: John Zundel

#### **Opening Prayer**

Gracious God, Living, Eternal Spirit, we thank you that you seek us in tender loving care, lest any be lost. Help us, in the same way, to reach out toward those who may feel alienated or excluded from the Christian community. Send your Spirit upon us that when we speak the word of your love, people may hear and understand in their own language as on that Pentecost day so long ago; for we pray in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

**Anthem** "Just As I Am (I Come Broken)"

by Charlotte Elliott and William B. Bradbury

#### **Confirmation Class of 2021** (10:00 only)

Maia Chiricuzio Diana Ouellette Ethan Rempel Gunter Scharff

**Scripture Reading** 

Acts 2:1-21

**Message** Pastor Rick

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Response (8:30 only) "Spirit of the Living God"

UM Hymnal #393 WORDS and MUSIC: Daniel Iverson

#393

#### **Offering**

Offertory

"Holy Spirit"

CCLI Song # 6087919 Bryan Torwalt | Katie Torwalt © 2011 Capitol CMG Genesis (Capitol CMG Publ.)

**Presentation of the Offering** "Praise God, from whom all Blessings Flow" **#95**UMC Hymnal #95 Thomas Ken, 1674 Kevin DeYager

#### **Offering Prayer**

Living God, you are the Lord of all! Only you can send your Spirit to bring us new life. You graciously speak your word of hope in times of struggle and uncertainty and in times of joy and peace. We are grateful that you are continually at work in our lives and the world to fulfill your promises. May our giving today show our trust in you. We pray through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Closing Music (8:30) "Spirit of God Descend, Upon My Heart" vs. 1, 5

UM Hymnal #500 WORDS: George Croly MUSIC: Frederick C. Atkinson

#500

(10:00) "Cornerstone"

CCLI Song # 6158927 Edward Mote | Eric Liljero | Jonas Myrin | Reuben Morgan | William Batchelder Bradbury
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**Blessing** 

Postlude

"Postlude in C Minor"

Kevin Deyager

by Johann Sebastian Bach

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### Thank you for joining our services today!

If you have any questions or comments please contact us at connection@gilbertumc.org

CLERGY: Pastor Rick Casebolt and Pastor Diamond Pate
Music Director: Randy Van Der Pol Organist: Jeffrey Hendrickson
Guest Organist: Kevin DeYager

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