



* **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

The earth has many languages, O God,
but your gospel proclaims your love
to all nations in one heavenly tongue.
Make us messengers of your good news,
that the world might experience your love and healing,
through the power of the Holy Spirit,
who fills us with courage and strength beyond measure.
Amen.



* **HYMN #407**

Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayers

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* **INVITATION TO CONFESSION**

* **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Almighty God,
you poured out your Spirit upon gathered disciples,
creating bold tongues, open ears,
and a new community of faith.
We confess we fear the force of your Spirit,
and we do not listen for your word of grace,
speak the good news of your love,
or live as a people made one in Christ.
Forgive us, merciful God,
and transform our timid lives by the power of your Spirit.

Our prayers continue in silence.

* **LORD, HAVE MERCY**

LAND OF REST

Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy upon us.
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Text: Trad. liturgical text Tune: LAND OF REST, 8.7.8.7; American folk melody; arr. Richard Proulx, 1984

* **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Through Christ, God has poured out the Holy Spirit upon us.
God forgives us and sets us free.
Trust and believe the good news of the Gospel:
in Jesus Christ we are forgiven.
Thanks be to God!

* **RESPONSE OF PRAISE**

LLANFAIR

Hail the Lord of earth and heaven! Alleluia!
Praise to you by both be given, Alleluia!
Every knee to you shall bow, Alleluia!
Risen Christ, triumphant now. Alleluia!

Text: Charles Wesley, 1739, alt. Tune: LLANFAIR, 7.7.7.7 with alleluias; Robert Williams, 1817

* **SHARING THE PEACE**

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, we are also to forgive one another.
The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you!

Please take a moment to be thankful for God's peace.

The Word

ACKNOWLEDGING MILESTONES: CELEBRATING MEMBERSHIP

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

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PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 104:24-34, 35b Pew Bible, pg. 555 (OT)

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

Hymn to the Holy Spirit

Randolph Currie

Veni, Creator Spiritus mentes tuorum visita,
imple superna gratia, quae tu creasti pectora.

Come, Holy Spirit, Creator blest, and in our hearts take up thy rest;
come with thy grace and heavenly aid to fill the hearts which thou hast made.

O Comforter, to thee we cry, thou heavenly Gift of God Most High;
thou Fount of Life and Fire of Love, and sweet anointing from above.

Glory to the Father and to the Son, and to the Spirit, Three in One,
for as it was in the beginning and is now, and shall forever be, world without end.

Amen. Alleluia.

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING Acts 2:1-21 Pew Bible, pg. 119 (NT)

The Word of the Lord.

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SERMON

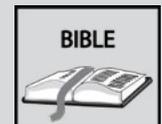
“Come, Holy Spirit, Come”

Rev. Carmen Goetschius

* **HYMN #286**

Breathe on Me, Breath of God

TRENTHAM



We trust in God the Holy Spirit,
everywhere the giver and renewer of life.
The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith,
sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor,
and binds us together with all believers
in the one body of Christ, the Church.
The same Spirit
who inspired the prophets and apostles
rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture,
engages us through the Word proclaimed,
claims us in the waters of baptism,
feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation,
and calls women and men to all ministries of the church.
In a broken and fearful world
the Spirit gives us courage
to pray without ceasing,
to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior,
to unmask idolatries in Church and culture,
to hear the voices of peoples long silenced,
and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.
In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit,
we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks
and to live holy and joyful lives,
even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth,
praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!"

OFFERTORY

Listen, Sweet Dove

Katherine Burk

Listen, sweet Dove unto my song, and spread thy golden wings in me;
hatching my tender heart so long, till it get wing, and flie away with thee.

The sunne, which once did shine alone, hung down his head, and wisht for night,
when he beheld twelve sunnes for one going about the world, and giving light.

Such glorious gifts thou didst bestow, that th' earth did like a heav'n appeare;
the starres were coming down to know if they might mend their wages, and serve here.

Lord, though we change, thou art the same; the same sweet God of love and light:
restore this day, for thy great name, unto his ancient and miraculous right.

— *George Herbert, 1633*

Thank you for your faithful support of the church and Christ's ongoing ministry. You may give through the church website at this link: firstpresportland.ccbchurch.com/goto/giving or mail your check to the church office: 1200 SW Alder St., Portland, OR 97205. Those attending worship are invited to leave gifts in the offering plates as they leave the sanctuary.

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God, all creatures high and low.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Praise God, in Jesus fully known:

Creator, Word, and Spirit one.

Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Text: Brian Wren, 1989 Tune: LASST UNS ERFREUEN, LM with alleluias; *Geistliche Kirchengesänge*, 1623

The Lord's Supper

In this service of worship, in which we remember the last supper Jesus shared with his disciples, we invite those worshipping with us online to participate in communion at home.

PRAYERS OF GREAT THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

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 our thanks and praise.

GREAT THANKSGIVING ACCLAMATIONS

(The prayer continues)

...we glorify your name and lift our voices in joyful praise.

Holy, Holy, Holy *(Hymnal #552)*

(The prayer continues)

...that we might proclaim the One crucified and risen.

Christ Has Died, Christ Is Risen *(Hymnal #553)*

(The prayer continues)

...all glory and honor are yours, almighty God, now and forever.

Amen *(Hymnal #554)*

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(Unison)*

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.

SHARING OF THE BREAD AND CUP





PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

The Sending

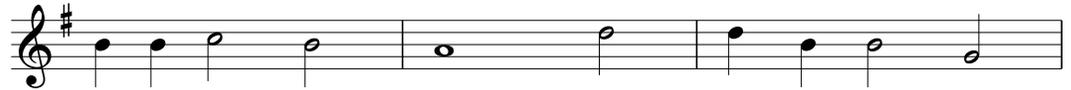
* HYMN

The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve

AZMON



1. The Spir - it sends us forth to serve; we
 2. We go to com - fort those who mourn and
 3. We go to be the hands of Christ, to
 4. Then let us go to serve in peace, the



go in Je - sus' name to bring glad ti - dings
 set the bur - dened free; where hope is dim, to
 scat - ter joy like seed and, all our days, to
 gos - pel to pro - claim. God's Spir - it has em -



to the poor, God's fa - vor to pro - claim.
 share a dream and help the blind to see.
 cher - ish life, to do the lov - ing deed.
 - pow - ered us; we go in Je - sus' name.

Text: Delores Dufner, OSB © 1993 by OCP Publications
 Tune: AZMON, CM; Carl Gotthelf Gläser, 1828; arr. Lowell Mason, 1839

* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Prelude on *Veni Creator Spiritus*

Paul Benoit, OSB

**WORSHIP
LEADERS**

Rev. Dr. Spencer Parks, Associate Pastor
Rev. Brenna Dykman, Associate Pastor
Rev. David Dornack, Parish Associate
Rev. Carmen Goetschius, Parish Associate
Greg Homza, Director of Music Ministries
Diane Ponder, Lay Reader

**PRAYERS OF
THE PEOPLE**

We join in holding in prayer:

Kathy Callas, Liz Dean, Ed & Janice Gehrig, Herb Grose, Fran Hermanson, Myra Rounsavell, Tom Showalter, Pete Taylor, and others facing illness and loss. If you would like your name added to the prayer section of the weekly bulletin, or confidential prayers, please contact the church office at office@firstpresportland.org or by phone at (503) 228-7331.

**SANCTUARY
FLOWERS**

This morning's sanctuary flowers are given in loving memory of Nancy and Malcolm Fifield and Alice and Max Snodderly, our dear parents, by Steve and Lisa Snodderly.

**IN
MEMORIAM**

Our prayers and sympathy are with the family and friends of Sue Miller, who died on Sunday, May 29.

Our prayers and sympathy are also with the family and friends of Robert Hastings, who died on Sunday, May 22.

The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time on and for evermore. (Psalm 121:8)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2023 Uganda Mission Trip

Have you been considering joining the 2023 mission trip to Kamwenge Secondary and Vocational School in Kamwenge, Uganda? If so, please join Pastor Spencer and Pastor Brenna for an informational evening where you can ask your questions and hear from previous mission team members. We will be hosting a potluck dinner on Wednesday June 8, 2022 at 6:00 pm in Calvin Library. Please RSVP to Kathryn Hill (hillka@teleport.com) by Monday, June 6.

Tuesday Women's Book Club

The Women's Book Club will meet on Tuesday, June 7, at 11:00 am on Zoom. Our book selection has changed to "A Single Thread" by Tracey Chevalier. Cindy Finch will lead the discussion. For questions, contact Marilyn Weber at mlwschatzi@gmail.com. To join on Zoom, contact Jan Mittelstaedt at janmitt@gmail.com.

Summer Blood Drive - June 7

Our Spring Blood Drive was such a success, we'll be holding another blood drive on Tuesday, June 7, from 11:00 am to 5:30 pm. You can sign up by going to the American Red Cross website and looking for our blood drive.

FPC 2022 Photo Directory

We are in the process of putting together a new photo directory for the FPC congregation - and we need your help! Since many of the church photographers are now out of business, we are asking folks to submit their own photos for the directory! Photo guidelines can be found in the June/July SPIRE. The photo deadline is August 1. Questions? Contact Jennifer at communications@firstpresportland.org

Menucha Labor Day Retreat, September 2-4

Enjoy Menucha's spectacular scenery, marvelous meals, and an excellent community-building program. Whether you want an active weekend including swimming and hiking or would rather take things easy, you'll love this time to connect with our church community, draw closer to God and marvel at creation in the Columbia River Gorge. There's a Saturday-only option as well!

Menucha Volunteer Work Parties

Menucha has a full schedule of Volunteer Work Parties. If you'd like to mark your calendars for future work parties, they are all on Saturdays, 9:00-12:00: June 25, Sept 24, Oct 15, and Nov 5. Menucha is also hoping to start hosting mid-week volunteer shifts - let Cloie know if you might be interested in those - cloie@menucha.org.

Nurture Lifelong Faith Connections

Our annual Presbyterian Pentecost Offering is a gift to the future-- furthering the faith development and welfare of children and youth. FPC keeps 40% of members' donations to fund projects in our own community. The remaining 60% supports ministries of the Presbyterian Mission Agency: Young Adult Volunteers (YAV), Ministries for Youth, and Children-at-Risk. Please make a contribution today during Pentecost to nurture the faith of those who are the church to come.

Kids Sunday School On Summer Break

We've had a great year of learning, art, music, and play in our Sunday School program for kids and we are taking a break for the summer. The nursery will be open for the littles and if your older elementary kiddos need a space to spread out, please send them to the nursery as well where we'll have games, crafts, and quiet activities in their own corner of that space. For kids participating in worship in the sanctuary, kids activities and coloring sheets are provided. Please ask an usher where the nursery or activity kits can be found!

Neighborhood Carpool Drivers Needed

Are you able to share a ride from your neighborhood to FPC on Sunday? Some members are driving less and need a lift to church, others want to find ways to reduce energy use. If you are interested in carpooling from your neighborhood, please contact the Deacon's transportation coordinator, Bill Resley at kayak500@gmail.com or (713) 256-6658.

Soft Goods Fundraiser Continues

We had such a good turnout for our Soft Goods offerings (**see details below*) that we are extending our collection. Items are being resold/recycled through a local thrift store and our youth will receive monetary compensation for each pound collected. Funds go to support youth mission trips! Bags of items can be left under the Soft Goods sign in Geneva Hall at any time. For more information, contact bdykman@gmail.com.

**All clothing including (men's, women's, children's), clothing accessories (hats, mittens, scarves, ties, nylons, socks, underwear), personal accessories (purses, wallets, fanny packs, bags), bed and bath (towels, sheets, blankets, pillows, curtains, tablecloths), shoes (all types) and other cloth materials. Please make sure items are washed before donating.*



“Holy Spirit Coming,” He Qi



LOVE GOD.
LOVE OUR NEIGHBORS.

Vision Statement:

We commit to be a church that is:

Engaged. A forward-thinking and involved congregation committed to each other and to the wider community.

Inclusive. A faith community that affirms and welcomes all people.

Compassionate. A congregation that follows in Christ's way, advancing the well-being and dignity of all people, working for a just and equitable society, and caring for all creation.

Faithful. Living our faith authentically with energy, intelligence, imagination, and love while expanding the circle where God's love is known.

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Celebrating First Pres Milestones

I thank my God every time I remember you. - Philippians 1:3

2022 Graduates

Stefen Carpenter - Eastern Washington University
Annie Dick - Portland State University
Margaret Shively - Gonzaga University



FPC Member for 80+ Years

Lois Piepenbrink (89)
Mary Lou McClung (83)

Rosemary Pullin (83)
Ruthie Keller (82)

FPC Member for 70+ Years

Edward Gehrig (71)
Janice Gehrig (71)

Ross Fogelquist (70)
Sally Broughton (70)

FPC Member for 60+ Years

Jeanne Steed (68)
Elizabeth Anne Olson (68)
Joan Zapf (68)
Dick Keller (67)
Dick Stetson (67)
Mary Norville (66)
Ilene Hayes (65)
Bruce Purdy (65)
Abigail Romick (65)
R Burl Romick (64)

Joyce Anglin (63)
Ruth Dennis (63)
Bob Brown (63)
John Hortenstine (62)
Neil Lafromboise (61)
Phil Peters (60)
Martha Tharp (60)
Don Barber (60)
William Kilkenny (60)
Tom Showalter (60)

FPC Member for 50+ Years

Katy Nadal (59)
Paul Hammond (58)
Ruth Falconbury (57)
Betty Kendall (56)
Jeanne Bradley (56)
Roselle Colwell (56)
Nancy Magnuson (56)
Ann Walsh (56)
Jean Meihoff (55)
Walt Meihoff (55)

Sharon Ziel (55)
Janis Harrison (54)
Robert Chapman (54)
Hal Broughton (53)
Bob Huston (52)
Leonard Cain (52)
Boyd Levet (52)
Barbara Lawson (51)
Amy Wood (51)