

**\*Closing Hymn #333 – “I’m Goin’a Sing When the Spirit Says Sing” I’M GOIN’A SING**

**\*Dismissal with Blessing**

**Closing Voluntary - “Symphony No. 5 in f minor, Op. 42, No. 1 - V. Toccata”  
by Charles-Marie Widor**

<b>Message –</b> Bob DiSalvo	<b>Counting Team:</b> Marisa Pershad
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🙏✝️💎♥Bruce Temple (husband of Florence, brother of Jane Temple Gunther and deceased parents Olive and Lyle Temple), ♥Maudlyn Scarlett, ♥Marianne Pike, ♥Jerry Noble (Tom Noble’s dad), ♥Lionel Brown, ♥Chris Ukanwoke, ♥Diane Vitacco, ♥Heather Manning (friend of Kim Neri), ♥SofiaRose Curry (relative of Sing Larson), ♥Edie Zipperlen, ♥Mary Flynn (mom) and Maureen Andersen (daughter), ♥Manny Kurz, ♥Debbielee Thomsen, ♥Cliff McBride (friend of Debbielee Thomsen), ♥Everon Palmer (son of Enid Simpson), ♥Carol Whyte, ♥Winston Scarlett (brother-in-law of Maudlyn Scarlett), ♥Jennifer LaRoche (friend of Kim Neri), ♥David Biegler, ♥Michael Kurz, ♥Vin Dowling, ♥Garvin Phillip (nephew of Eleanor Phillip), ♥Elaine Treske, ♥Marilyn Eller (sister of Elaine Treske), ♥Jim Poch, ♥All our Military men and women, ♥Barbara Siegl, ♥All UMW in Rehabilitation and Nursing Homes, ♥Castells Family (family of Elaine Treske, ♥Evelyn Neber (friend of Elaine Treske). **Note.** Prayer List names will continue to be listed for two weeks. After that period of time, the names will be removed unless you call us with current information. ✝️ - Death in family, 💎 - New entry



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**June 8, 2025 - 10:00AM**

**Order of Worship  
Pentecost Sunday**

**Grace United Methodist Church is a Family of Faith striving to share God’s love with all.**

**\*Please Stand If You Are Able**

**Opening Voluntary - “Symphony No. 5 in f minor, Op. 42, No. 1 - IV. Adagio”  
by Charles-Marie Widor**

**Welcome/Greetings**

**Choral Introit**

**\*Opening Hymn #539 – “O Spirit of the Living God”** *FOREST GREEN*

**\*Call to Worship**

L: Sing praises to God, O you saints, and give thanks to God’s holy name!  
**P: We exalt you, O God, for you have restored us to life!**  
L: We may cry through the night, but your joy comes with the morning.  
**P: You hear us, O God, and you are gracious in our distress.**  
L: You turn our mourning into dancing!  
**P: Our souls cannot be silent! O God, our Savior, we give thanks to you for ever!**

**\*Opening Prayer**

O God, you sent the Holy Spirit to enkindle the zeal of Christ’s followers waiting in Jerusalem for his promised gift. Pour the same inspiration on your people here assembled, and on the Church of Christ throughout the world. Revive the power of the gospel in our hearts, that it may be to us a sacred trust for the blessing of all creation. Enable your Church to spread the good news of salvation, so that all nations may hear it in their own tongues, and welcome it into their own lives. Protect, encourage, and bless all ministers of the cross, and prosper their words and works, so that Jesus, being lifted up, may draw all people unto him, and the kingdoms of the world may become the kingdom of our Lord and of Jesus Christ. Amen.

**Prayer of Confession**

Lord Jesus Christ, you are the way of peace. Come into the brokenness of our lives and our land with your healing love. Help us to be willing to bow before you in true repentance, and to bow to one another in real forgiveness. By the fire of your Holy Spirit, melt our hard hearts and consume the pride and prejudice which separate us. Fill us, O Lord, with your perfect love, which casts out our fear, and bind us together in that unity which you share with the Father and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

**Words of Assurance**  
O God, the Holy Spirit, come to us, and among us; come as the wind, and cleanse us; come as the fire, and burn; come as the dew, and refresh; convict, convert, and consecrate many hearts and lives to our great good and to thy greater glory; and this we ask for Jesus Chris’s sake. **Amen.**

**Passing of the Peace of Christ**  
May the Spirit of the living God be within us and bring us peace and tranquility, let us now share that peace with our brothers and sisters in our family of faith. Peace to you this day and every day.

**Children’s Message** Janet Stone

**Scriptures**  
**Old Testament – Psalm 104:24-35** (New International Version – NIV)  
<sup>24</sup>How many are your works, Lord! In wisdom you made them all; the earth is full of your creatures. <sup>25</sup>There is the sea, vast and spacious, teeming with creatures beyond number—living things both large and small. <sup>26</sup>There the ships go to and fro, and Leviathan, which you formed to frolic there. <sup>27</sup>All creatures look to you to give them their food at the proper time. <sup>28</sup>When you give it to them, they gather it up; when you open your hand, they are satisfied with good things. <sup>29</sup>When you hide your face, they are terrified; when you take away their breath, they die and return to the dust. <sup>30</sup>When you send your Spirit, they are created, and you renew the face of the ground. <sup>31</sup>May the glory of the Lord endure forever; may the Lord rejoice in his works—<sup>32</sup>he who looks at the earth, and it trembles, who touches the mountains, and they smoke. <sup>33</sup>I will sing to the Lord all my life; I will sing praise to my God as long as I live. <sup>34</sup>May my meditation be pleasing to him, as I rejoice in the Lord. <sup>35</sup>But may sinners vanish from the earth and the wicked be no more.

L: The Word of God, For the People of God. **P: Thanks be to God.**

**\*New Testament – Acts 2:1-21** (New International Version – NIV)  
**2** When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup> Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup> They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. <sup>4</sup> All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them. <sup>5</sup> Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven. <sup>6</sup> When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard their own language being spoken. <sup>7</sup> Utterly amazed, they asked: “Aren’t all these who are speaking Galileans? <sup>8</sup> Then how is it that each of us hears them in our native language? <sup>9</sup> Parthians, Medes and Elamites; residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia,<sup>1</sup> <sup>10</sup> Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya near Cyrene; visitors from Rome <sup>11</sup> (both Jews and converts to Judaism); Cretans and Arabs—we hear them declaring the wonders of God in our own tongues!” <sup>12</sup> Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another, “What does this mean?” <sup>13</sup> Some, however, made fun of them and said, “They have had too much wine.” <sup>14</sup> Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: “Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say. <sup>15</sup> These people are not drunk, as you suppose. It’s only nine in the morning! <sup>16</sup> No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel: <sup>17</sup> “‘In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all

people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams. <sup>18</sup> Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy. <sup>19</sup> I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood and fire and billows of smoke. <sup>20</sup> The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord. <sup>21</sup> And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.’

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**\*Hymn before Message #420 – “Breathe on Me, Breath of God”** *TRENTHAM*

**Message – “Blessed by the Spirit of God”** Bob DiSalvo

**Prayer after Message**  
Remember, Prince of Peace, the peoples of the world divided into many nations and tongues. Deliver us from every evil that obstructs your saving purpose, and fulfill your promises of old to establish your kingdom of peace. From the curse of war and all that creates it,  
**P: O Lord, deliver us.**  
From believing and speaking lies against other nations, **P: O Lord, deliver us.**  
From narrow loyalties and selfish isolation, **P: O Lord, deliver us.**  
From fear and distrust of other nations, from all false pride, vainglory, and self-conceit,  
**P: O Lord, deliver us.**  
From the lust of the mighty for riches, that drives peaceful people to slaughter,  
**P: O Lord, deliver us.**  
From putting our trust in the weapons of war, and from want of faith in the power of justice and good will, **P: O Lord, deliver us.**  
From every thought, word, and deed which that the human family and separates us from the perfect realization of your love, **P: O Lord, deliver us. Amen.**

**Reading of the Prayer List**

**Lord’s Prayer and Choral Response**

**Invitation to Tithes and Offering**  
When the Spirit breathes upon us, we are filled with good things. When this breath is taken away, we return to the dust of the earth. In the time we have, let us give thanks and share our blessing with the world.

**Choral Selection – “Come, Holy Ghost, In Love”** by Leland B. Sateren

**\*Hymn No. 95 - Presentation of the Offering**

**\*Prayer of Dedication**  
**Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift, teach us to render to you all that we have and all that we are, that we may praise you, not with our lips only, but with our whole lives, turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our days into a living sacrifice to you; through our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.**