

# CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY



**THE DAY OF PENTECOST**  
**May 28, 2023—10:30 am**

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## *A Note To Our Guests:*

Welcome to Epiphany, we are glad to have you join us this morning as we celebrate Holy Eucharist!

Guests sometimes worry about what to do next...where to turn in the book and whether to stand, sit or kneel. From time to time you will receive page number guidance from the clergy, and you may watch to see what others do. The “BCP” page numbers refer to the Book of Common Prayer, the black book. The “S” numbers refer to the Service Music in the front of the blue Hymnal 1982. But we invite you into worship and just to enjoy the service. All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion at the Lord’s Table. If you prefer not to receive, but wish to come forward for a blessing, please do so, crossing your arms against your chest.

We are blessed to have you with us! So, sing the hymns, join in, and celebrate the joy of our Lord’s life, death, and resurrection!

Again, welcome ...We wish you God’s peace and joy!

Faithfully,  
*The People of Church of the Epiphany*

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## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday 8:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist (Rite I)  
Sunday 10:30 a.m.—Holy Eucharist (Rite II)

Morning Prayer via Zoom  
Tuesday and Thursday 8:30 a.m.

# THE DAY OF PENTECOST

May 28, 2023

Holy Eucharist - Rite II - 10:30 am

*A time of quiet reflection or personal prayer is requested prior to the service.*

**PROCESSIONAL**

*Come Down, O Love Divine*

Hymn 516

**OPENING ACCLAMATION**

BCP 355

**GLORIA**

Hymn S-280

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

**People** **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty God, on this day you opened the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of your Holy Spirit: Shed abroad this gift throughout the world by the preaching of the Gospel, that it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## FIRST LESSON

*Acts 2:1-21*

When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, “Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

‘In the last days it will be, God declares,  
that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,  
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,  
and your young men shall see visions,  
and your old men shall dream dreams.  
Even upon my slaves, both men and women,  
in those days I will pour out my Spirit;  
and they shall prophesy.  
And I will show portents in the heaven above  
and signs on the earth below,  
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.  
The sun shall be turned to darkness  
and the moon to blood,  
before the coming of the Lord’s great and glorious day.  
Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.’”

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.  
**People** **Thanks be to God.**

#### THE PSALM

*Psalms 104:1-2, 24, 27-30, 35*

**All** **Lord, send out your spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**

*Cantor* Bless the LORD, O my soul! O LORD my God, how great you are,  
clothed in majesty and honor, wrapped in light as with a robe.

**All** **Lord, send out your spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**

*Cantor* How many are your works, O LORD! In wisdom you have made them all.  
The earth is full of your creatures. Bless the LORD, O my soul.

**All** **Lord, send out your spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**

*Cantor* All of these look to you to give them their food in due season.  
You give it, they gather it up; you open wide your hand, they are well filled.

**All** **Lord, send out your spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**

*Cantor* You take away their breath, they die,  
returning to the dust from which they came.  
You send forth your spirit, and they are created,  
and you renew the face of the earth.

**All** **Lord, send out your spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**

**THE EPISTLE**

*1 Corinthians 12:3b-13*

No one can say “Jesus is Lord” except by the Holy Spirit. Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body — Jews or Greeks, slaves or free — and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

*Lector*        The Word of the Lord  
**People**        **Thanks be to God.**

**GOSPEL HYMN**

*Holy Spirit*

<sup>1</sup> Holy Spirit living Breath of God  
Breathe new life into my willing soul  
Let the presence of the risen Lord  
Come renew my heart and make me whole  
Cause Your word to come alive in me  
Give me faith for what I cannot see  
Give me passion for Your purity  
Holy Spirit breathe new life in me

<sup>2</sup> Holy Spirit come abide within  
May Your joy be seen in all I do  
Love enough to cover ev’ry sin  
In each thought and deed and attitude  
Kindness to the greatest and the least  
Gentleness that sows the path of peace  
Turn my strivings into works of grace  
Breath of God show Christ in all I do

<sup>3</sup> Holy Spirit from creation’s birth  
Giving life to all that God has made  
Show Your power once again on earth  
Cause Your church to hunger for Your ways  
Let the fragrance of our pray’rs arise  
Lead us on the road of sacrifice  
That in unity the face of Christ  
May be clear for all the world to see

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**THE GOSPEL***John 20:19-23*

*Lector* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.  
**People** **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

*Lector* The Gospel of the Lord.  
**People** **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**SERMON**

Fr. Stace Tafoya

**THE NICENE CREED**

BCP 358

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

BCP 392

**OFFERTORY***Come, Thou Holy Sprit Bright*

Hymn 226

**DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;  
 Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**GREAT THANKSGIVING**

BCP 362

**SANCTUS**

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
 Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
 Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.  
 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
 Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

Hymn S-125

GREAT AMEN

Hymn S-146

FRACTION ANTHEM

Belmont

Alleluia,  
Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us, therefore let us keep the feast;  
Blood of Christ, shed for us, take in remembrance of Him.

COMMUNION MUSIC

*Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song*

Hymn 513

*Come Holy Spirit*

<sup>1</sup> Holy Spirit Lord of Light  
From the clear celestial height  
Thy pure beaming radiance give

<sup>2</sup> Come now Father of the poor  
Come with treasures to endure  
Come now Light of all that live

**Light immortal Light divine  
Visit now these hearts of Thine  
And our inmost being fill  
For without Your grace all turns to ill**

**Veni Sancte Spiritus  
Veni Sancte Spiritus  
Veni Sancte Spiritus**

<sup>3</sup> Heal our wounds our strength renew  
On our dryness pour Thy dew  
Wash the stains of guilt away

<sup>4</sup> Bend the stubborn heart and will  
Melt the frozen warm the chill  
Guide our steps when we go astray

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POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP 365

RECESSIONAL

*Hail Thee, Festival Day*

Hymn 225

*We are a community of discipleship, healing and worship.  
We are committed to God, one another and  
the transformation of the world in Jesus Christ.*

## News

**Volunteers!**—Please contact Fr. Stace if you are interested in volunteering your time as an usher, reader, or offering counter!

**Summer Partnership**—This summer, Christ Church, Epiphany, and St. Gabriel's will be collaborating for a deep dive into the work and ministry of the Holy Spirit. That means all preaching and teaching will be geared toward learning and experiencing the Holy Spirit in our lives as Christians. We will have pulpit shares, which will give the three churches opportunity to become familiar with other churches. We will culminate with a joint service on August 27th. It will be a great way to focus on the empowering of the Spirit with others as we navigate these troubled times. Stay tuned for more information!

**Parish Directory**—It has been several years since Epiphany put out a parish directory. Please fill out a contact card (found in the pew) so that we can have an accurate record of all our regular attenders. You may return the card with the offering, or place in Grace-Ann's mailbox.

DATE	10:30 LECTOR	ACOLYTES	CHALICE
5/28		Antonio, Excel, Outshine, Maddie	Don
6/4	Don	Megan, Francis	Gillian
6/11	Grace-Ann	Luke, Jacob, Pascal	John
6/18			Don, Gillian