
OUR JOURNEY; CO-MISSION

TIME AFTER PENTECOST
June 6, 2021

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Feria Pentecostes
("Pentecost Friday." from 7 Improvisations, no. 2)

C. SAINT-SAËNS

RINGING OF THE BELLS

WELCOME

Pastor Amy Kienzle

GREETING

The grace of Jesus Christ our Savior, the reconciling love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

APOSTLE'S CREED

We believe in God,
the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
We believe in Jesus Christ,
God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.
We believe in the Holy Spirit
the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.



“Will you come and fol - low me if I but call
 “Will you love the you you hide if I but call
 Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true when you but call



your name? Will you go where you don't
 your name? Will you quell the fear in -
 my name. Let me turn and fol - low



know and nev - er be the same?
 side and nev - er be the same?
 you and nev - er be the same.



Will you let my love be shown, will you let my
 Will you use the faith you've found to re - shape the
 In your com - pa - ny I'll go where your love and



name be known, will you let my life be
 world a - round, through my sight and touch and
 foot - steps show. Thus I'll move and live and



grown in you and you in me?"
 sound in you and you in me?"
 grow in you and you in me.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. All-powerful God,

in Jesus Christ you turned death into life and defeat into victory. Increase our faith and trust in him, that we may triumph over all evil in the strength of the same Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

WORD

LESSON

Teaghan Brostrom, Lector

2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1

Life in the present is transitory and cannot compare with the eternal home God has prepared for us. So we do not despair no matter what life might bring because we know that as God raised Jesus from the dead, God promises to bring us into eternal life.

Word of God, word of life.

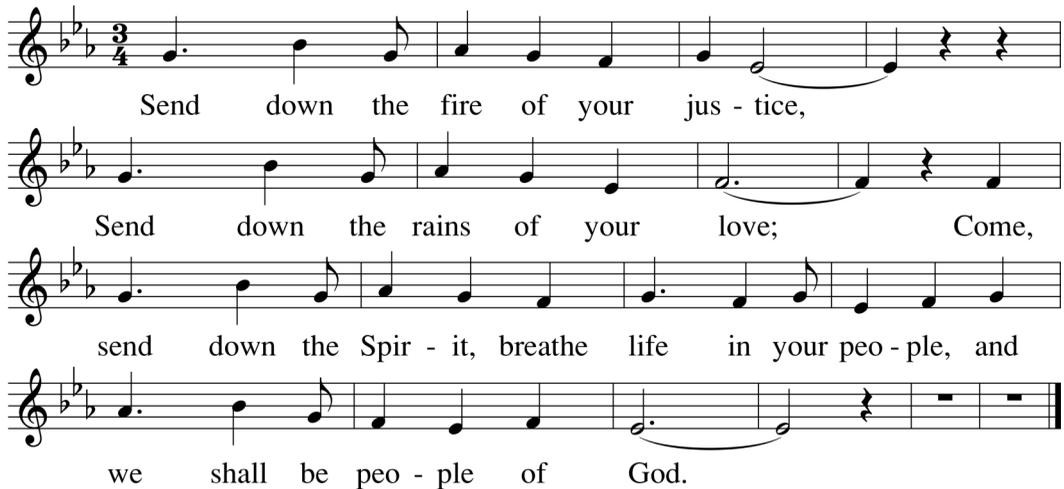
Thanks be to God.

PSALM 104

Send Down The Fire

M. HAUGEN

Refrain



Send down the fire of your jus - tice,
Send down the rains of your love; Come,
send down the Spir - it, breathe life in your peo - ple, and
we shall be peo - ple of God.

Verses Call us to be your compassion, teach us the song of your love; give us hearts that sing, give us deeds that ring, make us ring with the song of your love. **Refrain**

Call us to learn of your mercy, teach us the way of your peace; give us hearts that feel, give us hands that heal, make us walk in the way of your peace. **Refrain**

Call us to answer oppression, teach us the fire of your truth; give us righteous souls, 'til your justice rolls, make us burn with the fire of your truth. **Refrain**

Call us to witness your Kingdom, give us the presence of Christ; may your holy light keep us shining bright, ever shine with the presence of Christ. **Refrain**

GOSPEL PROLOGUE

Alleluia. The ruler of this world will be driven out.

And when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw all people to myself. Alleluia.

Before the reading: The Holy Gospel according to Mark.

Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL

Mark 3:20-35

In response to charges that he is possessed, Jesus wonders aloud how anyone who is demon-possessed can cast out demons. Those who do the will of God are possessed by the Holy Spirit, siblings of Christ.

After the reading: The Gospel of our Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

The Sorensen Family

SERMON

Pastor Amy Kienzle

MUSIC FOR CENTERING

Gracious Guidance

S. JOHNSON

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Assisting Minister Mary Robinson

After each petition: Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you and your household.

And also with you.

THANKSGIVING

OFFERTORY

*As we come together living out our faith in unity amidst a national and global emergency,
we trust in our God's loving care to provide for all we need.*

Let us respond generously to God's abiding love with our tithes and offerings.

*You may now pause this worship service for a few minutes, and go to our website at www.stjohnslc.org,
where you will find the "Giving Link" that takes you to the St. John's
secure giving app or simply click the OFFERTORY title above. You can give directly to the St. John's
General Fund, ensuring the church's ministries stay strong in this time of expanding need. You can also make
your offering by check and mail it to St. John's at 1701 L Street, Sacramento, CA, 95811.*

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Worship With St John's Card [here](#).*

VERSE 1



ANTIPHON



VERSE 2



THANKSGIVING FOR THE WORD

Let us pray. Gracious and merciful God,
slow to anger, rich in love, we bless your name and give you thanks. In our need, you make haste to help us. You plant us beside streams of your wisdom, teach us in pastures greenening with truth, and guide us on the path of your promise. By your Spirit awaken our faith, that, feasting on your Word, we may love you more fully and serve our neighbor more faithfully; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

SENDING

BENEDICTION

The blessing of God who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit be upon you now and forever.

Amen.

SENDING MUSIC

I Will Choose Christ

T. BOOTH

Refrain

I will choose Christ, I will choose love, I choose to serve.

I give my heart, I give my life, I give my all

1-3 to Verses Final

to you. to you. I give my all to you.

Verse 1

1. How man-y times must he call my name and show to

Continued...

1. me that he is God? And as a ser-vant he
to Refrain
1. calls to me, "You must serve too."

Verse 2
2. Christ, my teach-er and heal-er, teach my
2. heart and heal my soul. And as I walk this
to Refrain
2. road with you, teach me to love.

Verse 3
3. As I look up-on your cross, so too
3. must I die with you. And with the death of my
to Refrain
3. own de-sires, I'll rise with you.

DISMISSAL

Go in peace, serve the lord,
and live God's love in the world!

POSTLUDE

Allegro giocoso
(from 7 Improvisations, no. 7)

C. SAINT-SAËNS

SERVING IN ONLINE WORSHIP

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Director of Worship & Music	Steven Johnson
Assistant Director of Worship & Music	Eliseo Paniagua
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