

## **May 31, 2020 – Pentecost Sunday**

Opening Song (Instrumental)

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Reader #1: God promised through a prophet long ago: I will pour out my spirit on all flesh.

Reader #2: Our sons and daughters shall prophesy, the young see visions, and the old dream dreams.

Reader #1: God's spirit opens minds and hearts to make the commonplace exceptional.

Reader #2: We want to see, hear, and feel what the Holy Spirit has in store for us.

Reader #1: Listen for the wind and feel the flames; be alert for God's surprises.

Reader #2: Come, Holy Spirit, to make all things new; light the flame of love in our lives.

Song (Instrumental)

Confession of Sin – Reader #2

Amazing God, we are bewildered by our continuing inability to make sense out of life. Our visions and dreams far outpace reality, and our expectations of ourselves are seldom realized. We have huge expectations of others, that everyone should believe and behave the way we do. There are divisions of race, politics, economic status and world view that threaten to divide a wedge between us. Forgive our selfish inclinations and enliven us by your Holy Spirit. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Gloria Patri (instrumental)

Lesson from the Acts of the Apostles – Acts 2:1-21

Children's Sermon

Song "The B I B L E" (Recorded by Child #1 B.B.)

Epistle Lesson – 1 Corinthians 12:3b-13

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Lord's Prayer (Child #1 B.B.)

Offering

Offertory

Doxology (Instrumental)

Gospel Lesson – John 20:19-23

Sermon

Song (Instrumental)

Benediction

Congregational Response "Shalom" #368 Red Hymnal

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## **Announcements**

\*This morning's radio broadcast is sponsored by Dean Dahnert, in celebration of his grand-daughter's 6<sup>th</sup> birthday on May 28. Happy Birthday, Briann Jaedean Brick!

**\*Our Sunday morning Radio Broadcast on WRPQ will begin airing at 9am beginning on June 7.** Moving forward, this will be the regular time slot for the radio broadcast throughout the year (even though we will continue to worship at 8am and 10:30am when we are ready to reopen for public worship). A church in the Arlington area has been looking to go live at 8am and will take the slot when it opens. First UCC will have the flexibility to start a recorded stream of our 8am worship at 9am.

\*This coming Wednesday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>, Ed Sr. and Ted Larsen will be celebrating their 90<sup>th</sup> birthdays. Happy 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday, Ed & Ted.

\*Pastor Bill will be on vacation June 5-12. Kurt Schultz will be leading worship next Sunday June 7, live on WRPQ. The radio broadcast will begin at 9am.