



Creeds Holy Spirit

12th Sunday after Pentecost

September 1, 2019
Sunday Worship at 10:30am



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GATHERING

Music to Prepare Us for Worship

Gathering Songs – “Come and Fill Me Up”
“Every Time I Feel the Spirit”

Come And Fill Me Up

Words and Music by
Brian Doerksen

♩ = 89

VERSE

G G^{SUS} G G^{SUS} G G^{SUS} G G^{SUS}

I can feel You flow-in' thru me. Ho-ly Spir - it, come and fill me up. _

5 D C G G^{SUS} G G^{SUS}

____ Come and fill ____ me up. ____

9 G G^{SUS} G G^{SUS} G G^{SUS} G G^{SUS}

Love and mer - cy fill my sens - es. I am thirs - ty for Your pres-ence, Lord. _

13 D C G G^{SUS} G G^{SUS}

____ Come and fill ____ me up. ____

CHORUS

17 Am D G Em

Lord, let Your mer - cy wash ____ a - way ____ all of my sin. ____

21 Am D G Em⁷ D

Fill me com-plete- ly with ____ Your love ____ once a-gain. ____

Come And Fill Me Up - 2

25 C G C D^{SUS} D

I need You, I want You. I love Your pres - ence.

29 C G/B C

I need You, I want You. I love — Your pres -

32 D^{SUS} D G G^{SUS} G G^{SUS} G

ENDING

- ence.

Every Time I Feel The Spirit

African-American Spirit

Allegro

G D Bm A7 D D7 C G D G

Ev - 'ry time I feel the spir - it mov - in

D A7 D D7 G D G7

in my heart, I will pray. Ev - 'ry time I feel the spir - it mov - in

D Bm A7 D Fine D

in my heart, I will pray. { Up - on the moun - tain when my Lorc
Oh, I have sor - rows and I have

A6 A7 D D

spoke, Out of His mouth came fire and smoke. Looked all a - round me. It looked so
woe, And I have heart - ache here be - low; But while God leads me, I'll nev - e



Introduce the Theme with Kids **(Give kids the Kid's Bulletin when done)**

Welcome, River Source, Connection Cards

(Please Stand) No Longer Strangers Prayer

Holy Spirit of God,

Your stirring of our hearts and our lives is unsettling and disruptive. Transform our lives through seeing Jesus Christ in the lives of people we do not know and do not like. Change us, Holy Spirit, through the lives of other people. Amen.

Meet Someone New

Worship Leader: *Now is the time to practice this very dangerous prayer we just prayed – there are no strangers because of the love we know in Jesus. We simply can't afford to be afraid of each other, especially in this place of worship of the God who brings us together. Visitors, stay right where you are. It's our job, as River of Hope, to make ourselves a little bit uncomfortable and to come and say hello to you. So, go and say hi to someone you don't know very well or at all.*

"Every Time I Feel the Spirit" to bring people back together.

(Still Standing) Confession and Forgiveness

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Amen.

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God,
who forgives all our sin,
whose mercy endures forever.

Amen.

God of all mercy and consolation, **come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.**
Amen.

Let us confess that God is God and we are not.

Silence is kept for reflection and self-examination

Gracious God, **have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

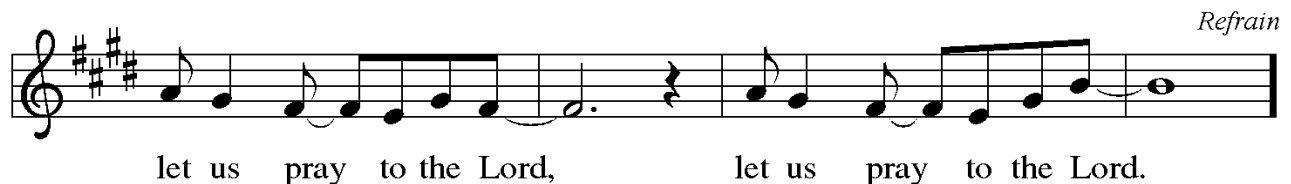
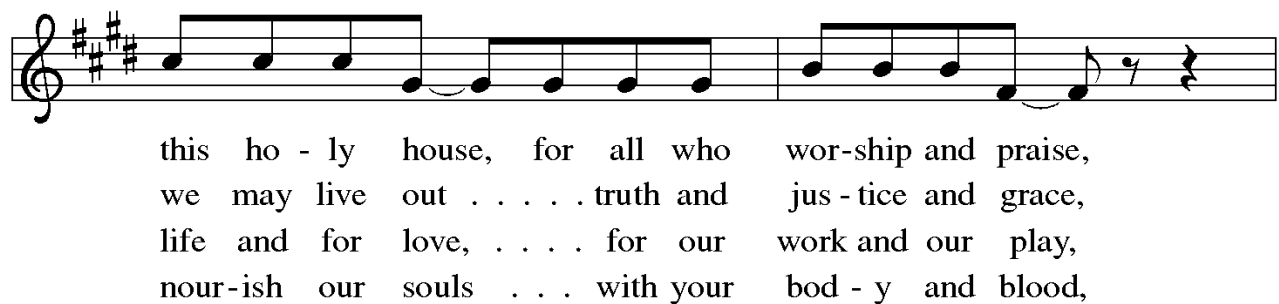
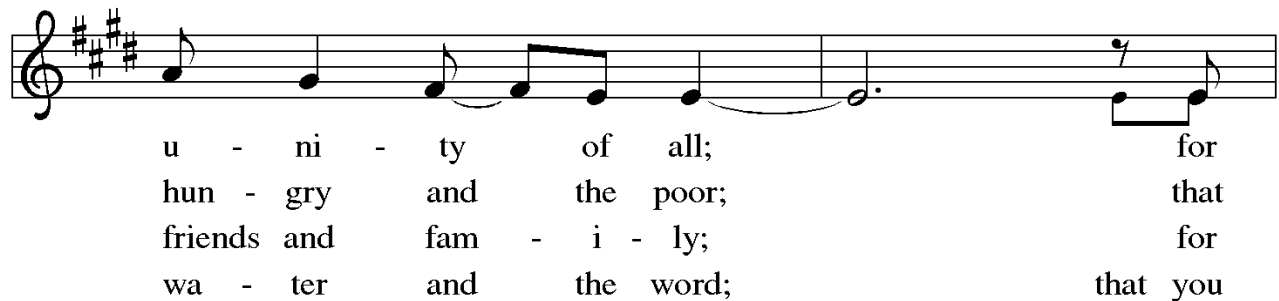
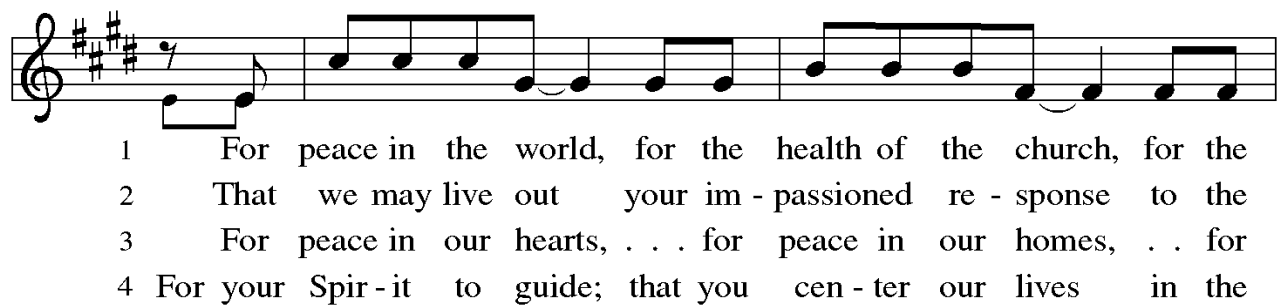
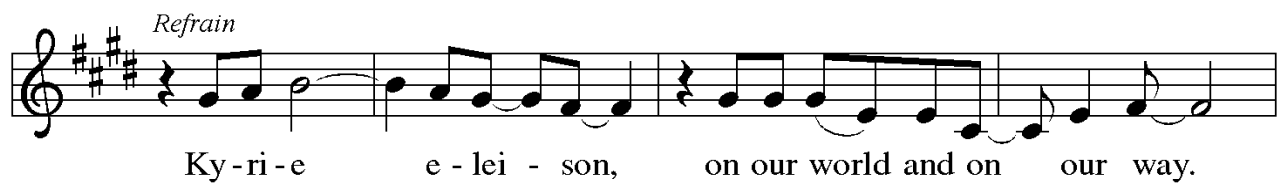
God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Jesus Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins. In the name of the Father, the Son ✠ and of the Holy Spirit. May almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith. **Amen.**

Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the community of the Holy Spirit is with you all. **And also with you.**

(Still Standing)

Song "Kyrie"



Prayer of the Day

Merciful God,

You desire always to show compassion to those who need it. Soften our hearts toward people in our debt, that we might learn to love as you love. For the sake of Jesus our Savior. Amen.

(Please Be Seated)

THE STORY

Narrator: Our story and God's story continues today, with a reading from Acts:2:1-18

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Narrator: When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place.

Side 1: 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.

Side 2: 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?"

Pastor: 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."

Narrator: 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:

All: '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.

Narrator: Stay tuned for the continuing drama that is our story and God's story.

All: Praise to you O Christ.

Please stand

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew.

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Pastor: Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them,

All: “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you.

Pastor: And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

Pastor: The Gospel of our Lord.

Response: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Song After Sermon - “Spirit Song”

Worship Leader: *As we sing, write your prayers on the small purple piece of paper given to you. Paper prayers will be collected during the song. The prayers will then be prayed out loud, anonymously.*

Spirit Song

Words and Music by
John Wimber

VERSE

D \flat A \flat /D \flat D \flat /F G \flat A \flat ⁷ Fm/A \flat Fm⁷



1. Oh, let the Son of God en - fold you with His Spir - it and His
2. Oh, come and sing this song with glad - ness as your hearts are filled with

4 B \flat m E \flat m⁷ A \flat G \flat /A \flat A \flat D \flat



love; Let Him fill your heart and sat - is - fy your soul.
joy; Lift your hands in sweet sur - ren - der to His name.

8 A \flat /D \flat D \flat /F G \flat A \flat ⁷ Fm/A \flat Fm⁷



Oh, let Him have those things that hold you, and His Spir - it, like a
Oh, give Him all your tears and sad - ness, give Him all your years of

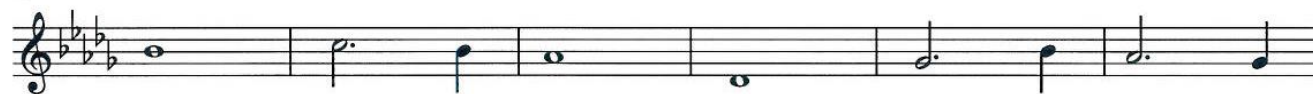
12 B \flat m E \flat m⁷ A \flat ⁷ G \flat /A \flat A \flat ⁷ D \flat



dove, will de - scend up - on your life and make you whole.
pain, and you'll en - ter in - to life in Je - sus' name.

CHORUS

17 G \flat A \flat /G \flat G \flat Fm B \flat m⁷ E \flat m⁷ A \flat



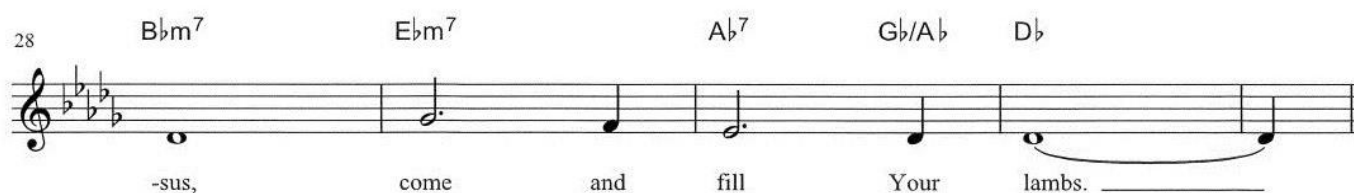
Je - sus, oh Je - sus, come and fill Your

23 D \flat G \flat A \flat /G \flat G \flat Fm



lambs. Je - sus, oh Je -

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Prayers of the People

Worship Leader: Gathered together as the people of God, let us pray for the church, the world, and all people and places in need of God's grace and mercy...

Prayers given to the pray-ers will be prayed out loud, anonymously. Every 3-4 petitions will end with:

Leader: The Lord is my light and my salvation;

All: Whom shall I fear?

When the 2 pray-ers are done with petitions, the worship leader concludes the prayers...

Worship Leader: Gracious and merciful God, we trust you with these prayers just as we trust you with our lives. Hear them and continue speaking to us every day. We are in need of your grace, the grace we only know through Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

Offering

Worship Leader: *We are grateful for your financial gifts; it's the only way churches are churches. Set up automatic giving by going to our website, riverofhopehutchinson.org click "give" & go from there.*

You may remain seated as the offering is collected. At the end of the offering, kids please meet at the back to help Pastor Janine set the table.

(Please stand as you are able while the gifts/offering is brought forward.)

Song "Sing to the Lord of Harvest" (verse 3)


Sing to the Lord of Harvest



1 Sing to the Lord of har - vest your songs of love and praise;
2 God makes the clouds drop fat - ness, the des - erts bloom and spring,
3 Bring to this sa - cred al - tar the gifts his good-ness gave,



with joy - ful hearts and voic - es your al - le - lu - ias raise;
the hills leap up in glad - ness, the val - leys laugh and sing.
the gold - en sheaves of har - vest, the souls Christ died to save.



by him the roll - ing sea - sons in fruit - ful or - der move;
God fills them with his full - ness, all things with large in - crease,
Your hearts lay down be - fore him when at his feet you fall,



sing to the Lord of har - vest a joy - ous song of love.
and crowns the year with good - ness, with plen - ty and with peace.
and with your lives a - dore him who gave his life for all.

THE FEAST

Setting the Table

As the kids help set the table, make a circle around the table holding hands and lead the congregation in the table prayer written by Martin Luther:

Let's pray: **Come, Lord Jesus, be our guest. And let these gifts to us be blest. Blest be God who is our bread, may all the world be clothed and fed. Amen.**

(Stay Standing)

Words of Institution

The Lord is with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them to the Risen Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

In the night when Jesus was betrayed by his best friends, he took bread. He blessed it and broke it and gave it to these same friends saying, "Take and eat. This is my body given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup, blessed it and gave it for all to drink saying, "This is the new covenant, the new promise, for the forgiveness of sins. Do this for the remembrance of me."

The Lord's Prayer (Written by Parker J. Palmer)

Worship Leader: *You are invited to join hands with those around you in prayer. If you are not the hand-holding type, then simply fold your hands in front of you or hang onto this bulletin as you pray.*

Heavenly Father, heavenly Mother,

Holy and blessed is your true name.

We pray for your reign of peace to come, We pray that your good will be done,

Let heaven and earth become one.

Give us this day the bread we need,

Give it to those who have none.

Let forgiveness flow like a river between us, From each one to each one.

Lead us to holy innocence

Beyond the evil of our days —

Come swiftly Mother, Father, come.

For yours is the power and the glory and the mercy:

Forever your name is All in One. Amen.

(Please be Seated)

Invitation to the Meal

You are welcome to this meal. It is free, and it is for you. If you hunger and thirst for grace and mercy that comes through Jesus Christ, then Christ has set this table just for you.

Communion Songs/Hymns "Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

"Spirit of God Descend Upon My Heart"

Sweet Sweet Spirit

Words and Music by
Doris Akers

VERSE

F F/A B \flat F/A Dm C F F 9 /E \flat D 7 D 7 /F \sharp



1. There's a sweet, sweet Spir - it in this place, _____ and I
2. There are bless - ings you can - not re - ceive _____ till you
3. If you say He saved you from your sin; _____ Now you're

5 Gm F/A B \flat 6 F/C C 7 F B \flat /F F F/C C 7 F F/A



know that its the Spir - it of _____ the Lord. _____ There are sweet ex -
know Him in His full - ness and _____ be - lieve. _____ You're the one to
weak, you're bound and can - not en - ter in. _____ You can make it


10 B \flat F/A Dm C F F 9 /E \flat D 7 D 7 /F \sharp Gm F/A B \flat 6



-pres - sions on each face, _____ and I know they feel the
prof - it when you say, _____ "I am going to walk with
right if you will yield; _____ You'll en - joy the Ho - ly


CHORUS

14 F/C C 7 F B \flat /F F F B \flat /F F




pres - ence of _____ the Lord. _____ Sweet Ho - ly Spir - it,
Je - sus all _____ the way." _____
Spir - it that _____ we feel. _____

19 B \flat /F F A 7 /E Dm G 7




sweet heav-en - ly Dove, stay right here with us, fill - ing us with _____ Your

24 C⁷ F B \flat /F F F/C F A⁷/E Dm B \flat G/B




love. And for these bless - ings we lift our hearts in praise. ___ With - out a

29 F/C C \sharp° Dm Dm/C B \flat G/B F/C C \sharp° Dm Gm



doubt well know ___ that we have been re - vived ___ when

31 F/C F⁶/C B \flat /C C⁷ F



we shall leave this place. _____

Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

1 Spir - it of God, de - scend up - on my heart;
 2 I ask no dream, no proph - et ec - sta - sies,
 3 Have you not bid me love you, God and King;
 4 Teach me to love you as your an - gels love,

wean it from earth, through all its puls - es move;
 no sud - den rend - ing of the veil of clay,
 all, all your own, soul, heart, and strength, and mind?
 one ho - ly pas - sion fill - ing all my frame:

stoop to my weak - ness, strength to me im - part,
 no an - gel vis - i - tant, no op - 'ning skies;
 I see your cross; there teach my heart to cling.
 the bap - tism of the heav'n - de - scend - ed dove,

and make me love you as I ought to love.
 but take the dim - ness of my soul a - way.
 Oh, let me seek you and, oh, let me find!
 my heart an al - tar, and your love the flame.

Text: George Croly, 1780–1860

Music: MORECAMBE, Frederick C. Atkinson, 1841–1897

(Please Stand)

Blessing after Communion

May the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, strengthen you and keep you in his peace. **Amen.**

THE SENDING

Why does our church exist? What is our purpose?

We go out to transform lives through Jesus Christ.

(Please Be Seated)

Purpose Sightings

Worship Leader: Don't forget to grab your copy of The Current on your way home today. There are lots of opportunities to live into our purpose listed in The Current. *And*, one of the most important things included in these pages are the invitation to pray and to read scripture during the week.

MILESTONES! "On Eagles Wings"

The congregation will sing before Milestones – (verse 1 & chorus)

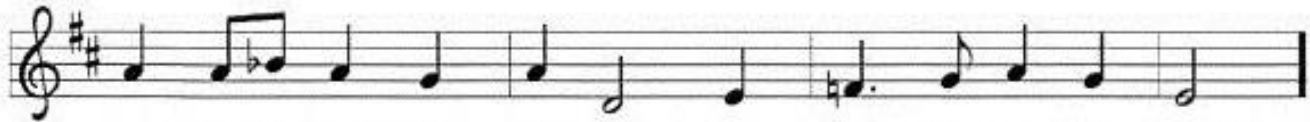
It's time for milestones, a time of sharing milestones in our community. If you have a big, small, good, or hard milestone in your life and can share it in a few sentences, meet me at the baptismal font and throw a water drop in as you share your milestone.

After each person shares their milestone, the congregation responds by saying "MILESTONE!"

On Eagle's Wings



1 You who dwell in the shel-ter of the Lord, who a-bide in this shad-ow for life,



say to the Lord: "My ref - uge, my rock in whom I trust!"



And he will raise you up on ea-gle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn,



make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of his hand.

(Please Stand)

Blessing

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine upon you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

All: Amen

Sending Song "Go, Make Disciples"

(Kids are welcome to come up and play an instrument)

Go, Make Disciples

The musical score is written on five staves in a single system. Each staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff contains the lyrics: "Go, make dis - ci - ples, bap - tiz - ing them, teach - ing them." The second staff contains: "Go, make dis - ci - ples, for I am with you till the end of time." The third staff contains: "Go, be the salt of the earth. Go, be the light for the world." The fourth staff contains: "Go, be a cit - y on a hill, so all can see that you're" and the fifth staff contains: "serv - ing me. Go, make dis - ci - ples." The music consists of eighth and quarter notes, with some rests and a repeat sign at the end of the fifth staff.

“Go, make dis - ci - ples, bap - tiz - ing them, teach - ing them.

Go, make dis - ci - ples, for I am with you till the end of time.

Go, be the salt of the earth. Go, be the light for the world.

Go, be a cit - y on a hill, so all can see that you’re

serv - ing me. Go, make dis - ci - ples.”

Text: Handt Hanson, b. 1950

Music: GO, MAKE DISCIPLES, Handt Hanson

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Go in peace – serve the Lord!

Thanks be to God

Music to Send You Out

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