

HYMN 128 - "On Pentecost they Gathered"

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

RESPONSE - "Spirit of the Living God"

**Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me;
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.**

CONCLUDING VOLUNTARY



Children's Bulletin



Gotta bolt, Colt!

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1 Corinthians 3:6

I planted the seed, Apollos
watered it, but God
has been making it grow.

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CARILLON PEAL

Hear the loud bells? See the children carrying in the flame on a long, golden candle lighter? The sound of the bells, the sight of the candles being lit remind us: We're getting ready for something IMPORTANT and SPECIAL: We're not getting ready for school, or for breakfast, or for bed, but for **WORSHIP!** Why are we doing this? Today is the **Lord's Day**. Now is our chance this week to worship God **together**.

CALL TO WORSHIP IN MUSIC

This music helps bring us closer to God. Did you know that we are praying to God by singing hymns? Let's prepare for worship by listen closely to the music.

INTROIT - "Come, O Spirit"

WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP IN WORD

PASSING OF THE PEACE

God gave you something *you* need to pass along... Right now? It's the peace of Christ. Smile, with *eyes* and *mouth*, at the people near you and say: "Peace be with you." Shake their hands and remember to turn to the people in the pews behind you!

HYMN 442 - "The Church's One Foundation"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, you poured your Spirit upon gathered disciples creating bold tongues, open ears, and a new community of faith. We confess that we hold back the force of your Spirit among us. We do not listen for your word of grace, speak the good news of your love, or live as a people made one in Christ. Have mercy on us, O God. Transform our timid lives by the will for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Leader: Through Christ, God has poured out the Holy Spirit upon us for the forgiveness of sins.
People: **In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!**
All: **Thanks be to God.**

GLORIA PATRI (Let's sing together again!)

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Leader: There are different gifts,
People: **but it is the same Spirit who gives them.**
Leader: There are different ways of serving God,
People: **but it is the same Lord who is served.**
Leader: God works through different people in different ways,
People: **but it is the same God who achieves God's purpose through them all.**
Leader: Each one is given and gift by the Spirit,
People: **to use it for the common good.**
Leader: Together we are the body of Christ,
People: **and individually members of him.**
Leader: Though we have different gifts, together we are a ministry of reconciliation let by the risen Christ. We work and pray to make Christ's church useful in the world, and we call men and women to faith, so that, in the end, every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God. Within our

common ministry, some members are chosen for particular work as teaching elders, ruling elders, or deacons. In ordination, we recognize the special ministries, remembering that our Lord Jesus said: Whoever among you wants to be great must become the servant of all, and whoever wants to be the first among you, must be the slave of all!

PRESENTATION OF RULING ELDERS AND DEACONS TO BE ORDAINED AND INSTALLED

CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS TO THOSE BEING ORDAINED AND INSTALLED

CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS TO THE CONGREGATION

Leader: Do we, the members of the church, accept these officers chosen by God through the voice of this congregation to lead us in the way of Jesus Christ?
People: **We do.**
Leader: Do we agree to encourage them, to respect their decisions, and to follow as they guide us, serving Jesus Christ, who alone is Head of the Church?
People: **We do.**

THE LAYING ON OF HANDS AND ORDINATION PRAYER

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON - Psalm 1

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

ANTHEM - "Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me"

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON - 1 Corinthians 3:1-9

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

HYMN - "Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"

SERMON

Spirit Gifts: Growing and Building Chrit's Church

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS Now we give back to God out of thanks for what we have. This is an act of joy and obedience.

SILENT PRAYER, PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.