

Ocean Shores United Methodist Church



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May 19, 2023 - 10:30 am Pentecost Sunday "Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors"

Welcome

Celebration of Birthdays/Anniversaries

Prelude Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

*Call to Worship

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit, Breath of God, Breath of Life!

All: Come, Holy Spirit, Teacher of Wisdom, Giver of Peace!

L: Come Holy Spirit! May we feel your Divine Power burning within us, compelling us to action.

All: Come, Holy Spirit! Energize our lives and our church to serve the Kingdom of God. Amen

*Hymn

Surely the Presence of the Lord (Sing twice) pg. 328

Invocation

Holy Spirit, rain down upon us! Fall upon us and engulf us in God's love and grace! Rush into us and set out hearts on fire with enthusiasm and

courage! As you did on the first Pentecost, give your church new birth that we may proclaim the gospel both here in Ocean Shores and wherever we go! Amen

Psalm of the Day (responsive) Psalm 100

pg. 821

Reading the Word John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

Response

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God

All: Thanks be to God!

Meditation

Hymn

We Are the Church pg. 558

The Prayers of the People

Our Joys and Concerns

Prayer The Lord's Prayer

Invitation To Offering

The Offertory

Sweet, Sweet Spirit

*Doxology

UMH 95

The Prayer of Dedication

Announcements

The Sending Song The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve FWS 2241

*Benediction and Blessing

Postlude

Let It Breathe on Me

* Please stand

Pastor: Rev. Pamela Meese

Music Director: Janet Nations

Liturgist: Rooe Simpson

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