## The Day of Pentecost

# Grace Episcopal Church

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Please keep silence in the church before the service and turn off all cell phones.

Prelude

Procession "Hail, Thee, Festival Day" Hymn 225

Acclamation BCP, p. 355

Priest: Alleluia. Christ is risen

People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Collect for Purity

Gloria Hymn S-280; BCP, p. 356

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

The Collect of the Day BCP, p. 227

First Reading: Acts 2:1-21

Psalm 104:25-35, 37 BCP, p. 736-737 (See service music sheet in your pew.)

Epistle I Corinthians 12:3b-13

Sequence "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" Hymn 508

The Gospel John 20:19-23

Before the Gospel

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

according to John.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

After the Gospel

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Rev. Joseph N. Davis

Nicene Creed BCP, p. 358

The Prayers of the People Form III, BCP, p. 387

Confession BCP, p. 360

The Peace BCP, p. 360

Offertory Sentence

Offertory "Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayers" Hymn 509

(All stand and sing.)

## The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A BCP, p. 361

Sanctus Hymn S-125; BCP, p. 362

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

The Lord's Prayer BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

Pascha Nostrum Hymn S-152; BCP, p. 364 (See service music sheet in your pew.)

Priest: Christ our passover is sacrified for us. Alleluia.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Priest: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

(All baptized Christians are invited to receive communion. If you would like a blessing instead of receiving communion, bow your head and cross your arms over your chest, and the priest will give you a blessing.)

Hymns at Communion:

"Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song"	Hymn 513
"Come Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove"	Hymn 510
"Com Risen Lord"	Hymn 306

Post Communion Prayer Blessing

BCP, p. 365

Procession

"Holy Spirit, Ever Living"

Hymn 511

The Dismissal

Priest: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power

of the Spirit. Alleluia. Alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Postlude

#### A Note to Visitors

If you are a visitor, we thank you for joining us today. We would like to answer any questions you have about our service or about membership in Grace Church. You may reach out to us at the email addresses listed below.

### Ladies' Luncheon

Thursday, June 1 at 12 noon - it's a potluck in Faith Hall at Grace Episcopal Church for all the ladies who attend Grace Church. Contact Peggy Baker for more information.

## Giving to Grace Church

You may make a contribution to Grace Church by mail, or you may do so online by scanning the code below with your smartphone. There is also a link to online giving at our website.



## Wednesday Noon Eucharist with Healing

On Wednesdays, we normally have a celebration of the Eucharist at noon with anointing of the sick and prayers for healing. More often than not, we will celebrate the feast of a saint included in the book Lesser Feasts and Fasts. That means the day will have its own collect and lessons. These services provide much variety throughout the church year, and they give us insight into the rich diversity that life in the Communion of Saints brings to the Church.

## A Blessed Memorial Day to All

As tomorrow is Memorial Day, we wish everyone a blessed day in memory and in honor of all military service members who have died in defense of our country. This holiday's origins may be found in the Decoration Day observances in honor of both Union and Confederate soldiers who died in the Civil War. See the article found at this link:

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Memorial\_Day.

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