



*First Presbyterian Church
Hartsville, South Carolina*

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

May 19, 2024 - 10:00 AM

Day of Pentecost

"FPC is a body of Christ-followers compelled by God's love to strengthen all of God's community through the way we worship, serve, and live."

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

WELCOME

Rev. Ashley L. Cheek

THANK YOU TO VOLUNTEERS

GATHERING HYMN 288

Spirit of the Living God

LIVING GOD

PRELUDE

As the Wind Song
Kyle Henderson, bagpipes

WAIKUA TAPU

CALL TO WORSHIP

Ross Meadows

Come! Let us speak plainly and boldly of our faith.

Spirit of God descend upon us.

Come! Let us faithfully serve God and our community.

Spirit of God descend upon us

Come! Let us love as you ask us to.

Spirit of God descend upon us.

We each have a different voice, yet we unite our voices in honor of God.

Spirit of God descend upon us.

†HYMN 280

Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us
Ada Cheek, Lizzie Pennington, liturgical dancers

EBENEZER

†PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Rev. Ashley L. Cheek

How can this be, wonder-working God? You bring the gift of the Spirit to be with us. Our Comforter, our Advocate. Our Counselor, our Wisdom. These are but a few of the names we give as the Spirit speaks to our hearts. We give you thanks for the unending gifts of the Spirit. How can this be, that we have what we need when we need it? You, O God, are one and all things to us, and we raise our Hallelujahs. Amen.

†ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Rev. Ashley L. Cheek

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me
Chancel Choir
Wilson Harvey, Susan Henderson, Penny Rogers, bells

arr. Parris

†DOXOLOGY 606

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

OLD HUNDREDTH

†PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Kaiti DuBose

WE HEAR AND RESPOND

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE – RECOGNITION OF ANDREA		Rev. Ashley L. Cheek
FIRST READING	Genesis 11:1-9	Ellis Bannister, Dewsy Meadows
SECOND READING	Acts 2:1-21	Rev. Ashley L. Cheek
MESSAGE	Spirit of God Descend Upon Us	
†HYMN 291	Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness Penny Rogers, flute	SPIRIT
†PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (unison) 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.		
†HYMN 290	O Day of Joy and Wonder!	JONATHAN'S TUNE
WE GO OUT TO SERVE		
†BENEDICTION		Rev. Ashley L. Cheek
POSTLUDE	Every Time I Feel the Spirit	PENTECOST

ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

IF YOU ARE VISITING WITH US TODAY, WELCOME to the worship of Jesus Christ at First Presbyterian Church! **Please fill out a card in the pew rack and leave it in the offering plate. If you would like more information about us or about joining our church family, please speak with Rev. Ashley L. Cheek or contact the church office.**

There is a nursery available for those who are in need, and the service is also streamed live in the conference room should you need to step out.

THE FLOWERS ARE GIVEN to the glory of God and in honor of my mother for her birthday May 21st by Cathy Cuppett.

Please join us in the narthex after service to visit and thank all our volunteers. Refreshments are provided by the Fellowship Committee.

Assisting with the scripture reading today are:

Ada Cheek, Nicholas Cheek, Alan Coskrey, Barbara Lee, Kevin Lear, Dona Miller, Willow Mixon, Alan Norwood, Carley Norwood, Debby Norwood, Kevin Norwood, Sadie Norwood, Sarah Norwood, Lizzie Pennington, Scott Wilds.

FPC Music Camp-June 10-14, 9AM-12PM: Rising 1st-7th graders are invited to join us for a week of fun, culminating in a performance of the musical 100% Chance of Rain. Cost is \$150. Email Ronda McElveen at ronda.mcelveen@gmail.com to register.

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Rick Matthews, Kevin Norwood

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