

Monte Vista Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
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Pentecost Sunday

Elder-Deacon Sunday

May 19, 2024

10:30am MT

Order of Worship

Welcome

Linda Currin

Prelude

Schönster Herr Jesu
by Hermann Schroeder

Paulette McClellan

*Call to Worship

Linda

One: We are the Easter people!

Many: We have witnessed the Resurrection of our Lord.

One: We are now called to be people of the Pentecost.

Many: We are called to boldly share the good news of God's love.

One: Open your hearts, O people, to God's great power and love.

Many: We open our hearts to hear God's word for us and to joyfully proclaim Jesus Christ as our Savior. Amen.

*Opening Hymn

Spirit of the Living God

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*Opening Prayer

Linda

One: Come Holy Spirit! Ignite our hearts with joy and confidence!

Many: For God has done wondrous things for us.

One: Come, Holy Spirit! Fill us with the power of the rushing wind that we may faithfully serve you in all that we do.

Many: For Christ has called each of us and blessed us!

One: Come Holy Spirit! Be with us today.

Many: Help us to boldly proclaim Christ Risen. Amen.

First Scripture Reading

Psalm 104:24-34

Linda

O Lord, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures. Yonder is the sea, great and wide, creeping things innumerable are there, living things both small and great. There go the ships, and Leviathan that you formed to sport in it. These all look to you to give them their food in due season; when you give to them, they gather it up; when you open your hand, they are filled with good things. When

you hide your face, they are dismayed; when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust. When you send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the ground. May the glory of the Lord endure forever; may God rejoice in God's works—who looks on the earth and it trembles, who touches the mountains and they smoke. I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have being. May my meditation be pleasing to God, for I rejoice in the Lord.

One: A word from God for the people of God. **Many: Thanks be to God.**

Prayer Hymn

Have Thine Own Way, Lord!

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(Please share your prayer concerns & joys with the office at office@montevista.org.)

Pastoral Prayer

Eli Gaspar-Lopez

Lord's Prayer (in unison)

Blessed One, our Father and our Mother. Holy is your name. May your love be embodied in the world. May your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Protect us in the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For all that we do in your love, and all that your love brings to birth, and the fullness of love that will be, are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Special Music

Spirit Sing
by Joseph Martin

Vista Voices

Second Scripture Reading

Acts 2:1-21

Gregg Rothrock

When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. 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. 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? 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." 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: '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. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

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Testimonies
Gregg Rothrock, Charlotte Hoppe,
Anne Loveless, Eli Gaspar-Lopez

Special Music *Processional on Ebenezer (Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us)* Vista Bells
by Joseph Martin

Sharing in Communion and Stewardship
Invitation to the Table Gerri Warner

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on the [Givelify app](#), or by mailing your check to the church office. Thank you.)

*Communion Hymn *When You Do This, Remember Me* 400
Words of Institution Matthew Denman
Prayers for the Elements Gerri
Receiving Communion

Prayer of Thanksgiving Matthew

Minute for Vision Gerri

*Closing Hymn *Spirit* 249

*Benediction Bonnie Sanchez

Postlude *Sonata for Worship: Carillon on Psalm 42* Paulette
by Alfred Vedak

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Linda Currin, Worship Leader     Paulette McClellan, Organist/Pianist

Wally Miller, Sound

Rev. Dr. Dawn Rosignol, Senior Minister

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## Spirit of the Living God

Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a-fresh on me.

The first system of music consists of a treble and bass staff in 4/4 time, key of B-flat major. The treble staff features a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment of chords. The bass staff provides a harmonic foundation with chords and a bass line.

Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a-fresh on me.

The second system of music continues the melody and accompaniment from the first system, maintaining the same musical structure and lyrics.

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.

The third system of music features a new vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The treble staff has a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment of chords. The bass staff provides a harmonic foundation with chords and a bass line.

Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a-fresh on me.

The fourth system of music concludes the piece with a final vocal line and piano accompaniment, mirroring the structure of the previous systems.

# Have Thine Own Way, Lord!

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1. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
 2. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
 3. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
 4. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!

Thou art the pot - ter; I am the clay.  
 Search me and try me, Sav - ior to - day!  
 Wound - ed and wea - ry, help me I pray!  
 Hold o'er my be - ing ab - so - lute sway.

Mold me and make me af - ter thy will,  
 Wash me just now, Lord, wash me just now,  
 Pow - er, all pow - er, sure - ly is thine!  
 Fill with thy Spir - it till all shall see

while I am wait - ing, yield - ed and still.  
 as in thy pres - ence hum - bly I bow.  
 Touch me and heal me, Sav - ior di - vine!  
 Christ on - ly, al - ways, liv - ing in me!

WORDS: Adelaide A. Pollard, 1902  
 MUSIC: George C. Stebbins, 1907

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Spirit

*Unison*

D G A D Bm

Spir - it, Spir - it of gen - tle - ness, blow through the wil - der - ness,

E A D G A D

call - ing and free, Spir - it, Spir - it of rest - less - ness,

Bm G A D G D *Fine*

stir me from plac - id - ness, wind, wind on the sea.

D G A G

1. You moved on the wa - ters, you called to the  
 2. You swept through the des - ert, you stung with the  
 3. You sang in a sta - ble, you cried from a  
 4. You call from to - mor - row, you break an - cient

D Bm

deep, then you coaxed up the moun - tains from the  
 sand, and you gift - ed your peo - ple with a  
 hill, then you whis - pered in si - lence when the  
 schemes, from the bond - age of sor - row the

E A D G A

val - leys of sleep, and o - ver the e - ons you  
 law and a land, when they were con - found - ed with  
 whole world was still, and down in the cit - y you  
 cap - tives dream dreams; our wom - en see vi - sions, our

G D Bm

called to each thing, "A - wake from your slum -  
 i - dols and lies, then you spoke through your proph -  
 called once a - gain when you blew through your peo -  
 men clear their eyes. With bold new de - ci -

G A D G/A D A D.C. al Fine

bers and rise on your wings."  
 ets to o - pen their eyes.  
 ple on the rush of the wind.  
 sions your peo - ple a - rise.