



Worship
Port Williams United Baptist
Church
June 9, 2019

Worship of God

Pentecost Sunday

* **Welcoming Each Other**

Rev. Dr. Don Flowers

Announcements

Prelude

Dr. Christianne Rushton

Invocation

* **Hymn**

“Come and Find the Quiet Center”

374

* **Litany:**

Gabrielle Lazaric

The coming of the Spirit transforms the Christian community.

Fear is replaced by courage.

Peace is proclaimed.

The power to forgive sins is present.

Those who were afraid now speak up boldly.

Thousands hear the message in their own language.

The coming of the Spirit is reflected in our social values.

In a world of racism and xenophobia and fear of immigrants, the Spirit speaks to people of every nation under heaven.

In a world of fear and doubt and confusion, the Spirit inspires people to open the doors and speak out especially about issues of justice and peace.

In a world of selfishness, competition, and control, the Spirit gives out gifts that are shared for the benefit of all especially those who are poor or in need.

In a world with war, violence and terrorism, the Spirit proclaims a message of peace and reconciliation to all.

In a world of economic problems, the Spirit reminds us that the things of the world are meant to be shared by all and are to be used for the common good.

In a world where the environment is abused and overused, the Spirit calls to reform how we live and to use the earth with care and love.

In a world of ideology and prejudice, The Spirit calls us to think about things in a new way.

Scripture

Romans 8:14-17

Celine Opitz

Graduate Recognition

Celene Opitz, Horton High School

Kenzie Melanson, Horton High School

Tyson Waters, Rutland Senior High School

Gabrielle Lazaric, Acadia University

Susan DeMont, Acadia Divinity College

* **Children's Hymn** "Spirit open my heart" **MV 7**

Chorus: Spirit open my heart, To the joy and pain of living
As you love may I love, In receiving and in giving Spirit,
open my heart

1. God, replace my stony heart with a heart that's kind and
tender. All my coldness and fear to your grace I now surrender.
(Chorus)

Children's Moment

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Chorus: Spirit open my heart, To the joy and pain of living
As you love may I love, In receiving and in giving Spirit,
open my heart

2. Write your love upon my heart as my law, my goal, my story.
In each thought, word, and deed, may my living bring you glory.
(Chorus)

* **Hymn of Preparation** "On Pentecost They Gathered" **195**

Scripture

Acts 2:1-21

Prayers of the People of God

Don Flowers

Response "Lord, Listen to your children Praying" **400**

Lord, Listen to your children praying.
Lord, Send your Spirit in this place.
Lord, Listen to your children praying.
Send us love, send us power, send us grace.

Sermon

Time to Dream Dreams

Don Flowers

* **Hymn of Response** “Spirit of Gentleness” **375**

Stewardship Moment

Scott Schofield

The Offering

* **Offertory** “Praise God” **541**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise God all creatures high and low
Give thanks to God in love made known.
Creator, Word and Spirit one. AMEN.

* **Benediction**

* **Choral Benediction** “Go now in peace”

Go now in peace. Never be afraid.
God will go with you each hour of ev'ry day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.
Know He will guide you in all you do.
God now in love, and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there watching from above.
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.
Amen, amen, amen.

Postlude and Quiet Reflection

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welcomes and affirm all persons, regardless of race, class, origin,  
sexual orientation, or any other distinction.

We welcome as Members those who profess “Jesus is Lord.”

We receive members through baptism or by transfer of letter  
from another congregation.

You are welcomed here and invited to be a part of our community  
If you are visiting we invite you to sign our guest book at the back  
of the sanctuary or fill out a Visitor Card found in the pews.

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