

May 31st Bulletin Pentecost Sunday

Announcements...

- Masks still available
- Several people willing to do porch deliveries
- Please keep checking in on each other
- Online giving available at www.cedarvilleunited.org
- Women's online retreat begins June 3 as a Zoom call, 7:45-9pm after Facebook Live Bible Study – scholarships available

Call to Worship:

Pastor: I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh

People: Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy

Pastor: Your old shall dream dreams

People: And your young shall see visions

Hymn – #10 Glorify Your Name

Father, we love you, we worship and adore you,
glorify your name in all the earth;
glorify your name, glorify your name,
glorify your name in all the earth.

Jesus, we love you, we worship and adore you,
glorify your name in all the earth;
glorify your name, glorify your name,
glorify your name in all the earth.

Spirit, we love you, we worship and adore you,
glorify your name in all the earth;
glorify your name, glorify your name,
glorify your name in all the earth.

Opening Prayer and Prayer of Confession

Scripture: Acts 2:1-21

Sermon Notes

- Sometimes Christians think Pentecost is the Holy Spirit's big introduction, whereas Father, Son, and Holy Spirit have been together since the beginning.
- Pentecost means "the fiftieth day".
- We tend to separate out the Trinity. God the Father was in the Old Testament, then Jesus came in the New Testament, and then he went back to heaven and the Spirit came. Not true.
- The Holy Spirit called together the body of Christ. The disciples gathered and fasted and prayed and waited...and then one day, the Holy Spirit swept into the house.

- Sometimes I've heard it said this way:
 - God the Father is over us—we pray to Him, He created us.
 - Jesus Christ is called Emmanuel, which means God with us. He came to earth and lived among us and called us to follow him.
 - The Holy Spirit is God in us. He dwells within us and acts partly as a compass to help us discern right from wrong. But he also continually convicts, encourages, and transforms us in our lives of faith.
- The Holy Spirit desires to transform us. He wants to burn off those dead vines—those sins we don't want to give up. But he also desires to ignite us—take the offering of our lives and work through us in such a way that produces results we never could have imagined.

Time of Prayer...feel free to text or email additions throughout the week

The Lord's Prayer

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.

If you have prayer requests, please send them via Facebook Messenger or text me directly. Because we are live-streaming, please get permission before sending the request. Also, only first names will be mentioned and medical conditions will be kept deliberately vague. God knows who we are praying for and what's going on with the person. But since we don't know who all will be listening to this, we want to protect privacy.

Benediction