**Morning Worship**

The beginning of the prelude is a call to silent, personal preparation for the worship of God.

**Prelude**

Come, Holy Ghost  
*Johann Sebastian Bach*

Choral Variations on the Tune “Come, Holy Ghost”  
*Maurice Duruflé*

**Introit**

“Alleluias. The Spirit of the Lord Renews”  
*Iain Quinn*

Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord renews the face of the earth; come let us adore him. Alleluia. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

**Doxology and Invocation**  
*(The Hymnal, 592)*

**Hymn 129**

“All, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us”  
*Tune: Ebenezer*

**Prayer of Confession**  *(unison)*

God, throughout the ages you have spoken to us. You have cared for us with the words you have used. Through the prophets, through the scriptures, through your Son and the Spirit, we have been given your living word. God, make us messengers of this word. Forgive us for speaking words that harm rather than heal, that tear down rather than build up. Forgive us for speaking out of turn, for speaking when we should listen, and for speaking without caring how our words will be received. Fill us with your Spirit so that what we say may be true testimony to you, almighty God, creator and redeemer of all. In the name of Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

**Declaration of Pardon**

Minister: Friends, believe the good news.  
People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

**Concerns of the Church**

**Minute for Mission**

*Stand as you are able.*
**Psalter**  
Psalm 104:24–33  
(page 525, O.T.)

**Anthem**  
“Come, Holy Ghost”  
* Eric H. Thiman  
Come, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire and lighten with celestial fire.  
Thou the anointing Spirit art, who dost thy sevenfold gifts impart;  
thy blessed unction from above is comfort, life, and fire of love.  
Enable with perpetual light the dullness of our blinded sight;  
anoint and cheer our soiled face with the abundance of thy grace.  
Keep far our foes, give peace at home; where thou art guide no ill  
can come. Teach us to know the Father, Son, and thee, of both, to be  
but one; that through the ages all along this may be our endless song,  
praise to thy eternal merit, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

**First Lesson**  
Ezekiel 37:1–14  
(page 759, O.T.)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.  
People: Thanks be to God.

**Gloria Patri**  
(The Hymnal, 579)

**Second Lesson**  
Acts 2:1–21  
(page 111, N.T.)

**Sermon**  
Words Well Spoken  
Joyce Shin  
“I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and  
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.” Acts 2:17–18 (NRSV)

**Hymn 128**  
“On Pentecost They Gathered”  
* Tune: Munich

**Apostles’ Creed**  
(unison)  
I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell;  
the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge  
the quick and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;  
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.

PRAYER RESPONSE “Amen”

Dale Wood

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM “Every Time I Feel the Spirit” African American spiritual
arr. William L. Dawson

Every time I feel the Spirit, moving in my heart, I will pray.
Upon the mountain my Lord spoke, out of his mouth came fire and
smoke; looked all around me, it looked so fine, till I asked my Lord
if all was mine. Jordan River is chilly and cold; it chills the body,
but not the soul. There ain’t but one train upon this track; it runs
to heaven and right back.

*PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND RESPONSE

For the life that you have giv-en, for the love in Christ made known,

with these fruits of time and la - bor, with these gifts that are your own:

here we of - fer, Lord, our prai-ses; heart and mind and strength we bring.

Give us grace to love and serve you, liv - ing what we pray and sing.

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION*

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

All: **God of all power and might,**
we praise you that you forged your church
in the fire of the Spirit
and breathed life into your people
that we might be the body of Christ.
By your Spirit,
baptize us again with your flame,
fill us with the breath of new life,
inspire us with the witness of martyrs and saints,
and send us forth into your world
to live as Christ lived, with power and compassion.
Shape us according to your will, O God,
in the service of your Son Jesus Christ,
our Lord and Savior, now and forever. Amen.

*HYMN 131*  
“Wind Who Makes All Winds That Blow”  
*Tune: Aberystwyth*

**BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE**

**POSTLUDE**  
Come, Holy Ghost  
*Nicolas de Grigny*
Guest Preachers in June

This year, we are honored to be able to welcome to the Fourth Church pulpit several highly regarded theologians and preachers. We are particularly pleased that this month Rhashell Hunter and Kenneth Velo will be sharing the Word with us.

Rhashell Hunter

**June 10 at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.**

Rhashell Hunter is the Director of Racial Ethnic and Women’s Ministries/Presbyterian Women in the General Assembly Mission Council of the Presbyterian Church (USA). She previously served as Associate Pastor for Worship, Music, and the Arts at Fourth Church (1993–1998) and as Pastor of Community Presbyterian Church in Flint, Michigan. A second-career clergy person, Dr. Hunter has integrated her gifts from a performing arts career with her ministry in the church, providing experiences that integrate drama and dance into the worship life of the congregation. She also has a love for preaching and a commitment to building bridges in multicultural communities.

Kenneth Velo

**June 17 at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.**

Monsignor Kenneth Velo, a priest of the Archdiocese of Chicago, serves as Senior Executive of Catholic Collaboration for DePaul University and as President of the Big Shoulders Fund, which supports inner-city Catholic schools in Chicago. He also participates in pastoral ministry at Old Saint Patrick’s Church (700 W. Adams). Ordained in 1973, he was appointed to St. Angela Parish in Chicago, and in March 1996, Pope John Paul II named him Prelate of Honor with the title of Monsignor. Monsignor Velo has also served as vice chancellor of the Archdiocese and executive assistant to Joseph Cardinal Bernardin.

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Worship Leaders
9:30 a.m. Judith L. Watt, John W. Vest, Joyce Shin
11:00 a.m. Judith L. Watt, Thomas C. Rook, Joyce Shin

The Music Today
9:30 a.m. The Morning Choir; Callie Thompson and Jerry Johnson, soloists
11:00 a.m. The Morning Choir; Callie Thompson and Jerry Johnson, soloists
Thomas E. Gouwens, Associate Organist

Worship Notes

The Day of Pentecost celebrates the birth of the church and the giving of the Holy Spirit to the disciples of Jesus. Red, which is the liturgical color for the day, symbolizes the pentecostal fire of the Holy Spirit, as described in Acts 2. In the Jewish tradition, Pentecost (for “fifty” days after Passover) is a harvest festival of first fruits that also celebrates the giving of the Torah, or Hebrew law. The banners hanging in the Sanctuary present both Old Testament and New Testament Pentecost themes, including creation, Hebrew law, harvest, Passover, and tongues of fire.

Today's Minute for Mission is presented by Pam Block on behalf of the School Supply Drive, sponsored by Women@Fourth Connect and the Mission Committee.

Fourth Church welcomes to the 11:00 service several of the nearly 1,000 young adults participating in this weekend’s “Pilgrimage of Trust” Taizé event—which is being held at DePaul—and their host families from Fourth Church and Old St. Patrick’s Church.

The bulletin cover photo shows a candle photographed in the Fourth Church Sanctuary. The lights on the chandeliers in the background evoke the Acts 2 account of Pentecost, when what looked like flames or tongues of fire appeared and settled on each of the disciples.

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