



GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

9 Harrington Avenue, Westwood, New Jersey

Day of Pentecost
May 19, 2024 10:00 AM

The Holy Eucharist

THE WORD OF GOD

- *The service is Rite I with Eucharistic Prayer II* •
- *All stand as are able.* •

Hymn 516.....*Down Ampney*

Introit.....*Tone VII*

*The Spirit of the Lord hath filled the whole world, alleluia:
and that which containeth all things hath knowledge of the voice, alleluia.*

Let God arise, and let his enemies be scattered: let them also that hate him flee before him.

Opening AcclamationBCP Page 323

Collect for PurityBCP Page 323

Kyrie eleisonBCP Page 324, Hymnal S-91

Gloria in excelsis Deo BCP Page 324, Hymnal S-202

The Collect of the Day

Almighty God, who on this day didst open the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of thy Holy Spirit: Shed abroad this gift throughout the world by the preaching of the Gospel, that it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the same Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Lessons

• *All may be seated for the readings and Psalm* •

The First Reading: The Acts of the Apostles 2:1-21..... *(see readings insert)*

Psalm 104:25-35, 37..... *(see readings insert)*

The Second Reading: Romans 8:22-27..... *(see readings insert)*

Alleluia..... *Tone VI*

*Alleluia. Alleluia. O send forth thy Spirit, and they shall be made: and thou shalt renew the face of the earth. Alleluia.
Come, Holy Ghost, and fill the hearts of thy faithful people: and kindle in them the fire of thy love. Alleluia.*

• *All stand as are able* •

The Holy Gospel: John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15..... *(see readings insert)*

• *All may be seated* •

The Sermon The Rev. Cn. Dr. John P. Mitchell

• *All stand as are able* •

The Nicene Creed BCP Page 327

The Prayers of the People BCP Page 328

The Peace BCP Page 332

• *After the Peace, all may be seated for announcements.* •

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory..... *Tone II*

*Stablish the thing, O God, that thou hast wrought in us:
for thy temple's sake at Jerusalem, shall kings bring presents unto thee, alleluia.*

As the Altar is prepared, the Choir sings I Will Not Leave You Comfortless, William Byrd (1543-1623)

*I will not leave you comfortless, Alleluia.
I go, and I will come to you, Alleluia.
and your heart shall be joyful. Alleluia.*

• *All stand as are able* •

The Great Thanksgiving –

Sursum Corda BCP Page 340, Hymnal S-112

Sanctus & Benedictus BCP Page 341, Hymnal S-114

• *All stand or kneel as are able.* •

The Eucharistic Prayer continuesBCP Page 341
The Lord's Prayer..... BCP Page 336, Hymnal S-119

The Breaking of the Bread

Agnus Dei..... BCP Page 337, Hymnal S-158
Prayer of Humble Access.....BCP Page 337

Reception of Holy Communion

All baptized persons are welcome and encouraged to receive Christ's Body and Blood at this altar. If for any reason you are unable or do not wish to receive communion, you are still welcome to come to the altar rail to receive a blessing and indicate this preference by crossing your arms over your chest. If you are physically unable to come forward, please notify an usher and the Sacrament will be brought to you.

Communion *Tone I*

Suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind; and it filled the whole house where they were sitting, alleluia: and they were all filled with the Holy Ghost and began to speak the wonderful works of God, alleluia.

Post Communion PrayerBCP Page 339

• *All stand as are able* •

The Priest blesses the people with the following Pentecost blessing.

May Almighty God, who enlightened the minds of the disciples by pouring out upon them the Holy Spirit, make you rich with his blessing, that you may abound more and more in that Spirit for ever. *Amen.*

May God, who sent the Holy Spirit as a flame of fire that rested upon the heads of the disciples, burn out all evil from your hearts, and make them shine with the pure light of his presence. *Amen.*

May God, who by the Holy Spirit caused those of many tongues to proclaim Jesus as Lord, strengthen your faith and send you out to bear witness to him in word and deed. *Amen.*

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen.*

Hymn 511 *Abbott's Leigh*
The Dismissal..... BCP Page 340, Hymnal S-174

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