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Pentecost Sunday
Led by the Young Disciples of GLC
May 19, 2024

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All the people of God speak the text in Bold (that's you!).

Worship leaders speak the text in plain type. *Italics provides explanation or instruction*

You may make the sign of the cross ✠, the sign marked at baptism.

**Stand as you are able*

PRELUDE

Colin Rose

WELCOME

***THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

Blessed be Jesus, God, the Holy Spirit, who are ✠ one God, who pours out grace, new life and joy. **Amen.** Look, here is water! **Here is our water of life! Alleluia!**

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***HYMN**

Hallelu, Hallelu

Group 1

Hallelu, hallelu, hallelu, hallelujah!

Group 2

Praise ye the Lord!

***GREETING**

May God's love and the Holy Spirit be within you forever! **And within you as well!**

***CANTICLE OF PRAISE**

ELW 164

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Dear God, thank you for helping us have the Holy Spirit within us. Thank you for helping us communicate with one another and get to know each other and see you in what is around us. Help us be brave enough to dig deep into what makes us the same and different from each other. Amen.

GROWN UP'S CHAT

***GOSPEL HYMN**

ELW 173

***GOSPEL:** *Acts 2:1-2 (read in Portuguese)*

The Holy Gospel according to Acts the 2nd Chapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

¹When the day of Pentecost had come, [the apostles] were all together in one place. ²And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

⁵Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷Amazed and astonished, they asked, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God’s deeds of power.” ¹²All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” ¹³But others sneered and said, “They are filled with new wine.”

¹⁴But 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. ¹⁵Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. ¹⁶No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

¹⁷In 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.

¹⁸Even upon my slaves, both men and women,
in those days I will pour out my Spirit;
and they shall prophesy.

¹⁹And I will show portents in the heaven above
and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

²⁰The sun shall be turned to darkness

and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.
21'Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'”

Word of God, word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**

PENTECOST PLAY

The Young Disciples of GLC

***HYMN**

This Little Light of Mine

ELW 677

***APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, 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

Response: God of grace, hear our prayer.

PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you all. **And also with you.**

OFFERING

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SPECIAL MUSIC

***OFFERING HYMN**

As the Grains of Wheat

ELW 465

*OFFERING PRAYER

Dear God, we hope these gifts help others and that we can be loving people, too. Amen.

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING


The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

[...] followers of Jesus from all time, we sing our joy:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly are you, God of pow - er and
might; heav - en and earth are filled with your
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is the one who comes in your name. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Music: *Now the Feast and Celebration*, Marty Haugen, b. 1950

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[...] Make us people who live with your love shining out. Yea, God! **Amen.**

***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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

***POST-COMMUNION BLESSING**

***POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***BLESSING**

Alleluia! Christ is risen! **Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!** May God ✝ bless you now and always. **Amen.**

***HYMN**

We Are Marching in the Light of God

ELW 866

***SENDING**

Alleluia! Go in peace! **Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

POSTLUDE

Colin Rose

SERVING TODAY

Ministers: The People of Grace Lutheran Church

Pastor: The Rev. Abby Ferjak

Music Director: Colin Rose

Young Disciples: Allie Phillipert, AJ Phillipert, Becca Pappas, Ryan Pappas, Kuen Simpson, Annabelle Simpson, Harry Ferjak-Seely, Molly Ferjak-Seely, Lucca Gazel, Daniella Gazel, Lyanna Pollakowski, Willa Pollakowski, Josie Pralle, Isabella Misarti, Honor Coutts, Maxwell Coutts

Let us pray for one another:

*Ricardo
Anna
Donna
Elliot
Cheryl
Donna K.
Cindy
Terry*

*For those in need of God's healing and help:
For the New LIFE School in the Bronx;
HOPE ministries in New Rochelle;
the Westchester County Diaper Bank;
all elected leaders and officials;
all victims of violence;
all victims of natural disasters*

THIS WEEK AT GLC

Sunday, May 19

9:15am Sunday School
10:00am Worship
11:00am Coffee Hour & Choir Rehearsal
11:30am Congregational Council Meeting
6:00pm AA

Wednesday, May 22

7:15pm AA

Sunday, May 26

9:15am Sunday School Party (last class of the school year)
10:00am Worship
11:00am Coffee Hour & Choir Rehearsal
6:00pm AA

If you would like someone added or removed from the prayer list, please contact cheryl.wesley@gracelutheranscarsdale.org.

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