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Prelude Jenny Memmott

Welcome & Announcements Rev. Maria Campbell

Call to Worship Liturgist– Greg Laaser

Leader: The Day of Pentecost is here

**People: the day when the flames of faith dance in our hearts.**

Leader: The Day of Pentecost is here

**People: the day when our babbling speech becomes the Good News for the world.**

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**People: the day when compassion is seared into our souls.**

Leader: The Day of Pentecost is here

**People: let the people of God rejoice. Alleluia!**

Hymn of Praise *There's A Spirit in the Air* #192 UMH vs 1,2,4

Children's Moment Rev. Maria Campbell

Opening Prayer Liturgist– Greg Laaser

*Spirit of God, we long to be open to your presence in our lives. Fill us with your wind and fire, that we might be enlivened again. Help us hear the words as if for the first time, that they might touch us anew. Give us visions and dreams of what you long for in your creation that we might begin to live them into reality. Come, Spirit; come into our worship, into our homes, into our very selves. Amen.*

Scripture Acts 2: 1-13 Liturgist– Greg Laaser

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

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

Musical Invitation to Prayer	<i>Spirit of the Living God</i>	#393 UMH (2x)
Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Maria Campbell
The Lord's Prayer		
Anthem	<i>Holy Spirit</i>	Russ & Melissa Barker
Scripture	Acts 2 14-21	Rev. Maria Campbell

*But 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. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: "In 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. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."*

Message	<i>Rise : Fire</i>	Rev. Maria Campbell
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Celebration of Heritage Members

Offering

Doxology	<i>Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	#95 UMH
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Dedication of Offering		Liturgist– Greg Laaser
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*Gracious God, you are Lord of heaven and earth. Let our thoughts and actions be directed by your Spirit. Use these tithes and offerings for the good of your creation. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.*

Closing Song	<i>Soul on Fire</i>	<i>words in bulletin</i>
Sending Forth		Pastor Maria
Postlude		Jenny Memmott

**Song of Praise*****There's A Spirit in the Air***

#192 UMH v 1,2,4

**Verse 1** There's a Spirit in the air, telling Christians everywhere:  
Praise the love that Christ revealed, living, working, in our world

**Verse 2** Lose your shyness, find your tongue; tell the world what God has done.  
God in Christ has come to stay. Live tomorrow's life today.

**Verse 4** Still the Spirit leads the fight, seeing wrong and setting right:  
God in Christ has come to stay. Live tomorrow's life today.

**Musical Invitation to Prayer*****Spirit of the Living God***

#393 UMH (2x)

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.  
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.  
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.  
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.

**Doxology*****Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow***

#95 UMH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him, above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

**Closing Song*****Soul on Fire******C1, C1, V, C1, B, C1, C2*****Chorus 1**

God I'm running for Your heart  
I'm running for Your heart  
'Til I am a soul on fire  
Lord I'm longing for Your ways  
I'm waiting for the day  
When I am a soul on fire  
(\*Til I am a soul on fire)

**Verse**

Lord restore the joy I had  
I have wandered bring me back  
In this darkness lead me through  
Until all I see is You yeah

**Bridge**

Lord let me burn for You again  
Let me return to You again  
And Lord let me burn for You again  
And let me return to You again

**Chorus 2**

God I'm running for Your heart  
I'm running for Your heart  
'Til I am a soul on fire  
'Til I am a soul on fire  
'Til I am a soul on fire