

# **May 17, 2020**

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### **Prelude**

**Purpose - Rev. Scott Spencer, lead pastor, Mosaic UMC OKC**

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*The purpose of Mosaic United Methodist Church is to welcome all to experience the radical love of God as together we create a beautiful community of justice, compassion, and faith. We are a widening circle of all nationalities, races, classes, ages, families, gender identities and expressions, sexual orientations, abilities, and faiths.*

## Land Acknowledgement

Mosaic gladly welcomes all and acknowledges that the land on which we meet is, was, and always will be native land. This land was once inhabited by the Spiro peoples. We acknowledge those indigenous tribes to Oklahoma: the Wichitas, Caddos, Plains Apaches, and the Quapaws, as the original custodians of the land in this place. We respect those who came here as a result of the Trail of Tears: the Choctaw, Cherokee, Creek, Chickasaw and Seminole people. We grieve the violence done to native language, culture, and personhood. One of Mosaic's core values is reconciliation and we embrace the ongoing work of reconciliation among all God's creation.

## Gathering Song - Christ Is Risen UMH 307

*2 Christ is risen! Raise your spirits  
from the caverns of despair.  
Walk with gladness in the morning.  
See what love can do and dare.  
Drink the wine of resurrection,  
not a servant, but a friend.  
Jesus is our strong companion.  
Joy and peace shall never end.*

## Call to Worship - Rev. Paul Calkin

Though the presence of God is always near,  
**it is rarely loud,  
often subtle,  
and always prefers an invitation.**

Permeating all of life,  
always and everywhere available,  
the Holy asks us  
**to listen,  
to be still,  
to pay attention,  
and to practice the Wisdom we receive.**

The Holy Mystery of Love,  
the Sacred Calling of Courage,  
The Lure of Truth and Beauty,  
they are always moving us toward the restoration of life.

**Praise be to God  
who is revealed in our longings,  
felt in connection,  
and encountered in the flesh of creation.**

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**SONG: Come and Find the Quiet Center TFWS 2128**

## Come and Find the Quiet Center

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Fm Cm Fm Eb

1 Come and find the quiet center in the crowded life we lead,  
2 Silence is a friend who claims us, cools the heat and slows the pace,  
3 In the Spirit let us travel, open to each other's pain,

D♭maj7 Eb B♭m Eb/G Fm

find the room for hope to enter, find the frame where we are freed;  
God it is who speaks and names us, knows our being, touches base,  
let our loves and fears unravel, celebrate the space we gain:

B♭m Fm B♭m C

clear the chaos and the clutter, clear our eyes that we can see  
making space within our thinking, lifting shades to show the sun,  
there's a place for deepest dreaming, there's a time for heart to care,

B♭m Fm/A♭ D♭maj7 Eb Fm

all the things that really matter, be at peace, and simply be.  
raising courage when we're shrinking, finding scope for faith begun.  
in the Spirit's lively scheming there is always room to spare!

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**Children's Moment - Rev. Jeni Markham Clewell**

**Scripture: John 14:15-21**

**Message: Rev. Scott Spencer & Rev. David Wheeler**

**SONG: Spirit of God TFWS 2117**

*Spirit of God, bright Wind,  
Breath that bids life begin,  
Blow as you always do;  
Create us anew,  
Give us the breath to sing,  
Lifted on soaring wings,  
Held in your hands,  
Born on your wings,  
Alleluia!  
Come, Spirit, come!*

*Spirit of God, bright Dove,  
Grant us your peace and love,  
Healing upon your wings  
For all living things.  
For when we live your peace,  
Captives will find release,  
Held in your hands,  
Born on your wings,  
Alleluia!  
Come, Spirit, come!*

*Spirit of God, Bright Hands,  
Even in far of lands  
You hold all the human race  
In one warm embrace.  
No matter where we go,  
You hold us together so,  
Held in your hands,  
Born on your wings,  
Alleluia!  
Come, Spirit, come!*

*Spirit of God, bright Flame,  
Send us in your holy name,*

*The power to heal,  
To share your love everywhere.  
We cannot fail or fall,  
Or know defeat at all,  
Held in your hands,  
Born on your wings,  
Alleluia!  
Come, Spirit, come!*

*Spirit of God, in all,  
We gladly hear your call,  
The life in our hands that sings,  
The power of your wings.  
Born of your grace we rise,  
Love shining in our eyes,  
Held in your hands,  
Born on your wings,  
Alleluia!  
Come, Spirit, come!*

#### **Prayers of the People - Rev. Scott Spencer**

#### **Offering Moments - Scott Spencer**

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#### **SONG: Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness TFWS 2120**

PENTECOST

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## Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness

*Refrain*

Spir - it, Spir - it of gen - tle - ness, blow through the wil - der - ness

call - ing and free; Spir - it, Spir - it of rest - less - ness,

stir me from plac - id - ness, wind, wind on the sea.

1 You moved on the wa - ters, you called to the deep,  
2 You swept through the des - ert, you stung with the sand  
3 You sang in a sta - ble, you cried from a hill,  
4 You call from to - mor - row, you break an - cient schemes.

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PENTECOST

Em7 D Bm E A

then you coaxed up the moun - tains from the val - leys of sleep;  
and you goad - ed your peo - ple with a law and a land;  
then you whis - pered in si - lence when the whole world was still;  
From the bond - age of sor - row all the cap - tives dream dreams;

D G A G Bm D/F# D

and o - ver the e - ons you called to each thing:  
and when they were blind - ed with i - dols and lies,  
and down in the cit - y you called once a - gain,  
our wom - en see vi - sions, our men clear their eyes.

Bm D/G Em7 A7 D *to Refrain*  
A

"A - wake from your slum - bers and rise on your wings."  
then you spoke through your proph - ets to o - pen their eyes.  
when you blew through your peo - ple on the rush of the wind.  
With bold new de - ci - sions your peo - ple a - rise.



## **Benediction - Rev. Jeni Markham Clewell**

One: This is our church.

All: **We make it what it is.**

One: Others will feel welcomed.

All: **If I am welcoming.**

One: It will do a great work.

All: **If I work.**

One: It will make generous gifts to many causes.

All: **If I am a generous giver of my time, talents, and treasure.**

One: It will be a sanctuary for social justice and peace.

All: **If I advocate for marginalized communities & practice peace in every setting of my life.**

One: Therefore, we shall welcome all to experience the radical love of God as together we create a beautiful community of justice, compassion, and faith.

All: **And I shall dedicate myself to being all the things I want my church to be. Amen.**

(adapted from Rev. Kayla Bonewell, used by permission)

## **Sending Forth Song - We Are Marching in the Light TFWS (3 verses)**

"We Are Marching" TFWS 2235b

We are marching in the light of God,

We are marching in the light of God.

(Repeat)

We are marching, marching,

We are marching, marching,

We are marching in the light of God.

(Repeat)

We are living in the love of God,  
We are living in the love of God,  
(Repeat)  
We are living, living,  
We are living, living,  
We are living in the love of God,  
(Repeat)

We are moving in the power of God,  
We are moving in the power of God,  
(Repeat)  
We are moving, moving,  
We are moving, moving,  
We are moving in the power of God.  
(Repeat)

**Postlude - Go Now in Peace**

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