

CLOSING MUSIC

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ALTAR FLOWERS

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WORSHIP MUSIC

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

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Come and Fill

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Call to Worship and Opening Prayer

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GATHER US IN



1. Here in this place new light is stream-ing,
2. We are the young— our lives are a mys - t'ry,
3. Not in the dark of build-ings con - fin - ing,



now is the dark - ness van - ished a - way,
we are the old who yearn for your face,
not is some heav - en, light - years a - way, but



see in this space our fears and our dream-ings,
we have been sung through - out all of his - t'ry,
here in this place the new light is shin - ing,



brought here to you in the light of this day.
called to be light to the whole hu-man race.
now is the King - dom, now is the day.



Gath - er us in - the lost and for - sak - en, gath - er us in - the
Gath - er us in - the rich and the haugh - ty, gath - er us in - the
Gath - er us in and hold us for ev - er, gath - er us in and



blind and the lame; call to us now, and we shall a-waken,
proud and the strong; give us a heart so meek and so low-ly,
make us your own; gath - er us in - all peo - ples to-gether,



we shall a - rise at the sound of our name.
give us the cour-age to en - ter the song.
fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

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PENTECOST SUNDAY

May 20, 2018

9:00 a.m.

WELCOME

Because we believe that every person is a beloved child of God, on a journey to God, with God, we welcome ALL people, *without exception*, to attend, join, and participate fully in the life of this church. For a description of our worship services at 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. on Sundays and at 6:30 a.m. on Thursdays, visit our website at fumcaustin.org.

FAMILY ROOM

For parents with infants and toddlers, our Family Room, located in the balcony, offers rockers, books, toys, and a comfortable place for diaper changes. Childcare provided by our well-trained childcare staff is also available in Room 103 and 104 of the Education Building. Please ask an usher for assistance.

SUNDAY PARKING

For mobility-impaired individuals as well as those needing close-in parking, reserved handicap and accessible parking spaces are designated by signage along the wall of the Trial Lawyers' building. All able-bodied members are asked to use the free parking in the Trial Lawyer's garage at the southwest corner of 13th and Lavaca Streets and at open meters around the church.

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GATHERING AS THE CHURCH

Asterisks (*) indicate an invitation to stand as you are able.

OPENING MUSIC

GREETING

All are invited to greet those around them and to fill out the Connections Card.

ENTERING THE HOLY

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Who will dream dreams of our future together -
of a world where water is made clean,
prison doors are flung open,
guns are traded for art,
and love is not restricted?

The Spirit falls upon all flesh!

Where are our prophets?

Who will speak of God's justice

that tears unjust power from its throne
and uplifts the oppressed?

Is it us, O God?

Come, Holy Spirit.

Give us visions that inspire.

Fill our mouths with words of justice and truth.

Embolden those among us who have been silenced, to speak,
and those who have spoken, to hear.

Come, Holy Spirit!

* HYMN

Gather Us In

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OPENING PRAYER

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Almighty God,

by the power of your Holy Spirit,

speak to us in the language of our hearts,

that we may hear your Word with understanding

and answer your call with confidence.

Amen.

SCRIPTURE

Acts 2:1-21

New Testament, page 112

SERMON

Where Is the Church Headed?

RESPONDING IN FAITH

INVITATION TO THE FAITH JOURNEY

Are you interested in joining FUMC? Prior to joining, we ask all to participate in a First Steps Class to learn about Methodist beliefs and the ministry of FUMC, meet the pastors and other members, and ask questions. To sign up, fill out the Connections Card during worship and place it in the offering plate or email Trevor Harper at trevor@fumcaustin.org. The next class is June 3 at 12:15 p.m. in Garrison Chapel of the Family Life Center.

OFFERING

Filled with the Spirit's Power

Cyril V. Taylor

(Words: Hymn 537)

* PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING



Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow; praise



God, all crea-tures here be - low: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -



lu - ia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise



Je - sus Christ, whose power up - lifts! Praise the Spir - it, Ho - ly



Spir - it! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

FEASTING AT THE TABLE OF GRACE

* THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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THE 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.

Amen.

RECEIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

We commune by intinction, i.e., by dipping the bread lightly in the cup. After you have communed, you may return directly to your seat or kneel at the rail for prayer and then return.

If you would like to be served in your seat, please let an usher know that or ask someone sitting near you to communicate that to the servers.

Gluten-free wafers and cups are available at the left (north) side station. As you approach the servers, please indicate that you would like to receive a wafer.

COMMUNION HYMNS

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Spirit of the Living God

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Surely the Presence of the Lord

Hymn

Come and Fill



Come and fill our hearts with your peace.



You a-lone, O Lord, are ho - ly. Come and fill our hearts



with your peace, al - le - lu - ia!

COMMUNION RAIL OFFERING

It is a United Methodist custom to receive a freewill love offering, over and above our regular giving, at the communion rail.

Today, all gifts left on the rail will support the FreeStore. For more information, see the cover of the FUMC Weekly.

PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

GOING OUT TO SERVE

BENEDICTION

* HYMN 584 Lord, You Give the Great Commission