

June 4, 2017 ~ Day of Pentecost

8:30 AM

*God's house shall be filled with music, with song, with praise and prayer,
and the burdens of life shall be lifted from all who enter here.*

WELCOME

FOCUS SCRIPTURE Acts 2:1-2 pg. 943

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PRAISE Resounding Praise

Acolyte, Spencer Twiford

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Rita Shaffer

PRAYER AND PRAISE

OFFERING

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

READING OF THE WORD Acts 2:1-8, 12 pg. 943

SERMON "Let Jesus Empower You" John Dutton

COMMUNION

CLOSING SONG Resounding Praise

BENEDICTION

*Prayer: If you would like someone to pray with you, feel free to come to the front during the closing song. Our pastor and lay prayer partners will appreciate the opportunity to join with you in prayer.

Short Sermon Summary:

This Pentecost Sunday we celebrate God's life-giving Spirit poured out abundantly on the community of disciples. Rich images of wind and fire frame the proclamation of God's power in words that all can understand. Community is extended by the Spirit's blessing through a diversity of persons and gifts for the common good.

1. The writer of Acts speaks of the phenomena on that day of Pentecost as "like" the wind and "as of" fire.

2. Equally amazing, the gathered crowd marvels as they hear the gospel in their native languages. When one hears the gospel in one's own language, how is it possible to ignore the Pentecost truth that God comes in Spirit to each one of us?

The Flowers On Altar are given to Glory of God and in memory of **Louise "Bubbles" Daniels, Richard Coles Evans, Woody Gaskill and Keith Jones, Betty Flowers Gibbs, Helen VanCleaf Petty, Richard "Dick" Ward and Jane Abbott Zegopolus.**

11:00 AM

*As you prepare for worship, enter the Sanctuary in reverence, worship in the spirit of humility.
And leave it not without a prayer to God for yourself, for those who minister, and for those who worship here.*

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE "Spirit of Faith, Come Down" Tommy Midgett

Acolyte, Owen Head

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CALL TO WORSHIP "His Spirit" Chancel Choir

*HYMN "O Spirit of the Living God" No. 539

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostle's Creed No. 881

*GLORIA PATRI No. 70

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Rita Shaffer

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES & SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Drew Peyton & Judith Fearing

PASTORAL PRAYER

WORSHIPPING WITH GOD'S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS

Offertory "Something Beautiful" Tommy Midgett

*Doxology No. 95

*Prayer of Dedication

ANTHEM "Seek Ye First" Chancel Choir

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

*THE SCRIPTURE LESSON Acts 2:1-8, 12 pg. 943

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COMMUNION

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Spirit of the Living God" No. 393

*POSTLUDE "Where He Leads Me" Tommy Midgett

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO WITNESS AND SERVE GOD

*PLEASE STAND AS ABLE

NURSERY is located on the first floor.

Need help finding our nursery?

Please ask one of our ushers for assistance.

Today's Nursery

8:30 Elizabeth Gallop

9:45 Dana Thomason 11:00 Joyce Edwards

Next Week's Nursery – June 4th

8:30 Valerie Wheeler and Jan Culpepper

9:45 Jan Culpepper 11:00 Martha Howell and
Charlotte White

WORSHIP BAGS are available during the church service by the front entrance. Please return the worship bag at the end of service so we can continue to provide more items.

Communion and Family Worship Sunday. This week, we will worship and participate in communion as a family.

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church

Corner of Ananias Dare and Essex Streets

Manteo, N. C. 27954



Established 1887

As Disciples of Christ, we will passionately follow the leading of the Holy Spirit as we unite to promote and nurture spiritual growth among all God's Children.

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Mount Olivet Afterschool ~ 2:30 - 5:30 PM

Sun June 4	7:30 AM	Praise Team Warm Up & Prayer for Services
	8:30 AM	Contemporary Service
	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Traditional Service
	5:00 PM	SURGE
	5:00 PM	Youth Sunday Night
Mon June 5	6:30 AM	Men's Reunion Group meets in Room "C"
	6:00 PM	Cub Scouts
	6:30 PM	Gideons
	7:00 PM	Men's Monday Night Bible Study upstairs
Tue June 6		
Wed June 7	6:00 PM	Prayer Meeting <u>in the Church Library</u>
	10:00 AM	Prayer Blanket Warriors
	7:00 PM	SPRC Called Meeting
Thurs June 8	9:00 AM	Staff Meeting
	6:00 PM	Resounding Praise
	6:00 PM	Missions Meeting
	7:00 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	7:30 PM	NA - ends 9:00 PM
Fri June 9		
Sat June 10	1:00 PM	Girl Scouts

Ministers – All

John Dutton – Pastor

Aletia Goudy – Administrative Assistant

Drew Peyton – Director of Youth Ministry

Jean P. Basnight – Office Assistant

Elizabeth Gallop – Co-Dir. of Children's Ministry

Kim Head – Co-Dir. of Children's Ministry

Nathan Schierer – Director of Music

Tommy Midgett – Organist

Stephen Stetson – Technical Ministries

John Wescott – Custodian

Ann Payne – Church Treasurer

Dana Thomason – Nursery Attendant

Preschool, Afterschool & Seasonal Summer Day Camp

Shon Ballance Lee – Director

Scarlett Clarke – Assistant

De-Ann Bateman – Treasurer