



# Providence Church

**A Reformed Evangelical Congregation**

## **THE LORD'S SERVICE**

June 9<sup>th</sup> 2019

Pentecost Sunday

*In the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, we at Providence Church open wide our doors and welcome all who are spiritually weak and seek rest; all who mourn and long for comfort; all who struggle and desire victory; all who sin and need the Savior; all who are strangers and want fellowship; all who hunger and thirst for righteousness; all who are poor in spirit and desire the riches of the gospel; all who will come to Jesus Christ in living faith and repentance, looking to Him as both Liberator and Lord.*

## GOD IS RENEWING HIS COVENANT WITH HIS PEOPLE

### GOD CALLS US AND CLEANSSES US

Exhortation

*Corporate Charismatics*

Prelude:

*Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dearington*

Call to Worship (Please Stand)

*Pastor: Let us worship God, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.*

*Matthew 18:20; 28:19*

**People: Amen**

*Salutation: The Lord be with you!*

*Ruth 2:4*

**People: And also with you!**

*Pastor: I rejoiced when they said to me, "Let us go into the house of the Lord!"*

*Psalms 121:1-2*

**People: Our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem!**

*Pastor: Dearly beloved brethren if we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us, but if we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Therefore I pray and beseech you, as many as are here present, to accompany me with a pure heart and humble voice unto the throne of heavenly grace.*

*Pastor: Come, let us worship and bow down.!*

**People: And kneel before the Lord our Maker.** *(Let all who are able kneel)*

*Psalms 95:6*

*Pastor: Most merciful God,*

**All: All: In whom we live and move and have our being, our heavenly Father, your face is hidden from us because of our sins. Cleanse us, we pray, from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires. Grant that we may, in lowliness and meekness, draw near to you.**

**Confessing our faults and confiding in your grace, we look for your grace and mercy through Christ, your Son, our Lord. Amen.**

*(Continue Kneeling for Silent Confession)*

Assurance of Pardon

*(Rise and Hear the Good News of God's Forgiveness)*

*Pastor: The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in loving kindness. He has not dealt with us according to our sins nor rewarded us according to our iniquities. On this day know surely Your sins are forgiven through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

*Acts 13:38*

**All: Thanks be to God. Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name.  
Amen!**

**Hymn of Faith:**

**Psalm 23, The King of Love, pg. 35**

**People: Amen.**



## GOD CONSECRATES AND RAISES US UP TO HEAVEN

*Pastor: Lift up your hearts!*

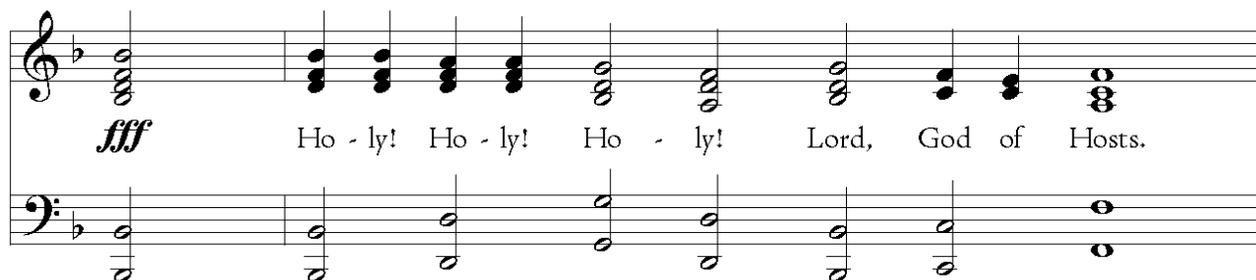
**People: We lift them up to the Lord!**

*Pastor: Let us Give Thanks to the Lord our God!*

**People: It is proper and right to do so.**

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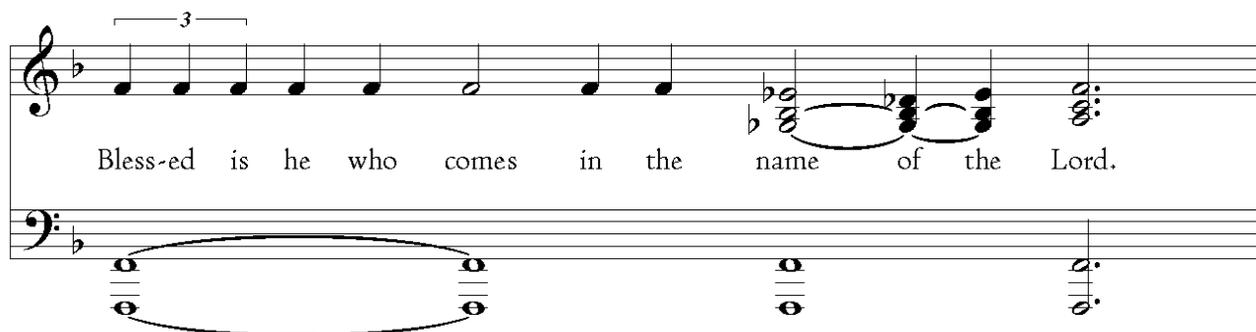
*Pastor: Truly it is fitting, right, wholesome and beneficial that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks to You O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels, with all the company of heaven, and with all the Church on earth, we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:*



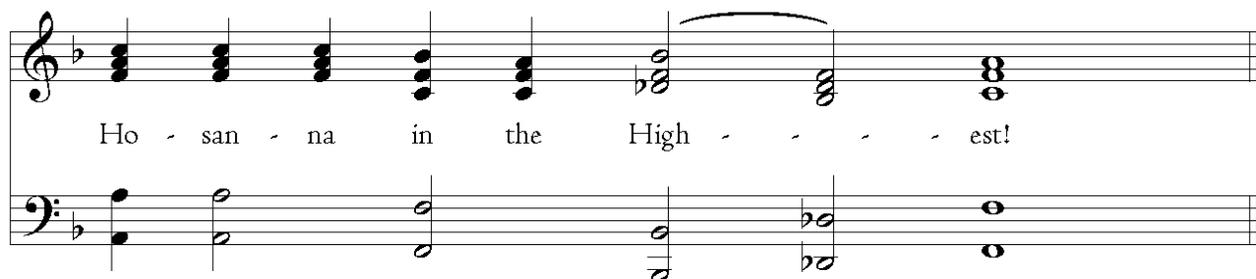
*fff* Ho - ly! Ho - ly! Ho - ly! Lord, God of Hosts.



Hea-ven and earth are full of Your glo-ry! Ho-san-na in the High - est!



Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.



Ho - san - na in the High - - - est!

*Pastor: Praise Yah!*

*Sing to Yahweh a new song,*

**People: His praise in the assembly of the beloved ones.**

*Let Israel rejoice in his Maker!*

**The sons of Zion, let them exult in their King!**

*Let them praise His name with dancing!*

**With tambourine and lyre let them play music to Him!**

*For Yahweh is delighting in His people,*

**Crowning the oppressed with salvation.**

*Let the beloved ones be jubilant in glory;*

**Let them sing for joy upon their beds.**

*The high praises of the Mighty One be in their throats,*

**And a sword of two-edges in their hands,**

*To execute vengeance upon the nations,*

**Punishments upon the peoples'**

*To bind their kings with fetters,*

**And their nobles with shackles of iron.**

*To carry out against them the sentence written:*

**This is the splendor of all His beloved ones.**

**All: Praise Yah! Halleluiah!**

## CONFESSION OF THE NICENE CREED

(Please Remain Standing)

**We believe** in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

**We believe** in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end.

**We believe** in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son He is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets.

**We believe** in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

**We acknowledge** one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

**We look** for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## **PASTORAL PRAYER AND SUNG LORD'S PRAYER** (Back Cover of Hymnal)

Please respond at the end of each section:

*Pastor: Father, hear our prayer!*

**People: For Your steadfast love endures forever!**

## **READING OF GOD'S WORD** (Please Stand)

New Covenant Reading: *Acts 2:1-13*

*Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.*

**People: Thanks be to God.**

New Covenant Reading: *1 Corinthians 2*

*Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.*

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Reading in the Midst of the People: *John 16:1-15*

*Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ.*

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**Hymn:** **Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken, pg. 304**

**People: Amen.**

## **SERMON**

Pastor: Uri Brito

Title: The Spirit as the Trinitarian Speech Writer (Outline on back page)

Text: Acts 2

## **OFFERTORY** (Ex. 23:15; 34:20; Dt. 16:16)

*Pastor: Let us worship God with our tithes and offerings.*

**Hymn of Faith:** **Psalm 119, Before Thee Let My Cry Come Near, pg. 158**

**People: Amen.**

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## Offertory Prayer:

*Pastor: Christians, how do you respond to our Lord?*

**People: We give only what the Lord has first given to us.**

**We present ourselves as living sacrifices,**

**And we offer the sacrifices of praise and thanksgiving.**

**We cheerfully give these tithes and offerings**

**In obedience to the Lord, for the glory of His Name,**

**The health of the Church, and for the sake of the world. Amen.**

## GOD COMMUNES WITH US

***The Lord's Supper is observed every Sunday as the climax of covenant renewal worship. We invite to the Lord's Table all those who are baptized disciples of Jesus Christ, under the authority of Christ and His body, the Church. By eating the bread and wine with us as a visitor, you are acknowledging to the Session of this local church that you are in covenant with God as an active member of a congregation in which the Gospel is faithfully confessed. If you have any doubt about your participation, please speak to one of the pastors before or after the service.***

## CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

(Please Be Seated)

Passing of the Bread: **("The Lord be with you" "The Lord bless you")**

Passing of the Wine: **("The Peace of Christ be with you" "And also with you")**

Congregational Response: **Gloria Patri**

(Please Stand with Hands Raised)

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end, A-men, A-men.**

## GOD COMMISSIONS US

The Lord's Commission:

*Matthew 28:18-20*

*Pastor: Our mouths will speak the praise of the Lord!*

**People: Let all flesh bless His holy name forever and ever. AMEN!**

*Psalm 145:21*

**Closing Hymn:**

**Psalm 98, O Sing a New Song to the Lord, pgs. 134-135**

**People: Amen!**

Benediction:

*Numbers 6:24-26*

Threefold Amen

**Announcements**

*Pastor: Go in Peace to Love and to Serve our Risen Lord!*

**All: Amen!**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Upcoming Events

#### Men's Study

We are taking a break until July

Jun 24-29

#### Jubilate Deo Music Camp

See Pastor Brito for Details for this music camp in Monroe, LA

Mid June

#### Summer Study

Classic Christian Essays

## OUTLINE

The Spirit never wastes his breath, but we do often. The Spirit always says what he means, but we don't. And when we say what we mean we often say it poorly or harshly. The Spirit is the Triune God's speechwriter. We need to hear him communicate God's truth to us day after day. But what is the Spirit communicating to us? Pentecost is generally entangled in debates about tongues, but shouldn't we first ask, "What was the Spirit trying to communicate through tongues?" I do think that is a more fundamental question, which is why we will consider the three purposes or communications of the Spirit in his descent on Pentecost.

I. Communication in the Garden

II. Trinitarian Communication

III. The Spirit's Three Messages:

- a. Communicate God's Wonders
- b. Study the Biblical Story
- c. Delight in Abundant Life

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