

Colebrook United Church

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Pentecost

“God will give you an Advocate, a Helper, to be with you forever.”

John 14:16

Prelude

We Gather

♪ Welcoming Song: *Come All You People* MV2

Welcome

We are a caring, serving community,
faithfully journeying and trusting in the mystery that is God,
seeking joy, peace and justice for all.



Call to Worship:

**Holy Spirit, dance your light into the corners of our lives;
when we are cold, bring us warmth;
when we are afraid, bring us comfort;
when we are lost, brighten our path;
when we are unsure, mark the way;
when we are in need, come into our presence.
Come, Holy Spirit, come!**

♪ Gathering Hymn: *Oh a Song Must Rise* MV 142

Life and Work of the Congregation

Acknowledgement of First Nation Territories

♪ Centering Hymn: *Spirit of Life* VU 381

Lighting of the Christ Candle

We light the Christ Candle to proclaim that the light of God is
around us, beside us and within us.

Thanks be to God.

Prayer of Approach:

**Exuberant Spirit of God, bursting with the brightness of
flame into the coldness of our lives to warm us with a passion
for justice and beauty, we praise you. Exuberant Spirit of
God, sweeping us out of the dusty corners of our apathy to
breathe vitality into our struggles for change, we praise you.
Exuberant Spirit of God, speaking words that leap over
barriers of mistrust to convey messages of truth and new
understanding, we praise you. Exuberant Spirit of God,
flame, wind, speech, burn, breathe, speak in us; fill your
world with justice and with joy. Amen**

Sharing the Peace of Christ

May the Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.



We Proclaim

Learning Together

♪ Sung Response: *Dance with the Spirit* MV 156

Presenting our Gifts and Offerings:

♪ Offertory Hymn: *We Give Our Thanks to God* MV 187 (vs. 1)
Prayer of Dedication

A Time of Prayer

Joys and Concerns

♪ Prayer Song: *Breathe on Me, Breath of God* VU 382 vs. 1

Silent Prayer

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

First Reading: Acts 2:1-21

First Reflection: Today We Remember...

♪ Spirit Song: *Spirit, Open My Heart* MV 79

Gospel Reading: John 14:8-17

Second Reflection: Today We Remember...



