

Glynde Lutheran Church

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**LUTHERAN
CHURCH**
OF AUSTRALIA



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Sunday 5 June 2022

Pentecost Sunday, Year C

10.30am Worship Service Order

SONG: THE GREAT SOUTHLAND

<https://youtu.be/3h6vnHXRbeM>

**This is our nation
This is our land
This is our future
This is our hope
A land of reaping
A land of harvest
This is our land
This is our home**

***This is the great southland of the Holy Spirit
A land of red dust plains and summer rains,
To this sun-burnt land we will see a flood,
And to this Great Southland his Spirit comes.***

**This is our nation
This is our land
This land of plenty
This land of hope
The richest harvest
Is in her peoples
We see revival
His Spirit comes**

***This is the great southland of the Holy Spirit
A land of red dust plains and summer rains,
To this sun-burnt land we will see a flood,
And to this Great Southland his Spirit comes.***

**This is our nation
This is our land
This lucky country
Of dreams gone dry
And to these peoples
We see a harvest
And to this land
Revival comes**

***This is the great southland of the Holy Spirit
A land of red dust plains and summer rains,
To this sun-burnt land we will see a flood,
And to this great southland his Spirit comes.***

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WELCOME

WE GREET EACH OTHER

IN THE NAME...

SONG: HOLY SPIRIT, COME

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6zg3kG2K45Y>

**Holy Spirit come
Holy spirit come
Heal our hearts, our lives
Cleanse our thoughts, our minds
Holy Spirit come
Oh come to us**

**Holy Spirit fall
Holy Spirit fall
Drench us with your love
Fill our lives with peace
Holy Spirit fall
Oh fall on us**

**Holy Spirit flow
Holy Spirit flow
Lead us in your will
Empowered to proclaim
Holy Spirit flow
Oh flow through us**

WE CONFESS, GOD FORGIVES

Dear God, you have given birth to our world and to each of us. You see our failure to live as your people, our desire to go our own way. You know that we fail to care for others and fail to care for your world. We ask you to forgive us. By the gentle touch of your Spirit, renew our hearts so that they are filled with compassion. May we live as your free, generous people, in service to all.

God Forgives

God makes all things new. Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old has passed away; everything has become new! Dear friends in Christ, believe the good news – in Jesus Christ you are loved, you are blessed, you are forgiven.

Thanks be to God!

Peace be with you
Amen.

SHORT PRAISE SONG: AMAZING GRACE, MY CHAINS ARE GONE

<https://youtu.be/KKo3T0j9qqo>

**Amazing grace how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now I'm found
Was blind but now I see**

***My chains are gone I've been set free
My God my Savior has ransomed me
And like a flood His mercy reigns
Unending love amazing grace***

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THEME OF THE DAY

Acts 2;1 – 4, 38
“Birthdays are special... ”

BIBLE READING

[Acts 2:1 – 4, 14, 38](#)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Practise being Godly

- * What sports are you good at?

Basketball, soccer, football, running, cricket

- * Do you have to practise to be good at the sports you play?

Yes

How often do you practise during the week?

Maybe on Tuesday and Thursday nights.

That's what I had to do when I played football

- * Who's your favourite sport's person? Wouldn't it be great to have the spirit of that person in you, so that you could play as well as they play?

You bet! It would be great!

- * You know, that's exactly what happened to Jesus' followers at Pentecost, about 10 days after Jesus went up to heaven. The Spirit of Jesus, the Holy Spirit, came down to live in Jesus' friends, so that they could love and care for one another just like Jesus did.

- * Listen to what happened to Jesus' friends shortly after Jesus ascended into heaven. This story is in The Beginner's Bible and it's called: "The Holy Spirit comes". It is found online at:

<https://youtu.be/0IZDXkLy154>

Do you think that you have that same spirit that was in Jesus, the Holy Spirit?

Well, you do! When you were baptised as a baby or as toddler, the Spirit of Jesus, the Holy Spirit, came to live in you. And he helps you love and care for one another just like Jesus did.

- * Of course, you have to practise being "Godly", to practise being like Jesus, just as you have to practise for basketball or soccer or whatever. Colin reminds of this in a song of his called "Practise being Godly".

CHILDREN'S SONG

"Practise being Godly" Colin Buchanan

<https://youtu.be/IPaDrmxMAuw?t=21>

LYRICS:

**Have you seen those fit and healthy guys
Always doing their exercise?
Well, it's better to work for a heavenly prize
So practise being godly**

**Never give up, make it your aim
If you've been forgiven in Jesus name
Practise being godly
He paid the price for all our sin
His Holy Spirit dwells within
So centre all you do on him
Practise being godly
You can lift big weights, you can swim or run
Train every day to be number one
But it's better to train for the life to come
Practise being godly**

**Never give up, make it your aim
If you've been forgiven in Jesus name
Practise being godly
He paid the price for all our sin
His Holy Spirit dwells within
So centre all you do on him
Practise being godly**

**Walk with the Lord wherever you go
Whatever you're doing, he will know
Say "yes, God!", to sin say "No!"
Practise being godly**

**Never give up, make it your aim
If you've been forgiven in Jesus name
Practise being godly
He paid the price for all our sin
His Holy Spirit dwells within
So centre all you do on him
Practise being godly**

**You gotta practise being godly
Practise being godly**

CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.
And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and sits at the right hand of God, the Father almighty,
from thence he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen**

SONG: GREAT ARE YOU, LORD

<https://youtu.be/uHz0w-HG4iU?t=8>

**You give life You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is broken
And great are You Lord**

Chorus 1

***It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only***

Verse

Chorus x2

Misc 1

(Bridge)

**And all the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry these bones will sing
Great are You Lord**

(REPEAT x2)

Chorus x2

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MESSAGE: Acts 2;1 – 4, 38
“Birthdays are special ... ”

Click [HERE](#) to listen to the message on YouTube

SONG: UNBROKEN PRAISE

<https://youtu.be/IW0lr-QqvM8>

**Praise unbroken
Praise unending
Be Yours be Yours forevermore
Praise untainted
Praise unfading
Be Yours be Yours forevermore
Be Yours be Yours forevermore**

**Unbroken praise be Yours God forever
All my praise be Yours God forever
Lord take this life let it become Your throne
Unbroken praise be Yours**

**My surrender
My devotion
Be Yours be Yours forevermore
Be Yours be Yours forevermore**

Misc 1

(Bridge)

**So let my deeds outrun my words
And let my life outweigh my songs
*(REPEAT)***

Misc 2

(Ending)

**Unbroken praise be Yours
My unbroken praise be Yours
So let my deeds outrun my words
And let my life outweigh my songs
Unbroken praise be Yours**

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PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD

Call to prayer

Let us pray for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the church.

Response

Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Suggested intercessions

- * We thank you, holy Father, that, as you had promised, you gave your Holy Spirit to all your people at Pentecost. Pour out your life-giving Spirit on your holy church throughout the world and equip its members with the gifts of your Spirit.
- * You brought light out of darkness and order out of chaos by your Spirit in the creation of the world. Let your Spirit move over our unruly world and heal its broken people.
- * You sent out your Spirit on the disciples like the rush of a mighty wind and distributed tongues of fire on their heads. Burn out all that is evil in us; consecrate all your people for holy service, and empower them to work with you for the salvation of the world.
- * You inspired the disciples with your Spirit to praise your marvellous deeds in many different languages. Unloose the tongues of all your people, so that they may joyfully confess you as their Lord and boldly proclaim their common faith to all the world.

- * Your Spirit touched the hearts of those who heard the gospel from Peter. Sharpen the consciences of those who hear your word and convince them of its truth, so that they may turn from their sins and receive the gift of forgiveness.
- * You gave the Holy Spirit to all those who were baptised on the day of Pentecost. Let your Spirit renew the faith of all those who have been baptised, so that they may devote themselves in public worship to the teaching of the apostles, the giving of gifts to you, the breaking of bread in the Lord's supper, and the prayer of the church for the world.

Concluding prayer

You united people from many different nations and cultures by your Holy Spirit. Bring together those who have been divided by misunderstanding, hatred, and mistrust, and join us with them and all the angels as we adore you forever; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reign with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and forever.
Amen.**

BLESSING

SONG: AT217 SHINE, JESUS, SHINE

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nTIGVIcHsFE>

**1 Lord, the light of your love is shining
in the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the world,
shine upon us;
set us free by the truth
you now bring us;
shine on me, shine on me:**

***Shine, Jesus, Shine;
fill this land with the Father's glory;
blaze, Spirit, blaze;
set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow;
flood the nations with grace and mercy;
send forth your word, Lord,
and let there be light.***

**2 Lord, I come to your awesome presence,
from the shadows into your radiance;
by the blood I may enter your brightness,
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness;
Shine on me, shine on me:**

**3 As we gaze on your kingly brightness,
so our faces display your likeness,
ever changing from glory to glory;
mirrored here, may our lives tell your story.
Shine on me, shine on me:**

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