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Day of Pentecost



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Auditoire de Calvin, May 19 2024

Prelude *Praeludium II*

Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy (1809–1847)

Introit CH4 581 *Hail thee, Festival Day!*

Welcome

Call to worship

O God,

Send forth your Holy Spirit

into my heart that I may perceive,

into my mind that I may remember,

and into my soul that I may meditate.

**Inspire me to speak with piety, holiness,
tenderness and mercy.**

Amen.

St Anthony of Padua (1195–1231)

CH4 586 *Come, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire*

Prayer

Father, your Spirit swept over the darkness and the void when you created the world. You send the same Spirit to us today.

We greet you

Lord Jesus, you promised to send us the Helper to be with us forever – and to teach us everything we need to know about God. Today is the day of the Spirit's coming.

We greet you

Holy Spirit, as fresh as creation, as powerful as at Pentecost, we welcome your coming today, with open hearts and eager minds

We greet you

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 the 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 joy.

Jan Berry

The Lord's Prayer

CH4 600 *Spirit of God, unseen as the wind*

New Testament Acts 2:1–21

Offering

Offering music *Pastorale*

Valentin Rathgeber (1682–1750)

CH4 807 (as the offering is brought forward)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Prayer of dedication

CH4 596 *Breathe on me, Breath of God*

Sermon

CH4 615 *Holy Spirit, ever living*

Prayers for others

CH4 595 *O Breath of life, come sweeping
through us*

Blessing and threefold **Amen**

Postlude *Postlude* in G Major

John Stanley (1712–1786)

*Join us afterwards in the Salle
Théodore de Bèze for refreshments!*

Welcoming elder: Ailsa Craig
Ushers: Gerald Lewis, Ellen Walker
Reader: Antonia Chapman Nyaho
Organ & piano: Linda Revkin
Choir: Páraic Réamonn

May 24, 11h Memorial service for Ritchie Panetti, Auditoire de Calvin

May 24, 19h-23h *Nourishing Minds Spring Fling*, Salle des Délices, Grand-Sacconex
Tickets CHF45. More on our website!



May 26 *Fête de l'Église 2024 (EPG)*
« *Réenchanter l'Église* »

See our website or bit.ly/3UEiAPF

10h We are invited to the Cathédrale for worship, an apéritif and a pot-luck lunch

11h No service in the Auditoire

Worship on Zoom only

13h30-15h30 – « *L'Église en chantée* »
also in the Cathédrale St. Pierre

June 2, 11h Monthly collection for *Partage*

June 9, 13h30 Annual congregational meeting in the Salle. Preceded by a light lunch

June 18, 19h30 Congregational committee

June 22, 19h30 Kirk session

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