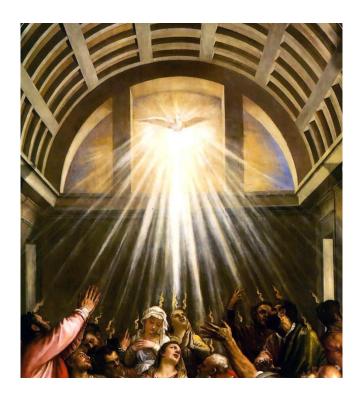




# **WELCOME**



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Day of Pentecost 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...

Fill your world with justice and joy.

Jan Berry

The Lord's Prayer

speak in us

CH4 600 Spirit of God, unseen as the wind

New Testament Acts 2:1–21

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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