



RESURRECTION CHURCH  
**Online Worship Gathering | 6.6.21**  
*Ordinary Time*

If you're new, *welcome!* Our [Digital Welcome Card](#) is an easy way to get connected.

**CALLED BY GOD INTO WORSHIP**

**The Lighting of the Quarantine Candles - Justin**

One: Spirit of the living God, who descended and rested upon the first church with your fiery, enlivening presence,

**Many: Come to us, we pray. Fill us to overflowing!**

One: Holy Spirit, fall afresh on us, that we may know your comforting, convicting, and empowering presence. Sustain us by your power until we can once again enjoy the embrace of fellowship and the joy of our togetherness in Christ.

**All: Alleluia! Amen.**

*\*Light your candles\**

**The Call to Worship — based on Psalm 105:1-2; Romans 5:5; Revelation 4:8 - Justin**

One: The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us; we dwell in him and he in us.

**Many: Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name;  
make known his deeds among the peoples.**

One: Sing to him, sing praises to him, and speak of all his marvelous works.

**Many: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God almighty,  
who was and is and is to come!**

**Song of Adoration:** [Holy Spirit/Your Presence of Heaven - Tray McLaughlin](#)

There's nothing worth more  
That will ever come close  
Nothing can compare  
You're our living Hope  
Your presence, Lord

*Holy Spirit, you are welcome here  
Come flood this place  
And fill the atmosphere  
Your glory God is what our hearts long for  
To be overcome by Your presence, Lord*

I've tasted and seen  
Of the sweetest of love  
When my heart becomes free  
And my shame is undone  
Your presence, Lord

Oh Jesus, oh Jesus  
Your presence is heaven to me  
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Your presence is heaven to me

**Confession of Sin - Justin**

Spirit of God, you are the breath of creation,  
the wind of change that blows through our lives,  
opening us up to new dreams, new hopes, and new life in Christ.  
Forgive us our closed minds,  
which barricade themselves against new ideas,  
preferring the past to what you might want to do through us tomorrow.  
Forgive our closed eyes,  
which fail to see the needs of your world, blind to opportunities of service and love.  
Forgive our closed hands,  
which clutch our gifts and our wealth for our own use alone.  
Forgive us our closed hearts,  
which limit our affections to ourselves and our own.  
Spirit of new life, forgive us and break down the prison walls of our selfishness,  
that we might be open to your love and open for service in your world,  
through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

**Silent Confession**

**Assurance of Grace - based on Romans 8:1-2, 11 - Justin**

There is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit of life sets us free from the law of sin and death. And if the Spirit of God who raised Jesus from the dead lives in us, God who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to our mortal bodies through the Spirit, who lives in us.

**Song of Thanksgiving - The Doxology - all together!**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise him all creatures here below  
Praise him above you heavenly hosts  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost  
Amen.*

## INVITED BY GOD INTO COMMUNITY

### Passing of Peace - Justin

One: The peace of Christ be with you

Many: And also with you!

### Community Prayer Time - Sarah R.

- Where do we need God to meet us? (pray for needs, griefs, burdens, etc)
- What are we celebrating? (birthdays, anniversaries, new jobs, etc) - answers to prayer?
- Did you notice God's Spirit at work in your life this week? What did that look like?

### The Lord's Prayer - Sarah R.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

### Announcements - Justin

- If you're new, *welcome!* Our [Digital Welcome Card](#) is an easy way to get connected
- Join our [email list](#) and our [Slack space](#) to stay in the loop!
- **Sunday, June 13, 4:30-6p - Hybrid Worship Gathering**
  - We'll be meeting both online and in-person at 50 Bennington Street next week!
  - Our social distancing and mask wearing policies remain in place (mirroring the state's mandate for schools, public transportation, etc.).
  - The CDC has updated its [recommendations](#) for fully-vaccinated people. ***Let's sing!***
- **Save the Dates:** Add these community-focused dates to your calendar to stay in the loop and grow in relationship throughout the summer!
  - Thurs, June 17, 6-8p - Community Night
  - Sat, June 26, 9a-12p - TBD
  - Thurs, July 15, 6-8p - Community Night
  - Saturday, July 24 - Spiritual Retreat
  - Sat-Sun, Aug 14-15 - Church Campout
  - Thurs, Aug 26, 6-8p - Community Night
- Our [Crisis Response Fund](#) is at work in the neighborhood, feeding food-insecure families and the homeless, providing rental relief, and assisting in eviction diversion.
- To give to our church, head to [www.resurrectionbos.org/give](http://www.resurrectionbos.org/give) to make a one-time or recurring gift. To give to the Crisis Response Fund, write "crisis" in the comment section.

## ADDRESSED BY GOD THROUGH SCRIPTURE

### Scripture Reading (English) - Acts 4:23-31 (ESV) - Brielle

<sup>23</sup> When they were released, they went to their friends and reported what the chief priests and the elders had said to them. <sup>24</sup> And when they heard it, they lifted their voices together to God and said, "Sovereign Lord, who made the heaven and the earth and the sea and everything in them, <sup>25</sup> who through the mouth of our father David, your servant, said by the Holy Spirit,

"Why did the Gentiles rage,  
and the peoples plot in vain?

<sup>26</sup> The kings of the earth set themselves,  
and the rulers were gathered together,  
against the Lord and against his Anointed'—

<sup>27</sup> for truly in this city there were gathered together against your holy servant Jesus, whom you anointed, both Herod and Pontius Pilate, along with the Gentiles and the peoples of Israel, <sup>28</sup> to do whatever your hand and your plan had predestined to take place. <sup>29</sup> And now, Lord, look upon their threats and grant to your servants to continue to speak your word with all boldness, <sup>30</sup> while you stretch out your hand to heal, and signs and wonders are performed through the name of your holy servant Jesus." <sup>31</sup> And when they had prayed, the place in which they were gathered together was shaken, and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and continued to speak the word of God with boldness.

One: This is the Word of the Lord

**All: Thanks be to God!**

### Scripture Reading (Spanish) - Hechos 4:23-31 (RVR) - Abe

<sup>23</sup> Al ser puestos en libertad, vinieron a los suyos y contaron todo lo que los principales sacerdotes y los ancianos les habían dicho. <sup>24</sup> Ellos, al oírlo, alzaron unánimes la voz a Dios y dijeron: "Soberano Señor, tú eres el Dios que hiciste el cielo y la tierra, el mar y todo lo que en ellos hay; <sup>25</sup> que por boca de David tu siervo dijiste:

"¿Por qué se amotinan las gentes  
y los pueblos piensan cosas vanas?

<sup>26</sup> Se reunieron los reyes de la tierra  
y los príncipes se juntaron en uno  
contra el Señor y contra su Cristo."

<sup>27</sup> Y verdaderamente se unieron en esta ciudad Herodes y Poncio Pilato, con los gentiles y el pueblo de Israel, contra tu santo Hijo Jesús, a quien ungiste, <sup>28</sup> para hacer cuanto tu mano y tu consejo habían antes determinado que sucediera. <sup>29</sup> Y ahora, Señor, mira sus amenazas y concede a tus siervos que con toda valentía hablen tu palabra, <sup>30</sup> mientras extiendes tu mano para que se hagan sanidades, señales y prodigios mediante el nombre de tu santo Hijo Jesús." <sup>31</sup> Cuando terminaron de orar, el lugar en que estaban congregados tembló; y todos fueron llenos del Espíritu Santo y hablaban con valentía la palabra de Dios.

One: La palabra del Señor

**All: Gracias a Dios!**

### Message: Spirit, Fill Again (Acts 4:23-31) - Justin

### **Discussion in Breakout Groups (~ 8 minutes) -**

- 1) What did you find most encouraging or challenging about the passage or message?
- 2) What risks do you feel when you think about living a Spirit-filled life?
- 3) What would you like your relationship with the Holy Spirit to be like?

### **Song of Response - [Holy Ghost](#) - Maverick City Music**

Consuming fire, my heart's desire  
Oh, how I need You more, a fresh outpour  
With no resistance, I give permission  
So come now, invade my heart; this life is Yours

*Come fill me up, Holy Ghost  
Shine brighter till the whole world knows Your love  
Come set me on a holy fire  
Burn bright until the whole world finds Your love*

This is my one desire and only this I seek  
To be a living fire, consumed completely

### **Blessing - Justin**

The Lord bless you and keep you;  
The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;  
The Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.  
In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

### **Extinguishing of the Candles - Justin**

### **Sending - Justin**

One: Now may the living God fill you with all joy and peace, love and hope,  
so that by the power of the Spirit you overflow with courage, conviction, and creativity.  
The Holy Spirit is our source of life; let us walk by the Spirit!

**All: Thanks be to God! Amen.**