

BLUFF POINT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
PENTECOST SUNDAY  
MAY 19, 2013

WELCOME AND GREETING

ORGAN PRELUDE/CANDLE LIGHTING

READING OF ACTS 2:1-4(P.119 N.T.)BY CONGREGATION

(Pastor will give instructions)

\*SONG OF PRAISE – #2117 “**Spirit of God**” (wave red streamers).

\* CALL TO WORSHIP – A Group of Believers, “Reaching For Rainbows, by Ann Weems

\*CONGREGATION’S PRAYER: **We praise you that on this Day of Pentecost your promise of the Holy Spirit is for us; that as we are together in this place we can know what it means to be filled with the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, love of God and the power and the presence of the Spirit. May He empower us to live in you. Amen.**

\*SHARING OF THE PEACE - **Let us offer one another signs of reconciliation and love.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE #404 “**Every Time I Feel the Spirit**”

CHORAL ANTHEM – “**African Psalm**”

CHILDREN’S TIME – “**Birthday of the Church**”

PRAYER HYMN - #2119 “Where the Spirit of the Lord Is”

PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD’S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING: **Acts 2: 5-21(p.119 N.T.)  
John 14:8-17(P.108,N.T.)**

SERMON: “**Seeing Red**” – Rev. Judy D. White, pastor

\*OFFERTORY/DOXOLOGY - Hymnal, #95

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION - **Almighty God who comes to us in wind and fire, may the doors of our hearts be open to let your Holy Spirit blow in and your love and grace flow out! As we offer up these gifts to you this morning, may they empower mission and ministries that spread across all your creation like wildfire. May our giving help your church to be born anew, not as bricks and mortar, but as hearts on fire to serve others and make disciples for Jesus Christ. In his holy name, we pray. Amen. (Acts 2:1-21)**

CLOSING HYMN -#393 “**Spirit of the Living God**”  
(wave red streamers)

BENEDICTION:

Pastor: Spirit of life

**ALL: Fill our emptiness with your fullness**

Pastor: Spirit of power

**ALL: Stir our hearts afresh**

Pastor: Spirit of love

**ALL: Touch us, and through us, our neighbour**

Pastor: Spirit of Creativity

**ALL: Enable and empower the gifts you have given**

**ALL: Draw us ever deeper into your Kingdom**

Pastor: Spirit of Eternity

**COME HOLY SPIRIT COME!!  
(WAVE RED STREAMERS)**

**SERVING CHRIST TODAY:**

Organist: Cindy Heggie

Choir Director: Aimee Perry

Liturgist: Sherri Hunt

Greeters: John and Judy Patchen

Ushers: Jean and Mike Morehouse

Scripture Reader: Gene James

Fellowship: Marilyn & Gene James

Sunday School: Meredith Nielsen

Nursery: Blanche Fingar and Sonya Andersen

Counters: Elly Stempien and Marilyn James

**Serving Christ Next Week**

Organist: Cindy Heggie

Choir Director: Aimee Perry

Liturgist: Sherri Hunt

Greeters: Helen and Dana Schillinger

Ushers: Phil and Kathy Burdick

Scripture Reader: Sarah Stackhouse

Fellowship: Carole and Fremont Clow

Sunday School: Leah Dibble

Nursery: Aimee Perry and Jessica Kenneda

Counters: Dick Smith and Fremont Clow

**LANCASTER TOUR – JULY 24-25<sup>TH</sup>.**

**A non-refundable deposit of \$50.00 will be due at time of reservation.** Remainder of cost will be due June 30th. **We will be taking 39 passengers so get your reservations in as soon as possible.**

The rate includes:

Round trip transportation from Penn Yan to Lancaster

Driver gratuity

Driver room and meals

Tickets to Sight and Sound presentation of Noah

Accommodations at Hershey Farm Inn for one night

Hot Breakfast Smorgasbord

Two-meat Family Style Dinner

\*Lancaster Comedy Theater, Thurs. AM.(sorry, the backstage tour was full so can't go there).

Rate is \$244.00 per person for double room, \$223.00

triple, \$213.00 quad.

Single rate will be coming soon.

Please save June 9<sup>th</sup> for our **DEDICATION SUNDAY OF THE NEW ADDITION.**

Sign up sheets for dinner will be going around.

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