



HIGHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH
PENTECOST SUNDAY
YOUTH LED WORSHIP
JUNE 5, 2022
11:15 A.M.

Invitation to Worship

Sally Evans

A PENTECOST OF TONGUES EXPLODES IN PRAISE OF JESUS' NAME

A Reading from Acts

Ainsley Braun, Mya Cutler,
Elliott Estes and Gabriel Heeke

Acts 2:1-21 (Pew Bible page 116 – NT)

Hymn of Praise (228) †

FESTAL SONG

A Rushing, Mighty Wind

Prayer of Praise

Hannah Cooksey and Hannah Harris

Glory to the Creator †

MEINEKE

**Glory to the Creator, and to the Christ, and to the Spirit, One.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

GOD'S SPIRIT BLOWS THE WIND

The Gospel Lesson †

Tate Sinclair

John 14:15-17; 25-27 (Pew Bible page 107 – NT)

Prayer of Confession

Livia Mayfield

You invite us to open our hearts,
but we keep them shielded from your Spirit.
You call for us to open our minds,
**but we would rather confine them
to what we already know.**
Breathe your Spirit on us once more,
so that, filled with your Spirit of Peace,
we become bearers of your sacred truth in every aspect of our lives.
We wish to live by your example in full forgiveness,
but sometimes it is hard to forgive.
We want to follow your teaching,
but it is sometimes hard to obey.
Holy Spirit, remind us of your words when we need to hear them,
and move us to respond with lives of faithfulness. Amen.

Words of Assurance

Griffen Farnsley

LORD, MAKE OUR BREATH A WIND

Hymn (310) †

HYMN TO JOY

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee
Congregation joins in singing verses three and four

Reflection

Found In Translation

Sally Evans and Youth

† *For those who are able, we invite you to stand.*

The Celebration of Holy Communion

Hannah Cooksey, Isaiah Cooksey, Quinn Cornely, Mya Cutler
Griffen Farnsley, Parker French, Wes French, Hannah Harris
Elizebeth Hawkins, Morgan Heeke, Samuel Williams Reece
Lauren Jones Mayfield

Invitation to the Table
Exchange of Peace
Prayer of Thanksgiving
The Lord's Prayer
Words of Institution
Reception of the Bread and Cup
Communion Music by Griffen Farnsley, Guitar

*All bread served is gluten free.
Please place your tithes and offerings in the offering plates as you return to your pew.*

LET OUR TONGUES BE FIRE

Hymn of Response (295) †

NETTLETON

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Offertory Prayer

Lula Mae Solley

Recognition of Graduates

Sally Evans

We celebrate your graduation with you! We give thanks for your life as a student and all that you have learned. We honor the unique way you translate the message of God to this world. Your accomplishment blesses this church family with determination and perseverance—characteristics of gospel living. As your community of faith we surround you with our support and love as you continue on your journey. Receive our joy as we give thanks to God for you. Amen!

News for the Community

Gabriel Heeke

In response to your decision, we welcome you! We covenant to be the family of God for you in this place. We hope to learn from you, give to you, and receive from you, as we journey in faith together.

Doxology †

TALLIS' CANON

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below,
Praise God for all that love has done;
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One. Amen.**

Benediction

Highland Youth

Postlude

Austin Echols

Morning Reflections



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Today in Worship

Phrases from our hymn of praise, *A Mighty Rushing Wind*, will guide us toward images that embody segments of our worship service – praise, confession, proclamation, and response.

It is vitally important for the youth of Highland to know they are an integral part of translating our mission, participating in our community, and leading our worship! We believe each youth uniquely conveys the message of God to our world and we give thanks for all the voices contributing to our service today. In addition to those listed in the order of worship, we also thank *Jude Mayfield, Katie Metcalf and Tyler Metcalf*. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to *Nicole Farnsley*, who created the original artwork for the front of the order of worship and to *Elizabeth Hawkins* for the original artwork for the sanctuary.

Today's service has also been possible because of all the adults who have served this school year as guides, mentors, and fellow travelers on the journey: *Helen Hinton, Tyler Swim, Michele Smith, Meredith Bell, Eric Cutler, Nathan Rider, Madeline Cox*, and many others who have served in innumerable ways great and small. We recognize the support and leadership from our Youth Ministry Group: *Tanya Cornely, Mary Cooksey, Eric Cutler and Andrea Sinclair*. Lastly, a heartfelt thank you for all the love, support, and transportation from our parents!

Highland's deacons (wearing identification name tags) are available at various locations for prayer, questions or information. Deacons are lay ministers of the church who have been called to a ministry of service.

Listening Assist Devices are available. Please see our sound technician or an usher for assistance.

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Notes and News for the Community of Faith

- **An invitation to give in Kathy's honor**—What a gift it was to honor Kathy Collier and to celebrate her 15+ years of ministry with us. We will be hosting A Night of Music in honor of Kathy later this fall or next spring. To that end, we are inviting you to give to the Kathy Collier Music Fund over the next month to help us host this special event. Thank you for joining us in this meaningful way to say “thank you” to Kathy. **Additionally, we gave Kathy a leather-bound copy of Highland's hymnal**, and invite you to sign your name in the front or on the page of your favorite hymn. **We have this hymnal available to sign in The Commons today.**
- **Sunday, June 12 at 11:15 a.m. PRIDE Worship:** Join us for this annual tradition during our Sunday worship service. We will hear from a variety of voices within our Highland family and offer praises to the Creator of us all. We will also commission our parade marchers.
- **Thursday, June 16 at 7 p.m. Drag Revival: A Family-Friendly Spiritual Night of Music and Joy.** In partnership with other congregations and Highlands Community Ministries, Highland will co-host this family-friendly drag event. It is open to the public and will be a beautiful celebration of spiritual renewal, healing from religious trauma, and music. All tips and donations collected will be donated to the Louisville Youth Group.
- **Saturday, June 18 at 12 p.m. Kentuckiana PRIDE Parade:** Join our congregation for the parade march. Stay tuned for more information about where we will gather at the start point in NuLu. The route concludes at Waterfront Park. Plan to wear one of your Highland Baptist t-shirts!
- **Saturday, June 18 at 1:00-9:00 p.m. Kentuckiana PRIDE Festival:** We will host our famous button maker, offer glitter blessings, and share the transforming love of God.
If you can help with any of these events, please sign up in the Commons this Sunday and next!



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BAPTIST CHURCH**
*A thinking, feeling, healing
community of faith*

Our Mission... God's Love compels us to cultivate a safe, welcoming community of faith where all are challenged to discover, grow, and serve, as together we boldly live out the worship that is our very lives.

Jerre and Frank Bassett
CUSTODIANS

Don Burke
PASTOR EMERITUS

Austin Echols
ORGANIST AND MUSIC ASSOCIATE

Kathleen Gordon
FINANCIAL SECRETARY

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AND THEIR FAMILIES