

The Presbyterian Church at Tenafly



For Every Heart a Home

**May 19th, 2024 at 10:30am
The Day of Pentecost**

Rev. Dr. Martin Ritchie

Liturgist: Mickey Sechrist

**Cantors: Cathy Coppolino, Nancy Smith,
Ann and Carroll Van Cleave, Gay Willis**

Coffee Hour Host: Gay Willis

Welcome to worship! If you are visiting or here for the first time and would like to stay in touch with us, please consider filling in one of the contact cards that you will find alongside the hymnals or you can use this QR code. These can be placed in the offering plate or handed to an usher. Church School for children happens during our worship service. Today the kids will go through after the song, "When the Spirit of the Lord". Please join us for coffee hour in the Church House after the service when we will celebrate Ray McCarthy with cake!



Prelude

Welcome

Rev. Dr. Martin Ritchie

Joys and Concerns

Rev. Dr. Martin Ritchie

Call to Worship

Rev. Dr. Martin Ritchie

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit

All: Burn within us and warm our hearts

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit

All: Brush us with your gentle wings

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit

All: Blow like wind into our lives

*** Hymn**


Like Fireworks in the Night (see over)

Like Fireworks in the Night

Ian Masson Fraser


ST JOHN

Soprano
Alto



1. Like fire-works in the night the Ho - ly Spi - rit
2. For Je - sus bade them dare to ven - ture, as they
3. Thus God our spi - rits lifts fresh dar - ing to in -

Tenor
Bass




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came; dis - ci - ples fear took flight when touched by fronds of
should; his love taught them to share their homes, pos - ses - sions,
spire; as com - mon folk get gifts to change the world en -




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flame: and sud - den - ly the world was young as
food: the mind of Je - sus gave them speech all
tire: the tongues of flame at Pen - te - cost ran



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hope em - braced a Sav - our's claim.
tribes and peo - ples un - der - stood.
through the world like for - est fire.



Prayer of Approach to God and Confession

Liturgist

Kyrie Eleison

Martin sings:	Kyrie Eleison
Congregation & Cantor:	Kyrie Eleison
Martin sings:	Christe Eleison
Congregation & Cantor:	Christe Eleison
Martin sings:	Kyrie Eleison
Congregation & Cantor:	Kyrie Eleison

Declaration of Forgiveness

Liturgist

Choir Anthem *If Ye Love Me*, by Thomas Tallis

If you love me, keep my commandments, and I will pray the father, and he shall give you another comforter. And he may abide with you forever, even the spirit of truth. (John 14:15-17)

Story *The Day of Pentecost* (based on Acts: 2) Rev. Dr. Martin Ritchie

***Song** *When the Spirit of the Lord is Within My Heart* (see over)

When the Spirit of the Lord (Dance as David Danced)

Composer Unknown

When the Spi-rit of the Lord is with - in my heart, I will dance as Da-vid danced. When the

Spi-rit of the Lord is with - in my heart, I will dance as Da-vid danced. I will

dance,_____ I will dance,_____ I will dance as Da - vid danced. I will

dance,_____ I will dance,_____ I will dance as Da - vid danced.

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- 1 When the Spirit of the Lord is within my heart,
I will dance as David danced.
When the Spirit of the Lord is within my heart
I will dance as David danced.
I will dance, I will dance, I will dance as David danced.
I will dance, I will dance, I will dance as David danced.
- 2 When the Spirit of the Lord is within my heart,
I will sing as David sang.
When the Spirit of the Lord is within my heart
I will sing as David sang.
I will sing, I will sing, I will sing as David sang.
I will sing, I will sing, I will sing as David sang.
- 3 When the Spirit of the Lord is within my heart,
I will praise as David praised.
- 4 When the Spirit of the Lord is within my heart,
I will clap as David clapped.

“When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. You also are to testify, because you have been with me from the beginning. But I have said these things to you so that when their hour comes you may remember that I told you about them. “I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. But now I am going to him who sent me, yet none of you asks me, ‘Where are you going?’ But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your hearts. Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you, but if I go, I will send him to you. And when he comes, he will prove the world wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: about sin, because they do not believe in me; about righteousness, because I am going to the Father, and you will see me no longer; about judgment, because the ruler of this world has been condemned. “I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

***Hymn (Psalm 104)** *Lord, Send Out Your Spirit* (see over)

Verses: choir soloist **Refrain:** choir and congregation

Lord, Send Out Your Spirit (Or: Alleluia)

(Psalm 104: 1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34) *(Psalm 104 - For Pentecost Sunday)*

Francesca LaRosa



Lord, send out your Spi-rit, and re - new the face of the earth.
Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

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Lord, send out your Spi-rit, and re - new the face of the earth.
Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

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Sermon

Rev. Dr. Martin Ritchie

Sharing our Gifts during which we hear the cantors sing *Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God*, by Keith and Kristyn Getty. Noelle Perrin, solo flute

If you are visiting or would like to make an extra offering on top of your usual contribution to the church, you can use your smart phone to scan this QR code to make a donation by credit card (3% surcharge) or by debit card (no surcharge). Cash and check donations are always acceptable!

GENERAL OFFERING



***Doxology**

Prayer of Dedication

Liturgist

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Rev. Dr. Martin Ritchie

The Lord's Prayer

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,
The power and the glory, forever. **AMEN**

Presentation to Ray McCarthy

***Hymn 66** *Every Time I Feel the Spirit*

Charge, Benediction and Celtic Amen
Amen, Amen, Alleluia, Amen (x2)

Postlude

***If you are able, please stand.**

Announcements

Livestreaming of Worship. Today's service is broadcast live online. You can watch the service again later via our website homepage if you wish to. Huge thanks to our entire technical team.

The flowers this morning are given by Mickey Sechrist to the glory of God and in honor and memory of all who served our country and Happy Birthday to the Church!

Congregational Meeting Sunday June 2nd in the church house following worship. Notice is given and you are invited to this special meeting at which the Session will outline its vision for our future worship pattern.

The **Pentecost** offering helps to provide opportunities for young people to grow and share in their faith in Christ. 40% of this gift stays with our congregation to support ministries with children, youth, and young adults while 25% goes to the Youth Triennium, 25% to support young adult volunteers, and 10% to children at risk. Please give generously if you can. Spare letters and donation envelopes are available in the narthex today.

PCAT Men's Group. Next meet up for dinner is on Wednesday May 29th at 7pm at Dante's in Leonia. Contact Jim Crook rjamescrook@gmail.com or Pastor Martin pastorpcat@gmail.com if you would like to come along. Everyone is welcome.

Presby Readers next meeting will be on June 2nd at 4:00pm hosted by Viki Shima. We'll be discussing *Remarkably Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt. All are welcome!

PCAT Women's Group next get together will be on Thursday June 6th at MKT Diner at 261 Closter Dock Road in Closter. We will meet at 6.30pm. Please let either Marilyn Coats-Thomas (201) 888-0402 or Christina Chan (201) 784-6818 know if you'd like to come. We hope to see you there!

Chamber Music for a Summer Evening with Jim Millar's *Two Grammys and a Grampa* piano trio - and friends! Café Music by Paul Schoenfeld and music by Piazzolla, Sarasate, Schubert and Debussy. **Friday June 7th at 7pm in the Old Stone Chapel.** Free Admission - Retiring Offering for the Arts Outreach Fund.

A Table for All is a documentary film about refugees and asylum-seekers and their integration into United States culture through a Brooklyn kitchen. Contact the church office to reserve your seat for **June 9th at 4:30pm** when we'll view the film and have a discussion with filmmaker, Thea Piltzecker or sign up to book a spot via Eventbrite using this QR code.



Celebrating Our Graduates Do you have someone in your family graduating? Congratulations! We would like to celebrate with you by including them on our grad list. Please send an email with their name and school by June 10th to the church office. Feel free to include a couple sentences about their future plans.

PCAT Scholarships are open to PCAT members and children of members who will be attending a full-time degree program. Please submit an application by June 9th to the office. Applications are available in the office or to print online at our website: www.tenaflypresby.org

Do you enjoy coffee hour following worship? Would you consider hosting? It's easy! Just bring in your choice of goodies (cookies, donuts, muffins), some fruit, and juice. That's it! Chris Schwab takes care of all the set up; coffee and tea and milk are all provided. Please help us to continue this social time following worship. Call the church office at (201) 567-0111 if you can help from time to time.

NEW WELCOME TEAM being developed – we would love to have many of you join this new effort to make Sunday mornings even richer. We are planning a return to a team approach like we had prior to Covid. If you are interested in being a part of this effort, please contact Nancy in the church office, speak with Martin or contact Brian Coats-Thomas via email

(cgbrian.thomas@gmail.com). Thank you for thinking about this opportunity – it will not require a significant time commitment but allows you to support what we do every Sunday morning.

Regular Groups at PCAT

GROUP	WHEN	CONTACT
AA (Morning Glory)	Saturdays 10:30am JHH	Jay McSherry JayMcSherry@earthlink.net
Adventures in Faith	Wednesday 12pm Church House	Pastor Martin pastorpcat@tenaflypresby.org
Bell Choir	Wednesdays 4pm Room 203	Jim Millar Dirmusic@tenaflypresby.org
Choir	Sundays 9am Chapel	Jim Millar Dirmusic@tenaflypresby.org
Church School and Childcare	Sundays 10:30am	Sherrie Reilley reilleysherrie@gmail.com
CroKnitters	Tuesdays 2pm-4pm Lounge	Mickey Sechrist alanmickey@earthlink.net
English Second Language (ESL)	Tuesdays 10am Church House	Jun Motai Motaicoaching@gmail.com
Mommy/Daddy & Me	Saturdays 9:30am-11am Church House	Christina Chan Shanghai68@gmail.com
PresbyReaders	Meets monthly (Sundays)	Mary Jane Eimer mjeimer@aol.com
Women's Group		Marilyn Coats-Thomas coathomas@aol.com or Christina Chan Shanghai68@gmail.com
Men's Group		Pastor Martin pastorpcat@tenaflypresby.org or Jim Crook rjamescrook@gmail.com

Doodle Away ...

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