

PRELUDE Spirit Song John Wimber

***CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO WORSHIP** Make Us One Carol Cymbala

*Make us one, Lord, make us one; Holy Spirit, make us one.
Let Your love flow so the world will know We are one in You.*

***INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER** Marie Sumerel, Deacon

Our Lord's Prayer this morning reflects the spirit of Pentecost by featuring many different languages. As you pray your own familiar words in English, you will also hear the prayer in Dutch, French, Greek, Japanese, and Spanish. Thanks to all who are contributing to our service by speaking in their native or secondary tongues.

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen

***PASSING OF THE PEACE** Marie Sumerel

WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES Trey Davis

Thank you for choosing to worship with us at The Ridge today! If you are visiting, please fill out one of the green cards on the back of the pew and place it in the offering plate at the end of the service. We're so glad to have you here, and we're grateful to know of your presence with us.

***HYMN 303** Jesus Shall Reign DUKE STREET

RESPONSIVE READING Acts 2:1-8, 12-21 Trey Davis

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting.

Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them and a tongue rested on each of them.

All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each.

Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language?"

All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

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But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.

'Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

'The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

MORNING PRAYER Trey Davis

***HYMN 331** Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart MORECAMBE

SCRIPTURE READING Joshua 2:1-14; Hebrews 11:31 Marie Sumerel

LEADER: These are the scriptures of God for the people of Christ.

PEOPLE: May the Spirit grant us understanding.

ANTHEM 10,000 Reasons arr. Lloyd Larson

SERMON Welcoming One Another in Peace Carson & Laura Foushee

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT 597** Let It Be Said of Us Steve Fry

During this hymn, we invite you to reflect upon your relationship with God and your commitment to Christian service. If you would like to make a commitment to Christ or to become a member of Ridge Road Baptist Church, we invite you to come forward to speak with a pastor.

***PASTORAL BLESSING** Trey Davis

As we go out into the world, we look for opportunities to share our blessings with others. If you would like to contribute to the ministry here at Ridge Road Baptist Church, offering plates are available on the altar up front for your gifts.

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** As We Go Jeremy Johnson

As we go, may Your Spirit go before us.

As we go, may we follow where You lead.

May we live what we have learned, share the message we have heard,

And be a light unto the world as we go.

POSTLUDE Knowing You Graham Kendrick

**please stand as you are able*

We are so honored and blessed to have the Foushee Family with us today! Welcome them with open arms and hearts!

**Foushee Annual Special Offering
May 28 - June 30, 2023**

This special annual offering is to help fund the daily ministry activities of our CBF Field Representatives to Japan, Laura and Carson Foushee. Prayerfully consider how you might support the ministry of this young family. You may use either Easy Tithe or checks made payable to RRBC; just remember to note "Foushee Offering" in the memo line.

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Foushee Prayer Requests & Praises:

- We give thanks for an encouraging visit with the three ministers from FBC Dalton, GA and look forward to visiting them in June to discuss more about future mission team visits to Japan.
- Pray for upcoming travel to America for visits with congregations and other supporters beginning in late May and continuing through late August.

Pray for CBF General Assembly in Atlanta from June 27 to 30. Consider attending this special event where we gather to worship, learn, fellowship, and celebrate the good work of God across the world.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Church Members:

Mary B. Carraway	Felicia Goodman
Betty Duke	Phil Kirk
Bob & Jane Edwards	Patricia Lynn
Joe Ellen	Linda Pleasants
Martha Flynn	Helen Prevette

Family and Friends:

Linda Creech (mother of Paige Kay)
 Joel & Allison Cresimore
 Linda DeSchreiver (niece of Jane Edwards)
 Virginia Herran (sister of Jo Cresimore)
 John & Jennifer LeMay (daughter and son-in-law of Jo Cresimore)
 Ashley Lynn (niece of Patricia Lynn)
 Marygena Lynn (sister-in-law of Patricia Lynn)
 Martha Marcom (cousin of Patricia Lynn)
 Tommy Jenkins (former member)

DEACON OF THE DAY

Today.....Marie Sumerel
 Next Week (June 4).....Liz Peacock

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