

Resurrection Stories: Transformed

Pentecost

The beautiful flowers in the Sanctuary are in thanksgiving for His many blessings.

Given by Rachel and Elton Odom.

Gathering at the Gate

Prelude

The Collective Story of Resurrection | Threshold Moment/Call to Worship based on Acts 2: 1-21. The **bold** writing is intended to be read by many voices, including yours.

But Peter reminded them of the words of the prophet Joel:

"I will pour out my spirit on all people!"

We believe the Spirit will revive us

and we will dream dreams again

and envision a better world for all people.

This is a Word of Hope for people who long for it.

Thanks be to the Living Word.

Opening Hymn/Song: "Spirit of God," FWS 2117

The Key to Peace

In the name of Jesus Christ, you can be transformed. In the name of Jesus Christ, you can be transformed.

Proclaiming Freedom

Notes on Transformation: Romans 12: 1-16 (NT P.151)

New Life Happens (Children's Time)

"Halle, Halle," FWS 2026

Halle, halle, halle-luya! Halle, halle, halle-luya! Halle, halle, halle-luya! Halle-luya, halle-luya! A Story of Transformation: The Keys to the Kin-dom

Matthew 16: 13-20 (NT P. 17)

Song of Freedom (Anthem)

Testimony to Transformation

Responding to Freedom

Prayers of the People The prayer Jesus taught

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.

Opportunities to Live Resurrected

Invitations, Announcements, and Offering

Doxology| "I Love to Tell the Story" UMH 156, one verse, adapted, and refrain

> The Savior of our stories has brought his peace to you; now go and tell the story, for others need it too. To ev'ry one who's hurting ring out the gospel call; proclaim that Christ is risen and grants his peace to all.

I love to tell the story; twill be my theme in glory to tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.

Unlocking Freedom

Closing Hymn/Song

"Hymn of Promise," 707 UMH

Benediction

Postlude

Join us next week, May 26, Trinity Sunday and Peace with Justice Sunday "Rising Justice"

2 Samuel 23: 1-4, Romans 8: 22-27, John 15: 26-27

A note to our guests

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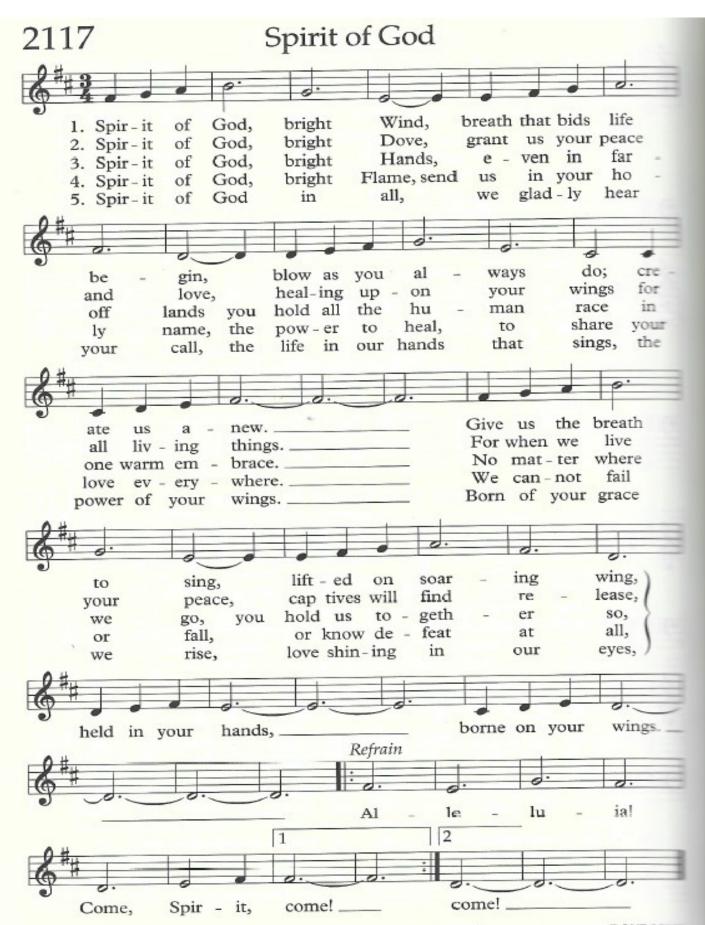
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Hymn of Promise

