**Noordeloos Christian Reformed Church**

**Pentecost Sunday Worship**

**May 31, 2020—9:30 AM**

**Entering God’s Presence**

Prelude—*Let the Heavens Open*

Welcome

Call to Worship: Acts 2:1-4a

The Lord’s Greeting

Hymn of Praise

PH #547—*Fill Thou My Life, O Lord My God*

**Expressing Our Faith**

Confession of Faith: Contemporary Testimony, Articles 28-30

Pastoral Prayer

Offering Plan: I Corinthians 16:2

Offering for the General Fund and World Renew Disaster **Response**

Children’s Message: Presented by Nancy Spahr

Hymn of Faith

PH #504 vs. 1, 2, 4*—Holy God, We Praise Your Name*

**Listening to the Lord**

Scripture: Galatians 5:16-26

Message: ***Spirit Filled; Spirit Transformed***

Prayer of Application

**Leaving with God’s Peace**

Hymn of Assurance

HWC #271 vs. 1, 2, 4*—Standing on the Promises*

The Lord’s Blessing

Postlude—*Same Power*

**Worship Participants**

Worship Leader: Rev. Ron DeYoung

Organ: Sharon Machiela

Trumpets: Stephen Sietsema; Steve and Landon Gerritsma; Sheila Johnston

**Pentecost Message Outline—May 31, 2020**

**Rev. Ron De Young**

Galatians 5:16-26

***Spirit Filled; Spirit Transformed***

Introduction

1. The parable of the empty house (Luke 11:24-26)

2. A better way – Being Spirit filled; Spirit transformed

I. Being a house (heart) occupied by the Holy Spirit

A. Being \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with the Holy Spirit

B. Being \_\_­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with the Holy Spirit

II. Keeping in step with the Holy Spirit

A. It involves knowing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

B. It involves having a \_\_\_­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ heart

III. Bearing the fruit of the Holy Spirit

A. Nine panes in a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ window

B. A glorious picture – A portrait of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Conclusion: Spirit transformed (II Corinthians 3:17-18)

The Contemporary Testimony The Holy Spirit

**28.** At Pentecost, promises old and new are fulfilled.  
The ascended Jesus becomes the baptizer,  
drenching his followers with his Spirit,  
creating a new community  
where Father, Son, and Holy Spirit make their home.  
Revived and filled with the breath of God,  
women and men, young and old,  
dream dreams and see visions.

**29.** The Spirit renews our hearts  
and moves us to faith,  
leads us into truth,  
and helps us to pray,  
stands by us in our need,  
and makes our obedience fresh and vibrant.  
God the Spirit lavishes gifts on the church  
in astonishing variety—  
prophecy, encouragement, healing,  
teaching, service, tongues, discernment—  
equipping each member  
to build up the body of Christ  
and to serve our neighbors.

**30.** The Spirit gathers people  
from every tongue, tribe, and nation  
into the unity of the body of Christ.  
Anointed and sent by the Spirit,  
the church is thrust into the world,  
ambassadors of God’s peace,  
announcing forgiveness and reconciliation,  
proclaiming the good news of grace.  
Going before them and with them,  
the Spirit convinces the world of sin  
and pleads the cause of Christ.  
Men and women, impelled by the Spirit,  
go next door and far away  
into science and art,  
media and marketplace—  
every area of life,  
pointing to the reign of God  
with what they do and say.