

MARBLE COLLEGIATE CHURCH

Where We Discover We Were Made for More

Pentecost Sunday, June 5, 2022

PLEASE SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES

Grace Notes: Inside the Music, 10:50am

Today the Paschal candle, extinguished since Ascension Day, is lit once again to represent the arrival of the Holy Spirit.

PRELUDE

Komm, Heiliger Geist, Herre Gott. .Friedrich Zachau; Dietrich Buxtehude (Come, Holy Spirit, Lord God)

WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP

INTROIT

Hail, Lord God, Holy Ghost! from Pentecost Cantata Calvin Hampton Hail, Lord God, Holy Ghost! Hail Thee! Spirit, Lord eternal, Love omnipotent, supernal; Spirit, Comforter indwelling, Mightiest earthly aid excelling. Cleanse, renew Thy creatures lowly, guide, inspire, and make us holy. At this festal tide we laud Thee, praise and homage we accord Thee: Hail, Lord God, Holy Ghost. — Sydney James Wallis

HYMN

- Come, Holy Spirit, come! Inflame our souls with love; transforming ev'ry heart and home with wisdom from above. O let us not despise the humble path Christ trod, but choose, to shame the worldly-wise, the foolishness of God.
- Come with the gift to heal the wounds of guilt and fear, and to oppression's face reveal the kingdom drawing near. Where chaos longs to reign, descend, O holy Dove, and free us all to work again the miracles of love.
- Spirit of truth, arise; inspire the prophet's voice: expose to scorn the tyrant's lies, and bid the poor rejoice. O Spirit, clear our sight, all prejudice remove, and help us to discern the right, and covet only love.
- 4. Come, Holy Spirit, dance within our hearts today, our earthbound spirits to entrance, our mortal fears allay. And teach us to desire, all other things above, that self-consuming holy fire, the perfect gift of love.

A LITANY FOR PENTECOST SUNDAY (Please remain standing)

One: Holy Spirit, Giver of Life: At the beginning of time You moved over the face of the waters; You breathe into every living being,

the breath of life.

People: Come, Creator Spirit, and renew the whole creation.

One: Holy Spirit, Spirit of Jesus: By Your power Jesus came to bring good news to the poor and release to those held captive.

People: Come, Liberating Spirit, and free us from the powers of sin and death.

One: Holy Spirit, Advocate, Teacher: You speak to us of our Lord,

and show us the depth of God's love.

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People: Come, Spirit of Truth, abide in us and lead us in the way of Jesus Christ.

One: Holy Spirit, wind and flame: You filled disciples with joy and

courage, empowering them to preach Your word and to share

Your good news.

People: Come, Spirit of Power, make us bold witnesses of Your redeeming love.

One: Holy Spirit, Spirit of Peace: You break down barriers of

language, race, and culture, and heal the divisions that

separate us.

People: Come, Reconciling Spirit, and unite us all in the love of Christ.

One: Like a mighty Creator, let Your Spirit inspire us to become

all You have created us to be.

All: Come, Holy Spirit, breathe new life into us. Inspire us to love, embrace, forgive and bless others, to be fully

alive in Christ.

ANTHEM Come, Creator Spirit (Veni Creator) / Spirit of the Living God

Daniel Iverson, arr. Dake

(Spirit of the living God) Come, Holy Ghost our souls inspire And lighten this celestial fire (Fall afresh on me) Thou the anointing Spirit are (Spirit of the Living God) Who dost Thy sev'nfold gifts impart. (Fall afresh on me.) O Comforter that name is Thine (Melt me, mold me) Of God most high the gift divine (Fill me, use me) The well of life, the fire of love, (Spirit of the living God) Our souls' anointing from above. (Fall afresh on me.)

PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

HYMN MEDLEY

Please refer to on-screen lyrics or music on insert.

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON Something to Celebrate

TOGETHERNESS..... Rev. Brittany Juliette Hanlin

Part 5 of Sermon Series

THE RITE OF CONFIRMATION

Romon 8 Danuser, Juan Figueroa III, Juliette Nicole Testa Licata Harry Wong McSween, Benjamin Wolff Niewood, Fred Lee Whitfield, Jr.

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

This is the Lord's table. God is our host and we are all guests. Because it is God's table, it does not belong to any one church or denomination. All who believe in the love of God demonstrated in Christ are invited to this Supper. For those at home, please have ordinary elements of bread and juice nearby.

ANTHEM Pilgrim's HymnStephen Paulus

Even before we call on your name to ask you, 0 God, when we seek for the words to glorify you, you hear our prayer. Unceasing love, 0 unceasing love, surpassing all we know. Glory to our Maker, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Even with darkness sealing us in, we breathe your name, and through all the days that follow so fast, we trust in you. Endless your grace, 0 endless your grace, beyond all mortal dream, both now and forever, and unto ages and ages, Amen. – *Michael Dennis Browne*

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CALL FOR OFFERING

Please click "Make a Donation" on bottom of any page at MarbleChurch.org or use Donate QR Code on card in the pews, to take you to secure website, Realm, to give. Donation boxes also placed by Sanctuary doors. You may also mail a check. We are grateful for your faithful support.

ANTHEM	Every Time I Feel the Spirit	African American Spiritual
	,	arr. Stacey Gibbs

- Filled with the Spirit's power with one accord the infant church confessed its risen Lord. O Holy Spirit, in the church today no less your power of fellowship display.
- 2. Now with the mind of Christ set us on fire, that unity may be our great desire. Give joy and peace; give faith to hear your call, and readiness in each to work for all.
- 3. Widen our love, good Spirit, to embrace with your compassion all the human race. Like wind and fire with life among us move, till we are known as Christ's, and Christian prove.

BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

PARTICIPATING IN THE SERVICE

Dr. Michael Bos, Rev. Brittany Juliette Hanlin Romon Danuser, Juan Figueroa, Juliette Licata Harry McSween, Benjamin Niewood, Fred Whitfield The Marble Choir, Kenneth V. Dake, *director of music*



WE THANK THE MARBLE CHOIR for their ministry through music this season and look forward to their return in September.

FLOWERS ARE PLACED IN THE SANCTUARY

In loving memory of **Kenneth Dake, Sr.**by his son Ken Dake

WORSHIP NEXT WEEK

If you can't join us live, view archives at MarbleChurch.org/Watch



Sunday Worship, June 12 – 11:00am *The Art of Forgiveness*

Misunderstandings about Forgiveness – Dr. Michael Bos *Part 1 of Sermon Series. Trinity Sunday.*



 $\ensuremath{\textit{CYF}}\xspace \ensuremath{\textit{Music}}\xspace \ensuremath{\textit{Sunday}}\xspace - \ensuremath{\textit{We}}\xspace$ celebrate the music talents of our children and youth.

In-Person Worship — Since New York City's "Key to NYC" COVID protocols ended, Marble updated its protocols and no longer requires proof of vaccination. Wearing masks is still required for everyone's safety,

especially since we sing when we worship. For details including updated safety protocols, visit MarbleChurch.org.

NYC Street Closings – Please plan ahead for your time at Marble as city events come back. For details, visit www1.nyc.gov/events/ or call 311.

The Gathering - Midweek Worship

New services are on hiatus for summer. Revisit previous services at MarbleChurch.org/Watch.

Life at Marble

AFFIRMATION OF COLLEGIATE CONSISTORY NOMINEE

The following member has been chosen to serve as a Deacon of Marble Collegiate Church: Jeannette Aycock. Will you please support her with your prayers?



Visit MarbleChurch.org for more events, details, and up-to-date information.

BEFORE WORSHIP



Prayer Circle joins today's 10:00 O'Clock Hour - Labyrinth Room (downstairs). Regular Prayer Circle returns next Sunday.

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CYF CORNER - CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES MINISTRY



Sunday School & Youth Group — Pre-K — 6th Grade Classes: 10:00am. Children's Choir: 11:00am. Youth Choir: 10:00am. 7th-12th Grade attend 11:00am Worship, followed by Youth Group at 12:00pm. No infant or toddler childcare. Sunday School is hybrid, in person and online, so you can choose what works best for your family. Questions? Please contact Brian Hampton, BHampton@MarbleChurch.org or Rev. Brittany, BHanlin@MarbleChurch.org.

Marble Storytime - Rev. Brittany Juliette Hanlin reads A New Kind of Wild by Zara González Hoáng. View at MarbleChurch.org/Watch.



Become a Member!

Whoever you are, wherever you are in your faith journey, wherever you live, we'd love to have you join us! **New Member Orientation begins TODAY** immediately following Worship, please see page 5 Spotlight.

UPCOMING



Bereavement Group / Every Monday, 11:00am-12:00pm - For those mourning the loss of a loved one. Led by Dr. Bill Lutz, via Zoom. Contact Judy Tulin.

Afternoon Prayer / Tuesdays, 4:00-4:20pm — Wind down your day with a brief time of sharing and prayer. Via Zoom video chat or phone.

Chair Yoga / Every Thursday, 10:00-10:45am — Center yourself physically and spiritually with this time of gentle movement via Zoom.

PrimeTime (55+) Online Gathering / Wednesday, June 8, 1:00pm – We gather on Zoom with **Dr. Michael Bos** for a time of fellowship. For more details, contact Baleta McKenzie, BMcKenzie@MarbleChurch.org. Our upcoming Retreat has been postponed.

Online Tea Time with Kim & Siobhan / Wednesday, June 15, 1:00pm - Bring your iced tea or coffee for this final tea time of the church year. We reflect on places we've travelled together, and dream of new places to visit next year. Register online by June 14.

Pride Sunday Breakfast Returns / Sunday, June 26, 9:30-10:30am - Join Marble's LGBTQ Fellowship and allies for our celebratory breakfast. Our guest speaker is Emil Wilbekin, fashion, culture, and lifestyle journalist/commentator and founder of Native Son. Labyrinth Room. \$12. Register in advance online, space limited.

HELP OTHERS

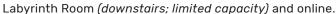


Marble Fights Hunger - We encourage you to bring canned/bottled food whenever you come to Marble. Donations benefit organizations including Icahn House. Drop-off bins in 5th Ave Narthex or 29th St Prayer Room.

Prayer Shawl Ministry / Monday, June 6, 5:00pm - Gather for prayer and creating together via Zoom to knit/crochet prayer shawls for the ill or homebound. Contact Judy Tulin (JTulin@MarbleChurch.org). 1st & 3rd Mondays.

Spotlight

10:00 O'CLOCK HOUR





Faith in the Workplace - TODAY!

How do we live as people of faith in challenging work environments? How do we seek God's guidance so our work reflects spiritual integrity? **Dan Nigro**, recently retired Commissioner of the New York City Fire Department, shares how his faith "shows up" in his work.



"I Am:" Seeking the Goodness of God in the Land of the Living

June 12 & 19 — **Dr. Kimberleigh Jordan** explores Psalm 27 as a description of our human journeys of life and faith. Reflect on your experiences, as she reflects on her life and ministry in NYC and prepares to move her family to Atlanta. Rev. Jordan served as Associate Director of Educational Design at the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion, and was an Associate Minister at Marble for twelve years.



MEMBERSHIP ORIENTATION SESSIONS TODAY & Sunday, June 12, after Worship

Whoever you are, wherever you are in your faith journey, wherever you live – we invite you to take that step and journey forward with us! New Member Orientation begins TODAY immediately following Worship in the Parlor (off 29th St lobby) or via Zoom. Please call receptionist, 212-686-2770, for call link information.



THE TAPESTRY OF HOPE Wednesday, June 8, 6:30pm

Is there a woman in your life who has given you hope? Share and listen to stories of inspiring women and watch artist Patrice Donnell transform them into a powerful tapestry celebrating women holding each other up. All welcome! Hosted by Marble Women's Ministry and Arts Ministry. Register online.



STRATEGIC PLANNING UPDATE FROM JAKE MULDER Sunday, June 12, immediately following Worship

Stay in the Sanctuary or online to hear the emerging priorities that will make up the final Strategic Plan Marble has been working on since the beginning of the year. These priorities include the feedback received through the survey, interviews and focus groups and input from the Marble Board, Ministry

Leaders and Steering Committee. Jake Mulder leads us through each of the elements and garners feedback and insights from the congregation.



LUNCH & MOVIE MATINEE Sunday, June 12, 12:00-3:00pm

GIFTS: LGBTQ Fellowship and Youth of Marble's Children, Youth & Families Ministry gather for lunch and to watch the film **RENT** and briefly discuss topics raised by the movie including materialism, AIDS, homophobia, and the yearning to leave a meaningful legacy. Labyrinth Room (downstairs). No charge, yet reservations required. Reserve online.



SUMMER ARTS FESTIVAL Sunday, June 19, after Worship

Join us for this one-day celebration with visual and live performance art as well as videos from our talented artists. Labyrinth Room. More details to come. Contact Mario Sprouse, MSprouse@ MarbleChurch.org.

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Don Moen & Martin J. Nystrom



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Walt Harrah





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Keep the conversation going — visit Marble on Social Media 😈 💟 🎯

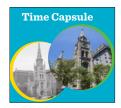


For staff list and email addresses, please visit MarbleChurch.org/about/staff

30 DAYS OF PRIDE: LGBTQ+ FACT FOR THE DAY on Marble's social media celebrates the 30th anniversary of GIFTS: LGBTQ+ Fellowship. Each day in June spotlights a topic relating to our heritage.



SECTIONS OF THE AIDS QUILT from the National AIDS Memorial in San Francisco hang in the Sanctuary throughout June. Display of the AIDS Quilt is part of the National AIDS Memorial's efforts to bring the Quilt to communities across the United States to raise greater awareness and education about HIV/AIDS and to remember those lost to the pandemic. Display of the Quilt is generously underwritten by an ally of Marble's LGBTQ+ community. For a closer look at the quilt, visit aidsmemorial.org/ interactive-aids-quilt and search for Blocks 2379 and 4125.



TIME CAPSULE Deadline: June 30

100 years from now what do you want people to know about our beloved Marble Church Community? Write your cherished Marble Memory for our Time Capsule.

To participate go to MarbleChurch.org/TimeCapsule



CHURCHWIDE SURVEY RESULTS

As part of Phase Two of our Strategic Plan, Marble's Future: From Strength to Strength, we asked you to share your visions about the future of Marble in a community-wide survey. We are so grateful to all of you who participated.

Some results were reviewed during the 10:00 O'Clock Hour and Congregational Forum Sunday, May 1. Watch again at MarbleChurch.org/Watch.

View full report at MarbleChurch.org/ChurchwideSurveyResults. Included in the document is an executive summary by our consultants from Fuller Seminary, Jake Muller and Dr. Yulee Lee, as well as 58 pages of comprehensive results.

IF YOU NEED HELP - PLEASE REACH OUT

Marble's Stephen Ministers may be able to help you with spiritual/emotional support in difficult times. Email: StephenMinistry@MarbleChurch.org

The Marble Prayer Ministry Team is here to pray for you. Submit requests on bottom of any page at MarbleChurch.org.

Blanton-Peale Counseling Center - 212-725-7850, blantonpeale.org

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline - 800-273-8255, available 24 hours

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