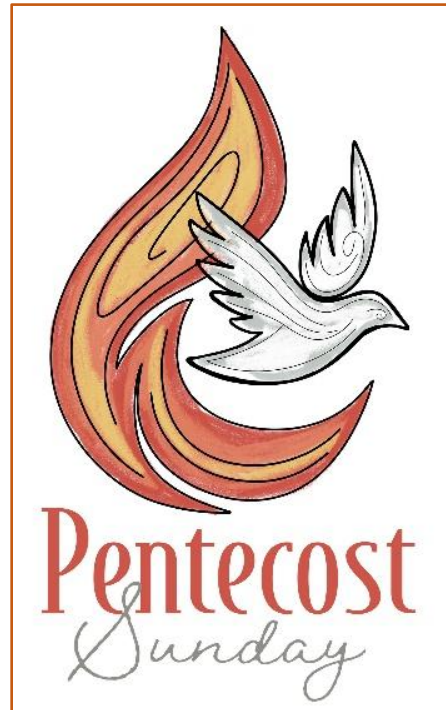


HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

May 24, 2026



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*Our Vision: to be a Christ-centered community, worshipping in the Spirit,
growing in discipleship, and sharing God's love.*

The Church at Worship

Prelude *Great Is the Lord* Barbara Rowley
Michael Smith

Welcome and Announcements John Myers
Leader: Christ is risen!
People: **He is risen, indeed!**

Chiming of the Trinity

Call to Worship Psalm 104:24, 27-34 Toby Bowen

Leader: O Lord, how manifold are your works!
People: The earth is full of your creatures.
Leader: These all look to you
People: To give them their food in due season;
Leader: When you give to them, they gather it up;
People: When you open your hand, they are filled with good things.
Leader: When you hide your face,
People: They are dismayed;
Leader: When you take away their breath,
People: They die and return to their dust.
Leader: When you send forth your spirit, they are created;
People: And you renew the face of the ground.
Leader: May the glory of the Lord endure forever;
People: May the Lord rejoice in his works—
Leader: Who looks on the earth and it trembles,
People: Who touches the mountains and they smoke.
Leader: I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
People: I will sing praise to my God while I have being.
Leader: May my meditation be pleasing to him,
People: For I rejoice in the Lord.

Invocation Toby Bowen

Hymn of Praise No. 356 *We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer* KREMSER

Scripture Reading Acts 2:42-47 Julie Stoops
(page 1693 in the pew bible)

Children's Message Leigh Bigger

Hymn of Faith No. 225 *On Pentecost They Gathered* ST. THEODULPH

Worship through Stewardship
Offertory Prayer Barbara Sanders

Anthem *The Gift of Love* Hal Hopson

*Though I may speak with bravest fire, and have the gift to all inspire,
and have not love; my words are vain, as sounding brass, and hopeless gain.*

*Though I may give all I possess, and striving so my love profess,
but not be giv'n by love within, the profit soon turns strangely thin.*

*Come, spirit come, our hearts control. Our spirits long to be made whole.
O come, spirit, come, let inward love, let love guide ev'ry deed.
By this we worship, we are freed. Amen, Amen.*

Offertory Response

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below:
alleluia, alleluia! Praise him above, ye heav'nly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Dr. Steve Bolton

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.

Sermon

The Wonders of Pentecost!

Dr. Steve Bolton

Hymn of Commitment No. 235 *Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

TRENTHAM

Benediction

Dr. Steve Bolton

Postlude

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name
Peter Benjamin

Barbara Rowley

Thank you to Steve Bolton & Brenda Doyle for leading us today in worship!

Deacons of the Week – Brenda Doyle & Jennifer Bowen
Attendance last week – 54

Food Bank

The next monthly volunteer sessions for our team will be

Tuesday, May 26 from 1:00—3:00 pm.

If you would like to carpool, meet at the church at 12:15 pm.

Yardwork Day

As part of Operation Inasmuch we were prepared to work in the yard and around the church on May 2. However, with rain and cold temperatures it was cancelled. We will have a make-up date on **Saturday, May 30 from 9:00 am—12:00 pm.** Please plan on joining!

Pickleball

May 30

3:00 – 5:00 pm

Come join the fun!

Celebrating our Graduates

Please contact the church office if you are graduating this year or have a family member graduating from high school, college, or graduate school. Graduate Sunday is coming up and we will be recognizing and honoring graduates.

First Aid Training

Frances Smith has offered to hold a First Aid class here at the church. Please let Robin in the church office or Frances (fwsmith2000@yahoo.com) know if you are interested in attending.

Also, as a reminder there are 2 defibrillators here at the church. There is one outside the restrooms in the Family Life Center. There is also one in the children's hallway close to the hospitality room.

Sermon Notes are on the next page.

