



If we think of the Holy Spirit only as an impersonal power or influence, then our thought will constantly be, how can I get hold of and use the Holy Spirit; but if we think of Him in the biblical way as a divine Person, infinitely wise, infinitely holy, infinitely tender, then our thought will constantly be, ‘How can the Holy Spirit get hold of and use me?’”

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R. A. Torrey

# Welcome

Welcome to Cross Sound Church. Whether you are a follower of Jesus, someone interested in Christianity, or a skeptic about faith—God is calling you to worship. Wherever you are in life, we hope you feel welcome and at home. If you have never been to church (or not in a long time) and fear that you will not know what to do, how to act, or what to say, know this: God's grace is here and is for people like you.

We are a church that loves our cities: Bainbridge Island, Poulsbo, Silverdale, Kingston, and Seattle. And while we actively love and serve our communities, we don't pretend to have it all together. Instead, we are a church where there is freedom to struggle with our questions, doubts, and fears; and a place where real healing, joy, and power can be found.

We are a church rooted in the belief that the historic Christian gospel is true, compelling, and promises to change our lives powerfully, in the direction of freedom, hope, and generosity.

The gospel, which means 'Good News', tells us that God's Kingdom has entered history in order to renew us and the world. The gospel is more than entering God's Kingdom, it is also the way we face every struggle in life and make any progress in personal growth.

The good news is that Jesus lived the life we should have lived and died the death we deserved to die in order to put us in a place where only He deserves to be—in a right, safe, thrilling relationship with God the Father.

Cross Sound Church desires to be filled with both believers and non-believers, who together explore the claims of the gospel and its effects on our lives and on the world.

Our aim in worship is both ancient, with liturgy that connects us to the Church of old and those who have gone before us, as well as modern, accessible, and meaningful. Underneath it all is our desire to be God-honoring, God-exalting, God-glorifying! Let's worship God together.

## Say hello

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As we gather to worship, please silence all mobile phones and devices for the duration of the service.

# Gathering

CALL TO WORSHIP — Portion of Psalm 67

May God be gracious to us and bless us  
and make his face shine on us—  
so that your ways may be known on earth,  
your salvation among all nations.  
May the peoples praise you, God;  
may all the peoples praise you.  
May the nations be glad and sing for joy.

# Renewing

CONFESSION OF SIN

*Confession happens within the context of relationship, both with God and with each other as we acknowledge our sin and need for forgiveness. Jesus promises that He freely forgives sins which frees us from past regrets. You are invited to personalize your confession as we pray silently.*

**Almighty God,  
You poured out the Holy Spirit at Pentecost,  
and by Your power the Church formed and grew.  
We confess that at times we lose our joy and zeal.  
We grow lukewarm in our love for you and for our world.  
Forgive us we pray.  
Change us, grow us, and use us by the power of your Spirit,  
to be agents of your goodness and glory everywhere we go.  
Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON AND RECEIVING OF GRACE

Who is a God like you, who pardons sin and forgives transgression?  
You delight to show mercy.  
You have compassion on us.  
You tread our sins underfoot.  
You hurl all our iniquities into the depths of the sea.  
—Adapted from Micah 7:18-19

PRAISE GOD!

In Jesus Christ, we are Forgiven!

**Your Are My Vision** — Rend Collective

You are my vision, O King of my heart.  
Nothing else satisfies, only You, Lord.  
You are my best thought by day or by night.  
Waking or sleeping, Your presence, my light.  
Oh, oh, oh. Oh, oh, oh.

You are my wisdom, You are my true word,  
I'm ever with You, and You with me Lord:  
You're my great Father, and I'm Your true son,  
You dwell inside me, together we're one.  
Oh, oh, oh. Oh, oh, oh.

You are my battle-shield, sword for the fight:  
You are my dignity, You're my delight;  
You're my souls shelter and You're my high tower.  
Come raise me heavenward O Power of my power.  
Oh, oh, oh. Oh, oh, oh.

I don't want riches or man's empty praise:  
You're my inheritance, now and always;  
You, and You only, the first in my heart:  
High King of heaven, my treasure You are.  
Oh, oh, oh. Oh, oh, oh.

High King of heaven, when victory's won,  
May I reach heaven's joy, O bright heaven's Son.  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,  
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,  
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.  
Oh, oh, oh. Oh, oh, oh.

**Come Alive (Dry Bones)** — *Lauren Daigle and Michael Farren*

Through the eyes of man it seems there's so much we have lost  
As we look down the road where all the prodigals have walked  
And one by one the enemy has whispered lies and led them off as slaves

But I know that You are God, Yours is the victory  
We know there is more to come that we may not yet see  
So with the faith You've given us we step into the valley unafraid

*We call out the dry bones, "Come alive, come alive!"*

*We call out to dead hearts, "Come alive, come alive!"*

*Up out of the ashes, Let us see an army rise.*

*We call out to dry bones, "Come alive!"*

God of endless mercy, God of unrelenting love  
Rescue every daughter, Bring us back the wayward sons  
And by Your Spirit breathe upon them, Show the world that You alone can save

*Chorus*

So breathe, oh breath of God  
Now breathe, oh breath of God  
Breathe, oh breath of God  
Now breathe

*Chorus*

TUESDAY STORIES — Missionaries & Sister Churches

ANNOUNCEMENTS, STUDENT DISMISSAL & GREETING

*Please stand and introduce yourself to one another.*

Therefore welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you.

— Romans 15:7

Love one another deeply from the heart.

— 1Peter 1:22

NOTES:

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*With the exception of the nursery, all students begin in the worship service. Upon dismissal students may proceed to their individual classes: Nursery Rm 234, Preschool Rm 232, K-1<sup>st</sup> Rm 231, 2-4<sup>th</sup> Rm 229, 5-6<sup>th</sup> Rm 231*

PENTACOST SUNDAY

**Text: Acts 1:8**

**Panel Discussion: The Person & Power of the Holy Spirit**

**Participants: Derrick Means from Coffee Oasis**

**Jillian Bateman from Young Life**

**Curtis Romjue from First Aid Arts**

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”

QUOTES:

“Missions exist because worship doesn’t.” — John Piper

“When we have the Holy Spirit we have all that is needed to be all that God desires us to be.” — Aiden Wilson Tozer

“If I were Satan and my ultimate goal was to thwart God’s kingdom and purposes, one of my main strategies would be to get churchgoers to ignore the Holy Spirit.”  
— Francis Chan

“Trying to do the Lord’s work in your own strength is the most confusing, exhausting, and tedious of all work. But when you are filled with the Holy Spirit, then the ministry of Jesus just flows out of you.” — Corrie Ten Boom

OFFERING — *Offering is a way for members and friends to support the worship and work of the church, its mission and ministry. There are different ways to give:*

- Offering basket: place Check or Cash in a Giving Envelope on Sunday mornings
- Cross Sound app: look up “Church Center” on the App Store and follow prompts
- Online: [www.crosssound.org/give](http://www.crosssound.org/give) • Stock: contact [bookkeeper@crosssound.org](mailto:bookkeeper@crosssound.org)
- Mail: Cross Sound Church PO Box 11748 or 600 Ericksen Ave NE #210, Bainbridge Is., WA 98110



Each one must give as he has decided in his heart.  
Not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.  
And God is able to make all grace abound to you,  
so that having all sufficiency in all things at all times,  
you may abound in every good work.

— 2 Corinthians



**Grace** — Niki Shepherd, Jonny Robinson, Rich Thompson

Your grace that leads this sinner home, From death to life forever  
And sings the song of righteousness, By blood and not by merit  
Your grace that reaches far and wide, To every tribe and nation  
Has called my heart to enter in, The joy of Your salvation

*By grace I am redeemed, By grace I am restored  
And now I freely walk into, The arms of Christ my Lord*

Your grace that I cannot explain, Not by my earthly wisdom  
The prince of life, without a stain, Was traded for this sinner

*By grace I am redeemed, By grace I am restored  
And now I freely walk into, The arms of Christ my Lord*

Let praise rise up and overflow, My song resound forever  
For grace will see me welcomed home, To walk beside my Savior

*By grace I am redeemed, By grace I am restored  
And now I freely walk into, The arms of Christ my Lord  
By grace I am redeemed, By grace I am restored  
And now I freely walk into, The arms of Christ my Lord*

PRAYER

RECOGNITION OF INVOLVEMENT

SENDING — *Praying for Larry and Martina Moores who are about to visit our  
Missionary, Victor Cruz, and our Sister Churches in Mexico City.*

# Sending

**Rest On Us** — UpperRoom, Elyssa Smith

As the Spirit was moving over the waters, Spirit come move over us,  
Come rest on us, come rest on us  
As the Spirit was moving over the waters, Spirit come move over us,  
Come rest on us, come rest on us

*So Come down Spirit when you move,  
You make my heart pound, When you fill the room  
You're here and I know you are moving,  
I'm here and I know you will fill me  
So Come down Spirit when you move,  
You make my heart pound, When you fill the room  
You're here and I know you are moving,  
I'm here and I know you will fill me*

Fire and wind would you do it again, Open up the gates let Heaven come in,  
Come rest on us, come rest on us  
Fire and wind would you do it again, Open up the gates let Heaven come in,  
Come rest on us, come rest on us

*Chorus*

Holy spirit come rest on us, you're all we want, you're all we want  
Holy spirit come rest on us, you're all we want, you're all we want  
Holy spirit come rest on us, you're all we want, you're all we want  
Holy spirit come rest on us, you're all we want, you're all we want

*Chorus*

Holy spirit come rest on us, you're all we want, you're all we want  
Holy spirit come rest on us, you're all we want, you're all we want  
Holy spirit come rest on us, you're all we want, you're all we want  
Holy spirit come rest on us, you're all we want, you're all we want

**BENEDICTION** — 1 Corinthians 15:58

Therefore, my beloved, be steadfast, immovable, always  
abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that  
in the Lord your labor is not in vain.  
Amen.

# Announcements

**Celebrating HS Seniors** On Sunday, June 9 we as a church will be celebrating our 2024 high school graduates! If you would like to have your senior recognized, please send Josh, CSC Youth Director, know and send a PICTURE of your graduate by Sunday, May 26th. [josh@crosssound.org](mailto:josh@crosssound.org) / Ceremony details: Graduates will be asked to come forward, receive a small gift and asked how the church can pray for them. Their photos will be included in the bulletin. The following Sunday we will reprint their picture with their prayer request. (If your child can't be there, but you would still like them recognized, please let us know)

**TODAY AFTER CHURCH: How do we navigate a Presidential Year?** Braver Angels is a New York-based 501 nonprofit dedicated to political depolarization through workshops where "red" and "blue" participants attempt to better understand one another's positions and discover their shared values. Join us Sunday, May 19, 12-6:30p. Lunch provided.

**June 1: Love Your Neighbor Volunteers Needed!** We are looking for Love Your Neighbor sign ups to help with yard cleanup on Saturday, June 1st. We will be helping a long-time church member who lives on Bainbridge Island and has health issues and can no longer do the yard work that is needed. Work will include gardening, yard cleanup, gutter cleaning, pruning, and planting. We are looking for 2 shifts of 10-15 people, 9am-Noon, and 1-4pm. Contact: [kristy.hilst@crosssound.org](mailto:kristy.hilst@crosssound.org)

**Cross Sound Kids Summer Intern:** Calling college students and high school juniors and seniors - if you like working with kids and are looking for a summer leadership opportunity, come be our summer intern! This is a paid position. Contact [suzanne@crosssound.org](mailto:suzanne@crosssound.org) or [brooke@crosssound.org](mailto:brooke@crosssound.org) with any questions. View the job description here: [bit.ly/internskids2024](https://bit.ly/internskids2024)

**June 21-23: Miracle Ranch 5th-8th Graders** Come kick off Summer vacation and join us for a weekend of incredible FUN at Miracle Ranch in Port Orchard. Activities include gaga ball, a game room, a rodeo, a climbing wall, a snack shop, large group meetings, and the opportunity to participate in, horseback riding, high ropes, and paintball. Sign up here: [bit.ly/5-8miracleranch2024](https://bit.ly/5-8miracleranch2024) or QR code >



**June 22: Day at Miracle Ranch K-4th** Spend a day with us at Miracle Ranch! So many Summer-Fun activities! PreK (age 4+) also welcome with a parent. Visit the link to learn all the details and to sign up. Sign up by May 30. Contact [suzanne@crosssound.org](mailto:suzanne@crosssound.org) for questions, or to volunteer. Student and adult volunteers needed! [bit.ly/K-4miracleranch2024](https://bit.ly/K-4miracleranch2024)



**Annual Ensenada Homebuilding Trip Sign up!** Every year for the past 25 years Cross Sound Church has sent a team to Ensenada, Mexico through YWAM's (Youth with a Mission) Homes of Hope organization, to build 16'x20' houses for families that live in very poor housing conditions. To date, we've had the opportunity to build over 45 homes. We have reserved room for 75 people to build 4 houses. We leave Sat Nov 23 and return Friday Nov 29 (the day after Thanksgiving). The cost of the trip is approx \$1,100 per person (includes roundtrip airfare, room and board, and transport from San Diego to Ensenada. CSC will raise funds for the cost of building materials. Interested in going? Sign up here (link or QR code!) >> [bit.ly/CSCEnsenada2024](https://bit.ly/CSCEnsenada2024) Questions? Contact Stu: [stuart@seattlepump.com](mailto:stuart@seattlepump.com)



# Connect With Us

If you are new to Cross Sound Church, please tear this portion off and put it in the offering to let us know you were here. You may also use this to inform us of any changes in your contact information, or to submit prayer requests for the staff to pray over.

First time visitor ( )      Interested in more info for:      Please add me to:  
Second time visitor ( )      \_\_\_\_\_ Ministry ( )      Email list ( )  
Regular attendee ( )           Mailing list ( )

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Children & their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Email(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Prayer Requests/Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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We hope these are helpful to you as you consider your relationship with Jesus Christ and His people, the church.

## Prayer for the Skeptic

*Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.*

## Prayer of Belief

*Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sin and receive you as Savior and Lord. Amen.*

## Prayer for those Struggling with Sin

*Lord Jesus, grant that I may see in you the fulfillment of all my needs, and my turn from every false satisfaction to feed on you, the true and living bread. Enable me to lay aside the sin that clings so closely, and run with perseverance the race set before me, looking to you, the pioneer and perfecter of my faith. Amen.*

## Prayer of Commitment

*Lord Jesus, you have called us to follow you in baptism and in a life of committed discipleship in your church. Grant that I may take the necessary steps to be one with your people, and live in the fullness of your spirit. Amen.*