

*Morning Service*

*May 24, 2020*

*Opening Prayer*

*Special Music*

*Scripture: Ephesians 5:14-20*

*Memorial Prayer:*

*Hymn Battel Hymn of the Republic*

*Sermon The Filling of the Spirit*

*Notes*

I. **Be aware of the circumstances around you. (14-20)**

**Ephesians 5:8–11 Jeremiah 2:4–6**

2. **Seek to understand God's will. 2 Pet. 1:21; 2 Timothy 3:16;**

**2 Peter 1:3**

II. **The indwelling Holy Spirit brings us the fullness of Jesus.**

**Eph. 5:18-20**

1. **Be filled with the Spirit. (18) John 4:13–14**

2. **Praise God for the song of peace and gratitude in the heart.**

**Acts 16:25**

III. **The church is energized by the hope of Jesus. 1**

**Thessalonians 1:3–6; John 14:17a; John 15:10-11**

**Calendar**

*Please continue to watch our services on YouTube and Facebook. We still have bills to pay and missionaries to support. There is a link to online giving at our website. Send prayer requests to Vickie or myself by Wednesday at noon.*

**Prayer List** end of the Pandemic; Opening of restrictions so we can return to church; Les Ingram; William Harold; family Elbert Harrington, **Praise:** Memorial Day

**Thought for the Day** When faced with a problem man has two paths to travel for a solution; man's intellect or God's divine intervention. Let's examine the Coronavirus situation. Man's intellect allows it to become a worldwide Pandemic killing millions; destroys the world's economy; and really has no viable idea of how to return to living normally. **2 Chronicles 7:13–14** <sup>13</sup> If I shut up heaven that there be no rain, or if I command the locusts to devour the land, or if I **send pestilence** among my people; <sup>14</sup> **If my** people, which are called by my name, **shall humble** themselves, and **pray**, and seek my face, and **turn from their wicked ways; then will** I hear from heaven, and **will forgive their sin**, and will heal their land. Has anyone asked if this Pandemic is more than a physical problem? God does not have to create a virus but he could. He does not have to provide a cure but he can. We do know Coronavirus is a pestilence and our land needs healing. Are we willing to humble ourselves and turn from our wicked ways? Can we pray and seek God as we are awaiting the end of the trial? The wicked in our land will continue being wicked but God's people can't continue to live like the culture around them and expect God to intervene. Maybe this Pandemic is a wakeup call; not just for a nation and world that has pushed God out but to the church of born again believers who should know that our only hope is God.  
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