

**RIVER HILLS COMMUNITY SERVICE
ORDER OF SERVICE
December 27, 2020**

Call to Worship (*Special Music/Prelude*)

O Holy Night John S. Dwight/Adolphe Adam

Welcome and Announcements—Pastor Steve Krug

Children’s Sermon—Pastor Steve Krug

Reading of the Word—Paul Martin

Deuteronomy 30:11-20 (page 172)

Jeremiah 31:31-34 (page 660)

John 13:31-35 (page 900)

Reader: *This is the Word of the Lord*

Congregation: *Thanks be to God*

Worshipping in the Word—Paul Martin

The Love Within The Church

John 13:34-35

Worshipping in Song

Love Divine All Loves Excelling..... Charles Wesley/Rowland H. Prichard

Holy Spirit Keith Getty/Stuart Townend

Benediction: Please stand

THIS WEEK’S CATECHISM QUESTION...

Q: What does the introduction to the Ten Commandments teach us?

A: The introduction to the Ten Commandments teaches us that, because God is Lord and is our God and redeemer, we must keep all his commandments.

Scripture: Deuteronomy 10:12

Training Hearts, Teaching Minds: p. 145-148

**For further family discussion pick up a copy of “Training Hearts, Teaching Minds” by Starr Meade from the Welcome Center. This book includes daily readings.*

Love Divine All Loves Excelling

Charles Wesley/Rowland H. Prichard

Love divine, all loves excelling,
Joy of heav'n, to earth come down,
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling,
All Thy faithful mercies crown
Jesus, Thou art all compassion,
Pure, unbounded love Thou art;
Visit us with Thy salvation,
Enter every trembling heart

Breathe, O breathe Thy loving Spirit
Into every troubled breast!
Let us all in Thee inherit,
Let us find the promised rest;
Take away the love of sinning;
Alpha and Omega be;
End of faith, as its beginning,
Set our hearts at liberty

Come, Almighty to deliver,
Let us all Thy life receive;
Suddenly return, and never,
Never more Thy temples leave
Thee we would be always blessing,
Serve Thee as Thy hosts above;
Pray, and praise Thee without ceasing,
Glory in Thy perfect love

Finish, then, Thy new creation;
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation
Perfectly restored in Thee;
Changed from glory into glory,
'Til in heav'n we take our place,
'Til we cast our crowns before Thee,
Lost in wonder, love, and praise

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Holy Spirit

Keith Getty & Stuart Townend

Holy Spirit, living Breath of God,
Breathe new life into my willing soul.
Bring the presence of the risen Lord
To renew my heart and make me whole.
Cause Your Word to come alive in me;
Give me faith for what I cannot see;
Give me passion for Your purity.
Holy Spirit, breathe new life in me.

Holy Spirit, come abide within;
May Your joy be seen in all I do—
Love enough to cover ev'ry sin
In each thought and deed and attitude,
Kindness to the greatest and the least,
Gentleness that sows the path of peace.
Turn my striving into works of grace.
Breath of God, show Christ in all I do.

Holy Spirit, from creation's birth,
Giving life to all that God has made,
Show Your power once again on earth;
Cause Your church to hunger for Your ways.
Let the fragrance of our prayers arise.
Lead us on the road of sacrifice
That in unity the face of Christ
Will be clear for all the world to see.

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