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Order of Worship
May 24th, 2026
Pentecost Sunday

We Gather to Worship God

Welcome
Call to Worship
Worship in Song
Baptism
Worship in Song
Prayer

We Listen to the Word

Sermon: "Suddenly"

We Come to the Table

Prayer of Confession and Consecration
The Lord's Prayer
We Eat and Drink Together
We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song
Prayer

We Go to Live in the Reign of God

Community Life
New Members
Doxology
Blessing and Sending

*Words to music, responsive readings and
The Lord's Prayer will be on the screen*



Women of all ages are invited to come
to eat, share, and pray

LADIES' BREAKFAST TABLE

Saturday, May 30
9:00am at Perkins

Questions? Email office@tablelifechurch.org

Pinchot State Park

CAMPFIRE POTLUCK PICNIC



Come for the day or join us for a potluck dinner at a campsite with others
from Table Life Church. Grills are available-- bring meat & a side to share!
For directions & more info, contact office@tablelifechurch.org

SATURDAY JUNE 13 5:30PM

june book club

6:15PM WEDNESDAY JUNE 17

Order your own copy of *Theo of Golden* and join us for dessert and
discussion! Friends are welcome.

Sign up today by emailing
pastorkris@tablelifechurch.org

#1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER

Theo of Golden



Allen Levi

Doggy Bag-

Some questions to chew on:



1. What stands out to you about the “suddenly” of Pentecost? Why is it important that the coming of the Holy Spirit wasn’t some radical, abrupt or random event but was based on all God was doing beforehand?
2. How do you think the disciples felt when Jesus answered them that it is “not for you to know?” How can our desire to know and understand everything get in the way of following Jesus? Has this ever been the case for you?
3. What was God doing behind the scenes in the ten days between Jesus’ ascension and Pentecost? Why must we trust in the slow work of the Spirit along the way?
4. What did the disciples do after Jesus left them? Why is it important to recognize that following Christ is not always a dazzling mountaintop experience, but involves plodding through the tough stuff and times we just don’t “feel” it?
5. What does Peter show us about our stumbles? Have you ever thought you were disqualified from being used by God because of something you did?
6. Since the Holy Spirit was at work even before coming to those in the Upper Room at Pentecost, how does that shape your understanding of how he works in people’s lives today who haven’t recognized Him yet?
7. In what area of life and faith is God calling you to plod along steadily and trust he is at work, even if you can’t see the “suddenly” yet?

Pentecost “Suddenly” Pastor Kris Beckert

Have you ever witnessed something that happened suddenly but knew that what led up to it took place steadily?

I. What is Pentecost?

- A day in the Christian calendar we celebrate the coming of the _____ and the birthday of the _____
- Takes place 50 days after Jesus’ resurrection
- The disciples of Jesus were in Jerusalem celebrating the Jewish holiday of Pentecost, which marks the anniversary of God giving the Torah to _____

Acts 2:2 And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting.

II. Setting the Stage for the “Suddenly”:

1. You may have to _____ without knowing

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Acts 1:6-8 Then they gathered around him and asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?" ⁷ He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. ⁸ But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

2. Trust that when God isn't doing stuff _____, he is doing stuff _____

Acts 1:9-11 When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. ¹⁰ While he was going and they were gazing up towards heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. ¹¹ They said, 'Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up towards heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.'

3. Keep _____

Acts 1:12-14 Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a sabbath day's journey away. ¹³ When they had entered the city, they went to the room upstairs where they were staying, Peter, and John, and James, and Andrew, Philip and

Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of James. ¹⁴ All these were constantly devoting themselves to prayer, together with certain women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, as well as his brothers.

4. Know that stumbles don't _____

Acts 1:15 In those days Peter stood up among the believers (together the crowd numbered about one hundred and twenty people)...

Acts 2:14-17 Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: "Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say. ¹⁵ These people are not drunk, as you suppose. It's only nine in the morning! ¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel: ¹⁷ "'In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people...

Big Idea:
