

Waupun United Methodist Church, Waupun, WI
Worship Supplement – 6/5/2022

As a Fire Is Meant for Burning

As a fire is meant for burning with a bright and warming flame,
so the church is meant for mission, giving glory to God's name.
Not to preach our creeds or customs, but to build a bridge of care,
we join hands across the nations, finding neighbors everywhere.

We are learners; we are teachers; we are pilgrims on the way.
We are seekers; we are givers; we are vessels made of clay.
By our gentle, loving actions we would show that Christ is light.
In a humble, listening Spirit we would live to God's delight.

As a green bud in the springtime is a sign of life renewed,
so may we be signs of oneness 'mid earth's peoples, many hued.
As a rainbow lights the heavens when a storm is past and gone,
may our lives reflect the radiance of God's new and glorious dawn.

Filled with the Spirit's Power

Filled with the Spirit's power, with one accord
the infant church confessed its risen Lord.

O Holy Spirit, in the church today no less your power of fellowship display.

Now with the mind of Christ set us on fire, that unity may be our great desire.
Give joy and peace; give faith to hear your call, and readiness in each to work for all.

Widen our love, good Spirit, to embrace in your strong care all those of every race.
Like wind and fire with life among us move,
till we are known as Christ's, and Christians prove.

Holy Ground

We are standing on holy ground, and I know that there are angels all around;
let us praise Jesus now; we are standing in his presence on holy ground.