

WELCOME TO HAVEN—PENTECOST SUNDAY

May 24, 2026

Welcome

Worship Songs

“We Praise You”

“Great Things”

Prayer

Scripture for Today

Hebrews 13:16 (MSG)

Message

“Wind, Fire & A Soup Pot”

Jack D. Cohen

Offering/Worship Song

“Believe For It”

**Closing*



WIND, FIRE & A SOUP POT

“Today is a most unusual day, because we have never lived it before; we will never live it again; it is the only day we have.”
— William Arthur Ward

SOUP’S ON...

“From the day after the Sabbath, the day you brought the sheaf of the wave offering, count off seven full weeks.¹⁶ Count off fifty days up to the day after the seventh Sabbath, and then present an offering of new grain to the Lord. ¹⁷ From wherever you live, bring two loaves made of two-tenths of an ephah of the finest flour, baked with yeast, as a wave offering of firstfruits to the Lord.”
— Leviticus 23:15–17

- Pentecost/ _____ —50th in Greek; ‘the feast of weeks’ in Hebrew

“When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.² Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting.³ They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them.⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues⁵ as the Spirit enabled them.”
— Acts 2:1–4

■ God uses what we _____

“⁴ There are different kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit distributes them. ⁵ There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord. ⁶ There are different kinds of working, but in all of them and in everyone it is the same God at work. ⁷ Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good.”
— 1 Corinthians 12:4–7

■ God _____ what we _____

“⁴² They devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. ⁴³ Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles. ⁴⁴ All the believers were together and had everything in common. ⁴⁵ They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need. ⁴⁶ Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, ⁴⁷ praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.”
— Acts 2:42–47

ADDING TO THE POT...

■ Bring _____

“¹⁵“If you love me, keep my commands. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever— ¹⁷ the Spirit of truth...”
— John 14:15–17a

■ Bring _____

“How good and pleasant it is when God’s people live together in unity!”
— Psalm 133:1

“When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place...”
— Acts 2:1

■ Bring _____

“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.”
— Matthew 5:6

■ Bring your _____

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■ Bring your _____ gifts, _____ gifts, & _____ gifts

“⁶ Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. ⁷ Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸ And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.”
— 2 Corinthians 9:6–8

■ Bring _____

“Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,” says the Lord Almighty, “and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it.”
— Malachi 3:10