

Valyermo Art Series Dance Workshop



A Moving Oblation to the Spirit of Pentecost

Actions of Renewal & Prayer for the Unity of Creation

May 21, 2011

9:00am- 4:30pm

Come to us, Spirit of God,

Breathe in us now...

Send us the wings of new birth,

Fill all the earth with the love you have taught us

Let all creation be shaken with love...

Come Spirit of God

(David Haas, Send Us Your Spirit)

It is the second of the art series to include dance. The session provides another opportunity for dance prayer to be experienced by the non-dancer and dancer alike. Please support the abbey by promoting it at your parishes. The retreat will include reflections on relevant scriptures and various writings about the nature of the Spirit. Through movement enhanced prayer and sacred dance, we will come to tell the story of Pentecost, recognize God's breath in us, and answer the call to action for social justice, equity, and peace.

Led by John West

John West is an oblate of Valyermo and founder of the Valyermo Dancers. A gifted dancer, choreographer, and liturgist, he has been conducting dance workshops at St. Andrew's for many years. He is also a lecturer and educator currently serving as Headmaster at the Mirman School.

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