

# FOR OUR 10:45 A.M. DIVINE WORSHIP

Pentecost

June 5, 2022

**WE PRAY:** Holy Spirit, to Whom is assigned the spread of the Good News of Jesus Christ and the election of people to the Kingdom of Grace, receive our thanksgiving for our faith and hope, through which by Your counsel and work we have committed our whole future to our gracious God; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Who with You and the Father are one God with dominion over us forever. Amen

*(Please turn off cell phones in preparation for Divine Worship)*

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## PRELUDE

## PASTORAL GREETING

## OPENING HYMN

TLH 235 vv 1,2,3 and 6

*O Holy Spirit, Enter In*

**1** O Holy Spirit, enter in,  
And in our hearts Thy work begin,  
Thy temple deign to make us.  
Sun of the soul, Thou Light Divine,  
Around and in us brightly shine,  
To joy and gladness wake us  
That we In Thee  
Truly living, To Thee giving  
Prayer unceasing,  
May be in love be still increasing.

**2** Give to Thy Word impressive pow'r  
That in our hearts, from this good hour,  
As fire it may be glowing,  
That we confess the Father, Son,  
And Thee, the Spirit, Three in One,  
Thy glory ever showing.  
Stay Thou, Guide now  
Our souls ever, That they never  
May forsake Thee,  
But by faith their Refuge make Thee.

**3** Thou Fountain whence all wisdom flows  
Which God on pious hearts bestows,  
Grant us Thy consolation  
That in our pure faith's unity  
We faithful witnesses may be,  
Of grace that brings salvation.  
Hear us, Cheer us  
By Thy teaching; Let our preaching  
And our labor  
Praise Thee, Lord, and serve our neighbor.

**6** O mighty Rock, O Source of Life,  
Let Thy dear Word, mid doubt and strife,  
Be strong within us burning  
That we be faithful unto death,  
In Thy pure love and holy faith,  
From Thee true wisdom learning.  
Thy grace And peace  
On us shower; By Thy power  
Christ confessing,  
Let us win our Savior's blessing.

### **INVOCATION**

**P:** In the Name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C:** Amen.

### **CONFESSION OF SIN AND ABSOLUTION**

**P:** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and  
confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the  
Name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**P:** Our help is in the Name of the Lord.

**C:** Who made heaven and earth.

**P:** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord.

**C:** And Thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin.

**P:** Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners  
confess unto Thee that we are by nature sinful and unclean and  
that we have sinned against Thee by thought, word, and deed.  
Wherefore we flee for refuge to Thine infinite mercy, seeking  
and imploring Thy grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**A:** O most merciful God, who hast given Thine only-begotten Son  
to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us  
remission of all our sins; and by Thy Holy Spirit increase in us

true knowledge of Thee and of Thy will and true obedience to Thy Word, to the end that by Thy grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

**P:** Almighty God, our heavenly Father, hath had mercy upon us and hath given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgiveth us all our sins. To them that believe on His name He giveth power to become the sons of God and hath promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

**C:** Amen.

### INTROIT

**P:** Blessèd be the Lord, Who daily bears us up; God is our salvation. O kingdoms of the earth, sing to God; sing praises to the Lord, to Him who rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens; behold, He sends out His voice, His mighty voice. Ascribe power to God, whose majesty is over Israel, and whose power is in the skies. Awesome is God from His sanctuary; the God of Israel—He is the one who gives power and strength to His people. Blessèd be God!

### GLORIA PATRI

**A:** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

### THE KYRIE

**A:** Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

### THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

**P:** Glory be to God on high:

**A:** And on earth peace, good will toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory. O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, That takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord. Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### SALUTATION

**P:** The Lord be with you.

**C:** And with thy spirit.

## COLLECT

**P:** O God, on this day You once taught the hearts of Your faithful people by sending them the light of Your Holy Spirit. Grant us in our day by the same Spirit to have a right understanding in all things and evermore to rejoice in His holy consolation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C:** Amen.

## LESSONS

### O.T. LESSON

#### ***Genesis 11: 1-9***

Now the whole earth had one language and one speech. And it came to pass, as they journeyed from the east, that they found a plain in the land of Shinar, and they dwelt there. Then they said to one another, "Come, let us make bricks and bake them thoroughly." They had brick for stone, and they had asphalt for mortar. And they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city, and a tower whose top is in the heavens; let us make a name for ourselves, lest we be scattered abroad over the face of the whole earth." But the Lord came down to see the city and the tower which the sons of men had built. And the Lord said, "Indeed the people are one and they all have one language, and this is what they begin to do; now nothing that they propose to do will be withheld from them. Come, let Us go down and there confuse their language, that they may not understand one another's speech." So the Lord scattered them abroad from there over the face of all the earth, and they ceased building the city. Therefore its name is called Babel, because there the Lord confused the language of all the earth; and from there the Lord scattered them abroad over the face of all the earth.

### EPISTLE

#### ***Acts 2: 1-21***

When the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. Then there appeared to them divided tongues, as of fire, and one sat upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance. And there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men, from every nation under heaven. And when this sound occurred, the multitude came together, and were confused, because everyone heard them speak in his own language. Then they were all amazed and marveled, saying to one another, "Look, are not all these who speak Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each in our own language in which we were born? Parthians and Medes and Elamites, those dwelling in Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the

parts of Libya adjoining Cyrene, visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—we hear them speaking in our own tongues the wonderful works of God.” So they were all amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “Whatever could this mean?” Others mocking said, “They are full of new wine.” But Peter, standing up with the eleven, raised his voice and said to them, “Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and heed my words. For these are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. But this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel: ‘And it shall come to pass in the last days, says God, That I will pour out of My Spirit on all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Your young men shall see visions, Your old men shall dream dreams. And on My menservants and on My maidservants I will pour out My Spirit in those days; And they shall prophesy. I will show wonders in heaven above And signs in the earth beneath: Blood and fire and vapor of smoke. The sun shall be turned into darkness, And the moon into blood, Before the coming of the great and awesome day of the Lord. And it shall come to pass That whoever calls on the name of the Lord Shall be saved.’

**L:** Here ends the Epistle

**C:** Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

## HOLY GOSPEL

*Jn 14: 23-31*

**L:** The Holy Gospel is written in the 14<sup>th</sup> chapter of St. John, beginning at the 23<sup>rd</sup> verse.

**C:** Glory be to Thee, O Lord!

Jesus answered and said to him, “If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home with him. He who does not love Me does not keep My words; and the word which you hear is not Mine but the Father’s who sent Me. “These things I have spoken to you while being present with you. But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you. Peace I leave with you, My peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. You have heard Me say to you, ‘I am going away and coming back to you.’ If you loved Me, you would rejoice because I said, ‘I am going to the Father,’ for My Father is greater than I. “And now I have told you before it comes, that when it does come to pass, you may believe. I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming, and he has nothing in Me. But that the world may know that I love the Father, and as the Father gave Me commandment, so I do. Arise, let us go from here.

**L:** Here ends the Gospel.

**C:** Praise be to Thee, O Christ!

**APOSTLES' CREED** *(In Unison)*

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead, and buried: He descended into hell, The third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost, The holy Christian Church; the communion of saints; The forgiveness of sins; The resurrection of the body; And the life everlasting. Amen.

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

**TLH 236**

*Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid*

**1** Creator Spirit, by whose aid  
The world's foundations first were laid,  
Come, visit ev'ry humble mind;  
Come, pour Thy joys on human-kind;  
From sin and sorrow set us free  
And make Thy temples worthy Thee.

**2** O Source of uncreated light,  
The Father's promised Paraclete,  
Thrice holy Fount, thrice holy Fire,  
Our hearts with heav'nly love inspire.  
Come and Thy sacred unction bring  
To sanctify us while we sing.

**3** Plenteous of grace, descend from high,  
Rich in Thy sev'n-fold energy;  
Make us eternal truths receive  
And practice all that we believe.  
Give us Thyself, that we may see  
The Father and the Son by Thee.

**4** Immortal honor, endless fame,  
Attend th'almighty Father's name:  
The Savior Son be glorified,  
Who for lost man's redemption died:

And equal adoration be,  
Eternal Paraclete, to Thee.

**SERMON**

“God the Spirit: Architect of our Faith”

Genesis 11: 1-9

**OFFERTORY** *(In Unison)*

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence; and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation; and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

**THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES and SACRIFICIAL GIFTS**

**OFFERING**

**OFFERING PRAYER** *(Sung)*

**TLH 441 vv1-2**

We give Thee but Thine own, Whate'er the gift may be; All that we have is Thine alone, A trust, O Lord, from Thee. May we Thy bounties thus as stewards true receive and gladly, as Thou blessest us, To Thee our first-fruits give!

**PRAYERS**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; Give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil; For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

**CLOSING HYMN**

**TLH 224**

*Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord*

**1** Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord,  
Be all Thy graces now outpoured  
On each believer's mind and heart;  
Thy fervent love to them impart.  
Lord, by the brightness of Thy light  
Thou in the faith dost men unite;  
Of ev'ry land and ev'ry tongue  
This to Thy praise, O Lord, our God, be sung:  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

**2** Thou holy Light, guide divine,  
Oh, cause the Word of life to shine.  
Teach us to know our God aright

And call Him Father with delight.  
From ev'ry error keep us free;  
Let none but Christ our master be  
That we in living faith abide,  
In Him, our Lord, with all our might confide.  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

**3** Thou holy Fire, comfort true,  
Grant us the will Thy work to do  
And in Thy service to abide;  
Let trials turn us not aside.  
Lord, by Thy pow'r prepare each heart,  
And to our weakness strength impart  
That bravely here we may contend,  
Thro' life and death to Thee, our Lord, ascend.  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

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## **BENEDICTION**

**ALL: "Amen, Amen, Amen."**

## **POSTLUDE**

Officiant: Pastor Randy Boelter  
Lector: Mark Gade  
Organist: Bruce Sininger

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SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2022



**GOOD MORNING** and welcome to the House of the Lord on this, our celebration of Pentecost! The Scriptures today all show how God sent His Spirit to His church! The mighty acts of God are declared in countless languages. To this day, the Spirit is with us, teaching us all things, equipping pastors to preach Christ, and people to hear His Word. The Spirit is our Divine Helper. He instills in us a confession of Jesus Christ as Lord, and all Jesus did for our salvation. Today in our OT reading, we see that while God scattered sinful, arrogant mankind and thwarted him from making a life apart from God, in His grace and mercy in Jesus, God the Spirit comes to gather us, building us and the nations into His church. Today by Word and Sacrament, we grow in our faith and confidence that God builds us, His Church, by His Spirit and His Word! Have a blessed Pentecost...and see you in worship again soon!

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

**Pam Zimmer and Jonathan McLaren**, who both underwent surgery this past week.

**Heidi Zook**- recovering from recent surgery.

**Grace Marshall-** great granddaughter of Walter Dailey, who graduated from High School in Sutton Bay, MI, and will attend the U of M.

**Anabella Weiss-** granddaughter of Joann Demos, who graduated from Rochester High School and will attend the U of M.

**Those treated for cancer:** Eric Hinst, Roy Koeppe, Tom Harms, Lisa Zimmermann, Keith Josefiak, Shiela Rice, Frank Erbecker, Cathy Surhigh and Patty Bennett.

**Others who need the Lord's strength each day:** Julia Hingst, Roger Parke, Kelley Hauschulz, Clifford Popp and James Gusmano.

**Laura Ropes Smith-** for success in a medical procedure she underwent Thursday to gain relief from parosmia which she has endured for 6 months following covid 19.

## SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Beginning June 6<sup>th</sup> and going thru Labor Day, the church office will be open from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday thru Friday.

## STEWARDSHIP CORNER

God's Word directs us to give in proportion to how we are blessed. The Apostle Paul wrote, "For if the readiness is there, it is acceptable according to what a person has, not according to what he does not have" (2 Corinthians 8:12). We are called to give according to our ability to give. However, proportionate or percentage giving is not equal giving. It's a much greater sacrifice for someone who earns ten thousand dollars to give a thousand dollars than it is for someone who earns a hundred thousand dollars to give ten thousand. God looks not only at what we give, but also at what we keep. The less we have left, the more we have given.

## LIFE QUOTES

“The Lord God loves your neighbors—even the ones that annoy you. He cares so much for them that He sent His Son to die and rise again for them—for all of them. For the thief, the bigot, the liberal, the conservative, the one with the manicured lawn who judges your overgrown lawn, and the one who has let their property become overgrown and run down. He cares for all of them. He cares so much that He called you and He placed you in that neighborhood to seek its welfare.” Rev. Dr. Jason Broge, guest speaker on *The Lutheran Hour* – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • [lutheransforlife.org](http://lutheransforlife.org)

## THE LUTHERAN HOUR TOPIC

for next Sunday: "**God Comes with a Community**"  
Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. Dr. Michael Zeigler says, "God wasn't and isn't a hermit. From eternity, God is the God of community and conversation." (Acts 2:38-39) Tune in to *The Lutheran Hour* every Sunday on WDFN (1130 AM) at 6:30 A.M., WRDT (560 AM) at 7:30 A.M. and at Noon, XM Satellite Family Radio Dial 170 at 1:00 P.M. or RealAudio on the internet at [www.lhm.org](http://www.lhm.org).

## THE 2020 ENGLISH DISTRICT'S LUMEN CHRISTI

**AWARD** will be presented to Janet Ropes at the 10:45 A.M. Service on Sunday June 26th. Jan was nominated in 2020 and received notification of this award from the English District the week that our state and nation was shut down due to covid-19. Soon after this, Jan and Jim Ropes moved to their new home in Grand Rapids. We are so happy that their entire family will be able to gather with us the last Sunday in June so that she may finally receive this well-deserve award. The Lumen Christi award is given every year in the English District both to a professional teacher as well as to a qualified layperson who has demonstrated exceptional faithfulness to the Lutheran teaching

Ministry. Jan received the layperson award for 2020, even though she herself is a Lutheran day School teacher. While raising her children and working full time, Jan assisted three generations of pastors and our Congregation in teaching confirmation classes for over 40 years! She was also a leading person on the Preschool Committee and worked to develop and expand our Pre School Ministry for over 30 years. We are most happy that the English District also recognized Janet's faithful service with us, and have bestowed this award upon her. We are sorry that the award could not be presented sooner, but such could not be the case with covid 19, low attendance, and their family's move to western Michigan. A reception will be held for Jan after the 10:45 service on June 26<sup>th</sup>. We hope you will be able to join us.

## ALTAR GUILD

Serving with the Altar Guild for the month are Sue Mack, Jean Azar, and Lori Dane

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** to water annuals in front of CTK. Please contact Noel at 313-520-0396 (text, call) if you can help one day a week.

## ONE WEEK AGO TODAY:

8:00 Service: 37

10:45 Service: 31

Communion: 33