The Day of Pentecost

May 19, 2024

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₩PREPARATION

CALL TO WORSHIP Jack & Becky (Song For The Saints – blue folder)

To be announced

AS WE GATHER

The Day of Pentecost is more connected to Easter than to the Sundays after Pentecost. It is the fiftieth day of Easter, marking the new dawn under the guidance of the Spirit. The Lord works through the preached Gospel and our life together as the baptized around His Table to deliver what He has promised. Thus the ministry of the Spirit is not some ethereal reality experienced in our feelings but the concrete reality of the Word spoken into our ears to bring forth faith and the body and blood of Jesus received by faith in Holy Communion. This is the way the Spirit continues to work in us and for us and we continue to receive His ministry by faith and to celebrate this with great joy.

The peace of the Lord is exchanged according to local custom.

OPENING HYMN LSB 496 "Holy Spirit, Light Divine"

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

- P: In the name of the Father, and of the ₩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.
- P: Our help is in the name of the Lord.
- C: Who made heaven and earth
- P: If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?.
- C: But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.
- P: Since we are gathered to hear Gods Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another

that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Chirst, and saving: God, be merciful to me a sinner.

- C: Almight God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen
- P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.

₩WORD₩

INTROIT (see insert – spoken full verse by full verse – Pastor begins)

KYRIE (sung) Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS (sung)

- To God on high be glory and peace to all the earth;
 Goodwill from God in heaven Proclaimed at Jesus'birth!
 We praise and bless You, Father; Your holy name, we sing—
 Our thanks for Your great glory, Lord God, our heav'nly King.
- To You, O sole-be-gotten, The Father's Son, we pray;
 O Lamb of God, our Savior, You take our sins away.
 Have mercy on us, Jesus; Receive our heart-felt cry,
 Where You in pow'r are seated At God's right hand on high-
- For You alone are holy; You only are the Lord.Forever and forever, Be worshiped and adored;

You with the Holy Spirit Alone are Lord Most High, In God the Father's glory. "Amen!" our glad reply.

SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY

L: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray:

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.

FIRST READING Ezekiel 37:1-14

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL Acts 2:17b; Romans 10:10

P: I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh,

C: and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy.

P: With the heart one believes and is justified,

C: and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.

THE EPISTLE Acts 2:1-21

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God

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VERSE (sung)

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. These things are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God Alleluia, alleluis, alleluia.

THE HOLY GOSPEL John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John the Fifteenth chapter,

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

After the reading:

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

APOSTLES' CREED

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 Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, 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 LSB 811 "Oh, that I Had a Thousand Voices"

SERMON (after the Sermon the pastor may say)

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

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- C: Lord, have mercy.
- P: For the peace from above and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- P: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- P: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- P: For an abundance of the fruits of the earth and for a plentiful harvest, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- P: For the sick, the suffering, and the dying, [especially . . .], let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- P: For an increase of the Spirit and the work of witness, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- P: For pastors, teachers, missionaries, church workers, and all who proclaim the Good News of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- P: For unity in the congregations and for the unity of the church, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- P: For a spirit of repentance and renewal, for the forgiveness of our sins, and for a spirit of reconciliation and peace, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.

- P: In thanksgiving for those who have gone before and for our faithfulness unto death that we may receive the crown of everlasting life, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- P: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.
- C: Amen.

OFFERING plate will be passed. Please sign the Record of Fellowship folder at this time.

★SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

PREFACE

- P: The Lord be with you.
- C: And with thy spirit.
- P: Lift up your hearts.
- C: We lift them to the Lord.
- P: Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.
- C: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.
- P: It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for all the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the compamy of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

C: (sung) Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth adored;
Heav`n and earth with full acclaim shout the glory of Your name.
Sing hosanna in the highest, sing hosanna to the Lord;
Truly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

P: Blessed are You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

In Your righteous judgment You condemned the sin of Adam and Eve, who ate the forbidden fruit, and You justly barred them and all their children from the tree of life. Yet, in Your great mercy, You promised salvation by a second Adam, Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, and made His cross a life-giving tree for all who trust in Him.

We give You thanks for the redemption You have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may faithfully eat and drink of the fruits of His cross and receive the blessings of forgiveness, life, and salvation that come to us in His body and blood.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

L: Hear us as we pray in His name and as He has taught us:

C: 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.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My \(\Price \) body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My

blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

PAX DOMINI

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: Amen.

AGNUS DEI –Lamb of God

O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
 You take the sin of the world away;
 O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
 Have mercy on us, Lord, we pray.

O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God, You take the sin of the world away; Have mercy on us, Jesus Christ, And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray

Distribution

LSB 644 "The Church's One Foundation" LSB 650 "Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling"

NUNC DIMITTIS

(sung) O Lord, now let Your servant Depart in heav'n ly peace,
For I have seen the glory Of Your redeeming grace:
A light to lead the Gentiles Unto Your holy hill,
The glory of Your people, Your chosen Israel.

All glory to the Father, All glory to the Son, All glory to the Spirit, Forevr Three in One; Far as in the beginning, Is now, shall ever be, God's triune name resoudnding Through all eternity.

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

P: Let us pray:

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

SALUTATION and BENEDICTION

P: Let us bless the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

L: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ₱ give you peace.

C: Amen.

THE CLOSING HYMN LSB 651 "I Love Your Kingdom, Lord"

SILENT PRAYER

+THIS WORSHIP IS ENDED. LET THE SERVICE BEGIN+

"...whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him." Colossians 3:17

Dates to Remember

May 19 – Altar Guild after Service

June 2 – Elders Meeting

June 9 - Council Meeting

June 16 – Altar Guild – Father's Day

BIBLE STUDY & CHURCH SERVICE

Bible Study will meet at 9:15 am in the fellowship hall, Church Service at 10:30 am.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Rick Burd – cancer treatments
Randy Burd – also cancer treatments
Deb Sparks – tumors on thyroid
Hazel Younglove – many health issues

Birthdays

Alisha VanderLoop – May 4 Ethan Heegeman – May 25 Margaret Hummel – May 26 Gerald Hummel – May 23 Deborah Sparks – May 25

<u>Anniversary</u>

Dennis & Diane Schlak – May 9 Jack & Becky Priami – May 12