



Welcome to St. John Lutheran Church
Day of Pentecost
Sunday June 5th, 2022



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DAY OF PENTECOST

SUNDAY, JUNE 5TH, 2022

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Gathering

BRIEF ORDER OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. Let us confess our sin to God who is faithful and just and who has promised to forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination

Leader: Most merciful God...

ALL: have mercy on us. We confess to you that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not trusted you with our whole heart; we have not loved one another in deed and in truth. In your compassion forgive our sin and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ our light and our truth. Amen.

Leader: With joy, I proclaim to you that Almighty God, rich in mercy, abundant in love, forgives you all your sin and grants your newness of life in Jesus Christ.

ALL: Thanks be to God!

GATHERING SONG Holy Spirit, Truth Divine

Hymn #398

GREETING AND KYRIE:

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

KYRIE

Assistant: In peace, in peace,

The musical score is written on three staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The first staff is for the Assistant, with lyrics "Let us pray to the Lord, have mer - cy,". The second staff is for the Congregation, with lyrics "Christ, have mer - cy, Lord, have". The third staff continues the Congregation part with lyrics "mer - cy." and features a long melisma line.

Assistant: *Congregation:*

Let us pray to the Lord, have mer - cy,

Christ, have mer - cy, Lord, have

mer - cy.

Assistant: For the Reign of God, and for peace throughout the world, for the unity of all... **(refrain)** ↑

Assistant: For your people here, who have come to give you praise, for the strength to live your Word... **(refrain)** ↑

The musical score is written on two staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The first staff is for the Assistant, with lyrics "Help, save and de - fend us, O God.". The second staff is for the Congregation, with lyrics "A - - - men." and features a long melisma line.

Assistant:

Help, save and de - fend us, O God.

Congregation:

A - - - men.

NOW THE FEAST

Refrain

Congregation:

Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion,
all of cre - a - tion sings for joy
to the God of life and love and
free - dom: praise and glo - ry for ev -
er - more!

Verse 1:

Congregation or Congregation 1:

1. Now is the feast of the Lamb once
slain, whose blood has freed and u -
nit - ed us to be one great
To refrain
peo - ple of God.

Verse 2

Congregation or Congregation 2:

Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and
might, all hon - or and glo - ry to Christ
for ev - er. *To refrain*

Verse 3

Congregation:

3. For God has come to dwell with us,
to make us peo - ple of God; to make
all things new. *To refrain*

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Presider: *Congregation:*

The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Leader: Let us pray ...

God our creator, the resurrection of your Son offers life to all the peoples of earth. By your Holy Spirit, kindle in us the fire of your love, empowering our lives for service and our tongues for praise, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

ALL: Amen.

FIRST READING

Acts 2:1-21

Leader: The Word of the Lord... **C: Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING

Romans 8:14-17

L: The Word of the Lord... **C: Thanks be to God**

Congregation:

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia! *Repeat optional*

M: Leader: Holy Gospel according to St. John

ALL: Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL

John 14:8-17 [25-27]

The Gospel of the Lord... **C: Praise to you, O Christ**

SERMON

Pastor Shawn O'Brien

HYMN OF THE DAY

God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind

Hymn #400

NICENE CREED

ALL: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Leader: God, in your mercy,

ALL: hear our prayer

OFFERING

Leader: Let us pray. Merciful God...

All: you gather the wolf and the lamb to feed together in your peaceable reign, and you welcome us all at your table. Reach out to us through this meal, and show us your wounded and risen body, that we may be nourished and believe in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

AS THE GRAINS OF WHEAT

Refrain

Congregation:



As the grains of wheat once scat-tered on the hill were



gath-ered in - to one to be - come our bread;



so may all your peo - ple from all the ends of earth be



gath-ered in - to one in you.

Verses



1. As this cup of bless - ing is shared with - in our midst, _____
2. Let this be a fore - taste of all that is to come when



To refrain

may we share the pres - ence of your love.
all cre - a - tion shares this feast with you.

Presider:
 The Lord be with you. And al - so with
Presider:
 you. Lift up your hearts. We
Presider:
 lift them to the Lord. Let us give
Congregation:
 thanks to the Lord our God. It is
 right to give God thanks and praise.

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HOLY

Congregation:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly are you, God of pow - er and
might; Heav - en and earth are filled with your
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est! Bless - ed is the
One who comes in your name. Ho - san - na in the
high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est!

EUCHARISTIC ACCLAMATION 1

Presider: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come, come again.

Congregation:

Christ has died. Christ is
ris - en. Christ will come, come a - gain.

EUCCHARISTIC ACCLAMATION 2

Presider: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus. Amen, Come, Lord Jesus.

Congregation:

A - men. Come, Lord Je - sus. A -

men. Come, Lord Je - sus.

EUCCHARISTIC ACCLAMATION 3

Presider: Amen. Come, Holy Spirit. Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.

Congregation:

A - men. Come, Ho - ly Spir - it. A -

men. Come, Ho - ly Spir - it.

THROUGH CHRIST, WITH CHRIST, IN CHRIST

Congregation:

Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ, in the
u - ni - ty of the Spir - it, all glo - ry and hon - or is
yours, O God, now and for ev - er.
A - - - - - men.

The image shows four staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp) and 8/8 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below each staff. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a time signature of 8/8. The notes are mostly quarter and eighth notes, with some longer notes indicated by horizontal lines. The lyrics are: 'Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ, in the'. The second staff continues the melody with lyrics: 'u - ni - ty of the Spir - it, all glo - ry and hon - or is'. The third staff has lyrics: 'yours, O God, now and for ev - er.'. The fourth staff concludes with the word 'A - - - - - men.' and a double bar line.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ALL: 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

St. John practices "open communion". All who are baptized and instructed are welcome to share the Lord's Supper with us today. We are using pre-sealed communion elements. Starting with the right side of the church, followed by the left when they are finished, you may come forward and receive communion from the table. You may consume the elements when you return to your pew or wait until you get outside if that is a more comfortable place for you to eat and drink. Those who do not commune are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing. Indicate this by crossing your arms on your chest.

LAMB OF GOD

Congregation: *Congregation or Assistant:*

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the

Congregation:

world: have mer - cy on us, mer - cy on us,

Congregation:

mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you

Congregation:

take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace,

grant us peace, grant us peace.

TABLE BLESSING

Leader: May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the gifts of his body and blood strengthen, keep and unite us, now and for ever.

ALL: Amen.

THANKS BE TO YOU

Congregation:



1. Praise to you, O God of mer - cy:
2. From of old you loved and sought us:



Thanks be to you for ev - er! Rais - ing high the
Thanks be to you for ev - er! Truth and jus - tice



weak and low - ly: Thanks be to you for - ev - er!
you have taught us: Thanks be to you for - ev - er!



3 Strong is your faith - ful - ness, strong is your love, re -



mem - b'ring your cov - e - nant of life with us.



3. 4. se to you O God of mer - cy: Thanks be to you for



ev - er! Rais - ing high the weak and low - ly:



Thanks be to you for ev - er. Thanks be to you for - ev - er!

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Leader: Let us pray...

We give you thanks, generous God, for this bread and cup we have tasted the new heaven and earth where hunger and thirst are no more. Send us from this table as witnesses to the resurrection, that through our lives, all may know life in Jesus' name.

ALL: Amen.

BLESSING

Leader: God, the Author of life, Christ, the living Cornerstone, and the life-giving Spirit of adoption, bless you now and forever.

ALL: Amen

SENDING SONG Spirit of Gentleness

Hymn #396

DISMISSAL

Leader: Go in peace. Serve the Lord!

ALL: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Weekly Announcements



This Week at St. John

Mon-Fri: VBS

Tues: Blankets 9 AM

Esther Circle 2 PM

Sat: Worship 5 PM

Sun: Worship 9 AM

In Our Prayers

Audry S.-medical concerns

Marilyn Sandroek- medical concerns

Carolyn Lasseter- medical concerns

Lauren Studer- medical concerns

Betty Roecker- medical concerns

Gary Carstensen- medical concerns

Dan Jeffers- medical concerns

Serving This Week

Lector: Cebie Titgemeyer

Ushers: The Titgemeyer's

Acolyte: Lily Sondergeld

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God, in honor of Kimberly Sommers birthday and given by her family.

CHANCEL FLOWERS

The chancel flowers are given to the Glory of God, in memory of Jennifer Johnson and given by Gary, Caleb, Luke, and Aiden Johnson

USHERS AND LECTORS NEEDED

If you would be willing to help, please sign up outside the church office. Now accepting volunteers through July. If you have any questions please see Pastor Shawn or contact the church office.

OUR BLESSING BOX

Mini Pantry has been used quite a bit recently. To help restock we need cereal and canned vegetables. When you are shopping this week, consider purchasing a few extra items and bringing them to the church. Thank you!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Volunteers are needed for VBS this year. A variety of positions are available. If you are interested in helping with this event please contact Stefanie Neuman at 419-705-9926 or email at stefaniehneuman@gmail.com.

ESTHER CIRCLE

Tuesday, June 7 at 2:00 p.m.
Meet in ***Basement***



SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Starting Monday June 6th

Mondays: 8:30am-2:30pm

Tuesdays: CLOSED

Wednesdays: 8:30am-2:30pm

Thursdays: 8:30am-2:30pm

Friday: 8:30am-2:30pm