
PENTECOST JUNE 5, 2022

WELCOME

INVOCATION:

Pastor: In the name of God the Father.

People: Creator, source, patient judge, loving Father.

Pastor: In the name of God the Son.

People: Brother, Savior, Risen conqueror, eternal King of kings.

Pastor: In the name of God the Holy Spirit.

People: Comforter, Counselor, life-giving breath, motivating fire.

Pastor: This is the one true God, three persons in perfect unity.

People: Amen. Amen. Amen.

Pastor: In Your name, O Lord, we were baptized,

People: And were born again.

Pastor: Not as generic, genetic accidents,

People: But given a name and a relationship to You, our Father.

Pastor: Not drifting aimlessly to the grave,

People: But born to live eternally.

Pastor: Not blown about by every little breeze,

People: But guided through life by Your Spirit.

Pastor: By Your Spirit's work,

People: Renew us that we might be totally devoted to You. Amen.

HYMN: "Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord" (LSB #497)

**Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord,
With all Your graces now outpoured,
On each believer's mind and heart;
Your fervent love to them impart.
Lord, by the brightness of Your light
In holy faith Your Church unite;
From ev'ry land and ev'ry tongue
This to Your praise, O Lord, our God, be sung:
Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Come holy Light, guide divine,
Now 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.
Alleluia, alleluia!**



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

Alleluia, alleluia!

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REFLECTION ON GOD'S WORD:

Pastor: What is the work of the Holy Spirit?

People: The Spirit's work is to call people by the gospel to Christ, enlighten them with His gifts, sanctify them, and keep them in the one true faith.

Pastor: And what is that one true faith?

People: 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 sin, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN:

Pastor: What has the Holy Spirit led you to believe about yourself?

People: I believe that I am a sinner. I know this from God's Word and the Ten Commandments. These I have not kept and for that deserve God's punishment.

Pastor: Call then upon God, and repent of your sins.

People: Merciful Father, I am sorry for my sins and desire to turn away from them. Forgive me for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, who died and rose again that I might be set free. Amen.

ABSOLUTION

SONG: "Before The Throne of God Above" (Bancroft & Cook)

**Before the throne of God above
I have a strong and perfect plea
A great High Priest whose name is Love
Who ever lives and pleads for me
My name is graven on His hands
My name is written on His heart
I know that while in heav'n He stands
No tongue can bid me thence depart
No tongue can bid me thence depart
Hallelujah, My life is found in Jesus Christ
Hallelujah, For I am His and He is mine**

When Satan tempts me to despair
And tells me of the guilt within
Upward I look and see Him there
Who made an end to all my sin
Because the sinless Saviour died
My sinful soul is counted free
For God the Just is satisfied
To look on Him and pardon me
To look on Him and pardon me.
Hallelujah, My life is found in Jesus Christ
Hallelujah, For I am His and He is mine

Behold Him there the risen Lamb
My perfect spotless righteousness
The great unchangeable I Am
The King of glory and of grace
One with Himself I cannot die
My soul is purchased with His blood
My life is hid with Christ on high
With Christ my Saviour and my God
With Christ my Saviour and my God.
Hallelujah, My life is found in Jesus Christ
Hallelujah, For I am His and He is mine

I bow before the cross of Christ
And marvel at this love divine
God's perfect Son was sacrificed
To make me righteous in God's eyes
This river's depths I cannot know
But I can glory in its flood
The Lord Most High has bowed down low
And poured on me His glorious love
And poured on me His glorious love.
Hallelujah, My life is found in Jesus Christ
Hallelujah, For I am His and He is mine

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OLD TESTAMENT READING: Genesis 11:1-9

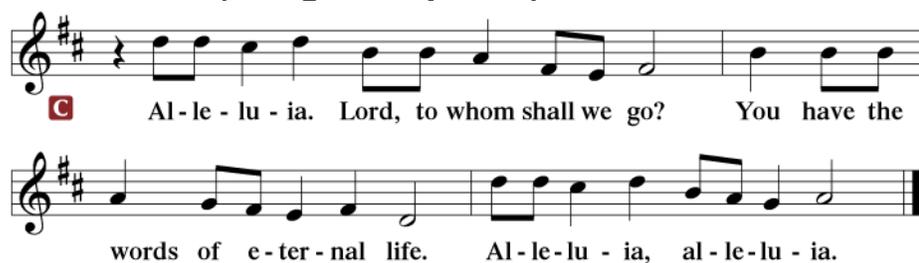
Now the whole world had one language and a common speech. ²As men moved eastward, they found a plain in Shinar and settled there. ³They said to each other, "Come, let's make bricks and bake them thoroughly." They used brick instead of stone, and tar for mortar. ⁴Then they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city, with a tower that reaches to the heavens, so that we may make a name for ourselves and not be scattered over the face of the whole earth." ⁵But the LORD came down to see the city and the tower that the men were building. ⁶The LORD said, "If as one people speaking the same language they have begun to do this, then nothing they plan to do will be impossible for them. ⁷Come, let us go

down and confuse their language so they will not understand each other.”⁸ So the LORD scattered them from there over all the earth, and they stopped building the city.⁹ That is why it was called Babel—because there the LORD confused the language of the whole world. From there the LORD scattered them over the face of the whole earth.

EPISTLE READING: Acts 2:1-21

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 tongues as the Spirit enabled them.⁵ Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven.⁶ When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard them speaking in his own language.⁷ Utterly amazed, they asked: “Are not all these men who are speaking Galileans?”⁸ Then how is it that each of us hears them in his own native language?⁹ Parthians, Medes and Elamites; residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia,¹⁰ Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya near Cyrene; visitors from Rome¹¹ (both Jews and converts to Judaism); Cretans and Arabs—we hear them declaring the wonders of God in our own tongues!”¹² Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another, “What does this mean?”¹³ Some, however, made fun of them and said, “They have had too much wine.”¹⁴ Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: “Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say.¹⁵ These men are not drunk, as you suppose. It’s only nine in the morning!¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel:¹⁷” “In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams.¹⁸ Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy.¹⁹ I will show wonders in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood and fire and billows of smoke.²⁰ The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord.²¹ And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.’

RESPONSE: (Sung, LSB p. 156)



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

GOSPEL READING: John 15:26-16:11

²⁶ “When the Counselor comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who goes out from the Father, he will testify about me.²⁷ And you also must testify, for you have been with me from the beginning....” “All this I have told you so that you will not go astray.² They will put you out of the synagogue; in fact, a time is coming when anyone who kills you will think he is offering a service to God.³ They will do such things because

they have not known the Father or me. ⁴ I have told you this, so that when the time comes you will remember that I warned you. I did not tell you this at first because I was with you. ⁵ “Now I am going to him who sent me, yet none of you asks me, ‘Where are you going?’ ⁶ Because I have said these things, you are filled with grief. ⁷ But I tell you the truth: It is for your good that I am going away. Unless I go away, the Counselor will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. ⁸ When he comes, he will convict the world of guilt in regard to sin and righteousness and judgment: ⁹ in regard to sin, because men do not believe in me; ¹⁰ in regard to righteousness, because I am going to the Father, where you can see me no longer; ¹¹ and in regard to judgment, because the prince of this world now stands condemned.

HYMN: “The Strife Is O’er, the Battle Done” (LSB #464)

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

**The strife is o’er, the battle done;
Now is the victor’s triumph won;
Now be the song of praise begun. Alleluia!**

**The pow’rs of death have done their worst,
But Christ their legions hath dispersed.
Let shouts of holy joy outburst. Alleluia!**

**The three sad days have quickly sped,
He rises glorious from the dead.
All glory to our risen Head! Alleluia!**

**He broke the age bound chains of hell;
The bars from heav’n’s high portals fell.
Let hymns of praise His triumph tell. Alleluia!**

**Lord, by the stripes which wounded Thee,
From death’s dread sting Thy servants free
That we may live and sing to Thee. Alleluia!**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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SERMON: Acts 2:36-47 “What’s the Secret?”

SONG: “Create in Me a Clean Heart”

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

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PRAYERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER

People: 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.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

IN THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION WE BELIEVE *our Lord Jesus Christ comes to us with His body and blood given and shed for the forgiveness of sins (Matt 26:26-28). In it we are united with him and with the whole Church. Baptized and confirmed Christians who believe, by the guidance of the Holy Spirit, that Christ's body and blood are present in the bread and wine of the Sacrament, who acknowledge their sin, set aside any refusal to forgive (Matt 6:15), are sorry, repent (Mark 1:15) and look to Christ alone for forgiveness and strength to live the new life, are welcome to eat and drink at the Lord's table in remembrance of Him. (1 Cor 11:25-25) You may register for Communion as the Friendship Folder is passed to you in the pew. If you have any questions, please speak to the Pastor or a Lay Minister before communing.*

DISTRIBUTION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

SONG: "Spirit of the Living God" (Pete Sanchez Jr.)

**Spirit of the Living God, we affirm Your presence here,
Spirit of the Living God, we affirm Your power here.
To heal us, and to deliver us, To fill us and to change us, Spirit of God.**

**Spirit of the Living God, we affirm Your presence here,
Spirit of the Living God, we affirm Your power here.
To rest on us, and to empower us, To work through us and to reveal in us,
Jesus the King.**

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BLESSING:

Pastor: The Lord says, "I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy."

People: Alleluia! Alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful people, and kindle in them the fire of Your Love. Alleluia!

Pastor: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God the Father, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

People: So be it! Amen.

HYMN: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God" (LSB #712)

**Seek ye first the kingdom of God, And His righteousness.
And all these things shall be added unto you! Allelu, alleluia!**

**Ask and it shall be given unto you, Seek and ye shall find,
Knock and the door shall be opened unto you, Allelu, alleluia!**

**Man does not live by bread alone, But by ev'ry word
That proceeds from the mouth of the Lord, Allelu, alleluia!**

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PRAYER MINISTRY

Please include the following friends and happenings in your personal prayers

For God's Blessing On Their Medical Treatment - Richard St Martin

Our Home bound & Those In Care Centers - Pat Hibben - John Arne - Vera Marko - Lillian Prok - Jerry & Sharon Bliven - Lorraine McKay - Marion Michalik - Stan Cherveney

Our Local & Global Mission Ministries

-Rev Dr. Dan & Dr. Joan Jastram, Northern Asia (Recipients of our "Together In Mission")

-Rev. Blidi Minely, Liberia, Africa (Recipient of our "Care Barrels")

Local & Global Concerns

-For Health & Safety in this COVID 19 Pandemic

-For a spirit of unity and Godliness among the leadership of The United States of America and President Biden

Birthday's This Week

05-Jun Addison Kukla

06-Jun Jay Ward

09-Jun Sandra Sanders

10-Jun Quinn Darling

10-Jun Lucy Darling



**5 PM — 9 PM
Tuesday Night
Summer Rods Cruiz
on 104th Street**

Enjoy a family friendly outdoor evening with classic cars, friends, activities, music, food and beverages. Enjoy the classic cars and concessions fundraiser proceeds support Open Arms Christian Early childhood Center



BIBLE STUDY OPTIONS

Adult Bible Class:

Meets on Sundays at 8:30am-9:15am.

Also meets on Tuesdays at 11am-noon.

Location: Church fellowship hall.

Topic: Both classes are the same.

We are studying the book of Ester



**ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE
201 EAST 104TH STREET**

Friday September 9th

Saturday September 10th

*It is not too early to start saving items for the
Holy Emmanuel Rummage Sale
Bring your sale items to church the
last week of August please.*



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³⁶ “Therefore let all Israel be assured of this: God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ.” ³⁷ When the people heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the other apostles, “Brothers, what shall we do?” ³⁸ Peter replied, “Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. ³⁹ The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off—for all whom the Lord our God will call.” ⁴⁰ With many other words he warned them; and he pleaded with them, “Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.” ⁴¹ Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand were added to their number that day. ⁴² They devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. ⁴³ Everyone was filled with awe, and many wonders and miraculous signs were done by the apostles. ⁴⁴ All the believers were together and had everything in common. ⁴⁵ Selling their possessions and goods, they gave to anyone as he 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.

1. What was the fellowship of the early believers like?
2. Why do we sometimes wonder about the early Christians?
3. How do we usually try to get the kind of life the early Christians had?
4. What was the “secret” to the fellowship early believers had?
5. What happened with the people Peter preached to?
6. Why did Peter point people to baptism?
7. Why were the early Christians so devoted?
8. What’s the real problem when our fellowship is less than what the early Christians had?
9. What’s Pentecost about?
10. What can we be sure of when we devote ourselves to God’s word given us in the Bible and the Sacraments?