

May 28, 2023

Evangelical Lutheran Worship, Setting 8

Pentecost derives its name from the Jewish festival celebrating the harvest and the giving of the law on Mount Sinai fifty days after Passover. Fifty days after Easter, we celebrate the Holy Spirit as God's presence within and among us. In Acts the Spirit arrives in rushing wind and flame, bringing God's presence to all people. Paul reminds us that though we each have different capacities, we are unified in the Spirit that equips us with these gifts. Jesus breathes the Holy Spirit on his disciples, empowering them to forgive sin. We celebrate that we too are given the breath of the Holy Spirit and sent out to proclaim God's redeeming love to all the world.

PRELUDE

GATHERING

Welcome & Announcements

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Please stand as you are able.

- P In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit
- C Amen.
- P Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
- C Amen.
- **P** Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. *Silence for reflection and self-examination.*
- P Gracious God,
- C have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.
- P God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.
- C Amen.

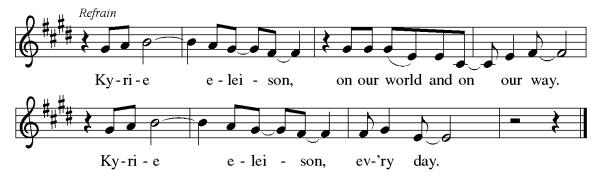


GREETING

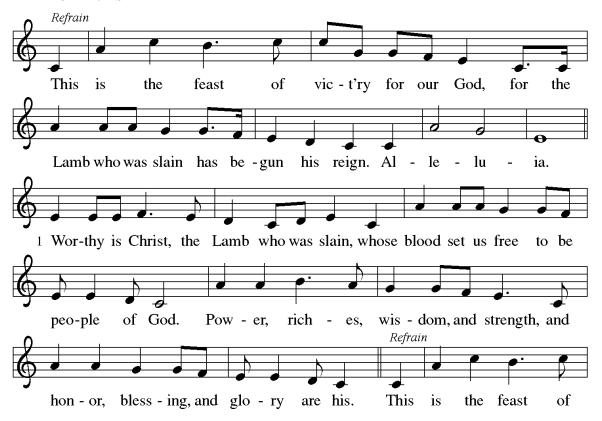
- P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C And also with you.

KYRIE

Congregation sings refrain before first verse and after each of the four verses, sung by pastor or assisting minister.



HYMN OF PRAISE





PRAYER OF THE DAY

- P The Lord be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P Let us pray.

O God, on this day you open the hearts of your faithful people by sending into us your Holy Spirit. Direct us by the light of that Spirit, that we may have a right judgment in all things and rejoice at all times in your peace, through Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen. Please be seated.

WORD

FIRST READING: ACTS 2:1-21

¹When the day of Pentecost had come, the apostles were all together in one place. ²And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

⁵Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." ¹²All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. ¹⁵Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. ¹⁶No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

¹⁷In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. ¹⁸Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. ¹⁹And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. ²⁰The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. ²¹Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'"

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

PSALM 104:24-34, 35B

Sung responsively



²⁴How manifold are your | works, O LORD!

In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full | of your creatures.

²⁵Yonder is the sea, great and wide, with its swarms too man- | y to number,

living things both | small and great.

²⁶There go the ships | to and fro,

and Leviathan, which you made for the | sport of it.

²⁷All of them | look to you

to give them their food | in due season.

²⁸You give it to them; they | gather it;

you open your hand, and they are filled | with good things.

²⁹When you hide your face, | they are terrified;

when you take away their breath, they die and return | to their dust.

³⁰You send forth your Spirit, and they | are created;

and so you renew the face | of the earth.

31May the glory of the LORD en- | dure forever;

O LORD, rejoice in | all your works.

³²You look at the earth | and it trembles;

you touch the mountains | and they smoke.

³³I will sing to the LORD as long | as I live;

I will praise my God while I | have my being.

³⁴May these words of | mine please God.

I will rejoice | in the LORD.

35bBless the LORD, | O my soul.

Hal- | lelujah!

SECOND READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 12:3B-13

^{3b}No one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. ⁴Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; ⁵and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; ⁶and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. ⁷To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. ⁸To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, ⁹to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, ¹⁰to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹All these are acti-

vated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses. ¹²For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. ¹³For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

- L The Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God. Please stand as you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



- P The Holy Gospel, according to John, the twentieth chapter.
- C Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL: JOHN 20:37-39

³⁷On the last day of the festival of Booths, the great day, while Jesus was standing in the temple, he cried out, "Let anyone who is thirsty come to me, ³⁸and let the one who believes in me drink. As the scripture has said, 'Out of the believer's heart shall flow rivers of living water.'" ³⁹Now he said this about the Spirit, which believers in him were to receive; for as yet there was no Spirit, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

- P The Gospel of the Lord.
- C Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

SERMON

PASTOR ANDREW C. PATTY

Please stand for the final verse of the hymn.



- 1 O liv-ing Breath of God, wind at the be-gin ning up on the wa ters;
- 2 O liv-ing Breath of God, by whose pow'r the Son came to birth a mong us;
- 3 O liv-ing Breath of God, bear-ing us to life through bap-tis-mal wa ters;



- O liv-ing Breath of God, bear-ing the cre a tion to won-drous birth:
- O liv-ing Breath of God, who to the cre a tion gives life a new:
- O liv-ing Breath of God, sigh-ing with cre a tion for free-dom's birth:



- O liv-ing Breath of God, Ho-ly Spir-it, breathe in us as we pray.
- P Let us confess our faith with the words of the Apostles' Creed.
- C I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS

A United in the hope and joy of the resurrection, let us pray for the church, the world, and all in need.

A brief silence.

A Passionate God, you sent your Spirit through the gifts of fire, wind, and word. As you equipped the disciples for their work, equip us to bring the good news to all those who long for you. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A Restoring God, wind and flame bring life and destruction throughout the world. We pray for those who work with wind energy, for migratory birds, for protection for lands facing destructive fire, for forestry managers and firefighters. Renew the face of the earth. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A Saving God, give strength, sustenance, and safety to vulnerable people across the world, especially those affected by the war in Ukraine. Provide safety from violence and assistance for those in need. Guide families as they lose their homes and loved ones. Particularly, let us pray for the German Evangelical Lutheran Church in the Ukraine and our own partner synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Urals, Siberia and the Far East as they face these times of conflict. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A Merciful God, you anoint us with your spirit. Bless nurses, doctors, midwives, chaplains, counselors, and hospice workers as they care for those in need. We pray for all who seek your comfort, especially Naomi Walker, Linda Longren, Don O'Brien, and Martha Nemeth. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A Generous God, you impart a variety of gifts. Set aflame the desire to learn from one another, especially those who differ from us. Make your presence known through missionaries, peace workers, and through the outreach ministries of our synod and community. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A Life-giving God, you give us life and the joy to celebrate. This week, we celebrate with Brayden Winsor as he remembers his baptism. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A Saving God, we offer prayers for all the participants of the 2023 Synod Assembly, for those nominated and elected to serve the synod, and for all the ministries of the Central States Synod. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

- P Lord God, you have surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses. Grant that we be encouraged by the example of your servant Mike Jackson that we may share in your eternal joy with all the saints in heaven. Bless and support the family and friends of this saint as they celebrate his life. Hear us, O God.
- C Your mercy is great.
- P Life-giving God, we give thanks for those who have died to new life in you. As we observe Memorial Day, we remember those who died in military service. Comfort all who mourn, and usher in a world where war is no more. Hear us, O God.
- C Your mercy is great.
- P Rejoicing in the victory of Christ's resurrection, we lift our prayers and praise to you, almighty and eternal God; through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.
- C Amen.

THE PEACE

- P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C And also with you.

Let us greet one another with God's peace.

Please be seated.

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

OFFERING

OFFERTORY SONG



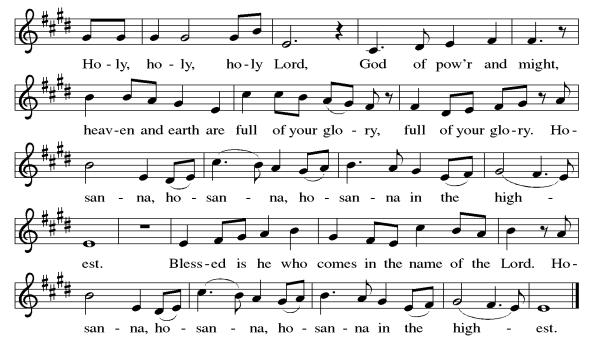
OFFERTORY PRAYER

A Generous God, in this meal you offer your very self. We give thanks for these gifts of the earth. In the breaking of this bread reveal to us the Risen One. In the pouring of this wine pour us out in service to the world; through Christ our Lord.

C Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

- P The Lord be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P Lift up your hearts.
- C We lift them to the Lord.
- P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C It is right to give our thanks and praise.
- P is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. Fulfilling the promise of the resurrection, you pour out the fire of your Spirit, uniting in one body people of every nation and tongue. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

P In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

- P Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:
- 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

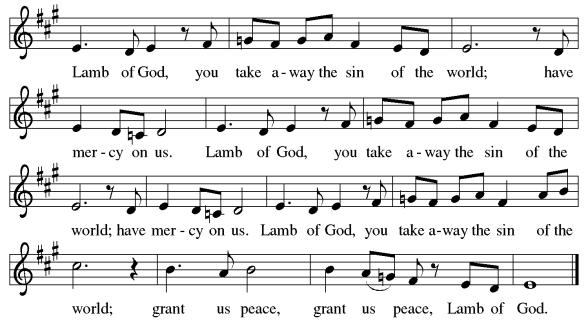
forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P Come and know Christ, broken and poured out for you.

LAMB OF GOD





COMMUNION BLESSING

- P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.
- C Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

- A Gracious God, in you we live and move and have our being. With your word and this meal of grace, you have nourished our life together. Strengthen us to show your love and serve the world in Jesus' name.
- C Amen.

SENDING

BLESSING

- P The God of all, who raised + Jesus from the dead, bless you by the power of the Holy Spirit to live in the new creation.
- C Amen.



DISMISSAL

- A Go in peace. Serve the Risen One.
- C Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Welcome to worship at Trinity!

Thank you for joining us for worship. We hope that you found the Spirit of God in our midst. If you are interested in becoming a member of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, or have other questions, please contact the church office at 785.233.0767

UPCOMING EVENTS AT TRINITY								
Today, May 28 Day of Pentecost								
Children's Sunday School	9:45 AM							
Worship with Holy Communion	10:30 AM							
Coffee Hour	after worship							
Mon., May 29June Trinity Tidings deadline								
Tues., May 30Quilters	9:00 AM							
Sunday, June 4	10:15 AM 10:30 AM							

Current Doorstep Needs ~ May/June 2023

<u>Clothing Room Needs</u>: (Gently Used, Not New)

Pots & Pans and small appliances

Twin, Queen & King Sheet sets

Men's Jeans (Sizes 30-44 especially 42 & 44)

Men's Sweatpants (All Sizes)

Men's T-Shirts (Sizes XL & Up)

Women's Shorts (All Sizes)

Boys Jeans & Shorts (All Sizes)

Boys Shirts (Sizes 4 - 12)

Girls Shirts & Clothing Items (Sizes 3 – 14)

Girls & Teen Girls Jean & Shorts (All Sizes)

Donations Accepted:

Monday – Friday 9am – 2pm

Use the South Door

Please do not leave donations outside our building when we are closed. It becomes a parking lot mess.

Food Room Needs:

Pancake Mix

Hamburger Helper Peanut Butter Canned Milk Jelly Oatmeal Egg Noodles Rice Peas **Boxed Pastas** Spaghetti O's Ravioli Canned Beans Macaroni & Cheese Hand Can openers Pork N Beans Spaghetti Ramen Noodles Canned Fruit

Pancake Syrup

	Worship Assistants										
Date	Acolytes	Ushers	Musician	Lector	Altar Guild	Asst. Minister	Presiding Minister	Coffee Hosts			
May 28	Parker Jackson, Ella Bosch	Howard Reece, Curt Lewis	Laurie Jackson	Marcy Carlson	Janeen Horton & Team 2	Ted Murphy	Pr. Andrew Patty	Howard/ Loni Reece			
June 4	Duane Pomeroy	Diane Bottorff, Marcy Carlson	Laurie Jackson	Janelle Meredith	Donna Allen & Team 3	Bob Horton	Pr. Andrew Patty				
June 11	Curt Lewis	Bob Horton, Dean McGinnis	Mitchell Bean	Bob Horton	Donna Allen & Team 3	Marsha Ridinger	Pr. Andrew Patty				
June 18	Cindy McGinnis	Howard Reece, Curt Lewis		LaVell Winsor	Donna Allen & Team 3	Marcy Carlson	Pr. Andrew Patty				
June 25	LaVell Winsor, Brayden Winsor	Marcy Carlson, Bob Horton		Duane Pomeroy	Donna Allen & Team 3	Ted Murphy	Pr. Andrew Patty				

OFFERING, ATTENDANCE, and FINANCIAL STATUS										
Date	General	Other	Total Weekly	Average Week-	Weekly In-	Attendance/				
Apr. 30	\$914.24	\$0.00	\$914.24	-\$1,653.85	-\$739.61	23/22				
May 7	\$4,303.00	\$50.00	\$4,353.00	-\$1,653.85	\$2,699.15	32/27				
May 14	\$1,227.00	\$0.00	\$1,227.00	-\$1,653.85	-\$426.85	34/29				
May 21	\$470.00	\$0.00	\$470.00	-\$1,653.85	-\$1,183.85	22/18				
			Income	Expense						
		Apr. 2023	\$41,778.85	-\$11,026.39	\$30,752.46					
		Jan Apr.	\$71,252.01	-\$49,424.26	\$21,827.75					



Congratulations to the family of Kai Jamison "KJ" Henry, born May 22, 2023, son of Brett & Janelle Henry & brother to Myles, grandson of Janice & Rick Greenlee. God's blessings be with this family.



TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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OFFICE HOURS

10:00AM-3:30PM, Monday through Thursday

Together in Community

Living with Christ

Caring for Neighbors

Together in Community

We are a faith community brought together to worship God and to be of service to the needs of the world as the Great Commandment is our guide in our lives (*Matthew 22:36-39, Mark 12:29-31, and Luke 10:26-27*). We are a congregation that seeks to reach all those in our county with members spread throughout Topeka area, while being rooted in Historic Old Town. In our faith, we hope to be a symbol of Christ's love in the world (*John 15:12*), to be a community of support and care (*Galatians 6:2*), and to proclaim the good news that Jesus Christ came to be a Savior for all people (*Colossians 1:13-14*).

CONGREGATION COUNCIL

President Duane Pomeroy Vice-President Curt Lewis (Maintenance)

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Shelley Andrews (Administration)
Carol Marker (Spiritual Care)

Pam Kobbeman (Administration)
Dean McGinnis (Congregational Life)

Treasurer Bob Kobbeman