

Sunday, May 28, 2023 - Day of Pentecost

Enter to worship. As the prelude begins, worshippers are encouraged to conclude conversation and quietly prepare to enter into the experience of worship.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE We Now Implore the Holy Ghost - Dietrich Buxtehude
O Day Full of Grace - Christoph E. F. Weyse (2013 Concordia Publishing House)

(Assembly responses are in **bold** print)

The assembly stands

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Blessed are you, holy God. You are the creator of the waters of the earth. You are the fire of rebirth. You poured out your Spirit on your people Israel. You breathe life into our dry bones. Your Son Jesus promised to send the Spirit to us that the world may know your peace and truth.

Pour out your Holy Spirit, and breathe new life into those who are here baptized. By your Spirit adopt us all as your children, through our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

GATHERING HYMN

HYMN 627 O Day Full of Grace

GREETING

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

And also with you.

KYRIE

CHOIR

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

ALL

Lord, have mer - cy.

CHOIR

For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

ALL

Lord, have mer - cy.

CHOIR

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.

ALL

Lord, have mer - cy.

CHOIR

For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,

let us pray to the Lord.

ALL

Lord, have mer - cy.

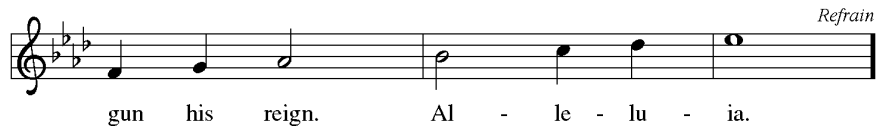
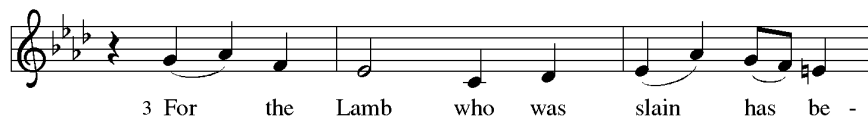
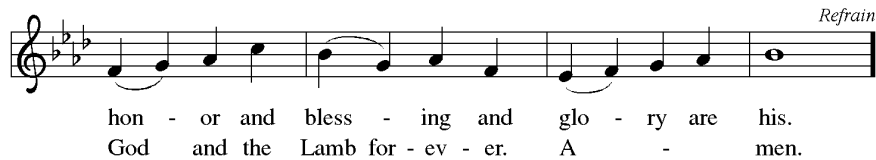
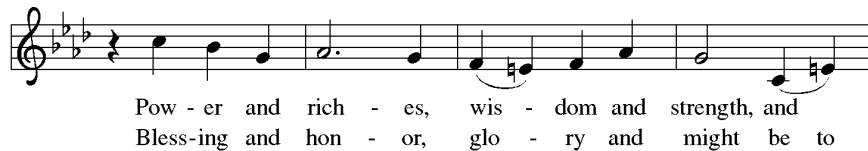
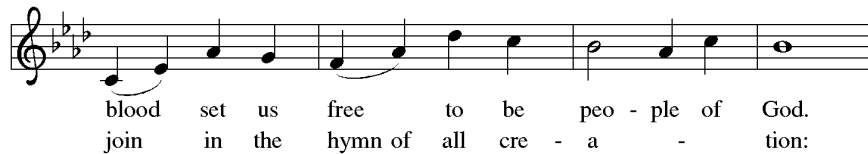
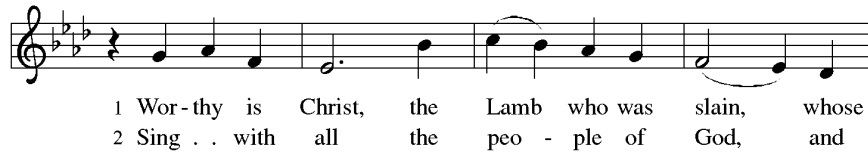
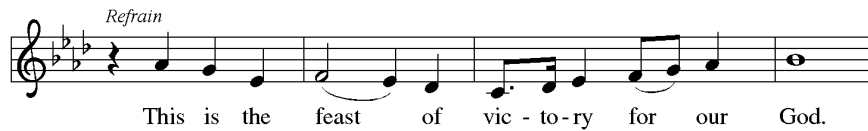
CHOIR

Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.

ALL

A - men, a - men.

THIS IS THE FEAST



PRAYER OF THE DAY

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. Amen.

The assembly is seated

CHOIR *Shout to the Lord* arr. Mark Hayes (2001 Hillsong Publishing)

FIRST READING: Acts 2:1-21

P: The Word of the Lord C: Thanks be to God

PSALM REFRAIN

The piano will play the refrain once, then the choir will sing the refrain then the assembly will sing the refrain once and where indicated by the “**R**”.

Lord, Send Out Your Spirit! Psalm 104

LORD, send out your Spir-it! LORD, send out your Spir-it!

LORD, send out your Spir-it! and re - new the face of the earth.

Music: Rawn Harbor, refrain; *Lutheran Book of Worship*, tone 9
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Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

24 How manifold are your | works, O Lord!

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

**25 Yonder is the sea, great and wide, with its swarms too man- | y to number,
living things both | small and great.**

26 There go the ships | to and fro,
and Leviathan, which you made for the | sport of it.

**27 All of them | look to you
to give them their food | in due season. R**

28 You give it to them; they | gather it;
you open your hand, and they are filled | with good things.

**29 When you hide your face, | they are terrified;
when you take away their breath, they die and return | to their dust.**

30 You send forth your Spirit, and they | are created;
and so you renew the face | of the earth.

**31 May the glory of the Lord en- | dure forever;
O Lord, rejoice in | all your works. R**

32 You look at the earth | and it trembles;
you touch the mountains | and they smoke.

**33 I will sing to the Lord as long | as I live;
I will praise my God while I | have my being.**

34 May these words of | mine please God.
I will rejoice | in the Lord.

**35b Bless the Lord, | O my soul.
Hal- | leluah! R**

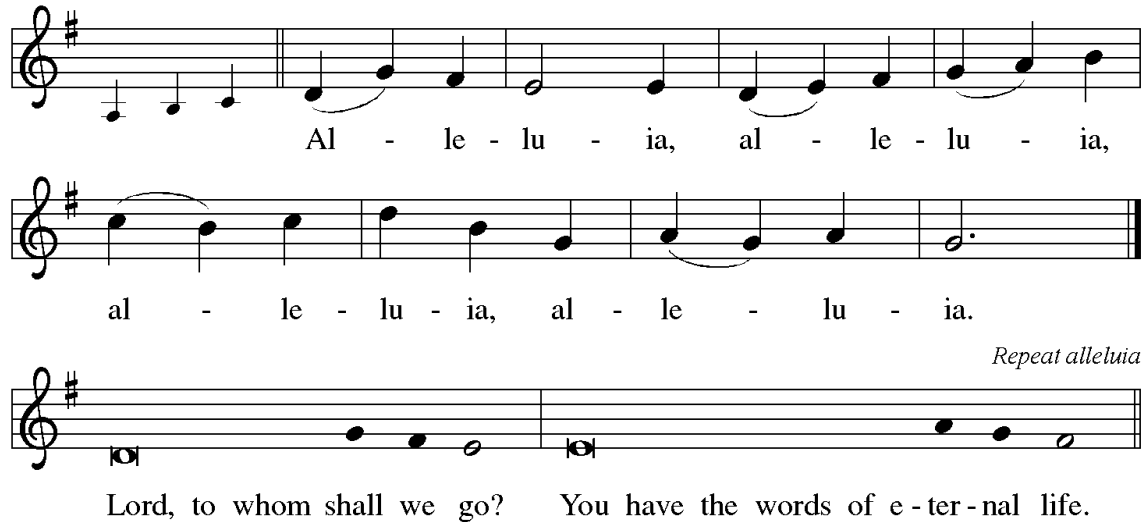
SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-13

P: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God

The assembly stands.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



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

GOSPEL : John 20:19-23

C: Glory to you, O Lord

...

P: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ

The assembly is seated.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY

HYMN 401 Gracious Spirit, Heed Our Pleading

The assembly stands.

NICENE CREED

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; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man. 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. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He 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

Congregational response to

P. Hear us, O God.

C. Your mercy is great.

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

A brief silence

...

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.

Your mercy is great.

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.

Your mercy is great.

Ever-present God, your spirit embraces all. Send your spirit of understanding to immigrants, refugees, and any experiencing language barriers. Bless the work of translators, ESL teachers, ambassadors, and international peace organizations. Safely guide those fleeing war and danger. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

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. We remember especially those whom we name aloud.. **Carole Bergner, Dave Boock, Julie Carlson, Susan Fischer Raddatz, Mike Glowacki, Carl Jackson, Gail Klima, Connie Kretzmann, Jane Lee, Lisa Munao, Carenna Reisen, John Zacek**, and all whom we remember in our hearts and lift before you ... (*silence for reflection*) ... Hear us O God.

Your mercy is great.

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 (especially). Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

Life-giving God, we give thanks for those who have died to new life in you (especially). 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.

Your mercy is great.

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.

Amen.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

The assembly is seated.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest* - Charles Callahan (2017 Concordia Publishing House)

The assembly stands.

OFFERING PRAYER

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.

Amen.

COMMUNION DIALOG

The Communion Dialog is presented in four staves of musical notation, each with lyrics underneath. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The notation uses a treble clef and includes slurs and ties to indicate phrasing. The lyrics are as follows:

PASTOR The Lord be with you. **ALL** And al - so with you.

PASTOR Lift up your hearts. **ALL** We lift them to the Lord.

PASTOR Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

ALL It is right to give our thanks and praise.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

It is indeed right, our du - ty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you,
al - mighty and merciful God, through our Sav - ior Je - sus Christ.
Ful - filling the promise of the res - ur - rec - tion,
you pour out the fire of your Spir - it, uniting in one body people of ev'ry
na - tion and tongue. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Pe - ter
and all the witnesses of the res - ur - rec - tion
with earth and sea and all their crea - tures,
and with angels and archangels, cheru - bim and ser - a - phim,
we praise your name and join their un - end - ing hymn:

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Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
pow - er and might, heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

You are indeed holy, almighty and merciful God.
You are most holy, and great is the majesty of your glory.

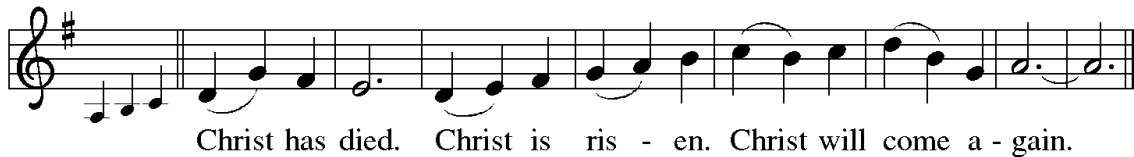
You so loved the world that you gave your only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but have eternal life.

We give you thanks for his coming into the world to fulfill for us your holy will and to accomplish all things for our salvation.

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.

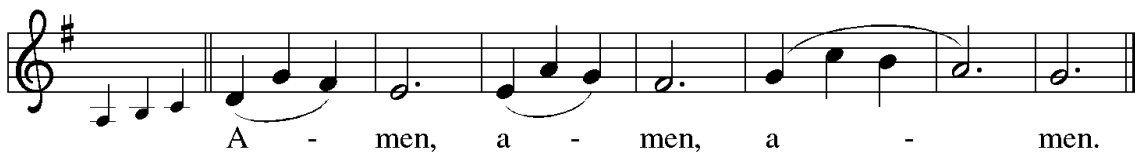
Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup,
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.



Remembering, therefore, his salutary command,
his life-giving passion and death, his glorious resurrection and ascension,
and the promise of his coming again, we give thanks to you, O Lord God Almighty,
not as we ought but as we are able;
we ask you mercifully to accept our praise and thanksgiving
and with your Word and Holy Spirit to bless us, your servants,
and these your own gifts of bread and wine,
so that we and all who share in the body and blood of Christ
may be filled with heavenly blessing and grace,
and, receiving the forgiveness of sin,
may be formed to live as your holy people
and be given our inheritance with all your saints.

To you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory in your holy church, now and forever.



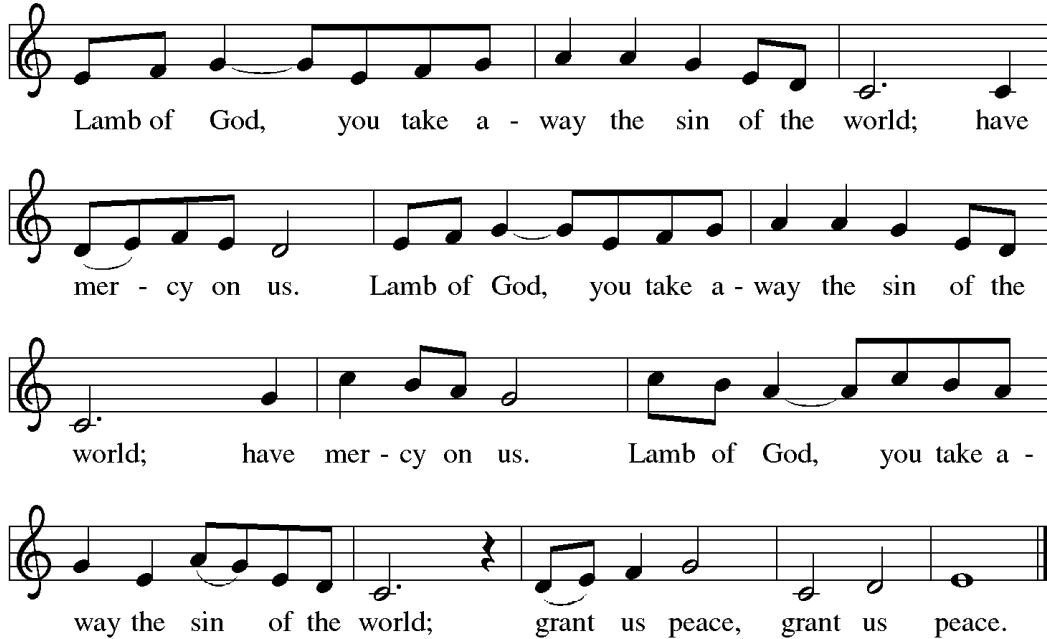
THE LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

***About Communion:** This is Christ's table and meal of grace! All are welcome! Ushers will guide you forward. Receive the bread (gluten free available); wine or white grape juice is received from a cup from the gold tray. If you have difficulty coming forward for the distribution, please let one of the ushers know and they will ask the pastor to bring you communion in the pew. Children may come forward for a blessing.*

The assembly is seated.

LAMB OF GOD



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -
way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

COMMUNION HYMNS

HYMN TFF 241 Every Time I Feel the Spirit

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

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

Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

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.

Amen.

BLESSING

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.

Amen.

SENDING HYMN

HYMN 756 Eternal Father, Strong to Save

DISMISSAL

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Go in peace. Serve the Risen One.

Thanks be to God.

DEPART TO SERVE

POSTLUDE *Eternal Father, Strong to Save* - William Greene (2015 Concordia Publishing House)

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