
Day of Pentecost/Senior Sunday: May 19, 2024 @ 10 a.m.

An asterisk () indicates when the congregation stands. Hymns and page numbers are from the red Evangelical Lutheran Worship service book that is located in the pew rack.*

Prelude Eric Raisler

Welcome and Announcements

Welcome to all who are worshiping either online or in person today. Ushers will pass out the Welcome and Communion Register to those attending in person. Please write each person's name on a separate line and place a check mark in the column next to your name if you are communion today. Leave the register on your pew as you exit.

* Confession and Forgiveness

Pastor: In the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit,

People: Amen.

Pastor: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Pastor: Gracious God,

People: 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.

Pastor: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

* Gathering Hymn #396 ELW "Spirit of Gentleness" vs. 1-4

Refrain

Spir - it, Spir - it of gen - tle - ness, blow through the wil - der - ness

call - ing and free; Spir - it, Spir - it of rest - less - ness,

stir me from plac - id - ness, wind, wind on the sea.

- 1 You moved on the wa - ters, you called to the deep,
- 2 You swept through the des - ert, you stung with the sand,
- 3 You sang in a sta - ble, you cried from a hill,
- 4 You call from to - mor - row, you break an - cient schemes.

then you coaxed up the moun - tains from the val - leys of sleep;
 and you goad - ed your peo - ple with a law and a land;
 then you whis - pered in si - lence when the whole world was still;
 From the bond - age of sor - row all the cap - tives dream dreams;

and o - ver the e - ons you called to each thing;
 and when they were blind - ed with i - dols and lies,
 and down in the cit - y you called once a - gain,
 our wom - en see vi - sions, our men clear their eyes.

Refrain
 "A - wake from your slum - bers and rise on your wings."
 then you spoke through your proph - ets to o - pen their eyes.
 when you blew through your peo - ple on the rush of the wind.
 With . . . bold new de - ci - sions your peo - ple a - rise.

* The Greeting, ELW pg. 138

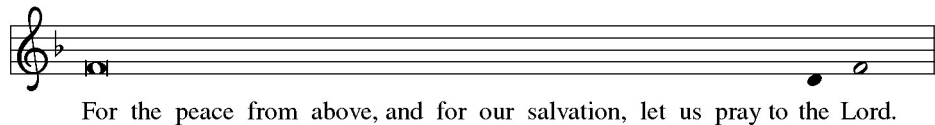
Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: And also with you.

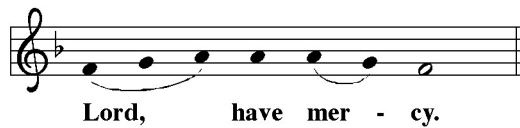
* The Kyrie "In peace, let us pray to the Lord.", ELW pg. 138



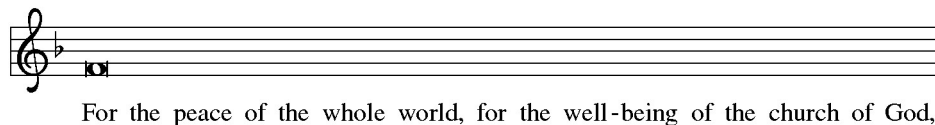
In peace, let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mer - cy.



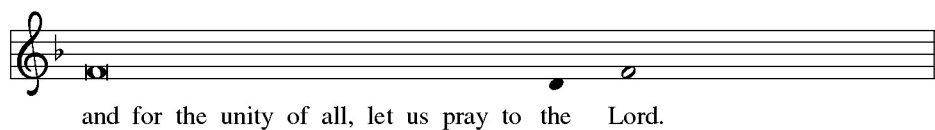
For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



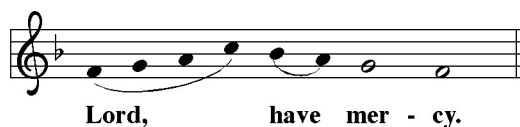
Lord, have mer - cy.



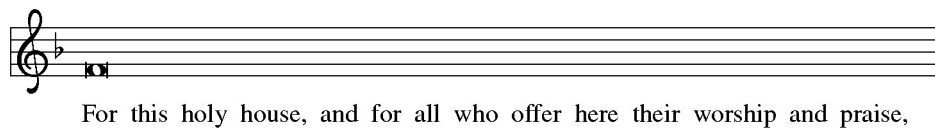
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



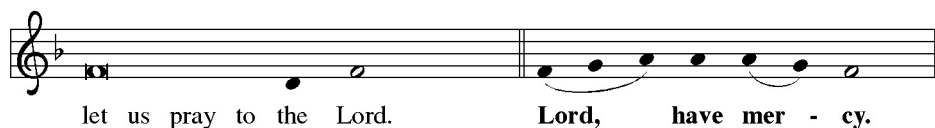
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



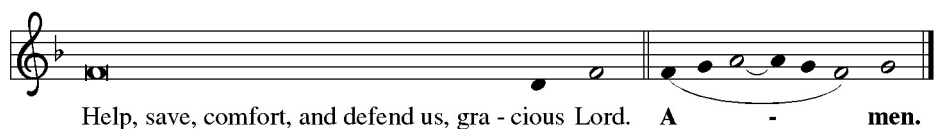
Lord, have mer - cy.



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



let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mer - cy.



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

* Hymn of Praise, "This is the feast..." ELW pg. 149 (sung)



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.

All



1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us



free to be peo-ple of God. Pow - er and rich - es and wis - dom and



strength, and hon - or and bless-ing and glo - ry are his.

Refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.



2 Sing with all the peo - ple of God and join in the



hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless - ing and hon - or and glo - ry and



might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

Final refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain



has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

*** Prayer of the Day (in unison)**

Mighty God, you breathe life into our bones, and your Spirit brings truth to the world. Send us this Spirit, transform us by your truth, and give us language to proclaim your gospel, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

The congregation may be seated.

The Children's Sermon.....Grace Lundeen

(Children are invited forward.)

Verse 1 Hymn #677 ELW "This Little Light of Mine" is sung as the children come forward.

**This little light of mine, I'm goin'-a let it shine;
this little light of mine, I'm goin'-a let it shine;
this little light of mine, I'm goin'-a let it shine,
let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.**

Verse 2 Hymn #677 ELW "This Little Light of Mine" is sung as the children return to their seats.

**Ev'rywhere I go, I'm goin'-a let it shine;
ev'rywhere I go, I'm goin'-a let it shine;
ev'rywhere I go, I'm goin'-a let it shine,
let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.**

Special Music.....Soren Bortnem

The Introduction and First ReadingMya Lynk

Reader *Originally Pentecost was a Jewish thanksgiving-type festival celebrated seven weeks after Passover. On this particular Pentecost, however, the Holy Spirit is poured out upon the entire community of believers just as Jesus had promised and the scriptures had prophesied. Empowered by the Spirit, the entire community bears witness to God's activity in multiple languages.*

Reader A reading from Acts 2:1-21 pg. 882 in the Bible in the pew rack.

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: ¹⁷'In 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.' "

Reader.....Word of God, Word of Life.

People.....Thanks be to God.

The Introduction and Second ReadingMya Lynk

Reader *By pouring the Holy Spirit into our hearts, God gives us the promised first fruit of eternal life so that we await God's future in hope. In the meantime, the Spirit also intercedes for us by carrying the prayers of our weak human hearts to God.*

Reader A reading from Romans 8:22-27 pg. 915 in the Bible in the pew rack.

²²We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labor pains until now; ²³and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. ²⁴For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? ²⁵But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience. ²⁶Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. ²⁷And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

Reader.....Word of God, Word of Life.

People.....Thanks be to God.

*** Gospel Acclamation, ELW pg. 142 (sung) “Alleluia, Lord, to whom...”**



Pastor The Holy Gospel according to John.

People Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel Reading Pastor Tim

Pastor: The Gospel according to John 15:26-27; 16:4-15 pg. 874 in the pew Bible.

[Jesus said,] ²⁶“When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. ²⁷You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning. ^{16:4b}“I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. ⁵But now I am going to him who sent me; yet none of you asks me, ‘Where are you going?’ ⁶But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your hearts. ⁷Nevertheless I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. ⁸And when he comes, he will prove the world wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: ⁹about sin, because they do not believe in me; ¹⁰about righteousness, because I am going to the Father and you will see me no longer; ¹¹about judgment, because the ruler of this world has been condemned. ¹²“I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. ¹³When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. ¹⁴He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. ¹⁵All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.”

Pastor The gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, O Christ.

The congregation may be seated.

The Sermon Pastor Tim

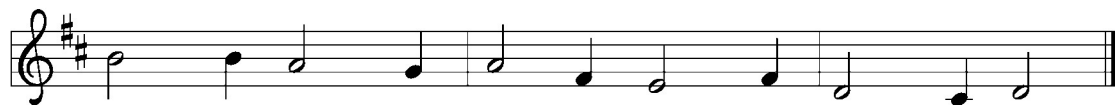
* Hymn of the Day #399 ELW "O Holy Spirit, Root of Life" vs. 1-3



1 O Ho - ly Spir - it, root of life, cre -
 2 E - ter - nal vig - or, Sav - ing One, you
 3 O ho - ly Wis - dom, soar - ing pow'r, en -



a - tor, cleans - er of all things: a - noint our wounds, a -
 free us by your liv - ing Word, be - com - ing flesh to
 com - pass us with wings un - furled, and car - ry us, en -



wak - en us with lus - trous move - ment of your wings.
 wear our pain, and all cre - a - tion is re - stored.
 cir - cling all a - bove, be - low, and through the world.

*** Nicene Creed, ELW pg. 104**

**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.**

Senior Recognition: Soren Michael Bortnem, Garrett Shannon Kelly, Emily Marie Larson, Grace Marie Lundeen, Mya Lynn Lynk, Hunter William Sluis (to learn more about their plans for the future see back)

*** The Prayers of Intercession**

Rejoicing that Jesus is risen and love has triumphed over fear, let us pray for the church, the world, and all those in need of good news.

A brief silence.

Each petition will end with

Pastor: "God of grace.

People: "hear our prayer."

To close the prayers:

Pastor: Into your hands, most merciful God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your abiding love; through Jesus Christ, our resurrected and living Lord.

People: Amen.

The congregation may be seated.

*** The Peace**

Pastor: The peace of Christ be with you always.

People: And also with you.

The Offering of Gifts

The ushers will pass the offering plates to those who are worshipping in person. Offerings can be mailed to PO Box 448, Cokato, MN 55321, or install our app on your cell phone.

*** Offering of Song #673 ELW "God, Whose Almighty Word" vs. 1**

**God, whose almighty word chaos and darkness heard and took flight:
hear us, we humbly pray, and where the gospel day sheds
not its glorious ray, let there be light.**

*** The Great Thanksgiving, ELW pg. 144**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

*** The Preface**

*** "Holy, holy, holy" ELW pg. 144**

Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of pow'r and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

*** The Lord's Prayer, ELW pg. 145**

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 congregation may be seated.

"Lamb of God..." ELW pg. 146

Lamb of God, you take away
the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away
the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away
the sin of the world; grant us peace.

* Communion Hymn #804 ELW "Come Down, O Love Divine" vs. 1-4



1 Come down, O Love di - vine; seek thou this soul of mine
 2 Oh, let it free - ly burn, till world - ly pas - sions turn
 3 Let ho - ly char - i - ty mine out - ward ves - ture be,
 4 And so the yearn - ing strong, with which the soul will long,



and vis - it it with thine own ar - dor glow - ing;
 to dust and ash - es in its heat con - sum - ing;
 and low - li - ness be - come mine in - ner cloth - ing—
 shall far out - pass the pow'r of hu - man tell - ing;



O Com - fort - er, draw near; with - in my heart ap - pear
 and let thy glo - rious light shine ev - er on my sight,
 true low - li - ness of heart, which takes the hum - bler part,
 no soul can guess Love's grace till it be - come the place



and kin - dle it, thy ho - ly flame be - stow - ing.
 and clothe me round, the while my path il - lum - ing.
 and o'er its own short - com - ings weeps with loath - ing.
 where - in the Ho - ly Spir - it makes a dwell - ing.

* The Blessing

Pastor The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. In the name of the Father, of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.
People Amen.

*** Sending Hymn #400 ELW "God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind" vs. 1-4**



1 God of tem - pest, God of whirl - wind, as on Pen - te -
 2 God of blaz - ing, God of burn - ing, all that blocks your
 3 God of earth - quake, God of thun - der, shake us loose from
 4 God of pas - sion, God un - sleep - ing, stir in us love's



cost de - scend! Drive us out from shel - tered com - fort;
 pur - pose, purge! Through your church, Christ's liv - ing Bod - y,
 leth - ar - gy! Break the chains of sin a - sun - der,
 rest - less - ness! Where the peo - ple cry in an - guish,



past these walls your peo - ple send! Sweep us in - to cost - ly ser - vice,
 let your flam - ing Spir - it surge! Where de - ceit con - ceals in - jus - tice,
 for earth's heal - ing set us free! Crum - ble walls that still di - vide us;
 may we share your heart's dis - tress. Rouse us from con - tent with e - vil;



there with Christ to bear the cross, there with Christ to bear the cross!
 kin - dle us to speak your truth, kin - dle us to speak your truth!
 make us one in Christ our Lord, make us one in Christ our Lord!
 claim us for your king - dom's work, claim us for your king - dom's work!

*** The Dismissal**

Pastor: What are we called to do?

People: ELC Cokato celebrates grace, appreciates all God's people through sharing Christ's story!

Postlude.....Eric Raisler

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2024 Graduates



Soren Michael Bortnem

Parents: Kristin and Peter Bortnem

Baptismal Sponsors: David Burd

Confirmation Mentor: Jackie Wilson

Post-grad plans: Attend Belmont University in Nashville for Commercial Music.

A favorite ELC memory: Going to Niagara Falls Mission Trip Summer of 2021.

Verse: *"Whoever heeds instruction is on the path to life, but one who rejects a rebuke goes astray." Proverbs 10:17*



Garrett Shannon Kelly

Parents: Heather and Shannon Kelly

Baptismal Sponsors: Chad and Holly Erickson

Confirmation Mentor: Kip Lynk

Post-grad plans: I will be attending Ridgewater college and hoping to play Baseball.

A favorite ELC memory: The Niagara Falls Trip.

Verse: *"The end of something is better than its beginning. Patience is better than pride." Ecclesiastes 7:8*



Emily Marie Larson

Parents: Kenny and Patty Larson

Baptismal Sponsors: Donna VanGundy and Paul Wesley

Confirmation Mentor: Heather Kelly

Post-grad plans: I will be going to Ridgewater College in Hutchinson to get my generals and then transferring to a four-year college to continue my education in Early Childhood Development.

A favorite ELC memory: Going to the Boundary Waters.

Verse: *"When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you." Isaiah 43:2*

2024 Graduates Continued



Grace Marie Lundeen

Parents: Gary and Kathy Lundeen

Baptismal Sponsors: Alan Melquist and Cindy Vecker

Confirmation Mentor: Gail Berggren

Post-grad plans: I will be attending St. Catherine University and will be majoring in either Special Education or Speech Pathology.

A favorite ELC memory: The entire New York Trip.

Verse: *"I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; that I know very well."* Psalm 139:13-14



Mya Lynn Lynk

Parents: Kip and Laura Lynk

Baptismal Sponsors: Ann and Frank Kaim

Confirmation Mentor: Annette Bohnsack

Post-grad plans: I will be attending Augustana University and majoring in Nursing and American Sign Language.

A favorite ELC memory: My favorite ELC memories were definitely the different youth trips. I loved going to Niagara Falls, Wisconsin Dells, and the Boundary Waters. The trips were great and I enjoyed the service projects because it felt like we made a difference.

Verse: *"There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus."* Galatians 3:28



Hunter William Sluis

Parents: Mike and Amy Sluis

Baptismal Sponsors: Tony and Maria Brandel / Chuck and Heidi Beranek

Confirmation Mentor: Kristin Bortnem

Post-grad plans: I will be attending Bemidji State University and majoring in Aquatic Biology with Fisheries Concentration.

A favorite ELC memory: Working in the Corn Carnival Stand each summer.

Verse: *"Do not cast me away from your presence, and do not take your Holy Spirit from me."* Psalm 51:11

WORSHIP HELPERS: TODAY & UPCOMING, THANK YOU FOR HELPING!

MAY 19, 2024 AT 10 AM—DAY OF PENTECOST/GRADUATING SENIOR SUNDAY

Acolyte: Annalise Wheatley

A-V/Streaming: Max Clemen, Abe/Jean Abrahamson

Greeters: Carol Lee

Communion: Tammi Dahlman, Josh Harmala, Jorjah Verhey, Emily Larson

Counters: Sue Thomson, Lorelei Sullivan, Bunny Carlen, Amy Sluis

Lector: Mya Lynk

Children's Sermon: Grace Lundeen

Music: Eric Raisler, organist. Tracy Hagstrom Durant and Tom Durant, cantors.

Nursery: Lisa Danielson

Ushers: Ryan Anderson, Kip Lynk, Todd Goudy

MAY 26, 2024 AT 9 AM—HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY/SERVICE TIME CHANGE

Acolyte: Genevieve Anderson

A-V/Streaming: Amber & Greg Peterson

Greeters: Abe & Jean Abrahamson

Communion: Ellie Nelson, Phil Lee, Kristin Bortnem, Brynn Weinandt

Counters: Tom Berggren, Kristin Bortnem, Patti Albrecht

Lector: Tom Berggren

Children's Sermon: Ryan Weinandt

Music: Eric Raisler, organist. Tracy Hagstrom Durant and Tom Durant, cantors.

Ushers: Ryan Anderson, Kip Lynk, Todd Goudy

JUNE 2, 2024 AT 9 AM—PENTECOST 2

Acolyte: Molly Anderson

A-V/Streaming: Ryan Albrecht, Kip Lynk

Greeters: Gary & Kathy Lundeen

Communion: Gary Lundeen, Amy Anderson, Becca Clemen, Annalise Wheatley

Counters: Tom Berggren, Kristin Bortnem, Patti Albrecht

Lector: Nancy Anderson

Children's Sermon: Pastor Tim

Music: Eric Raisler, organist. Tracy Hagstrom Durant and Tom Durant, cantors.

Ushers: J. David Anderson, Riley Beckman, Tim Sullivan, Dean Sveta

JUNE 9, 2024 AT 9 AM—PENTECOST 3

Acolyte: Austin Dennis

A-V/Streaming: Ryan Anderson, Donnie Dennis

Greeters: Daniel & Ellie Nelson

Communion: Duane Dahlman, Laura Holmquist, Ryan Albrecht, Genevieve Anderson

Counters: Amy Sluis, Amy Anderson, Becca Clemen

Lector: Duane Dahlman

Children's Sermon: Pastor Tim

Music: Eric Raisler, organist. Tracy Hagstrom Durant and Tom Durant, cantors.

Ushers: J. David Anderson, Riley Beckman, Tim Sullivan, Dean Sveta



PRAYER CONCERNS

Brad Loge	Ginny Grosser	Marilyn Dahlquist
Brady Wanous	Briana Torvick	Toby Kotila
Jon Gunderson	Gary Peterson	Emilia Brustuen

We are praying for Dwight Hackbarth as he recovers from knee surgery.

MISSIONARIES JODI & STEVE SWANSON

Save the date for July 28th, our missionaries, Jodi & Steve Swanson will be at ELC during service. After service there will be a free will meal hosted by Global Missions Committee.

SERVICE TIME CHANGE SUNDAY, MAY 26th

For the summer, we will be switching back to 9 a.m. service time starting, May 26, 2024.

COUPLE'S TRIP TO BWCA

If you are interested in going to the Boundary Waters trip this summer, sign up (on table in the NW Entry) and Pastor Tim will send you more information.

◆◆HELP NEEDED◆◆

Help Needed! In April, we started receiving a deposit into our checking account twice a month from Accenture LLP Corporate. It looks like it may be someone's offering or a company match.

If this is you or you have any details, can you please contact Amy Sluis right away (952-250-4158 or finance@elchome.net). She is in need of information on how to record this deposit.

YOUTH & FAMILY

Youth/Confirmation (Grades 7-12)

- Senior Sunday is Sunday May 19th. Come at 9 am in the Fellowship Hall for breakfast as we talk to our graduating Seniors and their future plans. They will be receiving their Quilts and Bibles at the 10 am worship service.

ELC OFFERING, ONLINE VIEWERS, & PEOPLE

General Offering for 5/5-5/11 was \$6,824.30.
5/12 Mother's Day: We had 123 people and 46 viewers.

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BUILDING HOURS

Mon.-Friday.: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Saturday: Closed

Sunday: 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

WORSHIP SERVICES

At Church: 10 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

On YouTube: 10 a.m.

Sunday School: 9 a.m.

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WAYS TO GIVE

Scan QR code, give thru our church app or send check thru the mail or offering during service.

Schedule of Events for 5/16-5/26/2024

THURS., 5/16

9 AM Quilter group meet

SAT., 5/18

7 AM Men's Bible Study

8 AM Fellowship Hall Reserved

9 AM Girls of Grace meets

SUN., 5/19 DAY OF PENTECOST/SENIOR SUNDAY

Senior Breakfast at 8:45 a.m.—9:45 a.m. celebrate with our graduating seniors in Fellowship Hall. All welcome.

10 AM Worship Service in person & livestreamed

11 AM Soren Bortnem's music lessons

11 AM Parsonage Task Force meets

MON., 5/20

10 AM Staff Meeting

7 PM Council meets

TUES., 5/21

2 PM Book Club meets

THURS., 5/23

9 AM Quilters group meet

SAT., 5/25

7 AM Men's Bible Study

SUN., 5/26 HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY/SERVICE TIME CHANGE

Coffee fellowship upstairs only before service

9 AM Worship Service in person & livestreamed