

The Day of Pentecost

May 28, 2023

Prelude IN QUIETNESS WE PREPARE OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP.

Praise

Greetings and announcements

Invocation

Hymn #230 (Red Hymnal) *O Holy Spirit, Enter In*

Dialogue

P/ Grace and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

C/ **Praised be God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the father of all mercies, and the God of all consolation.**

P/ Seek the Lord while he may be found.

C/ **Call upon him while he is near.**

P/ Let the wicked abandon their ways,

C/ **and the unrighteous their thoughts.**

P/ Let them turn to the Lord for mercy,

C/ **to our God, who is gracious in forgiving.**

P/ All you who are thirsty, come to the water.

You who have no money, come, receive bread, and eat.

Come, without paying and without cost, drink wine and milk.

C/ **Praised be God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of all mercies, and the God of all consolation.**

P/ Let us bow before the Lord and make confession of our sins.

Dear Heavenly Father, we bow before You to confess that we have sinned against You in our words, actions, and our thoughts. We come to ask Your forgiveness and to seek Your great mercy. We come to You in the merits of Jesus Christ, not our own. Look not upon our sins, or our iniquity, but wash us in the blood of Jesus Christ so that we may be clean before You. This we pray in His name. Amen

Assurance of Pardon

P/ God has made us his people through our Baptism into Christ. Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

Apostles' Creed (Inside front cover of hymnal)

The Doxology (Hymn #390)

The Collect

P/ The Lord be with you.

C/ **And also with you.**

P/ Let us pray...

O God, on this day you once taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending them the light of your Holy Spirit. Grant us in our day by the same Spirit to have a right understanding in all things and evermore to rejoice in his holy consolation; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in communion with the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Ministry of the Word of God

The First Lesson: Numbers 11:24-30 (pages 152-153, 141)

The Second Lesson: Acts 2:1-21 (pages 1157-1158, 1081)

Choir ~ Breath on Me, Breath of God

The Gospel: John 7:37-39 (page 1137, 1062)

The Sermon

Hymn #124 *Open My Eyes, That I May See*

Offering / Offertory "We Give Thee..." #391, Stanza 1

A Time for Prayer

Closing Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

P/ Unto God's gracious mercy and protection we commit you. The blessings of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

C/ **Amen.**

Hymn #245 *Blest Be the Tie That Binds*

Postlude



-We will be moving from our study in the small catechism to a more traditional Bible study starting in June. We will also begin a study of church history one week out of every month beginning this summer.

This Week:

Mon.	May 29	6:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
Wed.	May 31	12:00 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
		7:15 p.m.	Bible Study at Church
Sun.	June 4	9:00 a.m.	Divine Worship/Communion
		10:00 a.m.	Summer Fellowship

Last Sunday - attendance 69: offering \$1316.00

Lessons for 6/4 – Gen 1:1-2:4a; Acts 2:14a, 22-36; Matt. 28:16-20