# St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS)

# **Day of Pentecost**



May 23, 2021 Divine Service – Setting Three

# Hymn of Invocation

# 905 Come, Thou Almighty King



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The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

# **Confession and Absolution**

In the name of the Father and of the 
→ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

### C Amen.

- Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- **P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- **G** who made heaven and earth.
- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

### Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment.
  - But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.
- Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the -H Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

# Service of the Word

Introit Ps. 104:24, 27–28, 30; antiphon: Liturgical Text

P: Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the faithful,

### C: and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia.

P: O LORD, how manifold are your works! In wisdom have you made them all;

## C: the earth is full of your creatures.

P: These all look to you,

### C: to give them their food in due season.

P: When you give it to them, they gather it up;

# C: when you open your hand, they are filled with good things.

P: When you send forth your Spirit, they are created,

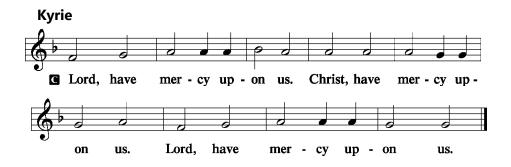
### C: and you renew the face of the ground.

P: Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the faithful,

# C: and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia.

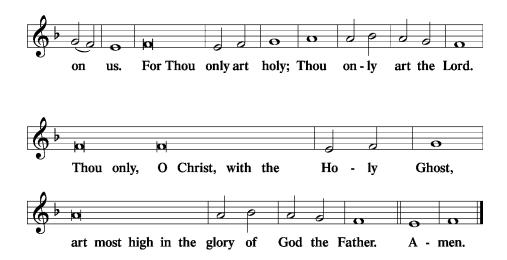


as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.



**Gloria in Excelsis** LSB 187 O P Glory be to God on high: C and on earth peace, good - will toward ο o lo i We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor-ship Thee, men. o O we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory. O O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty. 0 10 7 O the only begotten Son, O Lord, Je sus Christ; O Ο O Lord God, Lamb of God, Father, Son of the O O that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up - on us. O Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer. Θ O

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-



# Salutation and Collect of the Day



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 and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Sit

#### Old Testament Reading Ezekiel 37:1–14

<sup>1</sup>The hand of the LORD was upon me, and he brought me out in the Spirit of the LORD and set me down in the middle of the valley; it was full of bones. <sup>2</sup>And he led me around among them, and behold, there were very many on the surface of the valley, and behold, they were very dry. <sup>3</sup>And he said to me, "Son of man, can these bones live?" And I answered, "O Lord GOD, you know." <sup>4</sup>Then he said to me, "Prophesy over these bones, and say to them, O dry bones, hear the word of the LORD. <sup>5</sup>Thus says the Lord GOD to these bones: Behold, I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. <sup>6</sup>And I will lay sinews upon you, and will cause flesh to come upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live, and you shall know that I am the LORD."

<sup>7</sup>So I prophesied as I was commanded. And as I prophesied, there was a sound, and behold, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. <sup>8</sup>And I looked, and behold, there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them. But there was no breath in them. <sup>9</sup>Then he said to me, "Prophesy to the breath; prophesy, son of man, and say to the breath, Thus says the Lord God: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe on these slain, that they may live." <sup>10</sup>So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived and stood on their feet, an exceedingly great army.

<sup>11</sup>Then he said to me, "Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel. Behold, they say, 'Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are clean cut off.' <sup>12</sup>Therefore prophesy, and say to them, Thus says the Lord GoD: Behold, I will open your graves and raise you from your graves, O my people. And I will bring you into the land of Israel. <sup>13</sup>And you shall know that I am the LORD, when I open your graves, and raise you from your graves, O my people. <sup>14</sup>And I will put my Spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you in your own land. Then you shall know that I am the LORD; I have spoken, and I will do it, declares the LORD."

### A This is the Word of the Lord. C Thanks be to God.

#### Gradual Acts 2:17b; Rom. 10:10

P: I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh,

### C: and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy.

P: With the heart one believes and is justified,

### C: and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.

### **Stewardship Reading**

### Second Reading Acts 2:1–21

<sup>1</sup>When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup>And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup>And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. <sup>4</sup>And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.

<sup>5</sup>Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. <sup>6</sup>And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. <sup>7</sup>And they were amazed and astonished, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? <sup>8</sup>And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? <sup>9</sup>Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup>Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, <sup>11</sup>both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." <sup>12</sup>And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" <sup>13</sup>But others mocking said, "They are filled with new wine."

<sup>14</sup>But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and

addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. <sup>15</sup>For these men are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. <sup>16</sup>But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel: <sup>17</sup>"And in the last days it shall be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams; <sup>18</sup>even on my male servants and female servants in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy. <sup>19</sup>And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke; <sup>20</sup>the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day.

<sup>21</sup>And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved."

A This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

Stand



# **Holy Gospel**



<sup>26</sup>"But when the Helper comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth, who proceeds from the Father, he will bear witness about me. <sup>27</sup>And you also will bear witness, because you have been with me from the beginning.

<sup>4</sup>But I have said these things to you, that when their hour comes you may remember that I told them to you.

"I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. <sup>5</sup>But now I am going to him who sent me, and none of you asks me, 'Where are you going?' <sup>6</sup>But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your heart. <sup>7</sup>Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you. But if I go, I will send him to you. <sup>8</sup>And when he comes, he will convict the world concerning sin and righteousness and judgment: <sup>9</sup>concerning sin, because they do not believe in me; <sup>10</sup>concerning righteousness, because I go to the Father, and you will see me no longer; <sup>11</sup>concerning judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged.

<sup>12</sup>"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. <sup>13</sup>When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. <sup>14</sup>He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. <sup>15</sup>All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you. **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,

the Father Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth

and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,

the only-begotten Son of God,

begotten of His Father before all worlds,

God of God, Light of Light,

very God of very God,

begotten, not made,

being of one substance with the Father,

by whom all things were made;

who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man:

and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.

And the third day He rose again according to the

Scriptures and ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of the Father.

And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,

whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord and giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,

who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,

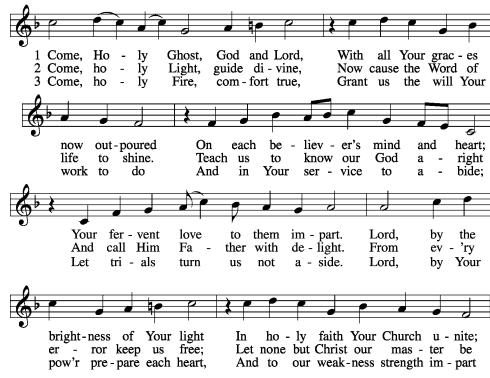
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,

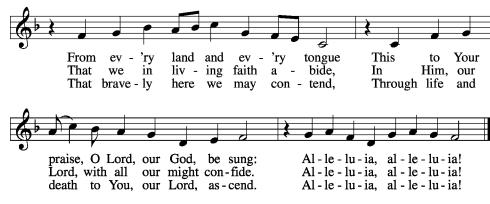
and I look for the resurrection of the dead

and the life + of the world to come. Amen.

### Hymn of the Day

# 497 Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord





Sermon Title: "A Refreshing Pentecost" Sermon Text: John 15:26 Rev. Samuel Bobby

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. C Amen.

#### **Offertory Hymn**





5 When we on that final journey go That Christ is for us preparing,
We'll gather in song, our hearts aglow, All joy of the heavens sharing,
And walk in the light of God's own place, With angels His name adoring.

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# **Prayer of the Church**



### Preface

**P** The Lord be with you.



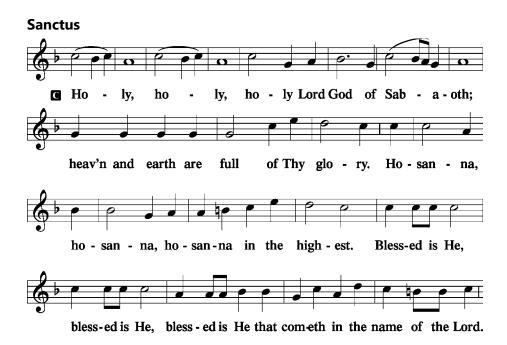
**P** Lift up your hearts.

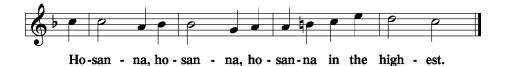


**P** Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.



It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who ascended above the heavens and, sitting at Your right hand, poured out on this day the promised Holy Spirit on His chosen disciples. For all this the whole earth rejoices with exceeding joy. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:





### Lord's Prayer

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 Words of Our Lord

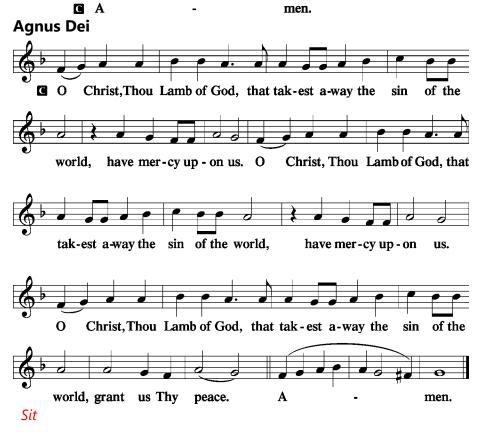
- P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."
- In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

#### Pax Domini

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.



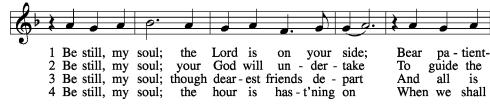
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Distribution

**Distribution Hymn** 

### 752 Be Still, My Soul





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### In dismissing the communicants, the following is said:

P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart + in peace.

C Amen.

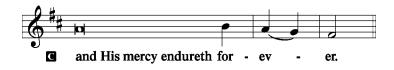
#### Stand

#### **Nunc Dimittis**



### Thanksgiving

A O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,



A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



# Salutation and Benedicamus

**P** The Lord be with you.



**P** Bless we the Lord.



## **Benediction**

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.



# St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS) Aberdeen, SD 57401 605-225-1847

The purpose of St. Paul's Congregation is to assist its members <u>to</u> <u>share</u> and <u>to grow</u> in their faith in Jesus Christ by faithful proclamation of the Gospel and the administration of the <u>Sacraments</u> in accordance with the confessional standards of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod.

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**A reception for High School and College graduates** will be held today at 9:15am in the Fellowship Hall.

**Today is the last day of Sunday School.** Thanks to all the teachers, music director, and helpers during this school year!

**The Lighthouse Preschool** is now accepting registrations for the 2021-2022 school year. Registration packets are available on the table in the South Narthex or at the church office

**Please pray** for Brandi Wagemann, Roger Blum, Pastor Dell, Joyce Kenitzer, Delores Sandmeier, Ada McCorkle, Miles Eisenbeisz, Barbara Dahme, Dan Lingor, Jason Herrick, Gladys Felix, Muriel Schamber, Jeanie Quam, Kimberlee Kaiser, Harry Preston, Erica Bobby, Ann Thompson, Jerry Streckfuss, Elli Bode, Josie Lamee, Dee Hettich, and Courtney Frohling. Josh Hahler who enlisted in the Army.

**Organists: Sunday –** Cyrece Kono **Monday:** Tierra Cassens **Wednesday:** Cindy Jung

I would like to thank you and the entire congregation for all of your thoughts and prayers during my hospitalization and convalescence. The road to recovery has been long, but I believe that your thoughts and prayers were instrumental in helping me regain my health through this COVID experience. I would like to specifically thank the Council and Pastor Bobby for their strong support and constant encouragement that supported me during these most difficult of days. Take care, and God Bless you all!

Regards, Jerry T. Streckfuss

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# **VBS – LIVE THE VICTORY**

**Calling all kids** to VBS on Monday June 14th through Friday June 18th. Traveling Camp Omega will be hosting this year's VBS. 3 to 4 volunteers from Camp Omega in Waterville, Minnesota will come to our church to host a traveling camp experience for **FUN! FRIENDS! FAITH!** Please complete registrations found in the Narthex and return to the church office by June 7, 2021. There is no cost for VBS.

VBS schedule is 9am-12pm for children who completed Preschool and Kindergarten in 2021 and 9am-3pm for grades 1-6 (Friday till noon). Snacks and Lunch will be provided.

Volunteers are needed to help with kids, Camp Omega takes care of teaching. Please sign up on the sheet located in the Narthex.

We are also looking for family host(s) for the Camp Omega volunteers Sunday evening through Thursday evening. Please contact Becky Jung @ 216-4439 if interested.

Please prayerfully consider signing up to volunteer or to host camp volunteers.

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**Church Softball League:** Please contact Ray Anderson if you are interested in playing church league softball. Also looking for someone to manage the team.

**MAIN STREET LIVING – May 30, 2021** 10:00 AM – This is the Life – "*Return Trip*" 10:30 AM - Rev. Brett Bierman brings the message "*Incomprehensible*" based on John 3:16-17. For more information go to the web site: <u>www.mainstreetliving.com</u>

Main Street Living and This is the Life will not air on KDLT on May 23nd, May 30th, and June 6th. Arrangements have been made to air them at the same time on FOX-Sioux Falls

**THE LUTHERAN HOUR – May 30, 2021** *"Before Kings"* Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler The Lutheran Hour can be heard on KAWZ 88.1 at 9:00 am or Bismarck radio station KFYR at 7:30 am on Sundays.

**Offering: May 16, 2021 -** \$11,340.50 Sunday School - \$500 Coffee - \$102.00 Missions - \$30.00

Sunday Attendance – May 16: 8:00am – 80 Communed - 64 10:45am – 96 Communed - 69 Monday - 23 Communed – 21 Wednesday - 7 Communed -7 Bible Study Attendance – Sunday - 57; Tuesday - 15 Men's - 6

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S: (May 23-May 30)

Sun8:00 am Worship Service9:30 amSunday School9:30 amBible Study, Coffee & Donuts10:45 amWorship ServiceMon6:15 pmWorship Service

Wed 6:00 am Men's Bible Study 12:15 pm Worship

Thur 9:00 am Quilting
2:00 pm Publicity Circle
Sun 8:00 am Worship Service
9:30 am Bible Study, Donuts and Coffee
10:45 am Worship Service