



Pentecost

Sunday, May 23, 2021

Day Of Pentecost

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WORSHIP PLAN LBW SETTING ONE

LBW (*Green*) Lutheran Book of Worship

WOW (*Blue*) With One Voice

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS LBW p. 56

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 *If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.*

P *Most merciful God,*

C **we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.**

Amen

P *Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, 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.*

C **Amen**

OPENING HYMN *"The Church's One Foundation"* LBW# 369

(1, 2 & 5 verses only)

GREETING LBW p. 57

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 LBW p. 57

HYMN OF PRAISE *"Glory To God"* LBW p. 58

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P *The Lord be with you.*

C **And also with you.**

P *Let us pray.*

C God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, as you sent upon the disciples the promised gift of the Holy Spirit, look upon your Church and open our hearts to the power of the Spirit. Kindle in us the fire of your love, and strengthen our lives for service in your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen

FIRST LESSON: 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: Psalm 104:25-35, 37 (*Read In Unison*)

²⁵**O LORD, how manifold are your works!**

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

²⁶**Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to
number, creatures both small and great.**

²⁷**There move the ships, and there is that Leviathan,
which you have made for the sport of it.**

²⁸**All of them look to you
to give them their food in due season.**

²⁹**You give it to them; they gather it;
you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.**

³⁰**You hide your face, and they are terrified;
you take away their breath, and they die and return to their dust.**

³¹**You send forth your Spirit, and they are created;
and so you renew the face of the earth.**

³²**May the glory of the LORD endure forever;
may the LORD rejoice in all his works.**

³³**He looks at the earth and it trembles;
he touches the mountains and they smoke.**

³⁴**I will sing to the LORD as long as I live;
I will praise my God while I have my being.**

³⁵**May these words of mine please him;
I will rejoice in the LORD.**

³⁷**Bless the LORD, O my soul.**

SECOND LESSON: Romans 8:22-27

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.

L The Word of the Lord

C **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN’S SERMON: *“Jesus Loves Me” (1st verse only)*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION LBW p. 62 (*Sung*)

GOSPEL: John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

P *The Holy Gospel according to John.*

C **Glory to you, O Lord.**

[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.”

P *The Gospel of the Lord.*

C **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON: “The Promise Of Pentecost”

HYMN OF THE DAY: “Spirit Of Gentleness” WOV# 684

NICENE CREED LBW p. 64

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P *.....Lord in your mercy,*

C **Hear our prayer.**

LORD’S PRAYER LBW p. 76

SHARING OF GOD’S PEACE

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

C **And also with you.**

OFFERING

OFFERING HYMN “*Create In Me A Clean Heart O God*” LBW p. 75

OFFERTORY PRAYER LBW p. 68

P *Blessed are you,*

C **O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

BLESSING LBW p. 76

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.*

C *(Sung)* **Three Fold Amen**

SENDING HYMN: “O Day Full Of Grace” LBW# 161

DISMISSAL

P *Go in peace. Serve your neighbor.*

C **Yes we will. Thanks be to God.**

MAY NOISY CAN
Baltic: Royal Kids Camp
East: Vacation Bible School

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thank you!

Thank you for all your prayers and support following my recent surgery.
God bless you all.
Gail Syverson



EAST NIDAROS CHURCH

MEMORIAL DAY

PROGRAM & LUNCH

Monday, May 31, 2021

TIME: 10:45 am – Color Guard ceremony at East Nidaros Cemetery
11:00 am – Memorial Day Program at East Nidaros Church
11:30 am – Lunch **FREE WILL OFFERING**

SERVING: Scalloped Potatoes with Ham, Green Beans, Dinner Rolls, Homemade Salads, Beverage, Homemade Desserts

East Nidaros Prayer Chain:

If you would like to be part of the text prayer chain,
you will need to contact

Kathy 605-366-4116 or Colleen 605=321-3851.

They will be setting it up very soon!

May is Stroke Month

Since May is/was also Stroke month, Sanford is asking the Faith Community Nurses to draw attention to strokes.

Seconds count when we are trying to save a life from a devastating stroke.

The 5 most commonly reported stroke symptoms are:

- 1) Numbness in face/arm/leg
- 2) Confusion/trouble speaking
- 3) Difficulty walking/dizziness/loss of balance
- 4) Trouble seeing in one or both eyes
- 5) Severe headaches

Remember the acronym of B.E. F.A.S.T. (Balance, Eyes, Face, Arms, Speech and Time) to recognize the signs of a stroke, call 911 when spotted. Timely treatments such as clot buster medication or mechanical thrombectomy may allow the patient the best chance for survival.



MEMBERS

Tanya Vollan Paul Romsdahl Rhoda Wold
Ordell Krogstad Verne Endahl
Ella Riswold Dale Nesheim
Larry Thompson Dave Karl Ryan Voeltz
Eric, Lindsay and Emily Comes

FRIENDS & FAMILY OF OUR MEMBERS

Family of Sherry Lindquist—Grandmother of Kirby & Jake Krogstad
LeRoy Koopman—Brother-in-law to Ben & Elaine Kringen
Jerome Johnson—Uncle of Deb Karlson & Brenda Bergum
Darrel McMahon—Brother of Ann Romsdahl
John Jorgenson—Friend of the Community
Dawn Williams—Sister of Danae Cords
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Rachel Aberson—Daughter of Jason and Ann Aberson
Lisa Tidemann—Friend of the Community
Richey Scott—Grand Nephew of Kathy Scott
Karen Bouwman—Friend of our Parish
Bob Tidemann—Brother-in-Law of Vicky Howe and Ordell Krogstad

SUNDAY, MAY 23rd

Baltic 9:00 am in person and Live Streamed on
Facebook @BalticLutheran

East Nidaros 10:30 am in person and Live Streamed on
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Things Happening Week of May 23rd

Sun May 23 **Day Of Pentecost WEAR RED**

Tue May 25 **No Bible Study**

Thu May 27 9:00 Newsletter & Bulletin Assembly