



Trinity Lutheran Church and Preschool

Howards Grove, Wisconsin



TO MAKE THE SAINTS - "WISE UNTO SALVATION" AND TO "EQUIP FOR SERVING"

W2776 State Highway 32
Howards Grove, WI 53083

Worship:

Thursdays at 6:30pm

Sundays at 9:00am

May 25 & 28, 2023

Day of Pentecost

Divine Service, Setting 4

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**When the day of
Pentecost came,
they were
all together in
one place.**



Acts 2:1

Opening Hymn: 496 Holy Spirit, Light Divine

Stand

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

P In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.

P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

Kneel/Sit

C Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.

P Almighty God, merciful Father, in Holy Baptism You declared us to be Your children and gathered us into Your one, holy Church, in which You daily and richly forgive us our sins and grant us new life through Your Spirit. Be in our midst, enliven our faith, and graciously receive our prayer and praise; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C Amen.

Stand
Introit

Psalm 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.

ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning,

is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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

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

Kyrie

LSB 204



C Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

Gloria in Excelsis



- C** 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;
2 To You, O sole-be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro - claimed at Je - sus' birth!
O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.
For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor - shiped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,
You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n - ly King.
Where You in pow'r are seat - ed At God's right hand on high—
In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

Text: Stephen P. Starke

Salutation and Collect of the Day

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

C Amen.

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Numbers 11:24–30

²⁴Moses went out and told the people the words of the LORD. And he gathered seventy men of the elders of the people and placed them around the tent. ²⁵Then the LORD came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the Spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. And as soon as the Spirit rested on them, they prophesied. But they did not continue doing it.

²⁶Now two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the Spirit rested on them. They were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. ²⁷And a young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp." ²⁸And Joshua the son of Nun, the assistant of Moses from his youth, said, "My lord Moses, stop them." ²⁹But Moses said to him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the LORD's people were prophets, that the LORD would put his Spirit on them!" ³⁰And Moses and the elders of Israel returned to the camp.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

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

⁵Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. ⁶And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. ⁷And they were amazed and astonished, saying, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? ⁹Parthians and Medes and 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, ¹¹both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God.” ¹²And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” ¹³But others mocking said, “They are filled with new wine.” ¹⁴But 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. ¹⁵For these men are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. ¹⁶But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel: ¹⁷“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; ¹⁸even on my male servants and female servants in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy. ¹⁹And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke; ²⁰the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day. ²¹And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand
Alleluia and Verse

C Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

C These things are writ - ten that you may be - lieve that

Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.

C Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Holy Gospel

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the seventh chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

³⁷On the last day of the feast, the great day, Jesus stood up and cried out, “If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink. ³⁸Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, ‘Out of his heart will flow rivers of living water.’” ³⁹Now this he said about the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were to receive, for as yet the Spirit had not been given, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

Apostles' Creed

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.
And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life \dagger everlasting. Amen.

Sit

Sermon Hymn: 655 Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word

Sermon

Stand

Prayer of the Church *We respond with Amen. Prayer requests: **Bryan and Phyllis Becker, Trent Lieffring, Eugene Bubolz, Michael Winter, Connie Hansen, Todd Bender, Randy Ries, Margie Born, Karen Hogenson, Jason Grunewald, Judy Cody, the family of Keith Sixel, and our shut-ins.***

Sit

Offering—Please fill out the attendance pad located on the center aisle side and pass it along to your pew

Lord's Prayer

C 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.

P Let us bless the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

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.

C Amen.

Closing Hymn: 919 Abide, O Dearest Jesus

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Trinity Messenger

Thank you to Ethan Winter for playing the organ for us today!

Flowers on the altar are For Bryan and Phyllis Becker's 50th Anniversary.

Flowers on the tall pedestal are for Dan Born's Birthday.

Birthday blessings to: James Hansen, Connie Voss, Ashley Holler, Nicole Schobert, Allen Dirks, Ethan Fenn, Grace Hansen, Donna Wolf, Tom Damrow, Shelli Milbrath, Nicole Englebert, and Renee Bowerman.

God's richest blessings to Bryan and Phyllis Becker who will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary on May 27th.

The Fireside Theatre Trip will be November 4, 2023. The show will be Scrooge The Musical. Price is \$140 per adult and \$125 for children under 14. Cost includes motor coach transportation, lunch, and the show. Entrée options are: Supreme Cut Chicken, Sliced Beef Tenderloin, Salmon. Children will receive a Child entrée. The motor coach will depart from Trinity at 8:30am and will arrive back at the church at 5:30pm. Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex. Please list all names on a separate line and select your entrée when you sign up. Checks can be made out to Trinity Lutheran Church and given to Mike Mallmann.

Summer Hours begin today, Thursday the 25th at 6:30pm and Sunday the 28th at 9:00am.

Scrip News- We're changing things somewhat and we will only be selling scrip before services on Thursdays and Sundays during the Summer schedule.

The Property Committee is looking for the owner of a 9 foot Christmas tree that is stored in the electrical panel room in the Fellowship Hall. Please contact a Property Committee member ASAP if it's yours.

VBS will be June 12-16. This year's program is ***STELLAR: SHINE A LIGHT ON JESUS' LOVE!*** "Launch kids on a cosmic quest where they'll have a blast shining Jesus' light to the world. Stellar VBS is a Bible-rich program grounded in hands-on, multi-sensory learning experience that kids will be talking about for years to come."

Registration forms are located on the back table or you can email Mary at secretary@trinityhowardsgrove.org for the link to register online. **If you are a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and would like to volunteer at Vacation Bible School, please complete the very bottom of the registration form. Helpers must have completed one year of confirmation class.**

Neat Repeats will be closed Tuesday, June 6th and Wednesday, June 7th for renovations.

Upcoming Sales at Neat Repeats:

5/30- 6/3 All Clothing \$1 & Hats, Scarves, Ties & Belts 50% Off
 6/8-6/10 Furniture 50% Off
 6/13 30% Off Everything in the Store
 6/14-6/17 Jewelry 50% Off
 6/20-6/24 Pictures & Frames 50% Off
 6/27-7/1 Linens 50% Off

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Acolytes</u>	<u>Greeters</u>	<u>Video Operators</u>
May 25	6:30pm	Emmet Kunze	Jack and Sue Kober	Craig Lallensack
May 28	9:00am	Macey Schueler	Larry and Kris Bender	
June 1	6:30pm	Joey Senkbeil and Brody Timm	Jean Heibing	Scott Timm
June 4	9:00am	Matthew Koenig and Andie Koenig	Barb Wolfert	

<u>May</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Elders</u>
8:00am	Team 3	Aaron Kuhlow
10:30am	Team 6	Mark Plocar

<u>June</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Elders</u>
6:30pm	Team 5	Peter Franz
9:00am	Team 2	Jim Post

<u>Date</u>	<u>Altar Guild</u>
May 22-June 4	Connie Bitter and Linda Plocar
June 5 – 18	Linda Hopf and Kathy Franz

May 18 & 21 Offering	
General (May 18)	\$1,399.00
General (May 21)	\$3,224.39
Tabitha Fund	\$105.00
Bulletin Sponsor	\$25.00
Church Improvement	\$590.00
LaVerne Weber Memorial (Unspecified)	\$70.00
Sunday School	\$8.12

<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Early</u>	<u>Late</u>	<u>Total</u>
May 18, 2023 (Ascension)	X	33	33
May 21, 2023 (Late Service Confirmation)	85	138	223
Sunday School			24

This Week's Bulletin Sponsor: Bryan and Phyllis Becker in celebration of their 50th Anniversary.