Come, Holy Spirit, Come! Pentecost



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Welcome to worship! We're glad you're here!

To assist in your worship: * means stand as you are able, **bold** print means we respond.

TODAY'S WORSHIP THEME

God gave the gift of the Holy Spirit on the day of Pentecost. The ability to speak to one another was an effective tool for breaking down barriers between people and cultures.

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GATHERING The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

PRELUDE

The Holy Spirit at Pentecost Handbell Choir

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved. Let us call on God's name as we gather in this place. Our gracious God breaks down barriers And we are united when we communicate.

*GATHERING SONG

Lord, I Lift Your Name On High

Lord I lift Your name on high. Lord I love to sing Your praises. I'm so glad You're in my life, I'm so glad You came to save us.

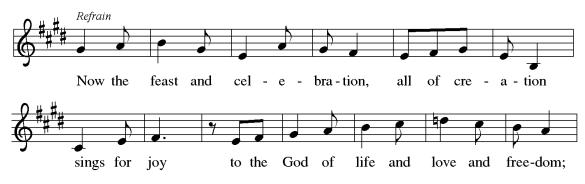
You came from heaven to earth to show the way, From the earth to the cross, my debt to pay; From the cross to the grave, from the grave to the sky; Lord I lift Your name on high.

*GREETING

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

*HYMN OF PRAISE

Now the Feast and Celebration





*PRAYER OF THE DAY

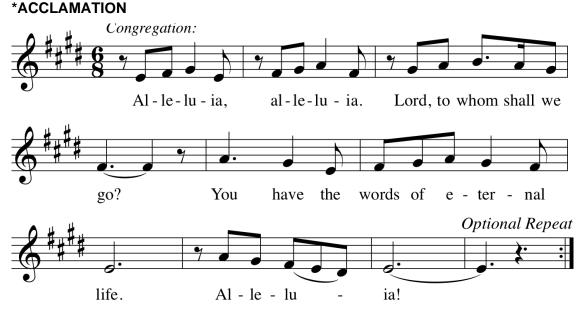
Let us pray, Eloquent God, Your missionaries spoke and people heard in every language. Help us to speak in a way that we are heard. Help us to hear in a way that others are heard. Amen.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

 FIRST READING
 Acts 2:1-21
 Pew Bible New Testament Pg. 123

 The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God



***GOSPEL** John 14:8-17;25-27 Pew Bible New Testament Pg. 112 The Holy Gospel according to John the 14th chapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.** The reading concludes: The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

CHILDREN'S SERMON		Pastor Laurie Arroyo
SERMON		Pastor Laurie Arroyo
*SERMON HYMN	Holy Spirit, Truth Divine	#398

*APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

We pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

Transforming Spirit, Hear our prayer.

Into your hands we now commend all these things for which we pray, as we know with confidence that we can trust in you, Lord God, lover of our souls. Amen.

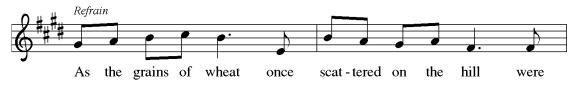
***SHARING OF PEACE**

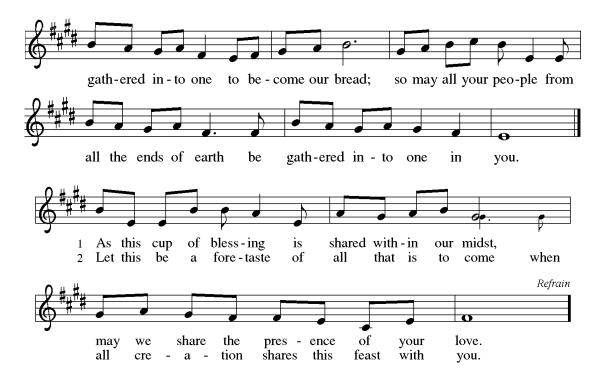
The peace of the Lord be with you always. And also with you.

OFFERTORY

***OFFERTORY RESPONSE**

As the Grains of Wheat





***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Let us pray: Holy Lord, we bring before you the best of what we have to offer. We recognize the needs of others and we desire to make your world work for good. Accept these gifts that we offer to the rich diversity of your earthly community and use them to unite, rather than divide us. For Jesus' sake we pray. Amen.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

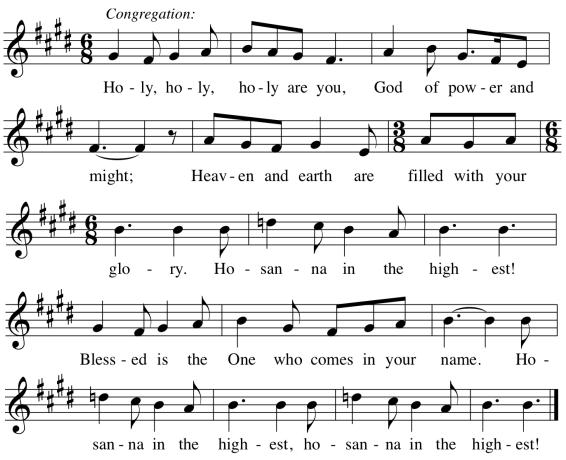
***THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



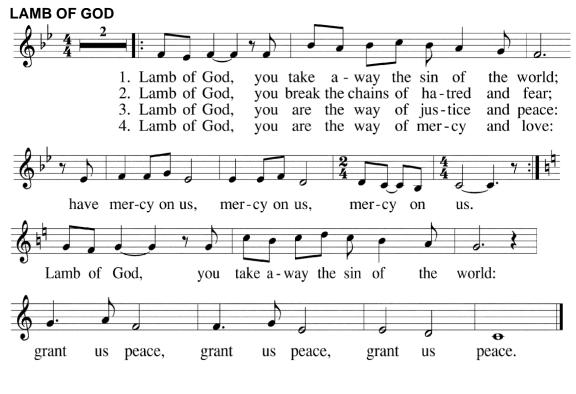
*HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

*EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

*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.

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION



COMMUNION SONG

Here is Bread

#483

*BLESSING



BLESSING OF THE GRADUATES

*BENEDICTION

*SENDING HYMN S.	Shine, Jesus, Shine	#671
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*DISMISSAL

Go in peace. The Holy Spirit sends us forth to serve. Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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It is our joy to worship with your whole family this morning!

CHILDCARE

We hope everyone of all ages and abilities will be able to worship together. If you need to take a "time out" please do so in the narthex (gathering space at the entry), and return to worship when you are ready. A changing table is located in the restroom off the narthex. Activity bags, filled with crayons, paper and storybooks, are available in the narthex. Please ask an usher if you need any assistance.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

CHRIST IS ALIVE!

OUR VISION STATEMENT

Christ Lutheran Church is a community of believers committed to praising our Savior Jesus Christ. With his love, we reach out to those in need and welcome all with open hearts. Our worship dynamically combines, word, song and prayer to share God's incredible message. Having faith in this, we go forth knowing that with God and the power of the Holy Spirit, anything is possible.

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