"The Holy Spirit Gives Peace"



Emmaus Evangelical Lutheran Church June 9, 2019 Pentecost 2

THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE BEFORE HIM

OPENING HYMN "Come, Oh, Come, Life-Giving Spirit" (CW #181, verses 1-2)

Pastor: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, (+) and of the Holy Spirit. **Congregation: Amen.**

- P: Beloved in the Lord, let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, pleading with Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.
- P: Our help is in the name of the Lord
- C: Who made heaven and earth.
- P: I said, I will confess my transgressions to the Lord.
- C: And you forgave the guilt of my sin.
- P: Almighty God our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess to You that we are by nature sinful and unclean, and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and action. Therefore, we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.
- All: O most merciful God, who has given Your only begotten Son to die for us, have mercy on us and for His sake grant us forgiveness of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will, and true obedience to Your Word, for this purpose, that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
- P: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those that believe on His name He gives power to become the sons of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this Lord to us all.
- C: Amen.

PRAYER AND PRAISE

- P: In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.
- C: Sings "Come, Oh, Come, Life-Giving Spirit" (CW #181, verses 3-5)

With our spirit, Lord, bear witness That we are the saints of God Who rely upon him solely When we're chastened by the rod; For we know, as children should, That the cross is for our good. <u>EHV</u> - If you would like a copy of the new Evangelical Heritage Version Bible, a new translation worked on by a group of WELS and ELS pastors, please let Pastor know or sign up on the sign-up sheet in the narthex. We will be bulk ordering in the next few weeks so as to get a volume discount. The cost will be a little over \$18 for this hard cover edition. If you would like more information on this translation, please visit wartburgproject.com.

<u>Children's Bulletins and Books</u> - We have special bulletins for our children each Sunday. The ushers will have them when they are handing out the weekly bulletins. Please feel free to ask them for this bulletin. Crayons are also available from the ushers. Christian books are also available for ages 0 to 10 + to look at or read during the service! Please ask an usher to direct you to the books so you or your child may pick out an age appropriate book bag or book.

Bathrooms/Baby Changing Tables - are located in the Fellowship Hall, which is the large building in front of the church. (The building closest to the parking lot) There are changing tables in both bathrooms for your convenience. The bathrooms are located on the east end of the building.

Worship Attendance

Sunday, June 2 - 109 (52 - 8:00 am, 57 - 10:30am)

Income from week ending	June 2, 2019	Month Total	Monthly Budget
First Fruits Offering	\$5612	\$5612	\$23,377
School	\$1054.07	\$1054.07	\$16,810
Preschool/Extended Care	\$252.86	\$252.86	\$1442

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Worship Leader: Pastor Ross Else Organist: Mrs. Janean Plocher

	This Week at Emmaus	
TODAY	Worship Bible Study Worship w/Lord's Supper	8:00 am 9:15 am 10:30 am
TUESDAY	Board of Finance Board of Properties	6:00 pm 6:30 pm
WEDNESDAY	Bible Class	6:30 pm
NEXT SUNDAY	Worship w/Lord's Supper Bible Study Worship	8:00 am 9:15 am 10:30 am

Lord's Supper - is celebrated today in the 10:30 am service. Our Savior gives us his body and blood along with the bread and wine for our forgiveness in this Blessed Sacrament. Because he also wants us to examine ourselves prior to communing (1 Corinthians 11:23-29), and that those who commune with one another be united in doctrine and practice (1 Corinthians 10:16-17; Romans 16:1-17; 2 John 9-11), we respectfully ask that those who commune with us this morning are members of Emmaus, or members of congregations in fellowship with the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod. If you are not a member and would like to join us for communion, please speak with Pastor Else, so we can set up a time to study what God's Word has to say to us concerning Lord's Supper and church fellowship. Thank you for your understanding.

Announcements

<u>Those with ongoing health and other struggles</u> - Mikayla Vander Galien; Daryll Wondrak; Collette Bodjanac; Lilly Ventura; Katie Conklin; Wanda Yazzie; Dick and Linda Toetz's great grandson, Asher; Bill and Christa Hayes' friend Chris Pool, (cancer); Marion Worgull's son-in-law, Pastor James Humann; Barb Wendt; Kelley Koroch's brother, Bobby Johns; Linda Thompson; Richard & Linda Toetz's brother-in-law, Dave Jagdfeld (bone cancer); Phyllis Baltisburger; Barb Osborn; Barb Widmann; Brad Anderson's cousin Butch Fahler; Rich Tollefson; Brad Anderson; Roger Wilde's wife, Carol; Vince Wallenberg; Ellen King; Diane Scheel; Linda Thompson's sister Kathy Desch (cancer)

<u>Those who are</u> - sick, unemployed, traveling, celebrating birthdays and anniversaries, serving in the military, single, married, parents, children.

<u>VBS</u> - Thank you to everyone that helped in anyway with our VBS last week. We had the opportunity to share God's Word with close to 40 children. To God be the glory!

Prompt us, Lord, to come before him With a childlike heart to pray; Sigh for us, O Holy Spirit, When we know not what to say. Then our prayer is not in vain, And our faith new strength shall gain.

Grant our hearts in fullest measure Wisdom, counsel, purity, That we always strive to please you, Working for you willingly. Let the gospel spread and grow, Bringing Satan's overthrow.

P: The LORD be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray. Holy Spirit, God and Lord, come to us this joyful day with Your sevenfold gift of grace. Rekindle in our hearts the holy fire of Your love that in a true and living faith we may tell abroad the glory of our Savior, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Father, one God, now and forever.



Please be seated

THE WORD

FIRST LESSON

Joel 2:28-32

28 After this, I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh. Your sons and your daughters will prophesy. Your old men will dream dreams. Your young men will see visions. 29 Even on the male servants and the female servants, I will pour out my Spirit in those days. 30 I will show warning signs in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. 31 The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and awesome day of the LORD. 32 And everyone who calls on the name of the LORD will be saved, for on Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there will be deliverance, as the LORD has said, among the survivors whom the LORD calls. (EHV)

PSALM 51b (p.87 in front section of hymnal)

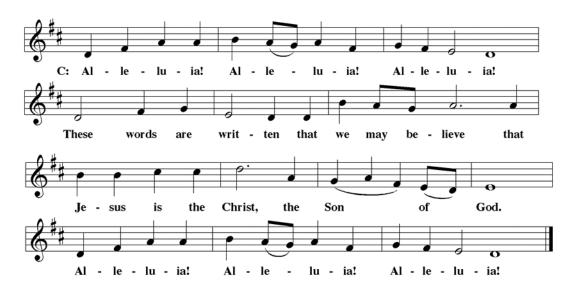
SECOND LESSON

Acts 2:1-16

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. 2 Suddenly a sound like the rushing of a violent wind came from heaven, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. 3 They saw divided tongues that were like fire resting on each one of them. 4 They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, since the Spirit was giving them the ability to speak fluently. 5 Now there were godly Jewish men from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. 6 When this sound was heard, a crowd came together and was confused, because each one heard them speaking in his own language. 7 They were completely baffled and said to each other, "Look, are not all these men who are speaking Galileans? 8 Then how is it that each of us hears them speaking in his own native language? 9 Parthians, Medes, and Elamites; residents of Mesopotamia, and of Judea, Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, 10 Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt, and the parts of Libya around Cyrene; visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes; 11 Cretans and Arabs—we hear them declaring in our own languages the wonderful works of God." 12 They were all amazed and perplexed. They kept saying to one another, "What does this mean?" 13 But others mocked them and said, "They are full of new wine." 14 Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice, and spoke loudly and clearly to them: "Men of Judea, and all you residents of Jerusalem, understand this, and listen closely to my words. 15 These men are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only the third hour of the day. 16 On the contrary, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel: (EHV)

VERSE OF THE DAY

P: Alleluia. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful people, and kindle in them the fire of Your love. Alleluia.



FIRST SERVICE continues here after the Lord's Prayer

THE PRAYER FOR THE WORD

P: Blessed Lord, who has caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning, grant that we may thus hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that by patience and comfort of your holy Word we may embrace, and ever hold fast, the blessed hope of everlasting life, which You have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



THE BLESSING

P: Brothers and sisters, go in peace, Live in harmony with one another. Serve the Lord with gladness.

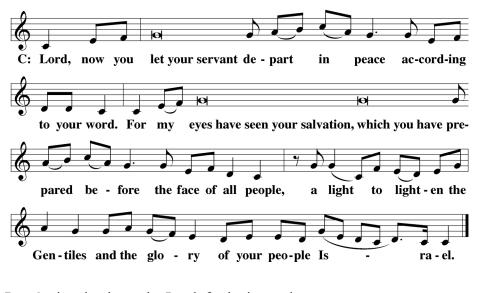
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The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon on you with favor and give you (+) peace.

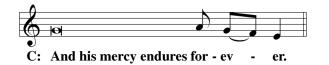


CLOSING HYMN





P: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.



P: We give thanks, almighty God, that You have refreshed us with this Holy Supper. We pray that through it you will strengthen our faith in You and increase our love for one another. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look on you with favor and (+) give you peace.



Please stand for the reading of the Gospel

GOSPEL LESSON

John 14:23-31

23 Jesus answered him, "If anyone loves me, he will hold on to my word. My Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. 24 The one who does not love me does not hold on to my words. The word that you are hearing is not mine, but it is from the Father who sent me. 25 "I have told you these things while staying with you. 26 But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and remind you of everything I told you. 27 "Peace I leave with you. My peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Do not let your heart be troubled, and do not let it be afraid. 28 You heard me tell you, 'I am going away and I am coming to you.' If you loved me, you would be glad that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I. 29 "I have told you now before it happens so that, when it does happen, you may believe. 30 I will not speak with you much longer, because the ruler of this world is coming. He has no power over me. 31 But I want the world to know that I love the Father and that I am doing exactly what the Father has instructed me. "Get up. Let's leave this place." (EHV)



THE APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

I believe 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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there 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 everlasting. Amen.

THE 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 is seated 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 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.

Please be seated

HYMN "Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord" (CW #176)

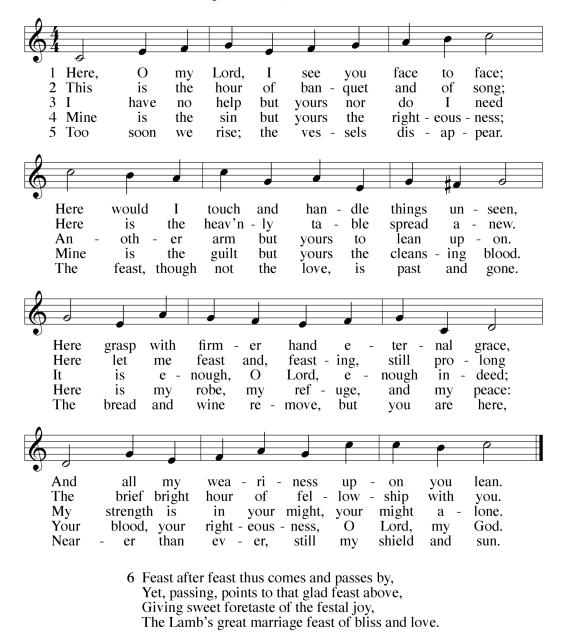
SERMON

John 14:23-27

"You're still reaping the benefits of the blessings poured out on Pentecost"

The Word of the Father's Unconditional Love
The Word of the Holy Spirit's Faithful Teaching
The Word of Jesus' Abiding Peace

315 Here, O My Lord, I See You Face to Face



WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night He was betrayed, took bread; and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Then He took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in my blood, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

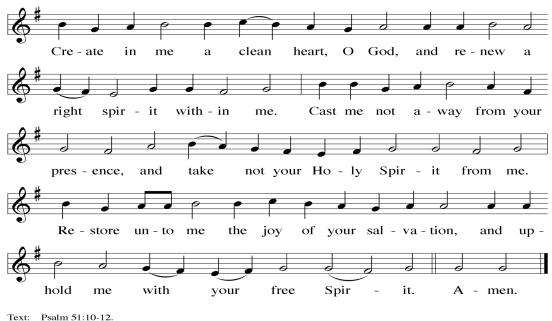
P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.



DISTRIBUTION (During the distribution the congregation will sing Hymn 315)

HYMNS OF THE LITURGY

272 Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God



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OFFERING

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

- **P:** Holy Spirit, Divine Counselor, on Pentecost You established the Christian Church through the preaching and hearing of the Word of truth:
- C: Continue to bless this Word, we humbly pray, both upon the lips of Christ's witnesses, and upon the hearts of all who hear, that countless souls may trust in Jesus alone as their Savior.
- **P:** Divine Helper, we praise You as the Giver of all truth and the Exalter of Jesus Christ, for You have given our Lord's saving Word to us sinners and exalted Him in our hearts by calling us to faith.
- C: Thanks be to You, for we are now reborn children of God and joint heirs of heavenly glory with our Savior. Comfort and strengthen us through Your Word, preserving us in faith to the end.
- P: Having brought us to faith and called us to righteousness, You have made us to be Your holy temple and dwelling place.

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- C: Sanctify, therefore, our every thought, word, and deed. Lead us daily to crucify our flesh with its sinful desires, and to walk according to our new man, directed always by You through Your Word.
- **P:** Adorn our lives with the fruits of faith.
- C: Produce in us such fruits as love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control.
- **P:** Remind us always that we are God's beloved children by faith in Christ;
- C: and that we never need to hesitate to bring all our wants, troubles, worries, desires, hurts, and illnesses to Him for help and healing.
- Special prayers and intercessions.
 - P: Hear us, Lord, as we bring you our private petitions.

Silent prayer.

P: Filled with Your grace, may we have the boldness to witness Christ's saving Name to an unbelieving world, ever confessing and never denying that He alone is Lord and Savior, in whose Name we also join to pray:

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SECOND SERVICE continues with the Sacrament; FIRST SERVICE concludes with closing prayer and hymn on page 13.

THE SACRAMENT

PREFACE

P: The Lord be with you.



P: Lift up your hearts.



P: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.



P: It is truly good and right that we should at all times and in all places give you thanks, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day kept His promise and poured out the Holy Spirit to empower His Church to proclaim the gospel in all the world. Therefore, with all the saints on earth and hosts of heaven, we praise your holy name and join their glorious song:

