

PENTECOST SUNDAY

PRELUDE

"Worthy of Worship" Blankenship/Fettke, trio

WELCOME

DIALOGUE FOR PENTECOST

After fifty days of Easter rejoicing, the church cries out: **Come, Holy Spirit!**

All those living in resurrection light sing with joy: **Come, Holy Spirit!**

All those dying under the weight of sin and grief plead: **Come, Holy Spirit!**

Come, Holy Spirit: fill the hearts of your faithful people, and kindle in us the fire of your love.

HYMN

- Holy Spirit, ever dwelling in the holiest realms of light; Holy Spirit, ever brooding o'er a world of gloom and night; Holy Spirit, ever raising those of earth to thrones on high; living, life-imparting Spirit, you we praise and magnify.
- Holy Spirit, ever living as the church's very life; Holy Spirit, ever striving through us in a ceaseless strife;

GREETING

PRAYER OF THE DAY

SCRIPTURE

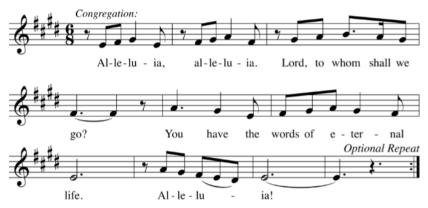
"Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling"

Holy Spirit, ever forming in the church the mind of Christ: you we praise with endless worship for your gifts and fruits unpriced.

 Holy Spirit, ever working through the church's ministry; quick'ning, strength'ning, and absolving, setting captive sinners free; Holy Spirit, ever binding age to age and soul to soul in communion never ending, you we worship and extol.

Acts 2:1-21

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



GOSPEL

The holy gospel according to St. John, the 14th chapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

John 14:8-17, 25-27

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

SERMON SONG

Refrain

Spirit, Spirit of gentleness, blow through the wilderness calling and free; Spirit, Spirit of restlessness, stir me from placidness, wind, wind on the sea.

1 You moved on the waters, you called to the deep,

then you coaxed up the mountains from the valleys of sleep;

and over the eons you called to each thing: "Awake from your slumbers and rise on your wings." Refrain

2 You swept through the desert, you stung with the sand, and you goaded your people with a law and a land;

Pastor Chris Manke

"Spirit of Gentleness"

and when they were blinded with idols and lies, then you spoke through your prophets to open their eyes. Refrain

- 3 You sang in a stable, you cried from a hill, then you whispered in silence when the whole world was still; and down in the city you called once again, when you blew through your people on the rush of the wind. Refrain
- You call from tomorrow, you break ancient schemes.
 From the bondage of sorrow all the captives dream dreams; our women see visions, our men clear their eyes. With bold new decisions your people arise. Refrain

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 INTERCESSION



Your mercy is great.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING

"I Will Be a Child of Peace" arr. by Elaine Hagenberg, trio

Offering is an act of worship - giving back to God in response to the blessings, grace, and love received.

Offering may be given by:

- Going to our website makedisciples.com and clicking on "Ways to Give"
- Scanning this QR code.
- Texting to Give to 844-605-2105
- Mailing to St. John's Lutheran, 20275 Davidson Road, Brookfield, WI 53045

OFFERTORY



"As the Grains of Wheat"

Scan to Give



OFFERING PRAYER

HOLY COMMUNION

Great Thanksgiving The Lord be with you. And also with you. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Holy, Holy



Words of Institution

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

Please self-serve your communion. Whatever you have to represent the bread and wine is acceptable.

Distribution/Music

"O Jesus, I Have Promised" ELW #810

COMMUNION BLESSING AND PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS (See last page)

BENEDICTION

SENDING SONG

- God of tempest, God of whirlwind, as on Pentecost descend!
 Drive us out from sheltered comfort; past these walls your people send!
 Sweep us into costly service, there with Christ to bear the cross, there with Christ to bear the cross!
- 2 God of blazing, God of burning, all that blocks your purpose, purge! Through your church, Christ's living Body, let your flaming Spirit surge! Where deceit conceals injustice, kindle us to speak your truth, kindle us to speak your truth!

"God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind"

- 3 God of earthquake, God of thunder, shake us loose from lethargy! Break the chains of sin asunder, for earth's healing set us free! Crumble walls that still divide us; make us one in Christ our Lord, make us one in Christ our Lord!
- 4 God of passion, God unsleeping, stir in us love's restlessness! Where the people cry in anguish, may we share your heart's distress. Rouse us from content with evil; claim us for your kingdom's work, claim us for your kingdom's work!

DISMISSAL.

Go in peace. Following Jesus, making disciples, serving the world. **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

"Komm Gott Schöffer, heiliger Geist" JS Bach, organ ("Come, God Creator, Holy Ghost")











Saturday, September 27

Join all of your friends at the Outreach for Hope 2025 Family Ride Run Walk, and help fundraise communities experiencing material poverty in \$165K for grants to ministries serving the Greater Milwaukee Synod, ELCA.

WAUKESHA SITE (Fox River Sanctuary, E.B. Shurts Building - NEW VENUE!)

- 8:30 am: 31-mile road bike ride
- 9:30 am: 14-mile Glacial Drumlin Trail bike ride
 - 10 am: 5K fun run and 2.5-mile walk
- 11 am: Picnic ("fellowship-only" option available for those not volunteering or joining a route)

There is no registration fee - but we encourage you to donate and/or fundraise towards our \$165K goal! Every dollar raised supports our Ministry Partners' work of clothing, feeding and caring for our neighbors in need.

Register + learn more at OFHRRW.org







OUTREACH FOR HOPE? WHAT IS

income urban areas through grants, supply drives, Synod congregations and ministries serving low-Outreach for Hope supports Greater Milwaukee and partnerships with suburban churches.

sustaining services like food and clothing pantries, OFH Ministry Partners provide practical and lifeyouth programs, medical clinics and more in communities experiencing material poverty.

Builds Relationships • Strengthens Communities • Inspires Hope

OutreachforHope.org







Announcements

Altar Flowers

Today's altar flowers provided by Dennis and Phyllis Whitehead in honor of granddaughter Sarah Gillette's high school graduation.

Please use the sign ups on the website to sponsor altar flowers to honor a loved one or to celebrate an event.

On the Calendar

June 15	Loaves and Fishes
June 27	Family Fun Night (6:30p)
Jul 6	one worship - outside (9:00a)
Jul 6-13	El Salvador Mission Trip
Jul 12-19	Youth Mission Trip to Nashville
Aug 4-7	Vacation Bible School

June Outreach Focus - Food Pantries

Food Pantries are especially busy during the summer months when children are not receiving meals at school. Food donations are accepted year-round for the Waukesha Food Pantry and the All Peoples Food Pantry. However, during June, we are making a special focus to feed the kids. Any help you can provide to the Food Pantries is appreciated.

Lists of the commonly needed items are available by the shopping cart in the gathering space.

Letters for El Salvador

Every week, our sister church community gathers for worship and Sunday School, and almost every week, we receive a photo or two! On July 6, a small delegation from St. John's and All Peoples will travel to visit with families and to worship in Los Héroes. You can send little cards and photos with the group to keep our bonds of friendship growing! Get your messages to Joanna Salinas **by Sunday, June 29**.



Family Fun Night

Join us for Family Fun Night Tailgate Party! Bring your favorite snacks, people, and tailgate games. Meet us in the south end of the St. John's parking lot.

Family Fun Night!!!



St. John's Softball

On a beautiful Monday night, Team S-T-J took on Redemption #2 in a nail biter. We came up on the short end and had the tying run on 3rd base in the bottom of the 7th only to lose 10-9. Bill Hughes had a strong game motoring around the bases. Afterwards we hung around with the fans in the stands and had a few barley pops and enjoyed the nice weather. T-Hoepp was on the books and our retired pitcher, "Lucky" made a guest appearance which was motivational for the team as he has been battling cancer and looked chipper that evening. He was happy to be at the ballpark with us and we were happy to see him too!

Next up, defending champion BCRC #3 at Village Park in Pewaukee at 8 PM Monday June 9 (under the lights!).

Contact Brian Harms at 414-651-2120.with questions.

Loaves and Fishes

Our next opportunity to serve the hungry is Sunday, June 15! There are two shifts available: either prepare the meal or to serve and clean up the meal.



Sign up online to reserve your spot!

Summer Office Hours

The St. John's office hours will be 9:00 – 12:00, Monday through Thursday, until Labor Day. Friday office hours will return in September.

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