## The Divine Service

The Day of Pentecost June 5, 2022



#### **AS WE GATHER**

God made the earth with His hands. Then He made our first parents, breathing new life into their clay bodies. When the Church rebelled, our heavenly Father sent His Son, the Word, who became clay Himself. Now another breath of fresh air, as it were, the Holy Spirit, builds and enlivens the Church by water and the Word. God has made us, and by the Holy Spirit's use of Baptism, has remade us as well. We are people judged worthy for Jesus' sake, people who have heard the Gospel, people sent out with the news everyone needs. The promise is sure that "everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved" (Acts 2:21). And by that promise, God builds His living house.

### WORDS OF WELCOME/THEME OF THE DAY

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

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

People: Amen.

### **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

Let us then confess our sins to God our Father. Pastor:

Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. People:

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. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. 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.

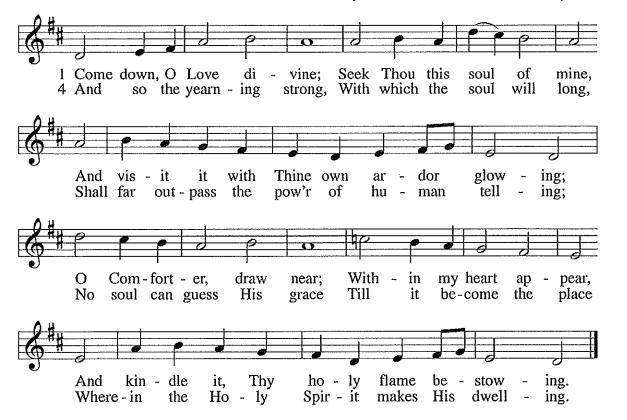
In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for His Pastor:

sake God forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ He gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit. May the Lord, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion in the

day of our Lord Jesus Christ.

People: Amen.

#### PROCESSIONAL HYMN "Come Down, O Love Divine" LSB 501, verses 1 & 4



#### **GREETING**

Pastor:

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion

of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People:

Amen.

KYRIE Mark 10:47

A In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

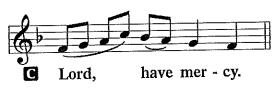
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For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.



For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.



A For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.



A Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.



#### THIS IS THE FEAST



#### **SALUTATION**

2 Timothy 4:22

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor:

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.

People: Amen.

#### THE RITE OF HOLY BAPTISM

11:00 AM

"This Joyous, Happy Day"

This is a joyous, happy day; We celebrate Your gift of life. Christ is with us, joy surrounds us. Christ takes our sin and sets us free; He fills our lives with endless life. Christ is with us; Christ unites us. Praise our Maker, praise the Spirit, Praise Christ Jesus.

#### THE OLD TESTAMENT

Genesis 11:1-9

Reader:

<sup>1</sup>Now the whole earth had one language and the same words. <sup>2</sup>And as people migrated from the east, they found a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. <sup>3</sup>And they said to one another, "Come, let us make bricks, and burn them thoroughly." And they had brick for stone, and bitumen for mortar. <sup>4</sup>Then they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves, lest we be dispersed over the face of the whole earth." <sup>5</sup>And the Lord came down to see the city and the tower, which the children of man had built. <sup>6</sup>And the Lord said, "Behold, they are one people, and they have all one language, and this is only the beginning of what they will do. And nothing that they propose to do will now be impossible for them. <sup>7</sup>Come, let us go down and there confuse their language, so that they may not understand one another's speech." 8So the Lord dispersed them from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city. <sup>9</sup>Therefore its name was called Babel, because there the Lord confused the language of all the earth. And from there the Lord dispersed them over the face of all the earth.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE EPISTLE Acts 2:1-21

<sup>1</sup>When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup>And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup>And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. <sup>4</sup>And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance. Now 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. <sup>7</sup>And 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? <sup>9</sup>Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup>Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, <sup>11</sup>both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." <sup>12</sup>And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" 13But others mocking said, "They are filled with new wine."

<sup>14</sup>But 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. <sup>15</sup>For these men are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. <sup>16</sup>But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel: <sup>17</sup>"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; <sup>18</sup>even on my male servants and female servants in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy. <sup>19</sup>And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke; <sup>20</sup>the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day. <sup>21</sup>And it shall come to pass that

everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved."

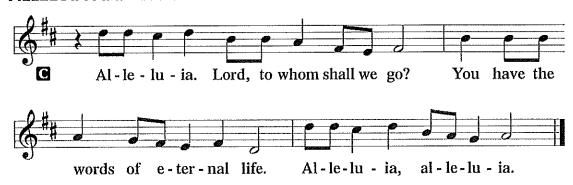
Reader:

This is the Word of the Lord.

People:

Thanks be to God.

#### **ALLELUIA AND VERSE**



HOLY GOSPEL John 14:23-31

Pastor:

The Holy Gospel according to St. John the fourteenth chapter.

People:

Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

<sup>23</sup>Jesus answered him, "If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. <sup>24</sup>Whoever does not love me does not keep my words. And the word that you hear is not mine but the Father's who sent me. 25"These things I have spoken to you while I am still with you. <sup>26</sup>But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. <sup>27</sup>Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid. 28 You heard me say to you, 'I am going away, and I will come to you.' If you loved me, you would have rejoiced, because I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I. 29 And now I have told you before it takes place, so that when it does take place you may believe. 30 will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming. He has no claim on me, 31 but I do as the Father has commanded me, so that the world may know that I love the Father. Rise, let us go from here."

Pastor:

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

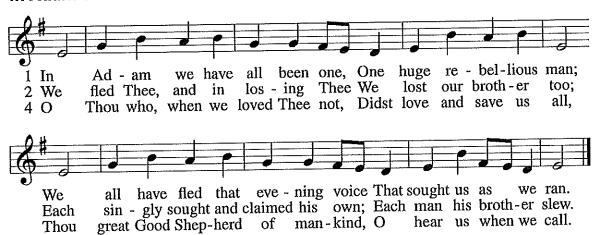
People:

Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

#### **HYMN OF THE DAY**

"In Adam We Have All Been One"

LSB 569 Verses 1,2,4



SERMON

"What Did You Say?"

**Pastor Scott Henze** 

8:30 Only

People:

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 (+)everlasting. Amen.

#### PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Petitions end, "Lord in your mercy" Congregation responds, "Hear Our Prayer"

OFFERING

"Lord Lead Us Day by Day"

Adult Choir, 8:30 AM

#### OFFERTORY PRAYER

Pastor: Let us pray: Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

People: Amen.

A word about Holy Communion: We welcome to the Lord's Table all baptized Christians who believe in the Real Presence of Christ in this sacrament and believe that in this eating and drinking, we receive the forgiveness of sins and the power to amend our sinful lives. Children who have not yet been instructed may come forward for a blessing, crossing their arms over the chest thus indicating they will not receive the elements. For those who prefer a non-alcoholic option please know that the center of the communion tray is white grape juice. A gluten free wafer is available upon request.

#### SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Stand as you are able.

#### **PREFACE**

Pastor: The Lord be with you. People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

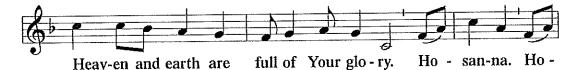


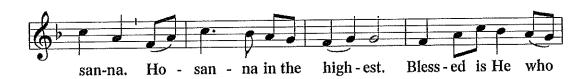
#### PROPER PREFACE



Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9









#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor:

Taught by our Lord and trusting His promises, we are bold to pray:

People: Our Fathe

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.

#### **WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

#### PEACE OF THE LORD

John 20:19

Pastor:

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People:

And also with you.

The minister and congregation may greet one another with the peace of the Lord.

AGNUS DEI John 1:29





#### **DISTRIBUTION MUSIC**

"Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord"

LSB 497





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#### POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **BENEDICTION**

#### **RECESSIONAL HYMN**



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#### DISMISSAL

Pastor:

Pastor: Lord Jesus you lead us! Now we go as....

People: Disciples making disciples.

Go in peace and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

If you have a prayer request we invite you to come up to the altar following the worship service to pray with someone from our prayer team.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

Mark your calendars! All are welcome at St. Paul. There is something for every age! Invite your friends and neighbors!

Friday, June 10

College Age Gathering at Pastor Henze's home at 6:30 PM.

Monday, July 4

Weston Town Center 4th of July Parade! Wear your red, white and blue and join the fun and march with the St. Paul group.

Line up on Town Center Blvd. at 9:30 AM.

Sunday, August 7

College Sending Service/ Spoke Folk and NYG Sunday at 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM— Come hear the students witness about the summer youth gathering and Spoke folk trips. All college students are invited for this special blessing before you head back to school.

Sunday, August 14

**Blessing of the Backpacks** All students bring their backpacks this day for a special blessing.

Wednesday, August 24

**St. Paul Child Enrichment Center Preschool** - Classes for children ages 18 months through 4 years old. Register today!

Saturday, October 8

**First Communion Instruction,** 9:00 am –1:00pm for youth 10 years old or in 5th grade.

Sunday, October 9

**Blessing of the Animals**, 4:00 PM – Bring your pet for this special blessing in honor of St. Francis Day.

## ONGOING GROUPS

## Come get involved!

**Spirit Night** (Every Wednesday evening -7:30-9:00 PM All high school students and their friends are invited for this fungathering led by Jeremy Becker, Director of Youth and Family Ministry.

Middle School Teen Night - Fun outings and game nights held throughout the year on the first Friday of each month.

**Confirmation Classes** for all students in 6th, 7th and 8th Grades. Begins in September.

#### **Music Ministry**

Adult Choir
Bell Choir
Kids Choir
Reading music is not required, no tryouts ever!

#### **Bible Studies**

Men's Study Group Sunday Adult Bible Study Sunday School for children and Youth Wednesday Morning Prayer Group

**Quarterly Service Days**—Serving at LIFENET4FAMILIES Food Pantry in Ft. Lauderdale.

# PART OF THE CHRISTIAN JOURNEY INCLUDES THE DEVELOPMENT OF GIVING HABITS.

"Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver" (2 Corinthians 9:7).





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Sunday Worship Services: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Sunday School for children and Youth at 9:45 AM Adult Bible Study at 10:00 AM