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## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

*During the Prayers of Intercession, you are invited to add your own prayer(s) either in speech or in silence as indicated by the line: "Other intercessions may be added here." You may wish to use this insert to write down your prayer(s) which you may then offer aloud during that time. If you wish to have your prayers added to the Prayer of the Church during the coming weeks, please remove and place this card in the offering plate.*

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DAY OF PENTECOST  
June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022 ✝ 10:15 a.m.

*On Pentecost, we celebrate that we have been given an Advocate to accompany us. Poured out in wind and fire, water, wine, and bread, the Holy Spirit abides in and among us. We give thanks that God speaks to each of us, no matter our origins, language, or life path. Filled with the Spirit of truth, we go out from worship to proclaim the saving power of Christ's love and the freedom of God's grace with all the world.*

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**HOLY COMMUNION**  
*EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN WORSHIP*

**\*GATHERING**

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

PRELUDE

**\*WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP**

*Spoken responsively by the leader and congregation.*

Alleluia! The Spirit of the Lord fills the world.  
**Let the righteous be glad and rejoice before God. Alleluia!**

With tongues of fire, the Spirit kindles the apostles' zeal.  
**They declare in new tongues the wonderful works of God.**

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
**And blessed be his kingdom now and forever.**

Alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit!  
**Fill the hearts of your faithful people with your love. Alleluia!**

**\*GATHERING HYMN**

*O Holy Spirit, Root of Life*

ELW 399

\*GREETING

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

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.**

\*PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. God our creator, the resurrection of your Son offers life to all the peoples of earth. By your Holy Spirit, kindle in us the fire of your love, empowering our lives for service and our tongues for praise, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen**

WORD

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*God speaks to us in Scripture reading, preaching, and song.*

FIRST READING

Acts 2:1-21

*Before Jesus ascended into heaven, he told his disciples they would be filled with the Holy Spirit. Now, surrounded by signs of fire, wind, and a variety of languages in their midst, the people were amazed and astonished at Jesus' promise coming true.*

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

*Every Time I Feel the Spirit*

SECOND READING

Romans 8:14-17

*Here Paul speaks about the mystery of baptism: through the Holy Spirit we are claimed, gathered, and welcomed into Christ's body, the church. And we receive a new name in our adoption: child of God.*

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

\*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia*

ELW 364

Verse 1 and Refrain

The Holy Gospel according to St. John...  
**Glory to you, O Lord.**

*Though the disciples struggle with Jesus' nature and identity, they receive the promise that they too will be identified with God and God's mission. Though he must leave them now, Jesus promises the coming of the Advocate whom God will send to comfort and enlighten them.*

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

SERMON

\*CREED

God has made us his people through our baptism into Christ, living together in trust and hope we confess our faith.

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

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the virgin Mary.**

**He 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,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again 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

God Almighty, when we call on your name, you pour out your Holy Spirit upon us, young and old, slave or free, granting dreams and visions and confidence in the saving grace of Jesus Christ our Lord. Holy Spirit, loving God: **Fill us with your Spirit.**

When we are dried out like bones in the desert, renew us with your Holy Spirit. Holy Spirit, loving God: **Fill us with your Spirit.**

Holy Spirit, renew the face of the earth, and renew the hearts of your people. Holy Spirit, loving God: **Fill us with your Spirit.**

Intercede for us, Holy Spirit, when our poor prayers seem lacking, and we do not know how to rightly form our thoughts. Holy Spirit, loving God: **Fill us with your Spirit.**

We hope for what we cannot see, Lord Jesus. We expect your adoption of each of us, for we are the heavenly Father's special creation. Holy Spirit, loving God: **Fill us with your Spirit.**

Lord Jesus Christ, you have sent us the loving Advocate, the Spirit of Truth, that we may hope beyond “wishful thinking” to “great expectations” of eternal life with you. Holy Spirit, loving God: **Fill us with your Spirit.**

Great Physician, you know that some among us are ready to die; others want desperately to live longer; and many need healing and relief from pain. Help us yield to your will, knowing that you care for each of us. Use us, and our sufferings, for purposes beyond our understanding. We name each other in love, and in expectation of your better will, especially... . Holy Spirit, loving God: **Fill us with your Spirit.**

*Here other intercessions may be offered in speech and silence.*

Pour out your Spirit upon all who mourn, that your promise of everlasting life and peace with the saints may make our hearts sing even in the face of death, remembering especially... . Holy Spirit, loving God: **Fill us with your Spirit.**

Come Holy Spirit, come with your life-giving care and joy. **Amen**

## \*PEACE

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

## MEAL

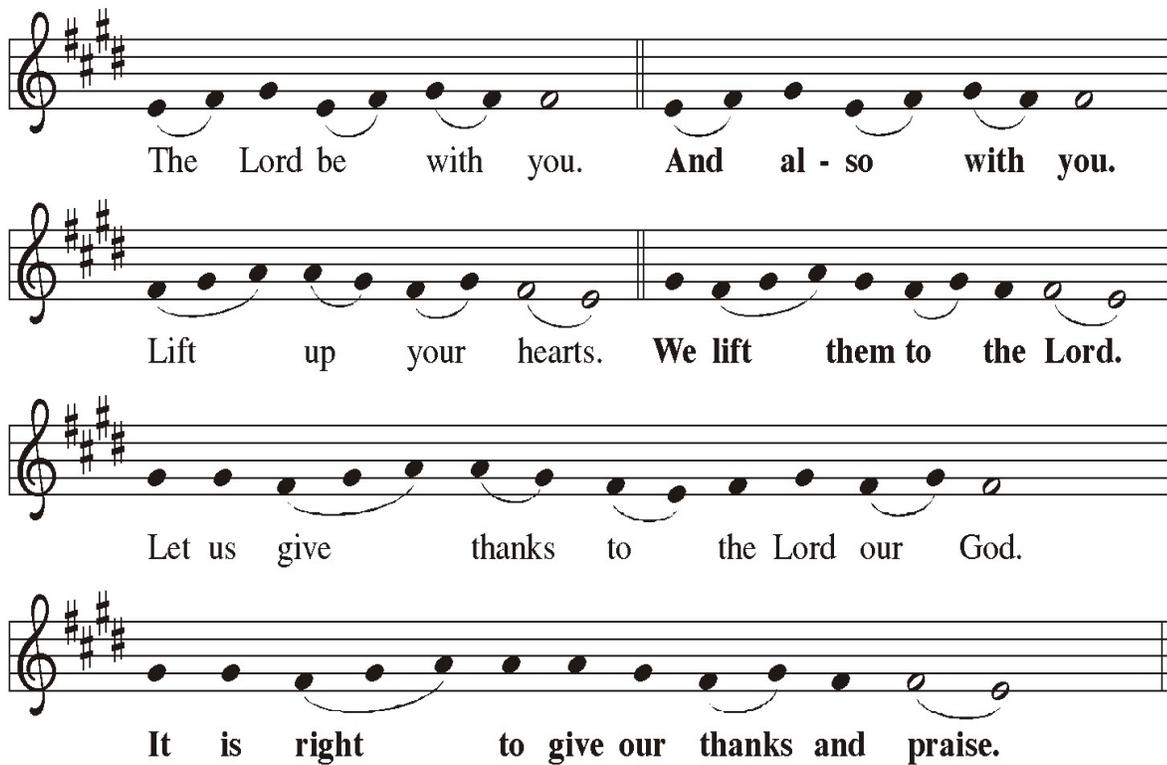
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*God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.*

### \*OFFERTORY PRAYER

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 respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen**

### \*DIALOGUE



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

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

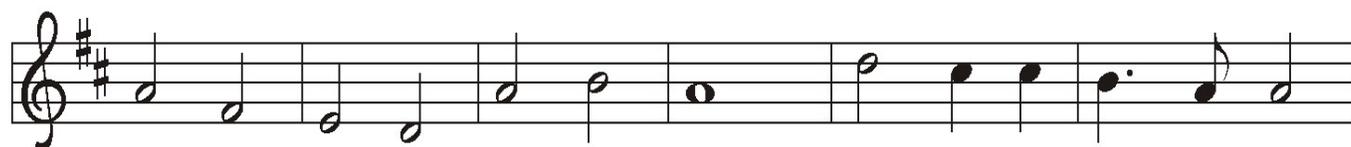
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

### \*PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. Fulfilling the promise of the resurrection, you pour out the fire of your Spirit, uniting in one body people of every nation and tongue. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

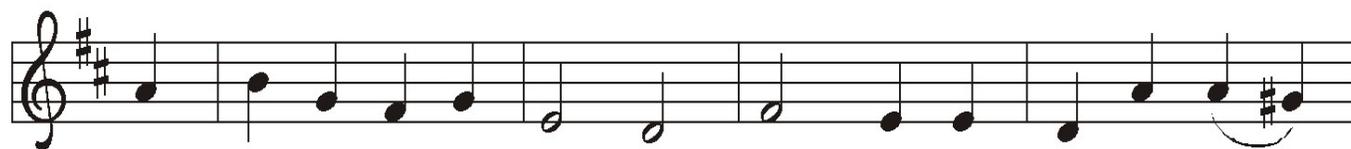
## \*HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



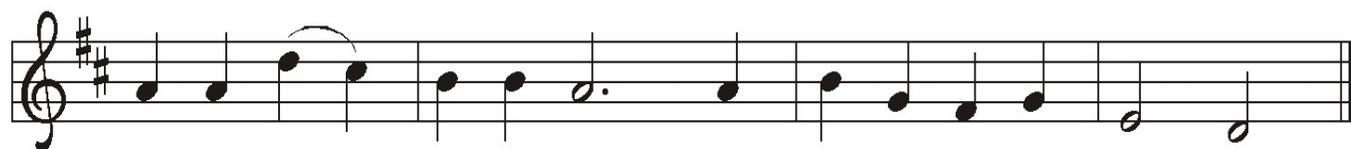
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,



heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.



Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes



in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

## \*THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son,  
who reached out to heal the sick and suffering,  
who preached good news to the poor,  
and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all.

In the night in which he was betrayed,  
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;  
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.



Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,  
and gave it for all to drink, saying:  
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,  
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection, and ascension,  
we await his coming in glory.

Pour out upon us the Spirit of your love, O Lord,  
and unite the wills of all who share this heavenly food,  
the body and blood of Jesus Christ, our Lord;  
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,  
be all honor and glory, now and forever.  
**Amen**

#### **\*LORD'S PRAYER**

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit let us pray as Jesus taught us.

**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**

## \*EASTER INVITATION TO COMMUNION

When we eat this bread we share the body of Christ. When we drink this cup we share the blood of Christ.

**Reveal yourself to us, O Lord, in the breaking of bread, as once you revealed yourself to your disciples.**

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## \*BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen**

## \*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray. God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ, making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen**

## SENDING

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*God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.*

## \*BENEDICTION

The blessing of the living God,  
Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit,  
surround and sustain you,  
keep you from harm,  
and fill you with courage. **Amen**



## O Spirit All-Embracing



1 O Spir - it all - em - brac - ing and coun - sel - or all - wise,  
 2 O Beau - ty ev - er blaz - ing in flow - er, field, and face,  
 3 Come, pas - sion's pow - er ho - ly, your in - sight here im - part,



un - bound - ed splen - dor grac - ing a shore - less sea of skies:  
 you show your - self a - maz - ing in un - ex - pect - ed place.  
 and give your ser - vants low - ly an un - der - stand - ing heart



un - fail - ing is your trea - sure, un - fad - ing your re - ward;  
 We see you and re - mem - ber what once our dreams had been;  
 to know your care more clear - ly when faith and love are tried,



sur - pass - ing world - ly plea - sure, the rich - es you af - ford.  
 you fan the glow - ing em - ber and kin - dle hope with - in.  
 to seek you more sin - cere - ly when false i - deals have died:



Come, stream of end - less flow - ing, and res - cue us from death;  
 Come, fire of glo - ry gra - cious, bless all who trust in you;  
 for vi - sion we im - plore you, for wis - dom's pure de - light;



come, wind of spring - time blow - ing, and warm us by your breath.  
 un - dy - ing flame te - na - cious, burn in your church a - new.  
 in prayer we come be - fore you to wait up - on your light.

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## \*DISMISSAL

Alleluia! Christ is risen. **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**  
You are the body of Christ raised up for the world.  
Go in peace. Share the good news. **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

*Bringer of Jollity*

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## SERVING IN THE LITURGY

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ASSISTING MINISTER

John Broussard

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Walter Cudecki

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Kristine Boike and Esther Meksto

## PRAYER LIST

*Members of the Congregation:* Anne Gavac, Helen Gaydusek, Elaine Haase, Anita Horak, Luddy Kovalsky, Betty Mocek, George Pagurko, Beverly Podzamsky, Mary Sasuta and Mary Sordel

*Friends and Relatives of the Congregation:* Kelly Alvey, Wally Bisping, Dan and Mary Costello, Eric Dennison, Denise Fricano, Bill Holmes, Marjorie Hudnall, Ron Kelly, Nicole Kisiel, Rev. James Kuemmerle, Daryle Lauritsen, Lenyce Lawrenson, Delores Linden, Darlene Loughlin, Celia Martinez, Michele Mason, Donald Neal, Patricia Pfeiffer, Pat Pileggi, Dolores Pollitz, Alice Puglise, John Racek, Bill Redis, Sue Renville, Sandy Rossella, Elaine Sorich, Peter Spilotro, Harvey Swenson, Gertrude Tarbox, Janie Tarbox, Tom Thoreson, Mark Van Scharrel and Taz Zajac.

## ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers at the Lord's Table today are given in celebration of **Mary Sordel's 96<sup>th</sup> birthday** on June 7<sup>th</sup> by loving children Lynn Sordel and Kay Sordel and their families; and also in loving memory of dear father **+Clarence Triska+** on the 19<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his passing by remembering children Jim, Carol, and Jeff and Lisa Triska.

## UPCOMING COMMEMORATIONS

*Boniface, Bishop of Mainz, missionary to Germany, martyr, died 754  
Sunday, June 5<sup>th</sup>*

Boniface was a native of England who became a Benedictine monk and was called to missionary work among the Vandal tribes of Germany. With fellow workers, he established churches and schools, and he also worked to reform the church.

*Seattle, chief of the Duwamish Confederacy, died 1866  
Tuesday, June 7<sup>th</sup>*

Noah Seattle led a coalition of tribes, and convinced them to live peacefully with encroaching white settlers. When he became a Roman Catholic, he held morning and evening prayer with his tribe. The city of Seattle is named for him.

*Columba, died 597; Aidan, died 651; Bede, died 735; renewers of the church  
Thursday, June 9<sup>th</sup>*

These three monks from the British Isles helped keep the light of learning alive during the Middle Ages. Columba founded three monasteries off the coast of Scotland. Aidan was a pastor who led people to works of charity. The Venerable Bede was a Bible translator, historian, and hymnwriter.

*Barnabas, Apostle  
Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup>*

Barnabas was not numbered among the twelve apostles, but the book of Acts gives him that title. After Paul was converted to Christianity, Barnabas welcomed him to Jerusalem, and later the two traveled together on missionary journeys.

<b>Current, Benevolence and Freewill Offering</b> <b>May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2022</b>	
<i>Weekly Budgeted Offering for 2021:</i>	\$2,527.00
<i>Offering Received for the Above Categories:</i>	\$1,080.00
<i>Shortage:</i>	\$1,447.00