



June 7, 2026

WORSHIP WITH HOLY COMMUNION

2nd Sunday in Pentacost

Inviting All to Live the Gospel through Faith, Love, and Compassion

Welcome to Family of Christ

You are welcome to participate in worship this morning
the way you feel comfortable.

All Are Welcome, No Exceptions!

Everybody Is Somebody Here

PRELUDE

WELCOME

GATHERING HYMN

"Gather Us In"

ELW #532

AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM

Blessed be God, who gives us life, who makes water rise from the earth,
whose mercy rolls down like an ever-flowing stream.

Amen.

In baptism, we are given new life through the grace, love, and
connection of Christ. We come in gratitude for kinship and community,
for forgiveness and resurrection, for beginning anew each day.

**We give you thanks, God of all creation, for the water that has
given us birth; for your call to care for one another; for
welcoming us into the ever-flowing current of your mercy and
love.**

**Pour your grace into each of us and all of us that we may live
together in your newness and life. Let us rest in you, knowing
that we are loved, held, and sent forth to care for your creation,
for our whole selves, and for one another. In the name of the
Holy Trinity, one God, now and forever.**

Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE

"You are Holy"

ELW #525

Sing through 2 times

WELCOME FAMILIES!

We are glad that you are
worshiping with your
children and want you to
feel welcome.

There is a **"Pray Ground"**
for quiet play in the front
right of the sanctuary.
We ask that families
stay with their little ones
and try to keep noise to a
minimum.

If you or your little one
needs "a break" or "louder
play", there is an **"Active
Worship"** room on the
West side of the sanctuary.
You can see and hear the
service from this room.

GATHERING



The Holy Spirit gathers us
together during this time
of worship

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God of all creation, **you breathe your spirit into the dust and create us for life with one another. Let us be companions of one another, caretakers of your creation, and stewards of your mysteries. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.**

All young and young at heart are invited forward during the Children's time.

CHILDREN'S TIME

SCRIPTURE READING:

Genesis 2:4 - 22

In the day that the Lord God made the earth and the heavens, when no plant of the field was yet in the earth and no vegetation of the field had yet sprung up—for the Lord God had not caused it to rain upon the earth, and there was no one to till the ground, but a stream would rise from the earth and water the whole face of the ground— then the Lord God formed man from the dust of the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a living being. And the Lord God planted a garden in Eden, in the east, and there he put the man whom he had formed. Out of the ground the Lord God made to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight and good for food, the tree of life also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil.

A river flows out of Eden to water the garden, and from there it divides and becomes four branches. The name of the first is Pishon; it is the one that flows around the whole land of Havilah, where there is gold, and the gold of that land is good; bdellium and onyx stone are there. The name of the second river is Gihon; it is the one that flows around the whole land of Cush. The name of the third river is Tigris, which flows east of Assyria. And the fourth river is the Euphrates.

The Lord God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to till it and keep it. And the Lord God commanded the man, "You may freely eat of every tree of the garden, but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall die."

Then the Lord God said, "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper as his partner." So out of the ground the Lord God formed every animal of the field and every bird of the air and brought them to the man to see what he would call them, and whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name. The man gave names to all cattle and to the birds of the air and to every animal of the field, but for the man there was not found a helper as his partner. So the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; then he took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. And the rib that the Lord God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man.

THE WORD

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



L: The word of the Lord

C: **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN OF THE DAY

"Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love"

ELW #708

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES

SHARING OF THE PEACE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOISY OFFERING

OFFERING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

L: Lord in Your Mercy

C: Hear our prayer

HOLY COMMUNION

THE 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.**

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THE MEAL

God feeds us with the
forgiveness and presence of
Christ.

All are invited to receive
these gifts of God.

No Exceptions!

Children are welcome to
come forward and receive
communion or a blessing
and Goldfish Crackers



THE SENDING

We are blessed and sent out into the world to share God's Love with all people.



Serving Today

Pastor

Brent Erler

Musician

Ann Mikiska

Sound and Video

Gerry Wills

Cheryl Wills

Acolyte

Gwen Basballe

Communion Set-Up

Karen Agee

Tony Otero

Communion Servers

Karen Agee

Tony Otero

Betty Peterson

Reader

Emily Wills

Ushers

Kirstin Specht

Chad Specht

Fellowship Host

Emily Huus

*Thanks to all those who helped make worship possible.

BLESSING

PRAYER OF GOOD COURAGE

Lord God, you have called your servants to ventures of which we cannot see the ending, by paths as yet untrodden, through perils unknown. Give us faith to go out with good courage, not knowing where we go, but only that your hand is leading us and your love supporting us, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

CLOSING HYMN

“Rise Up, O Saints of God”

ELW #669

SENDING

POSTLUDE

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