



# THE DAY OF PENTECOST MAY 18 & 19, 2024

# **Confession and Absolution**

# Hymn of Invocation

Come, Thou Almighty King

- Come, Thou almighty King, Help us Thy name to sing; Help us to praise; Father all-glorious, O'er all victorious, Come and reign over us, Ancient of Days.
- Come, Thou incarnate Word, Gird on Thy mighty sword; Our prayer attend.
   Come and Thy people bless, And give Thy Word success, And let Thy righteousness On us descend.

- 3 Come, holy Comforter, Thy sacred witness bear In this glad hour! Thou, who almighty art, Now rule in ev'ry heart, And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of pow'r.
- △ 4 To Thee, great One in Three, Eternal praises be Hence evermore! Thy sov'reign majesty May we in glory see, And to eternity Love and adore.

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#### Stand

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.
- **C** Amen.
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching 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.
- I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

- O almighty God, merciful Father,
- **C** I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
 C Amen.

# Service of the Word

# Kyrie 🎜

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Ezekiel 37:1–14

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

#### Gloria in Excelsis 🎜

Glory be to God on high:				
🖸 and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.				
We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,				
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.				
O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.				
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;				
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,				
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.				
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.				
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.				
For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.				
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,				
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.				

# Salutation and Collect of the Day

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **G** *And* with thy spirit.

**P** 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.

**C** *I* Amen.

#### Sit Old Testament Reading

<sup>1</sup>The hand of the LORD was upon me, and he brought me out in the Spirit of the LORD and set me down in the middle of the valley; it was full of bones. <sup>2</sup>And he led me around among them, and behold, there were very many on the surface of the valley, and behold, they were very dry. <sup>3</sup>And he said to me, "Son of man, can these bones live?" And I answered, "O Lord GOD, you know." <sup>4</sup>Then he said to me, "Prophesy over these bones, and say to them, O dry bones, hear the word of the LORD. <sup>5</sup>Thus says the Lord GOD to these bones: Behold, I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. <sup>6</sup>And I will lay sinews upon you, and will cause flesh to come upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live, and you shall know that I am the LORD."

<sup>7</sup>So I prophesied as I was commanded. And as I prophesied, there was a sound, and behold, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. <sup>8</sup>And I looked, and behold, there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them. But there was no breath in them. <sup>9</sup>Then he said to me, "Prophesy to the breath; prophesy, son of man, and say to the breath, Thus says the Lord GoD: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe on these slain, that they may live." <sup>10</sup>So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived and stood on their feet, an exceedingly great army.

<sup>11</sup>Then he said to me, "Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel. Behold, they say, 'Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are clean cut off.' <sup>12</sup>Therefore prophesy, and say to them, Thus says the Lord GOD: Behold, I will open your graves and raise you from your graves, O my people. And I will bring you into the land of Israel. <sup>13</sup>And you shall know that I am the LORD, when I open your graves, and raise you from your graves, O my people. <sup>14</sup>And I will put my Spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you in your own land. Then you shall know that I am the LORD; I have spoken, and I will do it, declares the LORD."

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

#### **Second Reading**

#### 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.

<sup>5</sup>Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. <sup>6</sup>And 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? <sup>8</sup>And 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?" <sup>13</sup>But 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.""
- A This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

Stand Alleluia 🎜

**C** Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

# **Holy Gospel**

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fifteenth chapter.

G Glory be to Thee, O Lord. □

<sup>26</sup>[Jesus said:] "When the Helper comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth, who proceeds from the Father, he will bear witness about me. <sup>27</sup>And you also will bear witness, because you have been with me from the beginning....

"I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. <sup>5</sup>But now I am going to him who sent me, and none of you asks me, 'Where are you going?' <sup>6</sup>But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your heart. <sup>7</sup>Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you. But if I go, I will send him to you. <sup>8</sup>And when he comes, he will convict the world concerning sin and righteousness and judgment: <sup>9</sup>concerning sin, because they do not believe in me; <sup>10</sup>concerning righteousness, because I go to the Father, and you will see me no longer; <sup>11</sup>concerning judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged.

<sup>12</sup>"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. <sup>13</sup>When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. <sup>14</sup>He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. <sup>15</sup>All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

□ □ Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

# **Nicene Creed**

**C** 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 sits 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 in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one

John 15:26–27; 16:4b–15

Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life +of the world to come. Amen.

Sit	Hymn	Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling		LSB 650
	<ol> <li>Holy Spirit, ever dwelling</li> <li>In the holiest realms of l</li> <li>Holy Spirit, ever brooding</li> <li>O'er a world of gloom at</li> </ol>		Holy Spirit, ever form In the Church the You we praise with e For Your gifts and	mind of Christ: endless worship
	Holy Spirit, ever raising Those of earth to thrones or Living, life-imparting Spirit, You we praise and magnify.	s on high; t,	3 Holy Spirit, ever wor Through the Chur Quick'ning, strength Setting captive sin	ch's ministry; 'ning, and absolving,
	2 Holy Spirit, ever living As the Church's very life Holy Spirit, ever striving Through us in a ceaseles		Holy Spirit, ever bind Age to age and so In communion never You we worship a	ul to soul • ending,
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#### Sermon

"A People Mover"

P The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. **C** Amen.

#### Stand Offertory J

**C** Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

# Sit Offering

While we worship the Lord with our offerings, please write your names in the fellowship registers, indicating the date and time of the service you are attending. To help us serve you more effectively, please use the blanks provided to indicate a change in mailing address, phone numbers (home, work, cell, fax) or e-mail address(es). Please tear out the sheets with names on them and let them stick out of the top of the folder so that the ushers can collect them. Thank you!

# Stand Prayer of the Church

- **P** Gracious Lord, Your Spirit fills the world and gladdens Your Church with the remembrance of all Christ Jesus has spoken. Glorify His name among us in every word and deed. Lord, in Your mercy,
- **C** hear our prayer.

**P** Lord God, guide the Church into all truth by Your Holy Spirit through Your Word, that we may be guarded from all error and false doctrine and other great shame and vice. Lord, in Your mercy,

#### **C** hear our prayer.

**P** God of comfort, give hope to Your people in the midst of this world of death and despair. Put Your Spirit within us to believe, to live and to serve according to Your promises and commands. Lead

Rev. Dr. Reed Lessing

our homes to confess our confidence in Your power to raise the dead — now and at the Last Day. Lord, in Your mercy,

#### **C** hear our prayer.

▶ Lord God, be near to <u>and</u> those You have set in place to govern our land. Do not let the ruler of this world govern them and their decisions to our harm, but give us the benefits of good government. Lord, in Your mercy,

#### **C** hear our prayer.

Image: P We call on Your name, O Lord, praying in Your Spirit to help and save all <u>[especially ]</u>. Renew the face of the earth, look with favor on Your creatures and fill the hearts of Your faithful, kindling in them the fire of Your love. Lord, in Your mercy,

#### **C** hear our prayer.

▶ Lord, send Your Holy Spirit upon Your faithful people, that convicted of their sin they may also be convinced that the righteousness of Christ is theirs, and in such repentance and faith receive the things of Christ declared in this Supper: His holy body and precious blood for the forgiveness of sins. Unite us by Your Spirit of truth in faith and confession, and comfort us with the knowledge that this world's prince is judged. Lord, in Your mercy,

#### **C** hear our prayer.

▶ Lord God, comfort those who grieve. Assure them that, since Christ has gone away to the cross and has risen victorious over death, so those who go away from us in this life will rise also to everlasting life. Lord, in Your mercy,

#### **C** hear our prayer.

▶ Lord God, heavenly Father, through Your Son You promised Your Holy Spirit, who would convict the world of sin, of righteousness and of judgment. Enlighten our hearts, that we would confess our sins; obtain everlasting righteousness through faith in Christ; and through every trial and temptation, abide in the consolation that Christ is Lord over the devil, death and all things. We ask that You would graciously deliver us from all affliction to make us partakers of eternal salvation; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

# Service of the Sacrament

#### Preface

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** *And with thy spirit.* 

**P** Lift up your hearts.

- **C** I We lift them up unto the Lord.
- **P** Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.
- $\square$  It is meet and right so to do.
- It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who ascended above the heavens and, sitting at Your right hand, poured out on this day the promised Holy Spirit on His chosen disciples. For all this the whole earth rejoices with exceeding joy. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

#### Sanctus 🎜

 Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth; heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory. Hosanna, hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

#### Lord's Prayer

**P** 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.

**G** I For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

# The Words of Our Lord

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

# Pax Domini

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

C 🎜 Amen.

# Agnus Dei 🎜

- O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
  - O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

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#### Sit Distribution Hymns

#### Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father; There is no shadow of turning with Thee. Thou changest not: Thy compassions, they fail not; As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

# Refrain Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; All I have needed Thy hand hath provided; Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

- 2 Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above Join with all nature in manifold witness To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. *Refrain*
- 3 Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide; Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! *Refrain*

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Holy Spirit, Light Divine

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- Holy Spirit, light divine,
   Shine upon this heart of mine;
   Chase the shades of night away,
   Turn the darkness into day.
- 2 Let me see my Savior's face, Let me all His beauties trace; Show those glorious truths to me Which are only known to Thee.
- 3 Holy Spirit, pow'r divine, Cleanse this guilty heart of mine;

In Thy mercy pity me, From sin's bondage set me free.

- 4 Holy Spirit, joy divine, Cheer this saddened heart of mine; Yield a sacred, settled peace, Let it grow and still increase.
- 5 Holy Spirit, all divine,
  5 Dwell within this heart of mine;
  Cast down ev'ry idol throne,
  Reign supreme, and reign alone.

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#### Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice

- Dear Christians, one and all, rejoice, With exultation springing,
   And with united heart and voice And holy rapture singing,
   Proclaim the wonders God has done, How His right arm the vict'ry won. What price our ransom cost Him!
- 2 Fast bound in Satan's chains I lay; Death brooded darkly o'er me.
  Sin was my torment night and day; In sin my mother bore me.
  But daily deeper still I fell; My life became a living hell, So firmly sin possessed me.

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- Thanksgiving
  - **A** 0 give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
  - **C** *I* and His mercy endureth forever.
  - **A** 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

- 3 My own good works all came to naught, No grace or merit gaining; Free will against God's judgment fought, Dead to all good remaining. My fears increased till sheer despair Left only death to be my share; The pangs of hell I suffered.
- 4 But God had seen my wretched state Before the world's foundation, And mindful of His mercies great, He planned for my saluation. He turned to me a father's heart; He did not choose the easy part But gave His dearest treasure.
- 5 God said to His beloved Son: "It's time to have compassion. Then go, bright jewel of My crown, And bring to all salvation. From sin and sorrow set them free; Slay bitter death for them that they May live with You forever."
- The Son obeyed His Father's will, 6 Was born of virgin mother; And God's good pleasure to fulfill, He came to be my brother. His royal pow'r disguised He bore; A servant's form, like mine, He wore To lead the devil captive.

- 7 To me He said: "Stay close to Me, I am your rock and castle. Your ransom I Myself will be; For you I strive and wrestle. For I am yours, and you are Mine, And where I am you may remain; The foe shall not divide us.
- 8 "Though he will shed My precious blood, Me of My life bereaving, All this I suffer for your good; Be steadfast and believing. Life will from death the vict'ry win; My innocence shall bear your sin, And you are blest forever.
- 9 "Now to My Father I depart, From earth to heav'n ascending, And, heav'nly wisdom to impart, The Holy Spirit sending: In trouble He will comfort you And teach you always to be true And into truth shall guide you.
- 10 "What I on earth have done and taught Guide all your life and teaching; So shall the kingdom's work be wrought And honored in your preaching. But watch lest foes with base alloy The heav'nly treasure should destroy; This final word I leave you."

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# Stand Nunc Dimittis J

**C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people. a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

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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.

**C** *I* Amen.

**P** The Lord be with you.

**G** *And* with thy spirit.

# Benedicamus

**A** Bless we the Lord.

**C** *I* Thanks be to God.

# Benediction

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ++ give you peace.

**C** *I* Amen, amen, amen.

# Hymn

#### Now Thank We All Our God

1 Now thank we all our God And keep us in His grace And guide us when perplexed With hearts and hands and voices, And free us from all ills Who wondrous things has done, In this world and the next! In whom His world rejoices; Who from our mothers' arms  $\triangle$  3 All praise and thanks to God Has blest us on our way The Father now be given. With countless gifts of love The Son, and Him who reigns And still is ours today. With them in highest heaven, 2 Oh, may this bounteous God The one eternal God, Through all our life be near us, Whom earth and heav'n adore: With ever joyful hearts For thus it was, is now, And blessèd peace to cheer us And shall be evermore.

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# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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Please help us keep this list updated, if you know of any changes in status call the church office 965-3192.

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#### **Mission Prayer**

For more mission prayers, visit: www.lcms.org/worship/pray-for-us-calendar

Remember God's work through His Church as you pray:

- with thanksgiving for all the missionaries who serve partner churches, that they would remain faithful in their tasks and be witnesses to the Gospel through acts of mercy.
- for those who serve in leadership positions in LCMS partner churches around the world, as they guide, nurture and shepherd their people.

# **Bible Readings**

From Lutheran Service Book Daily Lectionary, pp. 299-304

Sunday, 5/19	Numbers 21:10-35; Luke 21:20-38
Monday, 5/20	Numbers 22:1-20; Luke 22:1-23
Tuesday, 5/21	Numbers 22:21–23:3; Luke 22:24-46
Wednesday, 5/22	Numbers 23:4-28; Luke 22:47-71
Thursday, 5/23	Numbers 24:1-25; Luke 23:1-25
Friday, 5/24	Numbers 27:12-23; Luke 23:26-56
Saturday, 5/25	Numbers 32:1-6, 16-27; Luke 24:1-27

# Worship Service Schedule

Saturday @ 6:00 p.m. & Sunday @ 9:00 a.m. Sunday Bible Class @ 9:50 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study—@ 10:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall Men's Musings Bible Class—Thursdays @ 6:03 a.m. Handicapped Accessible Service—June 13, 10 a.m.

#### Mark Your Calendars St. Mark's Lutheran Church 150th Anniversary Celebration

Saturday, June 29, 6:00 p.m. & Sunday, June 30, 9:00 a.m. Rev. Ron Bogs, Guest Preacher

# ST. MARK'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Congratulations to St. Mark's Class of 2024

**The 5<sup>th</sup> grade class** of this past school year, and their parents are invited to walk along the St Mark's Church and School Float at the Steeleville 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade. More details will be posted as we receive them.

**Summer Camp** starts June 3<sup>rd</sup> and continues through June 28<sup>th</sup> on Monday's – Friday's. This is for grades PreK3 – 5th Grade. Summer Camp is open to all area students. Summer Camps are from 9am-1pm, lunch included, \$15 a day. If you need a full day the times are 8am (the earliest) - 4pm (the latest) lunch & a snack included, \$20 a day.

June 3-7 STEM (If attending the first camp (STEM) you must be registered by Monday, May 13th.) June 10-14 Imagine Station Week

June 17-21 Clowning Around (World of Whacky)

June 24-28 Fun in the Sun



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# **MISSION STATEMENT**

Our mission is to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ, through worship, education, outreach, fellowship, and service.

# WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturdays @ 6:00 p.m. Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. Accessible Service @ 10:00 a.m. on 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursdays

# HOLY COMMUNION

Holy Communion is celebrated the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month at the 9:00 a.m. service and at the 6:00 p.m. Saturday evening service.

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We believe and confess the doctrine of the Evangelical Lutheran Church is faithful and true to the Bible and we strive for a balanced Law/Gospel practice of same.