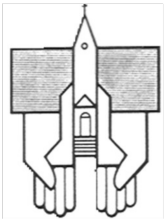
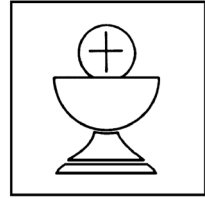


**OUR REDEEMER**  
 Lutheran Church Missouri Synod  
 Worship Bulletin  
 For 24 May 2026

**THE DAY OF PENTECOST**

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Our practice of closed communion is the historic practice of the church. It is prompted by love, both for God's Word and for God's people. It does not deny that members of other denominations are Christians. Rather, it bows the knee to the Bible's deep concern for doctrinal truth (Rom. 16:17) and the Bible's witness that doctrinal unity is central to the common reception of this sacrament. **For this reason, guests who desire to commune are asked to speak with the pastor before the service.**



**WELCOME!** We invite all visitors to sign the guest register in the narthex and worship with us again. If you are not a first time visitor and are not communing, please complete the card located with communion cards in front of the pews. If you have questions about how to join our church or study the Scriptures with us, please speak with one of our Elders or the Pastor.

Each Saturday evening from 6-8PM Pastor Rappe avails himself for private confession and absolution, that which the historical Lutheran Church refers to as the third Sacrament. This is made available to those whose consciences are burdened and whose hearts are troubled. No one is forced to make private confession, as no one is forced to Baptism or the Holy Supper. Rather, this is the means of God's gospel to those who seek Him and the forgiveness of sins in Jesus.



**PLEASE COMPLETE A COMMUNION CARD:** Fill in the names of only those who are communing and hand it to the usher. You may fill out one per family.

**While the psalmist urges us to "make a joyful noise to the Lord",** he did NOT mean cell phone ringtones, children's noisy toys or other modern electronic marvels. Rather, these should be SILENT while we lift our voices and hearts in worship through song and prayer to our Lord. Please see that all cell phones, toys and anything else that might disrupt our worship are turned off.

**NURSERY ROOM** is available for children under the age of 5 years of age who are having difficulty during the service. There are speakers to hear the service and a rocking chair.

**Weekly Events**

**Today May 24**  
 10:30AM Divine Service-Rite of Confirmation  
 11:45AM Coffee Hour  
 12:15PM Constitution Committee Meeting

**(Thurs. NO MATINS)**

**Sun. May 31**  
 9:00AM Adult Bible Study  
 10:30AM Divine Service  
 11:45AM Potluck/Family "Farewells"

**Serving Today**

**Altar Guild:** Margi Beyersdorf

**Serving Next Sunday**

**Altar Guild:** Dave and Lorri Rettig  
**Acolyte:** Maisie Nelson

**\*Pastor Rappe/family will be out of town 5/25-5/30**



**Potluck is Sunday, May 31st.**

We will also be taking the time to say "farewell" to several wonderful families moving over the summer: the Nelsons, Ulrichs, Krafts, and the Gronewolds.

Please stay for some cake and well wishes for their send offs.  
 They will be dearly, dearly missed!

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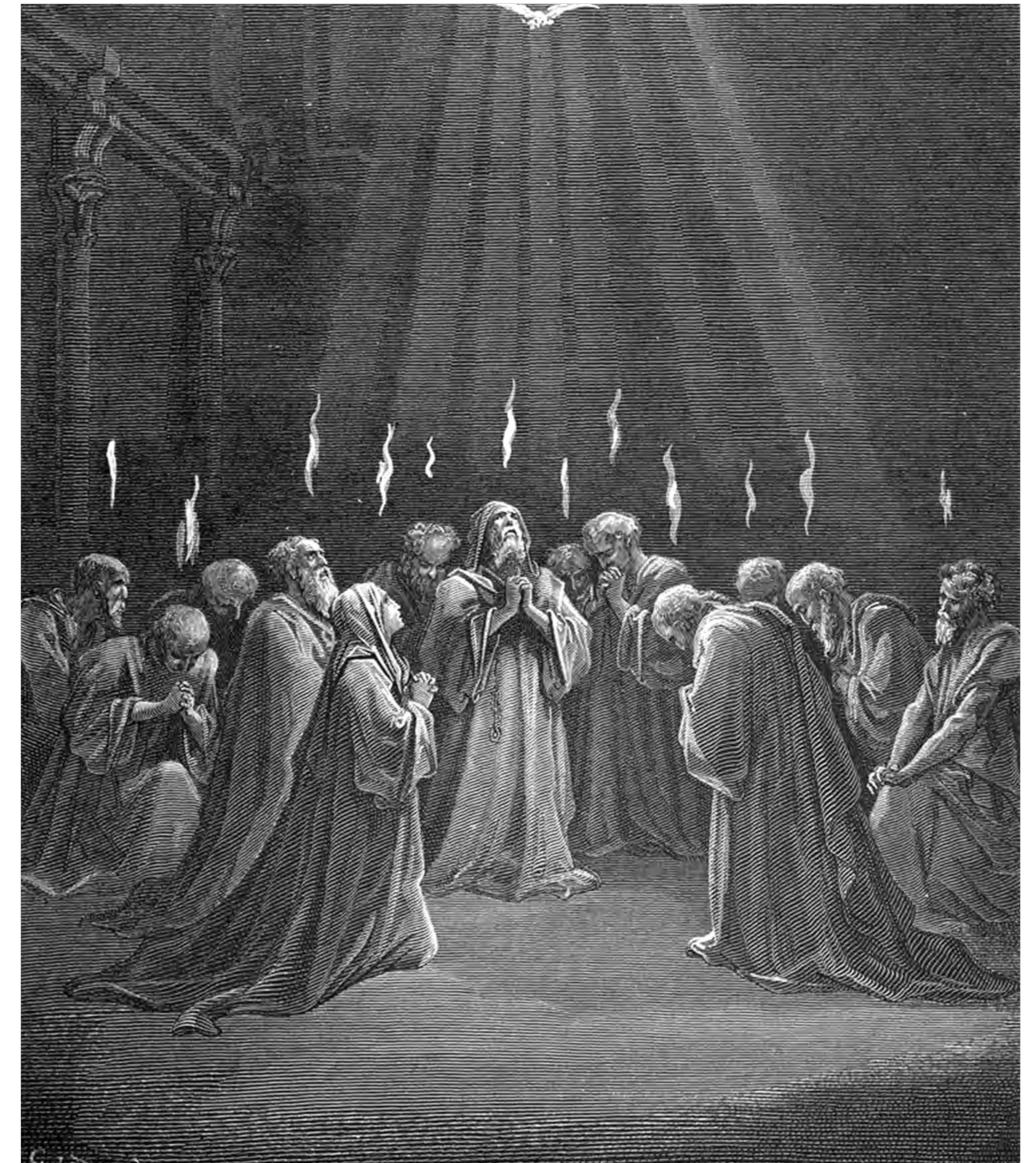
**Rite of Confirmation:**

Today we celebrate and witness our young men and women profess their faith, which was given to them at their baptism.

This year our confirmands are Charles Heron, Maisie Nelson, Ellie Gronewold, and Michael Kraft.

May they (and we, too) hold God's Word and truth fervently in their hearts and be ready to give a defense (1 Peter 3).

Please stay after the worship service for cake and refreshments!



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