

**Saturday Evening Worship
June 4, 2022**

Day of Pentecost



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WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP CELEBRATION!

Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church offers many opportunities to enrich your spiritual lives from Saturday and Sunday worship, social ministry and fellowship in youth and women's groups. If this is your first visit, please sign the guest registers in the pews. Our mission statement includes this phrase: "Serving Christ through serving others". Our Saturday service is informal. If you have any prayer requests, please make us aware of them. We hope your worship experience is meaningful. Let us praise the Lord!

INTRODUCTION: *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.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C: **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

P: In the waters of baptism,
we have passed over from death to life with Jesus Christ,
and we are a new creation.
For this saving mystery, and for this water, let us bless God,
who was, who is, and who is to come.

We thank you, God, for your river of life,
flowing freely from your throne:
through the earth,
through the city,
through every living thing.

You rescued Noah and his family from the flood;
You opened wide the sea for the Israelites.
Now in these waters you flood us with mercy,
and our sin is drowned forever.

You open the gate of righteousness
and we pass safely through.

In Jesus Christ, you calm and trouble the waters.
You nourish us and enclose us in safety.
You call us forth and send us out.
In lush and barren places, you are with us.
You have become our salvation.

Now breathe upon this water
and awaken your church once more.
Claim us again as your beloved and holy people.
Quench our thirst; cleanse our hearts; wipe away every tear.

To you, our Beginning and our End,
our Shepherd and Lamb,
be honor, glory, praise, and thanksgiving,
now and forever.

C: Amen.

GREETING / PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion
of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray . . .

**C: 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**

FIRST READING: Acts 2:1-21

P: ¹When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one
place. ²And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent
wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³Divided tongues, as
of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴All of them
were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the
Spirit gave them ability.

⁵Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?" ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." ¹²All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. ¹⁵Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. ¹⁶No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

¹⁷In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy and your young men shall see visions,
and your old men shall dream dreams.

¹⁸Even upon my slaves, both men and women,
in those days I will pour out my Spirit;
and they shall prophesy.

¹⁹And I will show portents in the heaven above
and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

²⁰The sun shall be turned to darkness
and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.

²¹Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

P: The word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 104:24-34, 35b

P: ²⁴How manifold are your works, O LORD!
In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

- C:** ²⁵**Yonder is the sea, great and wide, with its swarms too many to number, living things both small and great.**
- P:** ²⁶There go the ships to and fro, and Leviathan, which you made for the sport of it.
- C:** ²⁷**All of them look to you to give them their food in due season.**
- P:** ²⁸You give it to them; they gather it; you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.
- C:** ²⁹**When you hide your face, they are terrified; when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.**
- P:** ³⁰You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; and so you renew the face of the earth.
- C:** ³¹**May the glory of the LORD endure forever; O LORD, rejoice in all your works.**
- P:** ³²You look at the earth and it trembles; you touch the mountains and they smoke.
- C:** ³³**I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; I will praise my God while I have my being.**
- P:** ³⁴May these words of mine please God. I will rejoice in the LORD.
- C:** ³⁵**Bless the LORD, O my soul. Hallelujah!**

SECOND READING: Romans 8:14-17

P: ¹⁴For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. ¹⁵For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" ¹⁶it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

P: The word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN Red hymnal #804

Come Down, O Love Divine

HOLY GOSPEL: John 14:8-17 [25-27]

P: The Gospel according to

C: **Glory to you O Lord.**

P: ⁸Philip said to [Jesus,] "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied."

⁹Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'?" ¹⁰Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. ¹¹Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. ¹²Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. ¹³I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

¹⁵If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. ¹⁷This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

[²⁵I have said these things to you while I am still with you. ²⁶But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. ²⁷Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.]

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON Kristen Zimmann

HYMN Red hymnal #800

Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

APOSTLE'S CREED

P: Let us confess our faith.

C: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe 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 to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and 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 THE CHURCH (*Response after each petition*)

P: Lord in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer . . .

LORD'S PRAYER

C: 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.

BLESSING

P: God, the Author of life, Christ, the living Cornerstone, and the life-giving Spirit of adoption, + bless you now and forever.

C: Amen.

HYMN Red hymnal #396

Spirit of Gentleness

DISMISSAL

P: What is the mission of Zion Lutheran Church?

C: **The mission of Zion Lutheran Church is: "Serving Christ through serving others."**

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C: **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

P: Go in peace. Tell what God has done.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

In Helpful Service

Guest Speaker

Kristen Zimmann

Keyboard

Joyce Zimmann

Prayer concerns for Zion's prayer chain may be submitted to the church office by calling 1 937 667-3110 or e-mail.

The altar flowers are given to the honor and glory of God by Fred and Jan Aller in celebration of their 50th anniversary.

ATTENDANCE 5/29 & 5/30: 88

Offering: \$2,466.00

Building Fund: \$440.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REMINDER

Pastor Dale will be out of the office June 4th thru June 10th. Kervyn Mach will be the emergency contact.

MISSION OF THE MONTH: Christmas in July / Liberty Commons

Tipp Monroe Community Services will be providing the senior citizens who reside at Liberty Commons with a "Christmas in July" event. In addition to lunch, games and prizes, the residents will receive a goody bag of helpful and fun items. During the month of June, a giving tree will be set up in the lounge area of the church. You are encouraged to take one or more ornaments, purchase the item(s) and return them to the tree no later than **Sunday, June 26**. Please do not wrap the items. Thank you!

COMMUNION IN JUNE

Sunday, June 19 Saturday, June 25

NEW MEMBER CLASS

If you have ever wondered about becoming a member at Zion Lutheran Church, Here's the perfect opportunity:

When: Sunday, June 12, 2022 @ 9:00 a.m.

Where: Adult Sunday School Class Room

Relay For Life needs some volunteers to help with the Survivor Dinner at our event. We need 4 or 5 people who can bake 3 dozen cookies. The cookies need to be placed in the kitchen by 11:30 am on Friday, June 17. We also need 4 or 5 people who would be willing to serve the dinner. You would need to be at the fairgrounds by 5 pm on June 18 and should be done about 8 pm. Youth can earn service hours by helping with the dinner. Sign up in the hallway. Our team, Holy Walkamolies For the Cure, will have a garage sale and bake sale on June 9, 10, and 11 at 376 N. Dorset Road, Troy. Hours are 9-5 each day. Lots of household items, books, and miscellaneous items. Also, lots of yummy baked goods. Our next (and last) meeting will be June 12 at 3 pm in the adult Sunday school room. It's not too late to sign up to participate. Everyone is invited to come out to the Miami County Fairgrounds on June 18, 10 am - 11 pm. Food and activities available throughout the day. Be sure to stop by our booth to say, "Hi." For more info, see the June Tidings or contact Debbie Rudisill

ZION NIGHT / DAYTON DRAGONS GAME

August 13th, Game Time: 7:05 pm

Cost: \$15.00 per ticket / Make checks payable to Zion.

Put ticket money in the offering plate (labeled Dragon ticket \$) or give to Linda in the office. If you wish to carpool, meet in the Zion parking lot at 5:45 and we'll plan to pull out at 6:00 pm. There is a sign up sheet on the wall in the hallway.

Staff

Dale Schaefer, Interim Pastor; Bill Jones & Susie Gray, *Choir Directors*;
Lori Sebastian, *Organist*; Jessica Dorn *Christian Education Director*
Linda Short, *Office Manager*; Sue Rambeau, *Treasurer*; Tina Putnam, *Sexton*