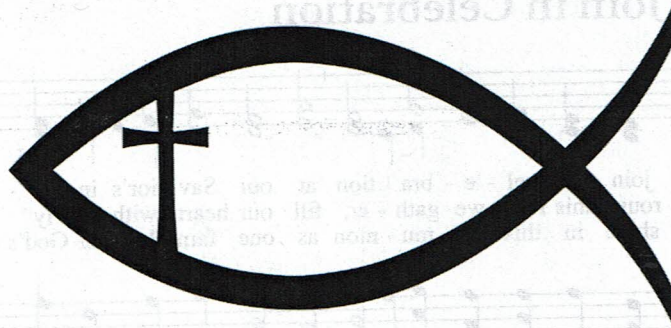


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June 6, 2021 – SEASON OF PENTECOST

10:30 AM - Worship

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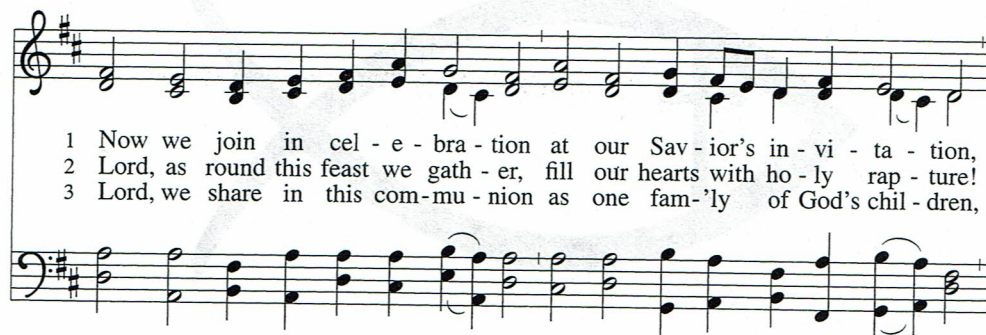
Prelude “The Light of the World in Jesus” - arranged by Mark Hayes

Welcome - Announcements

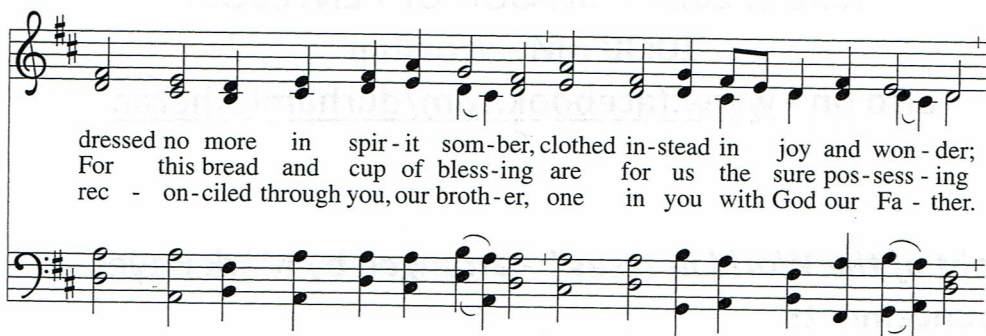
Introduction to Worship

Now We Join in Celebration

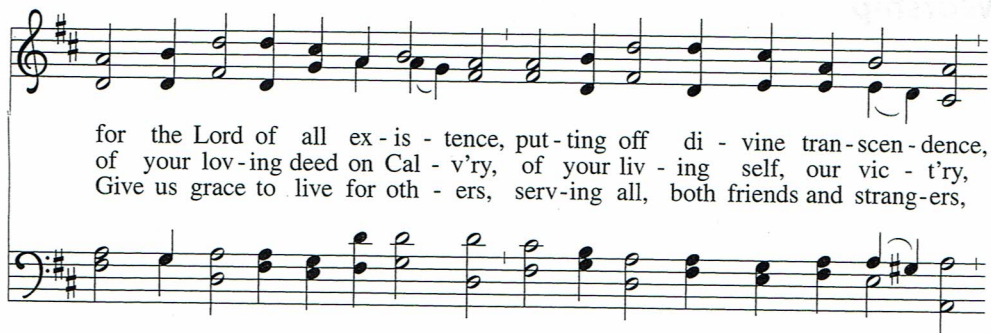
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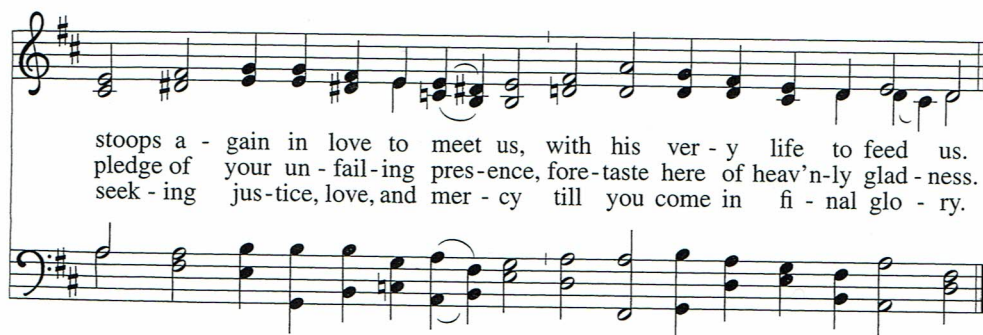
1 Now we join in cel - e - bra - tion at our Sav - ior's in - vi - ta - tion,
2 Lord, as round this feast we gath - er, fill our hearts with ho - ly rap - ture!
3 Lord, we share in this com - mu - nion as one fam - 'ly of God's chil - dren,



dressed no more in spir - it som - ber, clothed in - stead in joy and won - der;
For this bread and cup of bless - ing are for us the sure pos - sess - ing
rec - on - ciled through you, our broth - er, one in you with God our Fa - ther.



for the Lord of all ex - is - tence, put - ting off di - vine tran - scen - dence,
of your lov - ing deed on Cal - v'ry, of your liv - ing self, our vic - t'ry,
Give us grace to live for oth - ers, serv - ing all, both friends and strang - ers,



stoops a - gain in love to meet us, with his ver - y life to feed us.
pledge of your un - fail - ing pres - ence, fore - taste here of heav' - n - ly glad - ness.
seek - ing jus - tice, love, and mer - cy till you come in fi - nal glo - ry.

Greeting

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

Prayer of the Day

All-powerful God, in Jesus Christ you turned death into life and defeat into victory. Increase our faith and trust in him, that we may triumph over all evil in the strength of the same Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

First Reading- Genesis 3: 8-15

They heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden at the time of the evening breeze, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden. But the LORD God called to the man, and said to him, "Where are you?" He said, "I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked; and I hid myself." He said, "Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?" The man said, "The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit from the tree, and I ate." Then the LORD God said to the woman, "What is this that you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent tricked me, and I ate." The LORD God said to the serpent, "Because you have done this, cursed are you among all animals and among all wild creatures; upon your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life. I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will strike your head, and you will strike his heel."

Psalm 130

Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD;

**²O LORD, hear my voice! Let your ears
be attentive to the voice of my supplication.**

**³If you were to keep watch over sins,
O LORD, who could stand?**

**⁴Yet with you is forgiveness,
in order that you may be feared.**

**⁵I wait for you, O LORD; my soul waits;
in your word is my hope.**

**⁶My soul wait for the Lord
more than those who keep watch
for the morning, more than those
who keep watch for the morning.**

**⁷O Israel, wait for the LORD,
for with the LORD there is steadfast love;
with the LORD there is plenteous redemption.**

**⁸For the LORD shall redeem Israel
from all their sins.**

Second Reading- 2 Corinthians 4:13 - 5:1

Just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—"I believed, and so I spoke"—we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal.

For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (said by all)

**“ALLELUIA! LORD, TO WHOM SHALL WE GO?
YOU HAVE THE WORDS OF ETERNAL LIFE. ALLELUIA”**

The Holy Gospel - Mark 3: 20-35


[Jesus] went home; and the crowd came together again, so that [Jesus and the disciples] could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, “He has gone out of his mind.” And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, “He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.” And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, “How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man’s house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered.

“Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin”— for they had said, “He has an unclean spirit.”


Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.” And he replied, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” And looking at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.”

Message


Hymn - ELW #860 - “I’m So Glad Jesus Lifted Me”



1 I'm so glad I'm so glad
2 Sa - tan had me bound, Je - sus lift - ed me. Sa - tan had me bound,
3 When I was in trou - ble, When I was in trou - ble,



Je - sus lift - ed me. I'm so glad
Sa - tan had me bound, Je - sus lift - ed me,
When I was in trou - ble,



sing - ing glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah! Je - sus lift - ed me.

APOSTLES' CREED

**☑ 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 into hell.*

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**

**Or, He descended to the dead.*

Prayers and Intercessions:

Pastor: For the..... we pray:

People: We cry to you, O Lord.

Sign of Peace

Blessing (Pastor) : The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us,

+ be upon you now and forever. AMEN.

Dismissal:

Pastor: Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.

PEOPLE: THANKS BE TO GOD!

Postlude: "Variations on a Theme" - by Haydn - Johannes Brahms

Helping in Worship

Organist/Choir Director	- Carolyn Williams
Lector	- Bob Starling
Altar Guild	- Val McGinn and Barbara Naska
Usher	- Joe Hlavaty
Technology Leader	- Ken Anderson
Office Secretary	- Jessica Mette
Custodian	- Dianna Streletz

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- WORSHIP: Sunday at 10:30AM (inside and also livestreamed on Facebook & YouTube)
- NOTE: WORSHIP TIME WILL BE CHANGED FOR SUMMER SUNDAYS ON June 20 ("Father's Day")- 10AM
- SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY meets Thursdays at 2:30PM at home of Kathy and Joe Hlavaty/
Don Seipt - 95 Buttermilk Rd. - just off of Raubsville/Hellertown Rd. - Meet in church parking lot at 2:20PM each Thursday for car-pooling.
 - JUNE "OUTREACH" OFFERING - Church World Service "Tools"
 - SPECIAL OUTDOOR COOPERATIVE VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL -
July 19 - 23, 6PM - 8:30PM, at Trinity Lutheran, Pleasant Valley. Registration materials are now going out (E-mail and mail).

Please lift up in prayer the following ...

For Healing of those in our Congregation: Michael Altemus; Joanne & David

Antoni; Esther Crouse; Norma Fox; Faye Gadwell; Virginia Hager; Betty & George Kreitz; Joan Mammana; Chris Mueller; Dot Peterman; Silas Rodenbach; Hal Taylor; Carolyn Williams; and Joanne and Bobby Ziegenfuss.

For Healing of Friends and Family: Brian Ashmore, Jr.; Lynn Bailey; Jason Bigley; Karen Bolesta; Kelly Bordelon; Phyllis Boyer; Deb Carmichael; Chris Fear; Fred Foerster; Ken Garey; Candie Gimbar; Bob Helm; Kathy J.; Virginia Johnson; Mary Ellen Jonczyk; Jean Kaki; Martine King; Priscilla Kinter; Barbara Lynch; Chelsea Marley; Warren & Pat Merkham; Clint O'Connor; Lisa Pezzino; Donnie Pyne; Randy Rilling; Connie Rugen; Linda Saunders; David Sebring; Gary Shollenberger; Donna Storm; Russ Trauger; Alex Ulrey; and Linda Willson

For those who are Homebound: Cleo and Ken Eck; Phyllis Lanshe.

For the Grieving: The families of Reta Bieber; Julia Bizon; Craig Hartzell; Leah Kneebone; Dean Litzenberger; Elfriede and Manfred Marschewski; Sarah Rhine; Gerry Seipt; Lewis Snyder; Alex Trebek; and Rudolf von Watzdorf.

For those in Health Care: Including Sara Aquino, Debbie Angstadt; Kendell Beerer, Mary Crouse, Sara Deal Den Herder, Mary Erceg; Faye Gadwell; Tanya Naska; Kristi Lee Reiman; and Sharron Streletz.

Essential Food Workers: Bethany Michl, Trauger's Farm

Essential Postal Workers: Andrea Fox and Dawn Margeson

New Baby: Please keep Brittany and Dan Froehlich and their newborn daughter, Olivia Dawn Froehlich, in your prayers. Olivia was born December 4, 2020. Please keep Alyse and Andrew Hales, along with big brother Ashton and their newborn daughter, Aria Leighton Hales, in your prayers. Aria was born March 2, 2021. (grandparents are Cheryl and Wayne Mesko) Please keep Tabitha and David Weiner and their newborn daughter, Abigail Rae Weiner, in your prayers. Abigail was born March 18, 2021. (grandparents are Beth and Luke Snyder)