

Prelude

Processional Hymn ..... “O Day Full of Grace” ..... LBW #161

Special Music ..... “Spirit, Come Down” ... Faith Kids Music Club  
and Faith Singers

Greeting/Announcements

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness ..... LBW pg. 77

Kyrie ..... LBW pg. 78

Special Music ..... “Every Time I Feel the Spirit” ..... Faith Singers

Prayer of the Day  
**God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, as you sent upon the disciples the promised gift of the Holy Spirit, look upon your Church and open our hearts to the power of the Spirit. Kindle in us the fire of your love, and strengthen our lives for service in your kingdom; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now forever.**

First Lesson ..... Ezekiel 37:1-14

Second Lesson ..... Acts 2

Faith Seeds ..... Rachel Kamrath  
 Faith Seeds is a time for children of all ages to come forward for a lesson geared to them.

The Gospel Acclamation:  
**“Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?  
 You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.”**

The Announcement of the Gospel ..... **“Glory to You, O Lord”**

Gospel ..... John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15

Response after the Gospel ..... **“Praise to You, O Christ”**

Sermon ..... “Advantage: You” ..... Pastor Scott Grorud

Hymn ..... “Creator Spirit, Heavenly Dove” (Tune: #403) ..... LBW #284  
 sts. 1, 2, 4 , & 7

Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

Offering/Special Music ... “Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart” ...  
 Ringers of Faith

Offertory Response ... “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
 Praise him, all creatures here below;  
 Praise him above, ye heav’nly host;  
 Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

LBW #565 Text: Thomas Ken, 1637-1711 Tune: Louis Bourgeois, c. 1510-1561

Prayers of the Church

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.**

Benediction

Closing Hymn .... “Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing” ..... LBW #559

# Faith Lutheran Church (LCMC)

Hutchinson, Minnesota  
8:00 a.m. First Word Service  
May 19, 2024  
Pentecost

## What Does This Mean?

1. Why was Pentecost Day such an important event?
2. Why is Pentecost Day still a confusing event?
3. What key promise ties together Jesus' words in John 15 and Peter's Pentecost sermon?
4. What immense advantage does Pentecost bring you?



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## Special Note for Children

Children are encourage to wave their flames,  
in celebration of the churches birthday,  
while we are singing the hymns today.

