



TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH GREENCASTLE, PA
“Sharing Christ in Word and Deed”

May 15, 2016 11 am The Day of Pentecost

The Rev. William DeHass, Pastor
Dave Wolfe, Assisting Minister
Cameron Schroy, Usher

Dale Thatcher and Cameron Schroy, Communion Assistants
Music by Sandra Wingert, Phyllis McCullough and Micah Stevenson
Projectionist – Bruce DeMaster

WE WELCOME ALL WHO WORSHIP HERE THIS DAY!

- If you are visiting with us, we are honored by your presence. We encourage you to complete the Welcome envelope located in the pew rack and place in the offering plate. If you are seeking a church home, please speak with the Pastor.
- Holy Communion is celebrated in this morning's worship. Our Lord invites to this table all baptized Christians. Young children should follow the practice of their home congregation. Come forward and receive bread from the Pastor, dip the bread into the chalice held by the Worship Assistant, then partake of the bread.
- Persons or concerns may be added to today's prayers by filling out a prayer request card located in the pew racks. The prayer cards will be collected during the Scripture Song. .

GATHERING SONG – Holy Spirit Rain Down

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SONG – Shine, Jesus, Shine

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,
the fountain of living water,
the rock who gave us birth,
our light and our salvation.

Amen.

Let us come into the light,
the revealing and healing light of God.

Silence is kept for reflection.

God of grace and glory,
**you have brought us through the night of sin
into the light of Jesus' resurrection.
Yet our lives are still shadowed by sin.
Make us alive in Christ, O God.**

**Make us new as you make all things new.
Rescue us from evil and the gloom of sin,
renew us in grace, and restore us to living in your holiness,
through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. Amen.**

Rejoice with all creation around God's throne!
The light of the risen Christ
puts to flight all evil deeds, washes away sin,
restores innocence to the fallen,
casts out hate, brings peace,
and humbles earthly pride.
Jesus Christ loves you
and † frees you from your sins by his blood.
To him be glory and dominion forever and ever!
Amen.

Let us pray together... **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**

Congregation may be seated

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE SONG – Breath of God

SCRIPTURE READING – Acts 2:1-21

Before Jesus ascended into heaven, he told his disciples they would be filled with the Holy Spirit. Now, surrounded by signs of fire, wind, and a variety of languages in their midst, the people were amazed and astonished at Jesus' promise coming true.

When the day of Pentecost had come, [the apostles] were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and

began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

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

But 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. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

‘In 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.
Even upon my slaves, both men and women,
in those days I will pour out my Spirit;
and they shall prophesy.
And I will show portents in the heaven above
and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.
The sun shall be turned to darkness
and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord’s great and glorious day.
Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.’ ”

MESSAGE FOR THE DAY

SILENCE FOR REFLECTION

SONG OF THE DAY – Glorify Thy Name

NICENE CREED

Let us confess our faith using the words of the 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,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary
and became truly human**

**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,*
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.**

We believe in one holy catholic 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.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

The prayers will be offered in petitions ending in "Lord, in your mercy". The congregation will respond, "Hear our prayer"

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and may say, "Peace be with you," or similar words. Please remain standing after this.

OFFERING PRAYER

Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth.

Day by day you shower us with blessings.

As you have raised us to new life in Christ,

give us glad and generous hearts,

ready to praise you and to respond to those in need,

through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

HOLY COMMUNION

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,

that we should at all times and in all places

give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,

through our Savior Jesus Christ.

Fulfilling the promise of the resurrection,

you pour out the fire of your Spirit,

uniting in one body people of every nation and tongue.

And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection,

with earth and sea and all their creatures,

and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim,

we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me

**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.**

The table of life is spread before you.
Feast on the goodness and mercy of God.

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.**

As you come forward receive the bread from the Pastor and then dip it in the cup held by the Communion Assistant. Then partake of the elements together. You may return to your place by using the side aisle. The Praise Band will be singing during distribution. You are welcome to sing along

COMMUNION SONG -- Beautiful Scandalous Night

PRAYER AND BLESSING

We give you thanks, O God,
that you make your home with us,
bringing heaven to earth in this holy meal.
Fill us with your Spirit as we go from here,
that we may wipe away tears,
tend to those in mourning and pain,
seek the healing of the nations,
and bring to earth the presence of your Son,
Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

The blessing of the Lord God Almighty,
the blessing of † Christ, the Lamb who was slain,
and the blessing of the Holy Spirit of truth
be among you and remain with you always.

Amen.

SENDING SONG – Rejoice in the Mission

DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance last Sunday:

8:30 a.m. – 78 (11 visitors and 67 members)

11:00 a.m. – 28 (2 visitors and 26 members)

Offering Last Sunday: Regular -\$1634.00; Benevolence - \$141.00; Building Fund - \$914.00; Special Appeal - \$49.00; Food Pantry - \$20.00

IN THE CHURCH THIS WEEK:

Monday - Stewardship - 7:00 p.m.

AA - 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday - Bible Study 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Wednesday - Paint night Fundraiser - 7:00 p.m.

Worship & Music - 7:00 p.m.

Thursday - Choir Practice - 6:45 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Friday - AA 8:00 p.m.

Saturday - Council retreat - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Sunday - Worship with Holy Communion - 8:30 a.m.

Fellowship time following service

Sunday School for all ages - 10:00 a.m.

Worship with Holy Communion - 11:00 a.m.

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are presented to the glory of God in honor of our granddaughter Ivy, from Dick & Judy Miller.

THE HARVEST COMMITTEE is selling Sub Coupons from The Butcher Shoppe in Chambersburg and Kline's Grocery Store in Shady Grove for \$5.00. They are nice to have around to get a quick lunch. Purchase yours today from a member of the Harvest Committee.

GRADUATE RECOGNITION - Please inform the church office of any graduations in your family. We will honor Trinity's graduates on June 5th during worship and we also remember all graduates in the prayers of the church that day. If you have a family member that is graduating and you would like them remembered in the prayers, please call the church office at 597-9348.

WOMENS BIBLE STUDY - join us on Tuesday May 17th from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. as we continue to study Hymns of Grace. This week we will look at **Children of the Heavenly Father**. The Group meets in the adult Sunday school room. If you have any questions see Marie Dean or Phyllis McCullough.

WORK DAY AT THE CHURCH - SAVE THE DATE on June 4th beginning at 9:00 a.m. or when you can get there. We will be doing a lot of little projects - clean-up, repair, etc. both inside and outside. If you can, please give a little or a lot that day.

PARISH PICNIC - The annual Parish Picnic will be held at Trinity on Sunday, June 5th. The picnic will follow our 11:00 a.m. service. Chicken, place setting and beverages will be provided. Each family is asked to bring a hot or cold dish to share. Hot foods may be kept in the ovens in the kitchen. Donations will be accepted to cover the cost of the chicken. There will be games and fun for everyone. Please sign the sheet on the bulletin board in the vestibule if you plan to attend so we have an idea of the amount of chicken to order.

WE ARE CONTINUING TO SAVE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

Ink Cartridges – These are being recycled by Donna to purchase office supplies. There is also a box in the new collection station to deposit your cartridges.

Old Cell phones and chargers.

Postage Stamps – The “Stamps for Missions” program is ongoing. One pound of stamps provides a Bible for someone. When you cut them leave about 1 inch around each stamp.

Campbell Soup Labels and General Mills Box Tops for Education.

Aluminum Tabs - For Ronald McDonald House Charities. Over \$223,000 has been raised since 1996. Thanks for helping to pick up the "tab" for the many families who use our "House that love built" - all at no cost! A new collection station, made by James Thomas, has been placed in the vestibule with separate boxes to deposit these items.

CALLING ALL SINGERS - OLD HOME WEEK 2016 musical - needs people to sing in the adult choir on Sunday, August 7, 2016. There will be two performances. Registration deadline is May 15th. If you are interested in participating in these performances, contact Sandra Wingert at 597-2644. Rehearsals will be held on Tuesday beginning in June from 6:30 to 7:40 p.m. at the Greencastle Antrim High School.

Singers are also needed for the pageant "Our Proud History" to be presented on Tuesday, August 9th and Wednesday, August 10th at 7:30 p.m. each evening. To sing in the pageant choir simply show up at the first rehearsal to be held on Tuesday, June 14th from 7:45 to 8:30 p.m. at the Greencastle-Antrim High School.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:

June 4 - Work day at the church - 9:00 a.m.
June 5 - Parish Picnic following second service
June 25 - Make ice cream at church - 8 a.m.
July 8 - Sidewalk Sales - 8 a.m.
July 9 - Sidewalk Sales - 8 a.m.
July 27 - Bible School - 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
July 28 - Bible School - 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
July 29 - Bible School - 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.
July 30 - Bible School - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
August 6 to August 13 - Old Home Week

GREENCASTLE-ANTRIM WOMENS FELLOWSHIP

When - June 4th, Tuesday- 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Place: Evangelical Lutheran Church
Memorial Fellowship Hall
130 N. Washington Street

Topic - "FORGIVENESS, FINDING PEACE THROUGH
LETTING GO"

**CHAMBERSBURG CONFERENCE NEWS
WELLNESS TALK**

The Wellness Talk for April will be held **Tuesday, May 17th at 1:00pm.** SpiriTrust Lutheran Home Health Physical Therapy will present a talk on walker and wheelchair safety. The talk will take place at the Fleck Center at SpiriTrust Lutheran™, The Village

at Luther Ridge, 2998 Luther Drive, Chambersburg. Please R.S.V.P. to 267-1665 if you plan to attend this informative session.

Auxiliary News

The SpiriTrust Lutheran Chambersburg Auxiliary will hold its annual Membership Drive during the month of May. Anyone can join with a minimum donation of \$1.00. The Auxiliary provides support for programs of SpiriTrust Lutheran in Franklin and Fulton counties. In 2016, the Auxiliary plans to make donations to SpiriTrust Lutheran Home Care & Hospice, SpiriTrust Lutheran LIFE, SpiriTrust Lutheran Counseling Services, as well as The Inn Endowment Fund and many other important programs and services. If you would like to join the Auxiliary or need more information, please contact your congregational representative.

**SUE SNYDER IS DISTRIBUTING ENVELOPES FOR OUR CONGREGATION.
COMPLETE AND RETURN TO SUE.**

The following people sponsored Geraniums for Pentecost Sunday -

Bud & Donna Wolfe

Paul & Shirley Freeman

Carolyn Clark

Nancy Dunn

Gust & Mimi Barbuzanes

Charles & Nancy Freshman

Pastor Bill DeHass & Beth Fairchild

Tim & Jen Barbuzanes

Terry & Laura Ellis

Don & Joyce Berger

Rob & Alice Marsh

Sally & Donnie Funk

Dave & Stacie Wolfe

HUNGER J.A.M. OFFERING

Our Lower Susquehanna Synod is sponsoring a food packing event on June 3, 2016 at Messiah College, Grantham PA. There is an insert in the bulleting with more information. To help with the costs each congregation is encouraged to receive some type of offering to defray the expenses.

For the next three weeks there will be a J.A.M. Jar just outside the worship space. We are asking for folks to bring is loose change and place it in the jar. (You can drop bills in there as well, but spare change is perfectly acceptable.)