

Sunday, May 23, 2021 — Day of Pentecost

# University Lutheran Church Lutheran Campus Ministry

9:00 AM Worship Service



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# SUNDAY WORSHIP

## PRELUDE

Aiko Yamada Mancini

## THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

*All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.*

**P** Alleluia! Christ is risen.

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

**P** Refreshed by the resurrection life we share in Christ, let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

We thank you, risen Christ, for waters where you make us new, leading us from death to life, from tears to joy.

We bless you, risen Christ, that your Spirit comes to us in the grace-filled waters of rebirth, like rains to our thirsting earth, like streams that revive our souls, like cups of cool water shared with strangers.

Breathe your peace on your church when we hide in fear. Clothe us with your mercy and forgiveness. Send us companions on our journey as we share your life.

Make us one, risen Christ. Cleanse our hearts. Shower us with life. To you be given all praise, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God, now and forever.

**C** **Amen.**

# OPENING HYMN

# SPIRIT OF GENTLENESS

*Refrain*

## GREETING

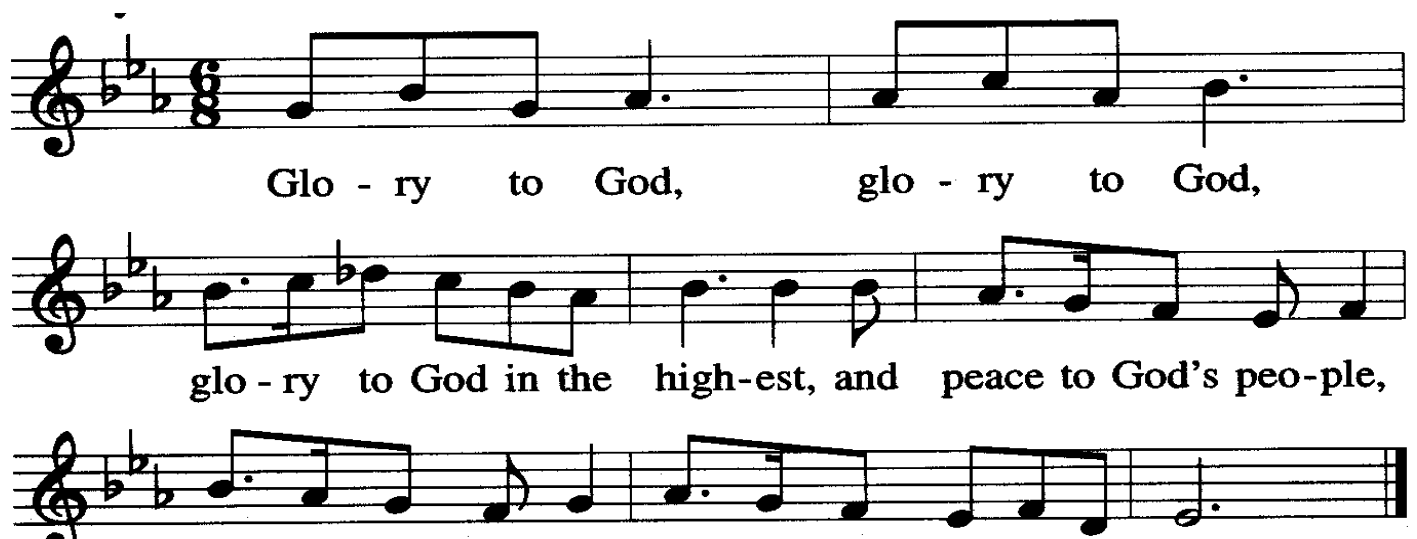
P Alleluia! Christ is risen.

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

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.**

## CANTICLE OF PRAISE



Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God,  
glo - ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple,  
peace to God's peo-ple, peace to God's peo-ple on earth.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

A Let us pray. Mighty God, you breathe life into our bones, and your Spirit brings truth to the world. Send us this Spirit, transform us by your truth, and give us language to proclaim your gospel, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

## FIRST READING

Acts 2:1-21

<sup>1</sup>When the day of Pentecost had come, [the apostles] were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup>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. <sup>3</sup>Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. <sup>4</sup>All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

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

<sup>14</sup>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. <sup>15</sup>Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. <sup>16</sup>No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

<sup>17</sup>"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. <sup>18</sup>Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I

will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. <sup>19</sup>And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

<sup>20</sup>The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. <sup>21</sup>Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

## PSALM

Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

*The Psalm will be spoken in unison.*

<sup>24</sup>How manifold are your <sup>|</sup> works, O LORD! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full <sup>|</sup> of your creatures.

<sup>25</sup>**Yonder is the sea, great and wide, with its swarms too man- <sup>|</sup> y to number, living things both <sup>|</sup> small and great.**

<sup>26</sup>There go the ships <sup>|</sup> to and fro, and Leviathan, which you made for the sport of it.

<sup>27</sup>**All of them <sup>|</sup> look to you to give them their food <sup>|</sup> in due season.**

<sup>28</sup>You give it to them; they <sup>|</sup> gather it; you open your hand, and they are filled <sup>|</sup> with good things.

<sup>29</sup>**When you hide your face, <sup>|</sup> they are terrified; when you take away their breath, they die and return <sup>|</sup> to their dust.**

<sup>30</sup>You send forth your Spirit, and they <sup>|</sup> are created; and so you renew the face <sup>|</sup> of the earth.

<sup>31</sup>**May the glory of the LORD en- <sup>|</sup> dure forever; O LORD, rejoice in <sup>|</sup> all your works.**

<sup>32</sup>You look at the earth <sup>|</sup> and it trembles; you touch the mountains <sup>|</sup> and they smoke.

<sup>33</sup>**I will sing to the LORD as long <sup>|</sup> as I live; I will praise my God while I <sup>|</sup> have my being.**

<sup>34</sup>May these words of mine please God. I will rejoice in the LORD.

<sup>35b</sup>Bless the LORD, O my soul. Hal-lelujah!

## SECOND READING

Romans 8:22-27

<sup>22</sup>We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labor pains until now; <sup>23</sup>and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. <sup>24</sup>For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? <sup>25</sup>But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

<sup>26</sup>Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. <sup>27</sup>And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Al - le - lu - ia,  
Al - le - lu - ia, Lord, to whom shall we go? For  
you have the words, you have the words, the words of e -  
ter - nal life, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

## GOSPEL

John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

P The Holy Gospel according to John the fifteenth and sixteenth chapters.

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

[Jesus said,] <sup>26</sup>"When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. <sup>27</sup>You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning.

<sup>16:4b</sup>"I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. <sup>5</sup>But now I am going to him who sent me; yet none of you asks me, 'Where are you going?' <sup>6</sup>But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your hearts. <sup>7</sup>Nevertheless I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. <sup>8</sup>And when he comes, he will prove the world wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: <sup>9</sup>about sin, because they do not believe in me; <sup>10</sup>about righteousness, because I am going to the Father and you will see me no longer; <sup>11</sup>about judgment, because the ruler of this world has been condemned.

<sup>12</sup>"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now.

<sup>13</sup>When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. <sup>14</sup>He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. <sup>15</sup>All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

P The Gospel of the Lord.

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

## HOMILY

Gary N. McCluskey, Pastor

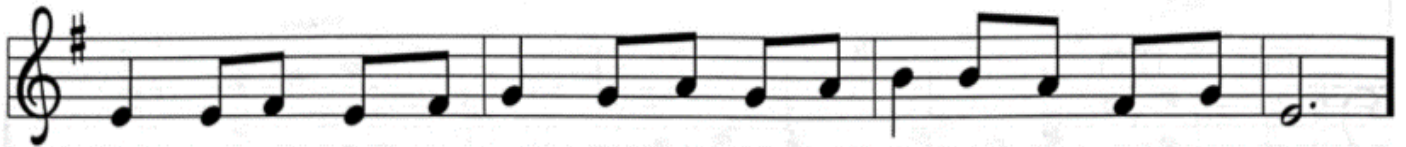


# HYMN OF THE DAY

# OH, LIVING BREATH OF GOD



1 *So-plo de Dios vi-vien - te que en el prin-ci - pio cu-bris-te el a - gua,*  
1 O liv-ing Breath of God, wind at the be-gin - ning up - on the wa - ters;  
2 O liv-ing Breath of God, by whose pow'r the Son came to birth a - mong us;  
3 O liv-ing Breath of God, bear-ing us to life through bap-tis-mal wa - ters;



*So - plo de Dios vi - vien - te que fe - cun - da - ste la cre - a - ción:*  
O liv-ing Breath of God, bear-ing the cre - a - tion to won-drous birth:  
O liv-ing Breath of God, who to the cre - a - tion gives life a - new:  
O liv-ing Breath of God, sigh-ing with cre - a - tion for free-dom's birth:

## Refrain / Estribillo



*Ven hoy a nues-tras al - mas, in - fún - de - nos tus do - nes;*  
Come now, and fill our spir - its; pour out your gifts a - bun - dant.



*So - plo de Dios vi - vien - te, oh San-to E - spí - ri - tu del Se - ñor.*  
O liv-ing Breath of God, Ho - ly Spir - it, breathe in us as we pray.

## **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

## **APOSTLES' CREED**

**C I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.  
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 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 INTERCESSION**

**A Alive in the risen Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit, we bring our  
prayers before God who promises to hear us and answer in steadfast  
love.**

*A brief silence. After each portion of the prayers the Assistant will say:*

**A Hear us, O God.**

*The congregation will respond with:*

**C Your mercy is great.**

*The prayers conclude:*

A In the hope of new life in Christ, we raise our prayers to you, trusting in your never-ending goodness and mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen.

## THE PEACE IS SHARED

P The peace of Christ be with you all.

C And also with you.

## OFFERTORY

## FOR THE LIFE THAT YOU HAVE GIVEN

For the life that you have giv - en, for the love in Christ made known,  
with these fruits of time and la - bor, with these gifts that are your own:  
here we of - fer, Lord, our prais - es; heart and mind and strength we bring;  
give us grace to love and serve you, liv - ing what we pray and sing.

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of four systems, each with a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The lyrics are printed below the vocal line of each system.

## OFFERING PRAYER

A Let us pray. God of love,

C you call us beloved children and welcome us to your table.

Receive our lives and the gifts we offer. Abide with us and send us in service to a suffering world; for the sake of your beloved Child, Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Thank you to all who continue to support our ministry through your prayers, calls, emails, and texts. Thank you to all who continue to support our ministry with your financial gifts. We know some in our community have lost their jobs and others have had theirs significantly scaled back. We continue to have the same needs of financial support along with a few additional costs as we operate much differently during this time.*

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*Thank you!*

**P** Make us bold, O merciful God, to address you as our Abba as we pray,

## **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**C** Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,  
now and forever. Amen.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **BENEDICTION**

**P** May our glorious God grant you a spirit of wisdom to know and to love the risen Lord Jesus.

The God of life, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

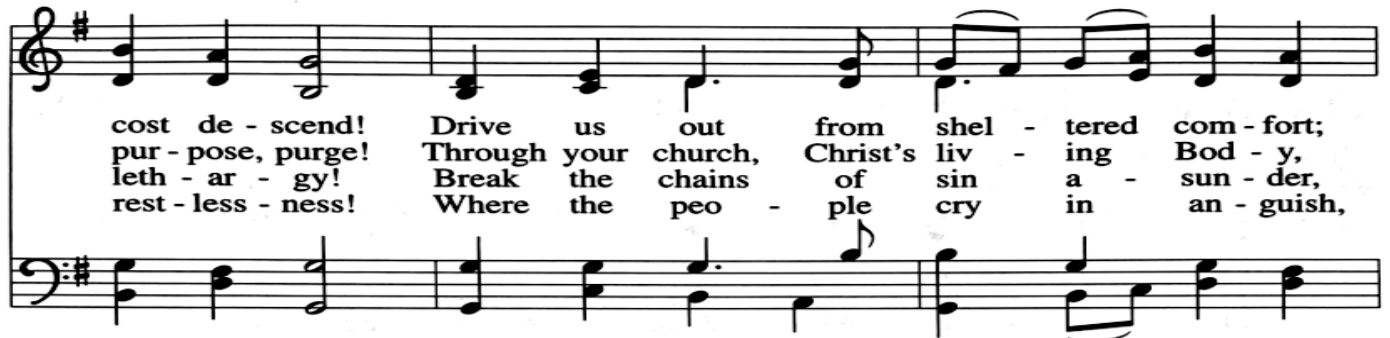
**C** Amen.

# CLOSING HYMN

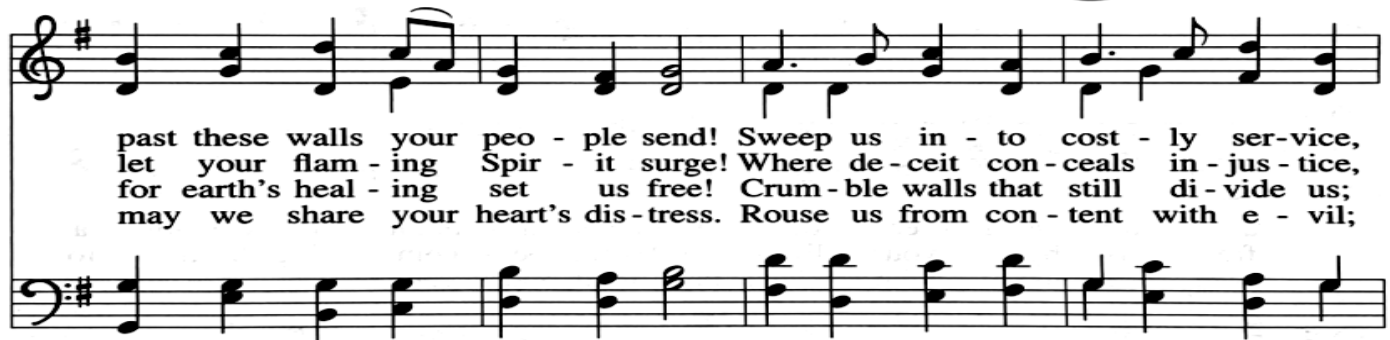
# GOD OF TEMPEST, GOD OF WHIRLWIND



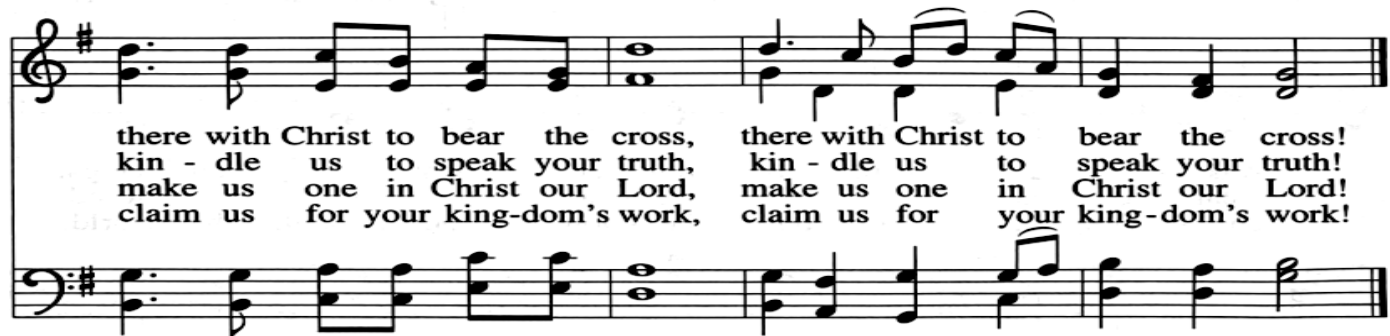
1 God of tem - pest, God of whirl-wind, as on Pen - te -  
2 God of blaz - ing, God of burn - ing, all that blocks your  
3 God of earth - quake, God of thun - der, shake us loose from  
4 God of pas - sion, God un - sleep - ing, stir in us love's



cost de - scend! Drive us out from shel - tered com - fort;  
pur - pose, purge! Through your church, Christ's liv - ing Bod - y,  
leth - ar - gy! Break the chains of sin a - sun - der,  
rest - less - ness! Where the peo - ple cry in an - guish,



past these walls your peo - ple send! Sweep us in - to cost - ly ser - vice,  
let your flam - ing Spir - it surge! Where de - ceit con - ceals in - jus - tice,  
for earth's heal - ing set us free! Crum - ble walls that still di - vide us;  
may we share your heart's dis - tress. Rouse us from con - tent with e - vil;



there with Christ to bear the cross, there with Christ to bear the cross!  
kin - dle us to speak your truth, kin - dle us to speak your truth!  
make us one in Christ our Lord, make us one in Christ our Lord!  
claim us for your king - dom's work, claim us for your king - dom's work!

## SENDING

A Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

A Go in peace. Share the good news. Alleluia!

C Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

## POSTLUDE

Aiko Yamada Mancini

## Participants in Worship

### **Pastor**

*Gary N. McCluskey*

### **Worship Assistant**

*Nils Peterson*

### **Lectors**

*Lynn Aiken (Swedish)*

*Jacob Hilliker (German)*

*MaryBeth LaMont (Spanish)*

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*Erin Crawford, voice*

*John Fillo, voice & bass*

*Sophie Lott, voice*

*Nic Peters, voice*

*Nils Peterson, voice*

*Maddie Shaner, voice*

*Aaron Griffith-VanderYacht, voice*

*Aiko Yamada Mancini, piano,  
organ, and voice.*