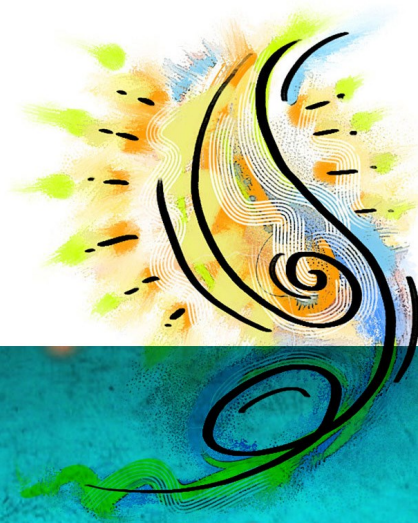


**When you send
forth your Spirit,
*they are created...***



Psalm 104:30



Welcome to Holy Trinity Lutheran Church and School.

We gather to worship the only God and Savior: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

LORD my God, you are very great

May 24, 2026

Pentacost

The Lord sends his Spirit every moment of every day and night to create and sustain this world and our life in it. Today on Pentecost we give praise and thanks to the Lord for all the work of his Holy Spirit. The Lord our God is very great!

Today's 8:00 a.m. worship is broadcast live on YouTube. The YouTube link can be found at the church's website:

www.holytrinity.church

After the service, the recording can be accessed at the same YouTube site.

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ORDER OF SERVICE—SETTING FOUR

Hymn 585 *Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord*



1 Come, Ho - ly Ghost, God and Lord! May all your grac - es
2 Come, ho - ly Light, guide di - vine, and cause the Word of
3 Come, ho - ly Fire, com - fort true, grant us the will your



be out-poured on each be - liev - er's mind and heart;
life to shine. Teach us to know our God a - right
work to do and in your ser - vice to a - bide;



your fer-vent love to them im-part. Lord, by the bright-ness
and call him Fa - ther with de-light. From ev - 'ry er - ror
let tri - als turn us not a - side. Lord, by your pow'r pre -



of your light you gath - er and in faith u - nite
keep us free; let none but Christ our mas - ter be
pare each heart, and to our weak - ness strength im - part



your Church from ev - 'ry land and tongue: this to your
that we in liv - ing faith a - bide, in him, our
that brave - ly here we may con - tend, through life and



praise, O Lord our God, be sung. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
Lord, with all our might con - fide. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
death to you, our Lord, as - cend. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

CONFESSIO

P: Blessed is the person whose rebellion is forgiven,

C: **whose sin is covered.**

P: Blessed is the person against whom the Lord charges no guilt,

C: **and in whose spirit is no deceit.**

P: I said, "I will confess my rebellion to the Lord,"

C: **and you forgave the guilt of my sin.**

Silent time for personal confession of sin.

P: Let us confess together:

C: **Father, I am sinful, and I have sinned against you.**

I am not worthy to be called your child.

Yet in mercy, you sacrificed your only Son to take away my guilt.

For his sake, O God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

P: God, our merciful Father, has forgiven all our sins. He sent his Son, Jesus Christ, to be our Redeemer and Savior. Jesus paid the penalty for our guilt by his death on the cross and freed us from death by his resurrection from the grave.

C: **We have peace with God now and forever. Amen.**

Hymn 589 (stanzas 1,3) Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid



1 Cre - a - tor Spir - it, by whose aid the world's foun - da - tions
3 Giv - er of grace, de-scend from high in an - swer to our



first were laid, come, vis - it ev - 'ry hum - ble mind; come,
ear - nest cry. Help us e - ter - nal truths re - ceive and



pour your joys on hu - man - kind. From sin and sor - row
 prac - tice all that we be - lieve. Give us your wis - dom

set us free; may we your liv - ing tem - ples be.
 that we see the glo - ry of the Trin - i - ty.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Let us pray.

Holy Spirit, God and Lord, come to us this joyful day with your sevenfold gift of grace. Rekindle in our hearts the holy fire of your love that in a true and living faith we may tell abroad the glory of our Savior, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Father, one God, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

THE WORD

First Lesson — Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had arrived, they were all together in one place. Suddenly a sound like that of a violent rushing wind came from heaven, and it filled the whole house where they were staying. They saw tongues like flames of fire that separated and rested on each one of them. Then they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them.

Now there were Jews staying in Jerusalem, devout people from every nation under heaven. When this sound occurred, a crowd came together and was confused because each one heard them speaking in his own language. They were astounded and amazed, saying, “Look, aren’t all these who are speaking Galileans? How is it that each of us can hear them in our own native language?”

Parthians, Medes, Elamites; those who live in Mesopotamia, in Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya near Cyrene; visitors from Rome (both Jews and converts), Cretans and Arabs — we hear them declaring the magnificent acts of God in our own tongues.” They were all astounded and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” But some sneered and said, “They’re drunk on new wine.”

Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice, and proclaimed to them, “Fellow Jews and all you residents of Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and pay attention to my words. For these people are not drunk, as you suppose, since it’s only nine in the morning. On the contrary, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

“And it will be in the last days, says God,
that I will pour out my Spirit on all people;
then your sons and your daughters will prophesy,
your young men will see visions,
and your old men will dream dreams.
I will even pour out my Spirit
on my servants in those days, both men and women
and they will prophesy.
I will display wonders in the heaven above
and signs on the earth below:
blood and fire and a cloud of smoke.
The sun will be turned to darkness
and the moon to blood
before the great and glorious day of the Lord comes.
Then everyone who calls
on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

P: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 104

Refrain



LORD, send out your Spir-it and re-new the face of the earth.

Tone



How many are your / works, LORD!

In wisdom you / made them all.

All creatures / look to you

to give them their food at the / proper time.

When you give it to them, they gather / it up;

when you open your hand, they are satisfied / with good things. Refrain

May the glory of the LORD endure for- / ever;

may the LORD rejoice / in his works —

he makes winds his / messengers,

flames of fire his / servants.

I will sing to the LORD / all my life;

I will sing praise to my God as long / as I live.

Glory be to the Father and / to the Son

and to the Holy / Spirit,

as it was in the be- / ginning,

is now, and will be forever. / Amen. Refrain

Second Lesson—1 Corinthians 12:3-11

Therefore I want you to know that no one speaking by the Spirit of God says, “Jesus is cursed,” and no one can say, “Jesus is Lord,” except by the Holy Spirit.

Now there are different gifts, but the same Spirit. There are different ministries, but the same Lord. And there are different activities, but the same God works all of them in each person. A manifestation of the Spirit is given to each person for the common good: to one is given a message of wisdom through the Spirit, to another, a message of knowledge by the same Spirit, to another, faith by the

same Spirit, to another, gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another, the performing of miracles, to another, prophecy, to another, distinguishing between spirits, to another, different kinds of tongues, to another, interpretation of tongues. One and the same Spirit is active in all these, distributing to each person as he wills.

P: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Please stand.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

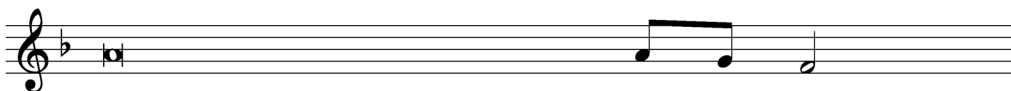


Refrain



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Tone



Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful peo - ple,



and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Refrain

Gospel — John 7:37-39

On the last and most important day of the festival, Jesus stood up and cried out, "If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me and drink. The one who believes in me, as the Scripture has said, will have streams of living water flow from deep within him." He said this about the Spirit. Those who believed in Jesus were going to receive the Spirit, for the Spirit had not yet been given because Jesus had not yet been glorified.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise be to you, O Christ!

Please be seated.

Hymn 503 Oh, That I Had a Thousand Voices



1 Oh, that I had a thou - sand voic - es to praise my
2 O for - est leaves, so green and ten - der, that dance for
3 All crea - tures that have breath and mo - tion, that fill the
4 Lord, I will tell, while I am liv - ing, your love and



God with thou - sand tongues! My heart, which in the Lord re -
joy in sum - mer air, O mead - ow grass - es, bright and
earth, the sea, and sky, now join me in my heart's de -
grace with ev - 'ry breath and greet each morn - ing with thanks -



joic - es, would then pro - claim in grate - ful songs to all, wher -
slen - der, O flow'rs, so won - drous sweet and fair, you live to
vo - tion; help me to raise his prais - es high. My ut - most
giv - ing un - til my heart is still in death, and, when at



ev - er I might be, what great things God has done for me.
show his praise a - lone; with me now make his glo - ry known.
pow'rs can nev - er quite ex - press the won - ders of his might.
last my lips grow cold, your praise shall in my sighs be told.

Sermon—Psalm 104

LORD my God, you are very great

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 fully 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 in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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

God's Holy Spirit has brought us the gospel and made us free. Free from condemnation, we are now free to love and serve God. We are free to bring generous offerings to our Savior.

You may place your offering in the plates or use [Online Giving](#).

The QR code at right will also take you to the giving site.

Thank you for your offerings.



MUSICAL OFFERING

Please stand.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: Praise to you, Holy Spirit! We worship you as the Lord and adore you as the giver of life. As you were present at the beginning of the world to give life to all created things and as you enlightened and equipped the disciples on the Day of Pentecost by the baptism of fire, so by the baptism of water with the Word you made the light of faith shine in our hearts to know Jesus as our Lord. We confess:

C: I believe that I cannot by my own thinking or choosing believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to him. But the Holy Spirit has called me by the

gospel, enlightened me with his gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith. In the same way he calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies the whole Christian Church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith.

P: Holy Spirit, Spirit of truth and source of all spiritual gifts, stand by us in the weakness of our sinful nature. Grant us a right understanding of the truths that Jesus taught. Give us strength to endure with patience whatever afflictions God may send into our lives. Help us, intercede for us, and train us that we may pray to the Father with boldness and confidence. Preserve us by the power of your Word in our most holy faith as members of the Church, the body of Jesus.

C: In this Christian Church he daily and fully forgives all sins to me and all believers.

P: Holy Spirit, you comfort and counsel us in every need. In dark and difficult days strengthen our feeble hands, steady our weak knees, and encourage our fearful hearts. Support us with the promise that in your final creative act you will raise up our bodies so that together with all believers we may see and enjoy the glorious return of Jesus Christ.

C: On the Last Day he will raise me and all the dead and give eternal life to me and all believers in Christ. This is most certainly true.

P: Hear us, Lord, as we pray in silence.

Silent prayer

P: Come, Holy Spirit, renew our hearts

C: And kindle in us the fire of your love.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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.

Lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

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

THE SACRAMENT

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

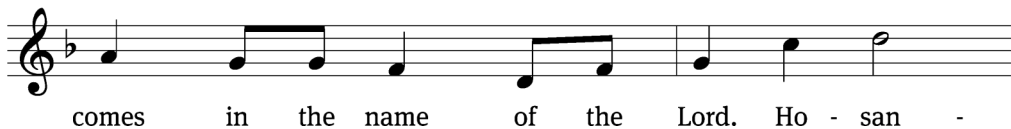
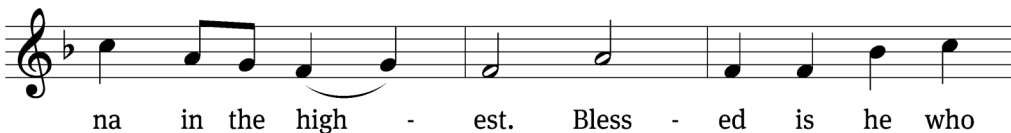
C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

P: By his willing sacrifice on the cross, Christ our Lord took away the sins of the world. By his glorious resurrection, he restored everlasting life. We join the saints on earth and hosts of heaven to praise God's holy name:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY





na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est!

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my † body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Then he took the cup, gave thanks and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this is my † blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: Amen.

O CHRIST, LAMB OF GOD



O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the



sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.



O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the



sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.

O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the
 sin of the world; grant us your peace.
 A - men. A - men.

Please be seated.

DISTRIBUTION

Holy Trinity offers the Lord's Supper to communicant members of our congregation (and congregations in WELS and ELS). If you are not a communicant member and are interested in going through a course of study to prepare for receiving the Lord's Supper here, please speak with the pastor.

P: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;

C: his mercy endures forever.

P: Thank you, dear Savior, for nourishing our faith with the sacrament of your body and blood. Lift our hearts with your forgiveness, renew our confidence in your grace, empower our love for others, and lead us to long for the eternal banquet of heaven.

C: Amen.

BLESSING

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and † give you peace.

C: Amen.

Hymn 602 Great Is Thy Faithfulness



1 Great is thy faith - ful - ness, O God my Fa - ther,
2 Sum - mer and win - ter and spring - time and har - vest,
3 Par - don for sin and a peace that en - dur - eth,



there is no shad - ow of turn - ing with thee.
sun, moon, and stars in their cours - es a - bove
thine own dear pres - ence to cheer and to guide,



Thou chang - est not, thy com - pas - sions, they fail not;
join with all na - ture in man - i - fold wit - ness
strength for to - day and bright hope for to - mor - row,



as thou hast been, thou for - ev - er wilt be.
to thy great faith - ful - ness, mer - cy, and love.
bless - ings all mine, with ten thou - sand be - side!

Refrain



Great is thy faith - ful - ness! Great is thy faith - ful - ness!



Morn - ing by morn - ing new mer - cies I see;



all I have need - ed thy hand hath pro - vid - ed.



Great is thy faith - ful - ness, Lord, un - to me!

SERVING IN WORSHIP

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Sunday Education

Adult Bible study begins at 9:15 a.m. There is no Sunday School for children or teens.

2026 Graduates

We would like to acknowledge and publish the 2026 graduates and school names in an upcoming bulletin for any 8th-grade, high school, college, tech school, or military graduation. Please email the office at secretary@htls-wa.net.

Youth rally

This upcoming summer our youth (teens entering 9th-grade to those who have just graduated from high school) have an amazing opportunity to connect with other WELS youth from around the country. The WELS International Youth Rally is being held in Bowling Green, Ohio, from July 14-17.

If you are so inclined, please consider giving to help our youth attend! You can donate towards the Youth Rally Fund on our online giving portal. Please see the bulletin board for more information and to sign-up (deadline is May 29).

Now hiring preschool teacher assistant

Holy Trinity Early Learning Center is now hiring an afternoon preschool teacher assistant/ aftercare supervisor for the 2026-2027 school year. We are looking for a dependable, motivated individual who is excited to share their love of Jesus with our students. Please see the weekly email for the job description and instructions on how to apply, or see Sherri Lueck for further details.

This week at Holy Trinity

Wednesday..... 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible class