Divine Service



The Day of Pentecost

June 5th, 2022 Zion Lutheran Church Kearney, Nebraska

Welcome to Zion!

<u>Guests</u> please record your attendance on a card in the pew rack and let us know how we can be of service to you.

Holy Communion at Zion

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation as Jesus has given it. As he says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but his very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with him and with one another. Our Lord invites to his table those who trust his words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as he forgives and loves us, that they may show forth his death until he comes. *All communicants* need to register in the narthex prior to the service.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, are asked not to commune until they are able to speak with our pastor first. He is happy to visit with you about the Christian faith and how to receive the Lord's Supper for your good and for the good of others. Those not communing are invited to come to the altar, cross your arms in front of you, and bow your head to receive a pastoral blessing.

The Holy Spirit Gives Peace

Following the flood, Noah's descendants failed to spread out and fill the earth as God had spoken. Rather, they exalted themselves; with "one language and the same words" (Gen. 11:1), they spoke proudly and arrogantly. The Lord humbled them by confusing "the language of all the earth," dividing and dispersing the people (Gen. 11:9). That dispersal was reversed on Pentecost Day (the 50th day of Easter), when God caused the one Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ to be preached in a multitude of languages. "At this sound the multitude came together" (Acts 2:6), for the preaching of Christ is the primary work of the Holy Spirit, whereby He gathers people from all nations into one Church. The Holy Spirit teaches and brings to our remembrance the words of Jesus, which are the words of the Father who sent Him. These words bestow forgiveness and peace to those who keep and hold on to them in love for Jesus. "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid" (John 14:27).

Confession & Absolution



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The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

Invocation

- P In the name of the Father and of the \(\frac{1}{2}\) Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- \mathbf{C} Amen.
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- \mathbf{P} Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- \mathbf{C} who made heaven and earth.
- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- \mathbf{C} and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

Confession of Sins LSB 184

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Absolution LSB 185

- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

Service of the Word

Introit Psalm 104:24, 27–28, 30; antiphon: Liturgical Text

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the | faithful,*

and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alle- | luia.

O LORD, how manifold are your works! In wisdom have you | made them all;* the earth is full of your | creatures.

These all look to you,*

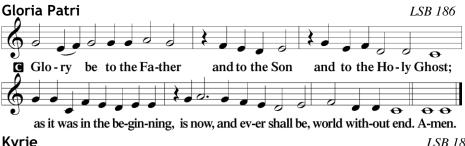
to give them their food in due | season.

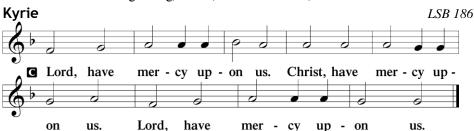
When you give it to them, they gath- | er it up;*

when you open your hand, they are filled with | good things.

When you send forth your Spirit, they are cre- | ated,* and you renew the face | of the ground.

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the | faithful,* and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alle- | luia.







Salutation and Collect of the Day

LSB 189

P The Lord be with you.



P Let us pray.

O God, on this day You once taught the hearts of Your faithful people by sending them the light of Your Holy Spirit. Grant us in our day by the same Spirit to have a right understanding in all things and evermore to rejoice in His holy consolation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Sit

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 11:1-9

¹Now the whole earth had one language and the same words. ²And as people migrated from the east, they found a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. ³And they said to one another, "Come, let us make bricks, and burn them thoroughly." And they had brick for stone, and bitumen for mortar. ⁴Then they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves, lest we be dispersed over the face of the whole earth." ⁵And the LORD came down to see the city and the tower, which the children of man had built. ⁶And the LORD said, "Behold, they are one people, and they have all one language, and this is only the beginning of what they will do. And nothing that they propose to do will now be impossible for them. ⁷Come, let us go down and there confuse their language, so that they may not understand one another's speech." ⁸So the LORD dispersed them from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city. ⁹Therefore its name was called Babel, because there the LORD confused the language of all the earth. And from there the LORD dispersed them over the face of all the earth.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Gradual Acts 2:17b; Romans 10:10

I will pour out my Spirit | on all flesh,* and your sons and your daughters shall | prophesy. With the heart one believes and is | justified,* and with the mouth one confesses | and is saved.

Epistle Acts 2:1–21

¹When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. ²And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³And divided tongues as of fire appeared

to them and rested on each one of them. ⁴And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.

⁵Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. ⁶And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. ⁷And they were amazed and astonished, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? ⁹Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, ¹¹both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." ¹²And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³But others mocking said, "They are filled with new wine."

¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. ¹⁵For these men are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. ¹⁶But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel:

¹⁷"And in the last days it shall be, God declares,

that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh,

and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,

and your young men shall see visions,

and your old men shall dream dreams;

¹⁸even on my male servants and female servants

in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy.

¹⁹And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below,

blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke;

²⁰the sun shall be turned to darkness

and the moon to blood,

before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day.

²¹And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved."

P This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Stand



Holy Gospel John 14:23-31

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fourteenth chapter.
- a Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

²³Jesus answered him, "If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. ²⁴Whoever does not love me does not keep my words. And the word that you hear is not mine but the Father's who sent me.

²⁵"These things I have spoken to you while I am still with you. ²⁶But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. ²⁷Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid. ²⁸You heard me say to you, 'I am going away, and I will come to you.' If you loved me, you would have rejoiced, because I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I. ²⁹And now I have told you before it takes place, so that when it does take place you may believe. ³⁰I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming. He has no claim on me, ³¹but I do as the Father has commanded me, so that the world may know that I love the Father. Rise, let us go from here."

- This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- Praise be to Thee, O Christ. C

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints. the forgiveness of sins. the resurrection of the body, and the life + everlasting. Amen.



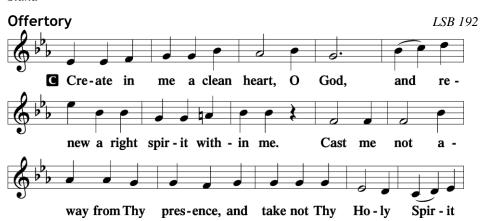


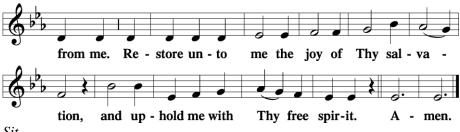
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Sermon

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Consecration of the Offering

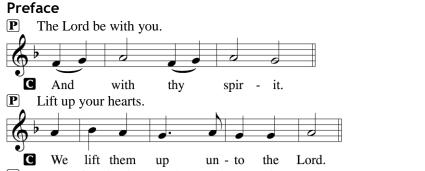
After the prayers please be seated. The altar is set for the Lord's Supper and the offering is consecrated. As you prepare to receive the sacrament you may use the prayers in the front of the hymnal or meditate on a communion hymn.

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Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

LSB 194

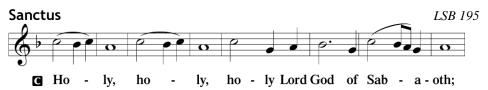


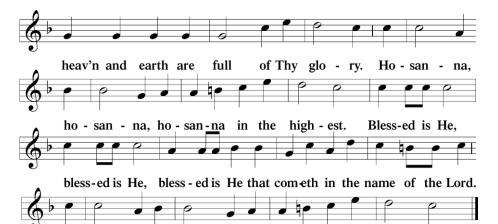
Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.



Proper Preface

It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who ascended above the heavens and, sitting at Your right hand, poured out on this day the promised Holy Spirit on His chosen disciples. For all this the whole earth rejoices with exceeding joy. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:





Ho-san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est.

The Lord's Prayer

LSB 196

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.

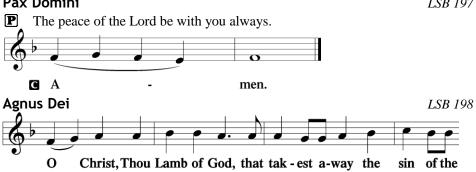
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

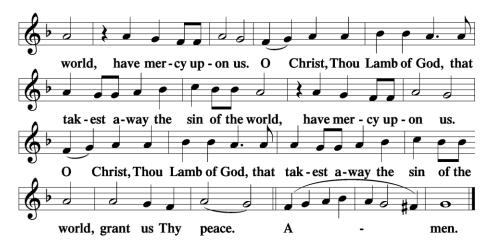
The Words of Our Lord

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and \mathbf{P} when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My 4-body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My 4 blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini LSB 197

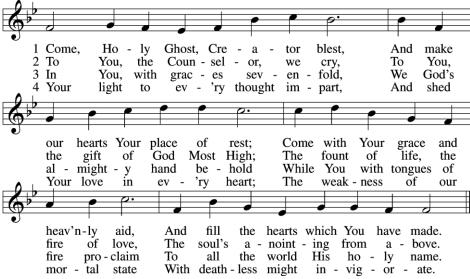




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Distribution

498 Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest



- 5 Drive far away our wily foe, And Your abiding peace bestow; With You as our protecting guide, No evil can with us abide.
- 6 Teach us to know the Father, Son, And You, from both, as Three in One That we Your name may ever bless And in our lives the truth confess.
- △7 Praise we the Father and the Son And Holy Spirit, with them One, And may the Son on us bestow The gifts that from the Spirit flow!

637 Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord



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The Dismissal

P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart

→ in peace.

C Amen.



Thanksgiving LSB 200

P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,



P Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.



Benedicamus LSB 202

P Bless we the Lord.



Benediction LSB 202

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give you peace.



496 Holy Spirit, Light Divine



Turn Chase the shades of night a - way, the dark - ness in - to Show those glo-rious truths to me Which are on - ly known to Thee. From sin's bond-age set me free. Thy mer - cy pit - y me, set-tled peace, Let grow and still in-crease. Yield sa - cred, it Cast down ev - 'ry i - dol throne, Reign su - preme, and reign a - lone.

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Prayers for Our Members		
Norman Abels (Brookestone Meadows-Elkhorn)	Healing	
Judy Ahrens	Healing	
Vaughn Albrecht (Mount Carmel)	Healing	
Tom & DyAnn Altwine	Healing	
Lyle Colsden (Mother Hull)	Healing	
Pat Flodine (Cambridge Court)	Healing	
Vi Fox (Prairie View)	Healing	
Verleen Gentry	Healing	
David Hartman	Healing	
Ruby Hatfield	Healing	
Evelyn Heiden (Mother Hull)	Healing	
Lennis Hodgson	Healing	
Pauline Jacobson	Healing	
Ellis Junge	Healing	
Linda Luhn	Healing	
Diane Plummer	Healing	
Don Richmond	Healing	
Ivan Bombeck	Cancer	
Bertha Marienau	Cancer	



Our Response to the Gospel

Date: 5/29/2022

Offering: \$5,274.30

Weekly Need: \$7,457.69

Where our Triune God strengthens us through His mercy in faith toward Him and in fervent love toward one another.

Prayers for Our Members' Family & F	riends
The Family and Friends of Gary Gibbons (Bob Vos'	Grief
brother-in-law)	0.151
Shaylee Kreutzer (Philip's wife)	Expecting
Amy Nuttelman (Keith's daughter-in-law)	Expecting
Larry Bombeck (Ivan's brother)	Healing
Reg Duke (Westman's brother-in-law)	Healing
James Gentry (Verleen's son)	Healing
Roger Hoffman (Marc's father)	Healing
Luetta Lammers (Ruby Hatfield's sister)	Healing
Jerry & Sandy Poe (Friends of Bartel's)	Healing
Tim Porter (LaRae Crow's brother-in-law)	Healing
Tim Powers (Kim Wilken's brother)	Healing
Howard Quandt (Don & Shirley Helmbrecht's family)	Healing
Roy Reynolds (Verleen Gentry's son-in-law)	Healing
David Shiers (Jessica's father)	Healing
Randy Solomon (Beth Rosenthal's father)	Healing
Andrew Leising (Teresa's grandson born prematurely)	Hospitalized
Beth Brown (Westmans' Neighbor)	Cancer
Jonah (Jase & Jarren Blattner's friend)	Cancer
Glenda Fichtner (Ruby Hatfield's niece)	Cancer
Stuart Gronewoller (Lonna's brother-in-law)	Cancer
Ron Halvorsen (Jeff's dad)	Cancer
Sharon Mulhair (Pam Uhlir's cousin)	Cancer
Larry Saathoff (Verleen Gentry's brother)	Cancer
Rick Schnacker (Marilyn Fuqua's nephew)	Cancer
Tyrone Uhlir (Pam's nephew)	Cancer
Ray Vang (Don & Shirley Helmbrecht's brother-in-law)	Cancer
Scott Catterson (Jim & Pat's Son)	Deployment
Tim Smallcomb (Wilkens' friend) Deplo	

Today's Radio Broadcast is sponsored by Wes & Mary Fiddelke, in honor of their anniversary.

Worship Assistants

Sunday, June 5th - 9:00am

Elder: Bruce Brooks Usher: Fred Flessner

Acolyte: Kassidy Halvorsen Engineer: Jamie Nikodym Announcer: Lonna Gronewoller Altar Guild: Linda Johnson

Sunday, June 12th - 9:00am

Elder: Eric Rosenthal Usher: Steve Junge Acolyte: Reilly Fisher

Engineer: Alexandra Splittgerber Announcer: Carol Kreutzer

Altar Guild: Linda Johnson

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This Week at Zion

Sun 6/5	9:00a	Divine Service
	10:30a	Adult Bible Study
	10:30a	Radio Broadcast
		1460AM & 92.1FM
	5:00p	Divine Service
Mon 6/6	Birthdays	James Hartman
		Michael Wilkens
Tues 6/7	1:30p	Sleeping Mats
Wed 6/8	Birthdays	Shirley Helmbrecht
Thurs 6/9	Birthdays	Vi Fox - 104 th Birthday!
Fri 6/10	Anniversaries	Wes & Mary Fiddelke
Sat 6/11		Sylvia Schmidt - FH 2p-4:30p
Sun 6/12	9:00a	Divine Service
	10:30a	Adult Bible Study
	10:30a	Radio Broadcast
		1460AM & 92.1FM
	5:00p	Divine Service
	Anniversaries .	Nathan & Liz Gaunt
	Birthdays	Dale Wilkens?
		Chase Willers

Announcements for June 5th, 2022

<u>Vi Fox Birthday:</u> Vi Fox will be turning 104 on June 9th. If you would like to send her a card, send it to the address below: Viola Fox

C/O Prairie View 1705 Prairie View Pl Kearney, NE 68845

Annual Budget Update: The Proposed Annual Budget for Zion's Church and School for 7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023 was approved at our April 24th Voters Meeting. The total budget is \$950,000. Our congregational offerings will cover \$390,000 (\$7500 a week) of the budget.

<u>Individual Confession and Absolution:</u> is available by request. Please text or call Pr. DeLoach or Pr. Gaunt for an appointment.

Radio Broadcast & Altar Flowers: The sign-up sheets for the 2022 radio broadcast and altar flowers are up by the mailboxes. Please help Zion spread the Gospel and decorate the sanctuary.

Offering Options:

To worship the Lord with your offering:

- 1) Place your offering in the basket as you leave
- 2) Go to zionkearney.churchtrac.com/give
- 3) Go to zionkearney.com and click on the ChurchTrac icon
- 4) Mail your gift to Zion Lutheran Church, 2421 C Ave, Kearney, NE 68847 or place it in the mail slot on the south side of the building.



SCHOOL NEWS



- ★ Wanted: Part-time Middle School Teacher: Due to continued enrollment growth, the principal and Board of Education are accepting applications for a part-time middle school teacher. If you or someone you know has experience in the middle level classroom (6th-8th grades) please contact Mr. Splittgerber at (308)293-0168 by phone or email: Anthony.splittgerber@zionkearney.org). Hours and subjects taught are open to discussion.
- ★ Best of Kearney: Zion's Preschool program has won the Best of Kearney! This is the 9th year we have been voted the best! We are very proud of our program and are thankful to all who voted this year.
- ★ Registration for 2022-2023 School Year: Be sure to have your registration fees in soon!