

## Grace Lutheran Church 40 N. Main St., Hatfield, PA 19440 GraceLutheranHatfield.org

To glorify God, to grow in faith, to give in service, together in Christ

June 5, 2022 Day of Pentecost 9:15 a.m.

Rev. Nancy M. Raabe, Pastor Kevin Freaney, Minister of Music Lynn Fasick, Office Administrator Jessica Moran, Stepping Stones Director Prelude: Come Down, O Love Divine Henry G. Ley

#### Welcome and Affirmation of Mission Statement

- P. The Lord be with you.
- C. And also with you.
- P. At Grace Lutheran Church, we gather:
- C. To glorify God, to grow in faith, to give in service, together in Christ.

## Thanksgiving for Baptism

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

## Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

In the waters of baptism, we have passed over from death to life with Jesus Christ, and we are a new creation.

For this saving mystery, and for this water, let us bless God, who was, who is, and who is to come.

Water may be poured into the font as the presiding minister gives thanks.

We thank you, God, for your river of life,

flowing freely from your throne:

through the earth,

through the city,

through every living thing.

You rescued Noah and his family from the flood;

You opened wide the sea for the Israelites.

Now in these waters you flood us with mercy,

and our sin is drowned forever.

You open the gate of righteousness

and we pass safely through.

In Jesus Christ, you calm and trouble the waters.

You nourish us and enclose us in safety.

You call us forth and send us out.

In lush and barren places, you are with us.

You have become our salvation.

Now breathe upon this water

and awaken your church once more.

Claim us again as your beloved and holy people.

Quench our thirst; cleanse our hearts; wipe away every tear.

To you, our Beginning and our End,

our Shepherd and Lamb,

be honor, glory, praise, and thanksgiving,

now and forever.

Amen.

# Gathering Hymn: God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind ELW 400 (At the \*, ringing and percussive instruments may play joyously!)



- 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 sion, God God of pas un sleep - ing, stir in us love's



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



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

## Greeting

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.

## \*Prayer of the Day

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.

Children's Message: Spirit Fire

## WORD

## 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 your on.

<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,

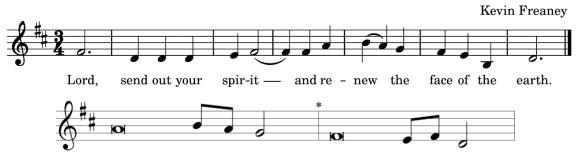
before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.

<sup>21</sup>Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

## Psalm 104



<sup>24</sup>How manifold are your | works, O LORD!

In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full | of your creatures.

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

<sup>26</sup>There go the ships | to and fro,

and Leviathan, which you made for the | sport of it.

<sup>27</sup>All of them | look to you

to give them their food | in due season. R

<sup>28</sup>You give it to them; they | gather it;

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

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

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

31May the glory of the LORD en- | dure forever; O LORD, rejoice in | all your works. R

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

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

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

35bBless the LORD, | O my soul. Hal- | lelujah! R

Psalm prayer

## Second Reading: Romans 8:14-17

<sup>14</sup>For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. <sup>15</sup>For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" <sup>16</sup>it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, <sup>17</sup>and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

#### \*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Gospel: John 14:8-17 [25-27]

P. The gospel of our Lord, according to John, the 14th chapter.

C. Glory to you, O Lord.

<sup>8</sup>Philip said to [Jesus,] "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." <sup>9</sup>Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? <sup>10</sup>Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. <sup>11</sup>Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. <sup>12</sup>Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. <sup>13</sup>I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. <sup>14</sup>If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

<sup>15</sup>"If you love me, you will keep my commandments. <sup>16</sup>And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. <sup>17</sup>This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. [

<sup>25</sup>"I have said these things to you while I am still with you. <sup>26</sup>But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. <sup>27</sup>Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid."]

P. The gospel of the Lord.

C. Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon: "Together in One Place"

Pastor Nancy Raabe



#### \*PRAYERS

To the petition "God, in your mercy" please respond, "Hear our prayer."

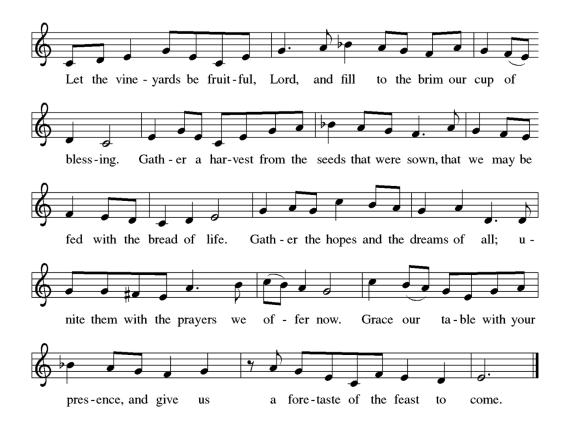
#### \*GREETING OF THE PEACE

Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness. Christ, be our light! Shine in your church, gathered today.

#### **OFFERING**

Offerings may be placed in the plates at the sanctuary entrances. We rely on your gifts to sustain Grace and all its ministries. You may choose various forms of safe and easy electronic giving by credit card or direct deposit. Forms are in the narthex, or ask us for help getting signed up.

#### \*OFFERTORY



#### OFFERING PRAYER

A. Let us pray.

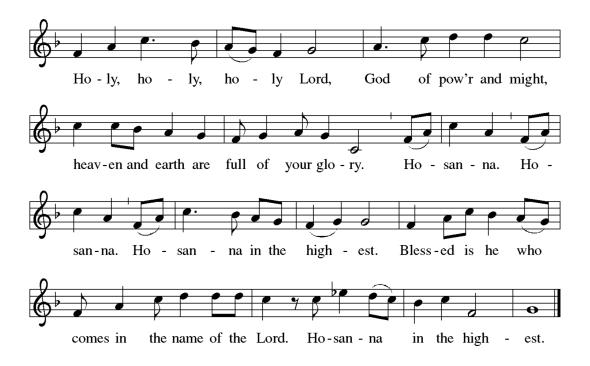
Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **C. Amen.** 

#### \*GREAT THANKSGIVING

- P. The Lord be with you.
- C. And also with you.
- P. Lift up your hearts.
- C. We lift them to the Lord.
- P. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C. It is right to give God thanks and praise.



P. 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, for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin; who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life. 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:



In the night in which he was betrayed...

- P. For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.
- C. Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

## \*LORD'S PRAYER

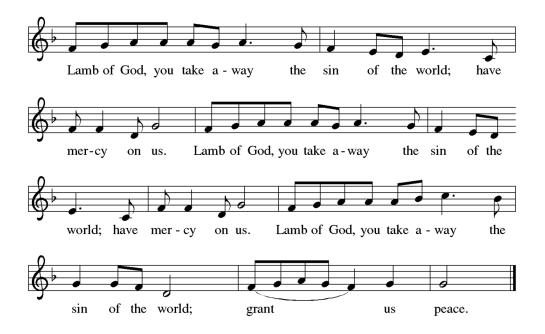
Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

Our Father, who art in heaven....

## **Invitation to Communion**

Come to the banquet, for all is now ready.

Please wait for the ushers to invite your row forward following the Lamb of God. We kindly request that you keep at least six feet of distance from the person in front of or next to you.



Please indicate to an usher if you prefer to receive communion in your seat.

## \*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

A. Let us pray.

Life-giving God, in the mystery of Christ's resurrection you send light to conquer darkness, water to give new life, and the bread of life to nourish your people. Send us forth as witnesses to your Son's resurrection, that we may show your glory to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. **Amen.** 

## Announcements and recognition of our graduate Micah Slugg

Hymn: Borning Cry (sung by a soloist or the choir)

ELW 732

#### \*BLESSING

P. The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C. Amen.

#### \*DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Share the good news! Alleluia!

Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

Postlude: Praeludium in G Major, BWV 541 J.S. Bach

## Serving today

Preacher and presider, Rev. Nancy M. Raabe

Minister of Music, Kevin Freaney

Lector: Beth Krout; Jesus Tula-Morales (Acts reading)

Ushers: Beth & Jeff Krout

Communion Assistant: Kathy Stawasz

Altar Guild: Kay Stone and Emily Woltmann

Acolyte: Elijah Krout

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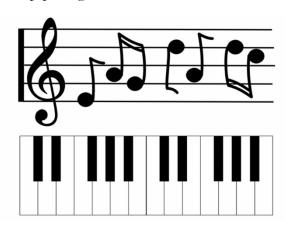
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Immediately following worship today, Kevin would like to demonstrate some of our organ's newest features and capabilities. If you're interested in watching and listening to a demonstration, please gather around the organ after today's postlude. Kevin will make this interesting for all ages and interest levels, so please stick around and see what makes our organ unique. Kevin brought along some real organ pipes to compare to our "virtual pipe organ."



## VBS is on! Join the Food Truck Party!

With Little Zion Lutheran Church and two other area congregations, Grace is co-hosting a joint VBS at Little Zion, 267 Morwood Rd. in Telford, on August 1-4 from 9 a.m.-12 noon on the theme of "Food Truck Party." Based on the verse from the Lord's Prayer, "Give us this day our daily bread," this will be a fun and lively experience for all ages. Grace families, mark it on your calendars. The link to register is coming soon. Please join Pastor Raabe in representing Grace in this wonderful opportunity to collaborate!



# God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind

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BURNING **EARTHQUAKE PURPOSE CROSS SERVICE TEMPEST COSTLY** DESCEND INJUSTICE **PURGE** SPIRIT PENTECOST **KINDLE BLAZING LETHARGY SURGE FLAMING THUNDER** 

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Thank you for worshiping with us today! A warm welcome to extended families and visitors. If you would like to join us online at any time you can find the link to the livestream of our service each week on our Facebook page, www.facebook.com/GraceLutheranHatfield, or on the Worship page of our website.

We rely on your generous giving to sustain Grace and all its ministries. Please see the "Give" page of our website to direct your electronic giving. You can sign up with Pastor Raabe to set up automatic bank transfers, you may text a gift to Grace at 844-613-0815, or you may click on the adjacent QR code to arrange for your gift. Thank you!



If you are in need of pastoral care or need a helping hand for any reason, please contact Pastor Raabe by email; in the office at 215-855-4676; or anytime on her cell phone, 614.214.2639. Talk with her about prayer requests, concerns, illnesses and hospital stays, weddings, funerals, baptisms, and joyful events in your life.

## Coming up at Grace:

## Saturday, June 25 from 9 am-1 pm

Grace Lutheran Day at the Faith Build site, 2714 Cowpath Rd. Twelve spots are available for Grace members to help frame the house. No experience needed! Lunch provided. Sign up in the narthex.

## Next Sunday's Readings

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31; Psalm 8; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15