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#### **Mission Statement:**

"To live my Faith in Christ I will build loving relationships so others will become disciples with Jesus as Lord and Savior."

# "With a Firm Reliance on Divine Providence"



# WELCOME TO WORSHIP DAY OF PENTECOST

Please tune your car radio to 106.1 FM to Worship with us today!

And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose.

Romans 8:28

#### **WELCOME AND PRAYER**

#### **BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

Leader: In the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Leader: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness....

Most merciful God,

All: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against You in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God, in His mercy, has given His Son to die for you and, for His sake, forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness

of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

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

All: And also with you. (Share the peace of the LORD)

SONG

Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness

Refrain

Spirit, Spirit of gentleness, Blow through the wilderness Calling and free;

Spirit, Spirit of restlessness, Stir me from placidness, Wind, wind on the sea.

Verse 1

You moved on the waters, You called to the deep,
Then You coaxed up the mountains
From the valleys of sleep;

And over the eons You called to each thing; "Awake from your slumbers And rise on your wings."

Refrain

Verse 2

You swept through the desert, You stung with the sand.
And You goaded Your people With a law and a land;
And when they were blinded With their idols and lies,
Then You spoke through Your prophets To open their eyes.

Refrain

Verse 3

You sang in a stable, You cried from a hill,
Then You whispered in silence
When the whole world was still;
And down in the city You called once again,
When You blew through Your people
On the rush of the wind.

Refrain

Verse 4

You call from tomorrow, You break ancient schemes.
From the bondage of sorrow The captives dream dreams;
Our women see visions, Our men clear their eyes.
With bold new decisions Your people arise.

Refrain

**APOSTOLIC GREETING** 

Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and

the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: And also with you.

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray: O Lord, Jesus Christ,

All: Almighty Son of God, send Your Holy Spirit into our hearts through Your Word, that He may rule and govern us according to Your will, comfort us in every temptation and misfortune and defend us by Your truth against every error, so that we may continue steadfast in the Faith, increase in love and all good works and firmly trust in Your grace, which through death You have purchased for us, and at last obtain eternal salvation; You reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen. Veit Dietrich, Reformation theologian

LESSON Acts 2:1 - 21

**GOSPEL** John 14:23 - 31

THE MESSAGE Pastor Jeffrey J. Lee

"What does This Mean?"

SONG Send the Fire See Insert

### APOSTLES' CREED (in unison)

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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

Pastor: Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us be united as the

Church in heart and mind as we go to our heavenly

Father in prayer.

Pastor: (After each petition. . .) Lord, in your mercy,

All: hear our prayer.

Pastor: . . . Accept, O Father, the prayers of Your faithful people

for the well being of Your holy Church throughout the world. Govern and sanctify it, with all its pastors and ministers, by Your Holy Spirit, that we may be kept by Your Word in true Faith and fervent love toward You and

one another.

All: Amen.

## THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

All: and also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

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

All: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Pastor: 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.

### THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

All: 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 DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION INSIDE

#### **POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

Pastor: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you by His grace unto life everlasting.

All: Amen.

#### THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Pastor: Let us pray. Eternal God,

All: We give You thanks, that You have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in Your mercy You would strengthen us, through this gift, in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### THE SENDING PRAYER

Leader: Let us pray. Heavenly Father,

All: Open my eyes, open my heart, so I see and have compassion on broken and lost people around me. Move me to bring Hope into their lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Give me courage. Give me patience. Guide my words. Through me I pray they experience Jesus' redeeming Love. I ask in Jesus' Name. Amen.

#### THE BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

All: Amen.

**SONG** Light the Fire

See insert

#### THE DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go and be a witness for the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

### THE DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION OUTSIDE

Invite a friend to come along with you every Sunday to share in the worship and JOY of the LORD!

Next Saturday Celebrate the graduation of Andrew Hare, The Faith in Christ Family is invited to join in celebrating Andrew's high school graduation at the Hare home Next Saturday, June 11th, 11 am to 4 pm.

Day Camp 2022 - June 13 - 17, 2022, 9:00 - 11:30 AM

There is a sign up sheet in the Narthex to help provide items for our Day Camp. Please see Holly to offer your help too. Our 2022 Day Camp theme is "Life in His Name"

# NEXT SUNDAY June 12, 2022 The Holy Trinity

Readings for Next Sunday
Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31 Psalm 8 Acts 2:14a, 22-36
John 8:48-59

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# Join us for Fellowship Hour following worship today

You are invited to come to our fellowship hall and sit down for some coffee, cookies and conversation with your Faith in Christ family.

# Summer Travel and Supporting our Ministry of Faith in Christ.

Summer Travel

As you travel this summer, enjoying time with family, friends, and the Lord's creation, please remember to support God's Work through the ministries of Faith in

Christ. Your offering envelope is already addressed for mailing and only needs a stamp to mail your weekly tithes and offering to the LORD. Also join in praying and trusting God will provide above and beyond, all according to the Holy Spirit power working in our midst.

### Send the Fire

#### Verse 1

O God of burning cleansing flame: Send the fire!
Your blood-bought gift today we claim: Send the fire today!
Look down and see this waiting host,
And send the promised Holy Ghost;
We need another Pentecost!
Send the fire today!
Send the fire today!

#### Verse 2

God of Elijah hear our cry: Send the fire!
And make us fit to live or die: Send the fire today!
To burn up every trace of sin, To bring the light and glory in,
The revolution now begin!
Send the fire today!
Send the fire today!

#### Verse 3

It's fire we want, for fire we plead: Send the fire!

The fire will meet our every need: Send the fire today!

For strength to always do what's right,

For grace to conquer in the fight,

For pow'r to walk the world in white:

Send the fire today!

Send the fire today!

Send the fire today!

#### Verse 4

To make our weak hearts strong and brave: Send the fire!

To live, a dying world to save: Send the fire!

Oh, see us on Your altar lay, We give our lives to You today,

So crown the of-fring now we pray:

Send the fire today! Send the fire today! Send the fire today!

# Light the Fire

Verse 1
I stand to praise You,
But I fall on my knees.
My spirit is willing,
But my flesh is so weak.

#### Chorus

Light the fire in my soul, Fan the flame, make me whole. Lord, You know just where I've been, So light the fire in my heart again!

#### Verse 2

I feel Your arms around me,
As the power of Your healing begins.
Your Spirit blows through me,
Like a mighty rushing wind.

Chorus

Verse 1

Chorus

Verse 2

Chorus

Chorus

### **Ending**

So light the fire in my heart again, light the fire in my heart again, light the fire in my heart again!