



Pentecost

May 28, 2023

9:30 am

Prelude

Holy Spirit, Rain Down

arr. Carol Tornquist

Words of Welcome

Rev. Beth Freese Dammers

Lighting of the Christ Candle

***Sung Call to Worship 283**

Come, O Holy Spirit, Come

WA EMIMIMO

***Opening Words**

Liz Monson

One: We worship a creative God

All: who formed all living things!

One: We worship an abundant God

All: who gives each of us different gifts!

One: We worship a listening God

All: who gives us stories, hears our questions and honors our doubts.

One: We worship a glorious God

All: who is seen in the fire of enthusiasm and the wind of reason. We give you thanks. Alleluia!

***Hymn 280**

Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us

EBENEZER

Call to Confession

One: God pours out the Spirit upon us, but we do not always welcome God's gifts. Let us confess our doubts and fears, that we might find forgiveness and newness of life.

Prayer of Confession

All: Infinite God, you come to us in many colors, shapes and languages. You speak to each of us in the way we can understand. You reach out to us and meet us where we are. But we are quick to limit you to what we can understand and control. Forgive us, and set your Spirit loose among us. Challenge us, surprise us, and open us to your power, that we might know you more deeply, follow you more faithfully, and love more fully.

Assurance of Grace

One: Scripture is clear: everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.

All: God draws us together, offering forgiveness and new life to all.

*Sung Response 582

Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me

GLORY TO GOD (Vasile)

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

One: As a sign of our reconciliation with God and with one another, let us share the peace of Christ. The Peace of Christ be with you!

All: And also with you!

*Sung Response 286 v 1

Breathe on Me, Breath of God

TRENTHAM

A Time with Youngest Children

Kristin Duy

Following our time together, children will join their parents for the rest of the worship service

Prayer for Inspiration

Liz

Scripture Reading

Numbers 11:24-30

One: Holy Wisdom, Holy Word! This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

Scripture Reading

Acts 2:1-21

Many

One: Holy Wisdom, Holy Word! This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

Spirit Set Free!

Beth

*Hymn 526

Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ

LINSTEAD

Offering Our Gifts to God

Invitation to Offering

Liz

Offertory

His Eye is On The Sparrow

arr. Judy Nishimura

Ruth Karasek, Flute



***Doxology** words 607, tune 606 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

OLD HUNDREDTH

*Prayer of Dedication

QR Code for Giving

Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

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

One: *(prayer continues)*

...Therefore with all creation we sing your praise:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord; God of pow-er and might. Heav-en and
 earth are full of your glo - - ry. Ho - san - na in the high-est! Ho -
 san - na in the high-est! Ho - san - na in the high - est! Blest is the one who comes
 in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high-est! Ho -
 san - na in the high - est! Ho - san - na in the high - est!

One:

(prayer continues)

...Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died, Christ is ris - en, Christ will come a - gain. Ho -
 san - na in the high-est! Ho - san - na in the high-est! Ho - san - na in the high - est!

(prayer continues)

Lord's Prayer (unison, using "sins")

**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 sins,
as we forgive those who sin 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. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Communion of the People

*Ushers will invite you to come forward for the receiving of communion.
All are invited to come to the table using the center aisle and return via the outside aisles.
The center station offers allergen-free wafers and prepackaged communion elements.
Any with mobility challenges will be served in the pews.*

Communion Music

Meditation on TRENTHAM

by John Barr
Glenn Gabanski, Organ

Prayer after Communion

Gracious God, may we who have received this sacrament live in the unity of your Holy Spirit, that we may show forth your gifts to all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Hymn 547

Go, My Children, with My Blessing

AR HYD Y NOS

*Charge and Benediction

*Postlude

Come, Holy Spirit, Dove Divine

arr. Cindy Berry

LITURGISTS: Liz Monson

USHERS: Joanna Petersen, Todd Petersen

COMMUNION SERVERS: Kris Veenbaas, John Boxell, Joanna Petersen, Todd Petersen

ONLINE HOST: Barb Coop

SCRIPTURE READINGS: Liz Monson, Renee Sims, Joanne King, Betty Ann Morton, Gregg Morton

AV: Tristan Rush, Teagan Manning

Next Sunday in Worship

June 4, 2023

Trinity Sunday

Communion

Genesis 1:1 - 2:4a, Matthew 28:16-20

Partners



This week at CPC:

Sunday, May 28

Pentecost

Communion

9:30 am — Worship

Monday, May 29

Memorial Day

Church Office Closed

Kids' Academy Closed

Tuesday, May 30

9:00 - 11:00 am Mom's Demanding Change Ribbon
Tying at Tierra

1:30 pm — Staff Meeting; Chapel / Zoom

Wednesday, May 31

Thursday, June 1

7:30 pm — Amos Group; Zoom

Friday, June 2

4:00 pm — Kids' Academy Pre-K Graduation
Ceremony; Sanctuary

Saturday, June 3

Sunday, June 4

Trinity Sunday

Communion

9:30 am — Congregational Meeting

9:35 am — Worship

10:30 am — Cupcakes with Kris; Fellowship Hall

NURSERY CARE

The Nursery will be staffed the following Sundays during the summer;

June 4

July 9

August 6

Families can drop off their little ones to be cared for by our volunteers. We use a pager system in case a parent is needed. The Nursery is located across from the church office on the main floor.



SUMMER SUNDAYS

June 4

July 9

August 6

Calling all kids 3 yrs - 5th grade to participate in worship service during 3 summer Sundays. Sign up to be an Acolyte, Greeter, Usher or Liturgist by clicking [HERE](#)

CARAVAN COMMISSIONING AND CAR WASH

Sunday, June 11

11am-2pm

Youth Ministry is set to kick off its summer on Sunday, June 11, beginning with worship at 9:30 am. We will be

sending out our students and their leaders with our blessing followed by our annual car wash.

Grab yours, your neighbors, your friends' cars and bring them over for a wash and towel dry from 11 am-2 pm! A free will offering will be taken and snacks served.



CARAVAN

ENCOURAGEMENT CREW

Summer is almost here and the high school youth caravan teams are ready to take off beginning in June!

As a community sending them out into the world, we

could use your encouragement. Bring a letter, a prayer, a poem, a picture, song lyrics, any piece of inspiration for our teams and we will share them during circle time each evening. You are invited to bring your inspiration piece to a basket in the narthex beginning next Sunday and to take devotion materials to follow along with us during the week! Thank you for giving us a little encouragement to our Caravan teams and for joining the caravan encouragement crew.

Cupcakes with Kris
Sunday, June 4
Fellowship Hall Following Worship

Baker extraordinaire and amazing Deacon, Kris Veenbaas will be sharing her cupcake decorating tips on Sunday, June 4 following worship in Fellowship Hall. People of all ages are invited to attend in order to try out some techniques and taste test them as well! Everything will be provided for you; all that is missing is you! Sign up sheets will be available in the Narthex or you can call or email [Pastor Susan](#) if you would like to attend!



COMPASSION CAMP; VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Changing the World with Loving Kindness

August 14 - 18

9am - 11:30 ~ Snack Included

4yrs - 5th grade

LAST WEEK FOR EARLY BIRD PRICING ~ DON'T DELAY!

April 28 - June 2; \$50 for the first child/\$30 for each additional child

June 3 - July 14; \$60 for the first child/ \$30 for each additional child

*reach out to Kristin Duy if you would like scholarship information



Through Compassion Camp: What Every Living Thing Needs, children will explore what all living things need to live—shelter, food, water, air, and community—and how they can have compassion for the living earth. Through awareness, gratitude, wonderment, and kinship, kids will consider how to become participants in the work of God's creation.

A typical morning will include: Gathering and Music, Bible Story, Crafts & Activities, Movement & Games & Compassion in Action

Simply click [HERE](#) to add your child's name to the sign-up list.
Full registration paperwork and payment information to come!

MEAL A MONTH COLLECTION FOR SPRING

Food Pantries are in desperate need. Fill a bag with grocery items to be donated to Hinsdale Community Services. The suggested menu for Spring is:

- Hot Cereal
- Campbell's Chunky or Progresso Soups
- Peanut Butter and Jelly
- Canned Tuna or chicken
- Soaps: Bars, Body Wash, Dish and Laundry Soap



Any non-perishable items will be most welcome! Pick up a bag in the narthex or use your own and return to CPC. Thank you for your generous donations.

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH

All month long!

May is mental health awareness month and as a continuation of our discussions with our high school youth, the whole congregation is invited to participate in the Little Hearts Project. Handcrafted hearts will be in baskets in the narthex and near door 5C. Each heart has an affirmation and a link to resources for those who either need a little encouragement or to be connected to mental health resources. You can either give one to a loved one or find a public place for someone to find it when they may most need it. Thank you for participating in this initiative to give everyone a little reminder that they are loved!



WELCOME TO AMERICA!
A Collection for Exodus World Service
May 7-May 28



On May 7, CPC began its first collection for a Welcome to America Pack in collaboration with Exodus World Service which sets up an apartment for individuals or a family with essential everyday items.

You can participate by picking up a gift tag in the narthex or by ordering an item from our Amazon wish list **by clicking here**. Items vary in price point but each is essential and should be bought new. The Mission and Outreach committee will be looking for volunteers to help set up the apartment after we end our collection on May 28. Looking forward to being a welcoming presence out in our community with you!

JOIN MOMS AGAINST GUN VIOLENCE

Tierra Distillery and Cafe
(outdoor open space)
211 Burlington Ave
Clarendon Hills, IL 60514
Tuesday, May 30, 9:00 AM



Join us as we honor the more than 120 lives cut short and the hundreds more wounded by gun violence every day. We will be tying ribbons on trees and light poles throughout town, sharing information, and have a take home project for your family.

Congregational Meeting



CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Sunday June 4

9:30 am

Preceding worship

Session is calling for a Congregational Meeting for the purpose of nominating and electing one Elder to serve on Session. This is to fill a vacant Elder position. The Nominating Committee has invited Paul Abraham to serve. He is willing if elected. We will also take nominations from the floor. Folks worshiping online that day will be able to vote by signing into the livestream link for worship just like they do every week.



SAVE THE DATE
HONORING 50+ YEAR MEMBERS
50+ FRIENDS BRUNCH
Sunday, June 25
10:30

Mark your calendar for this special day as we love and honor our members with 50 or more years of membership here at CPC! We will honor them in worship as well as with a special brunch following worship. We are blessed with their wisdom, insight and commitment to Christ's church.



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