



HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ

What Would The Lord Say?
Worship · Witness · Teach · Love · Serve

May 20, 2018
Day of Pentecost

PRELUDE

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

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“SURELY THE PRESENCE”

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place; I can feel His mighty power and His grace.
I can hear the brush of angels' wings, I see glory on each face; Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.
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PRAYER

#391 “SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT”

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, as You sent upon the disciples the promised gift of the Holy Spirit, look upon Your Church and open our hearts to the power of the Spirit. Kindle in us the fire of Your love, and strengthen our lives for service in Your kingdom; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

HOPE FAMILY PRAYERS

Norma Quam Family

Travis & Emily Quam Family

Jake & Brittini Radtke Family

John & Connie Radtke Family

Joel & Jackie Rendahl Family

God is good! All the time! All the time! God is good!

SPECIAL MUSIC BY JULIA ALBRIGHT

LESSON: EZEKIEL 37:1-10, 14

The hand of the LORD was on me, and He brought me out by the Spirit of the LORD and set me in the middle of a valley; it was full of bones. ² He led me back and forth among them, and I saw a great many bones on the floor of the valley, bones that were very dry. ³ He asked me, “Son of man, can these bones live?”

I said, “Sovereign LORD, You alone know.”

⁴ Then He said to me, “Prophesy to these bones and say to them, ‘Dry bones, hear the word of the LORD! ⁵ This is what the Sovereign LORD says to these bones: I will make breath enter you, and you will come to life. ⁶ I will attach tendons to you and make flesh come upon you and cover you with skin; I will put breath in you, and you will come to life. Then you will know that I am the LORD.’”

⁷ So I prophesied as I was commanded. And as I was prophesying, there was a noise, a rattling sound, and the bones came together, bone to bone. ⁸ I looked, and tendons and flesh appeared on them and skin covered them, but there was no breath in them.

⁹ Then He said to me, “Prophesy to the breath; prophesy, son of man, and say to it, ‘This is what the Sovereign LORD says: Come, breath, from the four winds and breathe into these slain, that they may live.’” ¹⁰ So I prophesied as He

commanded me, and breath entered them; they came to life and stood up on their feet—a vast army.

¹⁴ I will put My Spirit in you and you will live, and I will settle you in your own land. Then you will know that I the LORD have spoken, and I have done it, declares the LORD.”

LESSON: ACTS 2:1-4, 14-21

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. ² Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. ³ They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

¹⁴ Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: “Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say. ¹⁵ These people are not drunk, as you suppose. It’s only nine in the morning! ¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel:

¹⁷ “In the last days, God says, I will pour out My Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams. ¹⁸ Even on My servants, both men and women, I will pour out My Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy.

¹⁹ I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood and fire and billows of smoke.

²⁰ The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord. ²¹ And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.’

“SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD”

Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.

Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

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GOSPEL: JOHN 16:4B-15

I tell you the truth, it is for your good that I am going away. Unless I go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send Him to you. ⁸ When He comes, He will prove the world to be in the wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: ⁹ about sin, because people do not believe in Me; ¹⁰ about righteousness, because I am going to the Father, where you can see Me no longer; ¹¹ and about judgment, because the prince of this world now stands condemned.

¹² “I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. ¹³ But when He, the Spirit of truth, comes, He will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on His own; He will speak only what He hears, and He will tell you what is yet to come. ¹⁴ He will glorify Me because it is

from Me that He will receive what He will make known to you. ¹⁵ All that belongs to the Father is Mine. That is why I said the Spirit will receive from Me what He will make known to you.”

“SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD”

THE APOSTLES’ CREED

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 Pilot, 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 Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

#384 “SPIRIT SONG”

SERMON: “ALWAYS WITH YOU”

OFFERING

OFFERTORY:

“GIVE THANKS”

Give thanks with a grateful heart;

Give thanks to the Holy One;

Give thanks because He’s given Jesus Christ, His Son.

(repeat)

Chorus:

And now let the weak say, “I am strong,”

let the poor say, “I am rich,”

because of what the Lord has done for us.

(repeat chorus)

Give Thanks!

THE LORD’S PRAYER

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 BENEDICTION

#389 “SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD”

POSTLUDE

**SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK
DAILY BIBLE READINGS**

**SUNDAY, MAY 20
GRADUATES HONORED**

9:30 am Worship
10:30 am Fellowship Hour
11:15 am Worship
6:00 pm Baccalaureate

MONDAY, MAY 21
Bible Reading: Proverbs 2

TUESDAY, MAY 22
Bible Reading: Proverbs 3

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23
Bible Reading: Proverbs 4
3:30 pm Kids Time!
6:30 pm Youth Bible Study
7:00 pm Bible Study

THURSDAY, MAY 24
Bible Reading: Proverbs 5
7:40 am FCA Breakfast

FRIDAY, MAY 25
Bible Reading: Proverbs 6

SATURDAY, MAY 26
Bible Reading: Proverbs 7

SUNDAY, MAY 27
9:30 am Worship
10:30 am Fellowship Hour

**MONDAY, MAY 21
MEMORIAL DAY**

PASTOR: Paul Magelssen
ORGANIST: Ruth Olson
READER: Sue Simonson
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CUSTODIAN: Steven Sovick
YOUTH DIRECTOR: Alyssa Macy
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"Becoming a Caring Community"

**7:00 pm, Wednesdays, May 16-June 6
in the Fireside Room**

HELP IS NEEDED!

Fellowship of Christian Athletes is looking for help with cooking and clean-up on Thursday mornings for the 2018-2019 school year. If you're interested in being a part of this youth ministry, please contact Hope Church.

Bundle up - there's a **POLAR BLAST** coming our way!

Join us for a fun **Vacation Bible School**
Monday-Wednesday, **June 25-27**
5:30-8:30 pm

Tell a friend - **Everyone is welcome!**

The Family/Youth/Ed Board is asking people to save plastic gallon size milk or water jugs for a VBS project. Just drop them off at the church.

ENJOY THE CONVENIENCE OF ELECTRONIC GIVING

Hope Church wants to remind you that we offer electronic giving as a way to automate your regular weekly offering. Electronic giving offers convenience for individuals and provides much-needed donation consistency for our congregation. As you contemplate future contributions, please consider electronic giving. Authorization forms are available in the back of the Sanctuary and in the church office.

Following is a list of the information that is needed to get started:

- ⇒ Name and Address
- ⇒ Date of First Donation
- ⇒ Frequency of Donation (Weekly, Monthly, etc.)
- ⇒ Amount of Donation
- ⇒ Checking or Savings Account Routing and Account numbers

Donations amounts may be changed or discontinued any time simply by calling the church office.

If you would like to sign up for electronic giving, or want more information, please call the church office at 218-435-6765, or email hopezion@gvtel.com

H.E.L.P. is Here!

Our
Health
Equipment
Lending



Project room has a selection of home health equipment. If you are in need of a loan of this kind of equipment, please call the church office. The intent is that this ministry would be the hands and feet of Jesus to anyone in need of this kind of assistance. **We are currently in need of donations of wheel chairs, walkers, canes with prongs, shower chairs, raised toilet seats, and commodes. Donations of all types of home health equipment are welcome.**

Fosston Loaves and Fishes Food Shelf

Physical location: 203 Johnson AVE S, Fosston, MN 56542

Mailing address: PO Box 152, Fosston, MN 56542

Contact info: Phone: 218-431-0215; E-mail: sjohnson@gvtel.com

Distribution Times

The 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the Month (after the 1st Tuesday)

From 12:30pm to 3:00pm

Donations

Monetary donations can be mailed to: PO Box 152, Fosston, MN 56542

If you would like to donate food or other items, please call the above contact number to make arrangements for pick-up or delivery.

Below is a list of items that go over very well at the food shelf:

Chicken Noodle Soup	Plain Pasta	Coffee/Tea
Canned Tomatoes	Breakfast Cereal	Crackers (any kind)
Canned meals (beef stew, spaghetti, ravioli, etc.)	Canned Fruit	Jelly or Jam
Salad Dressing	Ketchup or Mustard	Shampoo
Any Seasonings	Laundry Soap	Kleenex
Dishwashing Soap	Paper Towels	Baby Diapers
Toilet Paper	Baby Wipes	
Cleaning Supplies	Plastic Grocery Bags	

100% of all donations go directly to those in need!

Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota is seeking a **Full-Time Benefitted Regional Coordinator** for the Caregiver Support and Respite Program to provide caregiver coaching, respite care, education and training for families who are taking care of an older family member.

The area covered would include Marshall, Pennington and Red Lake Counties.

A degree in nursing, social work or related degree preferred.

For more information please contact
Tara Giese at
1-800-488-4146 or
tara.giese@lssmn.org

Tri-Valley Opportunity Council, Inc.

PO Box 607 - 102 North Broadway, Crookston, MN 56716

218-281-5832 / 800-584-7020 / Fax 218-281-6681

Telecommunication Relay Services - 711

www.tvoc.org

May is Mental Health Month and May 7th - 13th is Children's Mental Health Awareness Week.

**The theme for this year is
"Partnering for Health and Hope Following Trauma."**

We are focusing on the importance of an integrated approach to caring for the mental health needs of children, youth, and young adults who have experienced trauma.

We want to highlight the importance of our children with mental health needs now and in the future when dealing with trauma in our country. We need to advocate for our children to receive a holistic approach to better serve them.

Nancy Ramon - Community Assistance Coordinator