

Communion Hymn: As the Grains of Wheat WOV 705

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***Prayer After Communion:**

Pastor: Holy One, through this meal you have made your home among us and are making all things new. Send us now to speak peace to anxious hearts, to love our enemies, and to bring your healing to the nations. In the name of Jesus, **C: Amen.**

***Blessing:**

Pastor: God Almighty, who is the beginning and the end, Jesus Christ, the firstborn of the dead, and the Spirit, our advocate and peace, + bless you now and forever **C: Amen.**

***Recessional Hymn:** Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing LBW 559

***Dismissal**

Pastor: Go in peace. Praise the Lord. Alleluia ! **C: Thanks be to God. Alleluia !**

Please keep the following in your prayers:
Our Military Members Carolyn Pinos Emma Rosman Cheryl & Keith Sherbine

Today, Jack Seymore, authorized lay worship leader in the Allegheny Synod ELCA, will distribute the gifts of bread and wine.

Our next Social Hour will be on Sunday, June 7, following the church service. If you are interested in hosting (setting up and organizing) please let Sonny or Dan know. If you are interested in reimbursement for costs, save your receipts and give them to Dan. Thank you

Next Council meeting will be Monday, June 1st, at 6:30 pm.

Confirmation classes will begin in the fall. Please reach out to Dan Kerch with interest or questions.

If anyone in need of Pastoral care, please call the Allegheny Synod Office, at (814) 942-1042 to make needed arrangements.

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Worship Sunday at 9:00 am

Day of Pentecost May 24, 2026



Communion Hospitality

Lutheran Christians believe Christ is truly present in his supper. By faith we receive his Body and Blood “in, with, and under” the forms: of bread and wine for our forgiveness, life, and salvation. All baptized Christians who desire to receive Jesus in his sacrament, are welcome to commune.

Tall and small candles are in honor of Tom & Becky Canavan’s Anniversary.

Pentecost derives its name from the Jewish festival celebrating the harvest and the giving of the law on Mount Sinai fifty days after Passover, fifty days after Easter, we celebrate the Holy Spirit as God’s presence within and among us. In Acts, the Spirit arrives in rushing wind and flame, bringing God’s presence to all people. Paul reminds us that though we each have different capacities, we are unified in the Spirit that equips us with these gifts. Jesus breathes the Holy Spirit on his disciples, empowering them to forgive sin. We celebrate that we too are given the breath of the Holy Spirit and sent out to proclaim God’s redeeming love to all the world.

