

**GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
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**The Feast of Pentecost
May 31, 2020**

SERVICE: LSB Divine Service 3 pg.184
HYMNS: LSB 915, LSB 497, LSB 496, LSB 503
TEXT: Acts 2:1-21
PSALM: 25:1-15

We welcome you to our Service of Worship and Praise this morning. We pray that the Word of God spoken to us this morning will give us comfort, peace, joy and the strength to face whatever the devil, the world and our own sinful flesh may tempt us with throughout the coming week. If you are a visitor with us this morning, we ask that you kindly sign the guest register located in the back of the church and do come and worship with us again soon.

COLLECT OF THE DAY: O God, on this day You once taught the hearts of Your faithful people by sending them the light of Your Holy Spirit. Grant us in our day by the same Spirit to have a right understanding in all things and evermore to rejoice in His holy consolation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

This Week:

Sun. 10:30 a.m. Divine Service live stream online
Wed. 10:30 a.m. Bible study on Skype
7:00 p.m. Devotion live stream online
Sat 10:00 a.m. Church Work Day
Sun. 10:30 a.m. Divine Service live stream online

NOTES DURING CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK: At this time our services and other gatherings have been cancelled in the interest of keeping everyone healthy and safe. Pastor will live stream services online Sundays at 10:30 and Wednesdays at 7:00 for anyone able to connect to that. You are welcome to comment on this page or during the live videos if you have any needs or prayer requests. While we should all practise social distancing please continue to call Pastor with any needs you have and stay in touch with each other. Join us even if you don't have a Facebook account at <https://www.facebook.com/Good-Shepherd-Lutheran-Church-102466321395763>.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: The Wednesday morning Bible study is now using both Skype and Facetime to meet together. If you would like to take part in our Wednesday study of Revelation, search for Pastor's email address, timschneider24@gmail.com, in the Skype app and send him a chat message, or send Pastor your Facetime id so that he can add you to our gathering. Our study is on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. We are currently studying Revelation 10-11.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR: "Jesus Doesn't Babble" (John 14) Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Matthew Harrison Jesus brings the Word of peace to those who have grown weary of all the babble. Hear this inspirational message on WDFN 1130 AM at 6:30 a.m. and WRDT 560 at 7:30 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. Streaming audio and pod-casts at www.lutheranhour.ca.

NEWS OF BLESSINGS: Heidi and Gary Gagnier are so happy to announce the birth of our youngest grandchild, Oliver James Harris, born on Friday, May 22 in Monroe, Louisiana. He is the son of Rachel and Kris, and little brother to Ella and Jack.

ONLINE GIVING: Attached on the website: gslcamherstburg.com, there is a letter from LCC in regards to how you can continue to give your offerings even though we are not gathering together. You can find a link to support your home congregation at lutheranchurchcanada.ca which will process your donation.

VIRTUAL BABY BOTTLE DRIVE: Good Shepherd Lutheran Church is going to be taking part in the baby bottle fundraiser for the Melo Crisis Pregnancy Clinic. This year they are doing this drive virtually through canadahelps.org. Below there is an announcement from the clinic in regards to this drive and the link to our group page at the link:

What is MCPC Change for Life Campaign? Change for Life is an annual fundraising campaign that helps support women, couples and parents in Windsor & Essex County. The campaign runs between Mother's Day (Sunday, May 10) and Father's Day (Sunday, June 21). Join our team to make a difference in our community! This year's goal is to raise \$20,000 for women, couples and parents in the Windsor & Essex County who depend on MCPC for their services. Help make this year's campaign a success this Mother's Day! We need YOU to help make this year's campaign successful again. Every dollar raised will make a BIG difference in a woman's life and that of her newborn baby. Thank you for your generous support. Together, we CAN change lives.

<https://www.canadahelps.org/s/xzU6c>

SOCIAL DISTANCED WORK DAY: Next Saturday at 10:00 am, weather permitting, we are going to have a work day at the church building. Those wanting to assist will need to contact Ted by email, or call his house number, on the cover of the bulletin, to ensure we remain within government guidelines during our work. Thank you.

GOOD SHEPHERD FOOD HAMPER: Good Shepherd Lutheran Church is starting a food hamper to help those in need in our community of Amherstburg. We are offering \$50 gift cards, or groceries up to \$50 for those who are unable to leave their homes, such as seniors and those with compromised immune systems. If our members know of anyone who is in need, whether they live in Windsor, or Amherstburg, advise them to call our church and leave a message with their name and number. Pastor Schneider will get back to them within 24 hours and discuss what they need. So far we have given out seven gift cards for either No Frills or Sobeyes. Thanks be to God.

Note: If you wish to have information to be printed in the bulletin please submit to my email b52ycart@gmail.com or call 519-945-2753 by Monday noon. The bulletin is printed in the afternoon and submitted to Pastor for proof reading. If something comes up after that you must contact Pastor Schneider.

BOOK OF CONCORD: The Formula of Concord, The Solid Declaration, Article XI: Eternal Election: God in His purpose and counsel ordained the following:

1. The human race is truly redeemed and reconciled with God through Christ. By His faultless obedience, suffering, and death, Christ merited for us the righteousness that helps us before God and also merits eternal life.
2. Such merit and benefits of Christ are presented, offered, and distributed to us through His Word and Sacraments.
3. By His Holy Spirit, through the Word, when it is preached, heard, and pondered, Christ will be effective and active in us, will convert hearts to true repentance and preserve them in the true faith.
4. The Spirit will justify all those who in true repentance receive Christ by a true faith. He will receive them into grace, the adoption of sons, and the inheritance of eternal life [Galatians 3:19].
5. He will also sanctify in love those who are justified, as St. Paul says (Ephesians 1:4).
6. He also will protect them in their great weakness against the devil, the world, and the flesh. He will rule and lead them in His ways [Deuteronomy 8:6], raise them again when they stumble [Proverbs 4:11-12], comfort them under the cross and in temptation [2 Corinthians 1:3-5], and preserve them for life eternal [John 12:25]. (paragraphs 14-20)

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Prayer List For The Week:

1. God's Servant: Pastor Peter Pakrul in Risen Christ Lutheran Church in Mississauga, ON.

2. Pray for our Missionaries Around the World: Rev. Ted & Rebecca Krey, Rev. Sergio Maita, Rev. Joel Fritsche, Danelle Putnam, Rev. Willi Gaspar; Rev. David Preus, Jamie-Lynn Tinkey, Rev. Dr. Jonathan & Cheryl Nauman, Tirzah Krey, Dominican Republic; James Krey, Puerto Rico; Rev. Eric & Johanna Stinnett, Ethopia. All Haitian Pastors & people in Haiti & the Dominican Republic.
Our Lutheran Church in Nicaragua, and other Missionaries who serve for us in foreign lands.

3. For God's People: Joan Hannah

4. For Those Who Celebrate:

Birthdays: Heidi Gagnier

5. For Those Who Need Prayers:

Joan Nelson	Phil Ochs	Ed Tracy
Alice Elvy	Clarissa Wolf-Menna	Those Affected by COVID-19

Scott Vanraes: Keep Scott in your prayers as he continues his study at Seminary. He continues his study as well as works part time to support his family.