CALAMUS LUTHERAN PARISH

Faith Lutheran Church 8:00 a.m. Our Savior's Lutheran Church 9:30 a.m.

Day of Pentecost

June 8, 2013

Welcome in Jesus' name. Please consider using the prelude as a time for meditation and silent prayer. This is the ideal time for quiet preparation, as we come to worship God. Holy Communion is celebrated today.

All who are baptized into Christ Jesus are invited forward to receive Holy Communion. Those not communing may come forward to receive a blessing.

Prelude Ringing of the Bell Welcome and Announcements

HOLY COMMUNION

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*GATHERING SONG: Spirit of Gentleness – Hymn 396

*GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: O God, on this day you open the hearts of your faithful people by sending into us your Holy Spirit. Direct us by the light of that Spirit, that we may have a right judgment in all things and rejoice at all times in your peace, through Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen

WORD

BIBLE READING: Acts 2:1—21

L: A reading from Acts.

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs--in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.

Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy.

And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood,

before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

P: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

SERMON – Pastor Sarah Kretzmann *Silence for reflection*

CONFIRMANDS SHARING OF BIBLE VERSES



Serina Carpenter: "No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God lives in us, and his love is perfected in us." – 1 John 4:12



Brianna Williams: "Jesus answered, 'Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick; I have come to call not the righteous but sinners to repentance."" – Luke 5:31—32



*HYMN OF THE DAY: Here I Am, Lord – Hymn 574

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CHOIR ANTHEM: "The Prayer" by Sager and Foster

*PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

C: And also with you.

MEAL

OFFERING PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Let us pray.

C: Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

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P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

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

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

*WORDS OF INSTITUTION

*LORD'S PRAYER

P: Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

C: 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.

Hymns Sung During Distribution:

Hymn 525: You Are Holy Hymn 732: Borning Cry

Hymn 453: Baptized and Set Free

Hymn 598: For by Grace You Have Been Saved

*POST COMMUNION BLESSING

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen

SENDING

*BLESSING

P: The God of all grace, who has called you to eternal glory in Christ, restore, support, strengthen, and bless you by the power of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

C: Amen.

CHOIR: "Go Now In Peace" by Don Besig and Nancy Price Accompanied by Karen Porth

*DISMISSAL:

P: Go in peace. Share the good news.

C: Thanks be to God.

Ringing of the Bell

Postlude

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Holy Communion is celebrated today. All who are baptized into Christ Jesus are invited forward to receive Holy Communion. Those not communing may come forward to receive a blessing. Communion will be continuous. Please proceed forward at the direction of the ushers. White grape juice is available during Holy Communion. Please indicate to the Assisting Minister if this is your preference.

Pianist: Rachel Bousselot **Choir Director:** Diane Christensen

Altar Ministry: Ruth Braet, Annette Braet

Greeter: Meryne Henning

Acolyte: Ann Tulley (CA), Andrew Grau

Communion Assistant: Ruth Braet

Ushers: Hal Shelton, Eric Sands,

Diane Sievers, Lonny Sievers

Welcome to our guests and visitors. We are happy to have you worship with us this morning. Please come back and worship with us again.

There is a "cry room" available in the back of each church, if you would like to make use of the accommodations.

Those to keep in prayer this week: Tootie Steines, Cathy Goddard, Barbara Dannatt, Kristi Reed, Candice Ogden, Claire Wallace, Julie Coopman, Nancy Schebler, Tom Wright, Caleb May, Josie Watham, Alex Luedtke, Nancy Ramige, Audrey Witte, Signe Rock, Myrtle Koslofsky, Florence Petersen, Evelyn Stueland and Myrna Kay Petersen; For Christopher Holmes, Jeremy Koch, Brian Holmes and all others serving in the military.

This morning at Faith Church, **Serina Carpenter**, daughter of Brad and April Carpenter and Kristina Gonzales and **Brianna Williams**, daughter of Charity and Jeff Griebel and Chris Williams, will affirm their baptism

vows. Please remember them in their prayers as they continue their faith journey.

Bible School Follow-up Activity

- © Family-friendly Field Day, Today, Sunday, June 8
- © Meet at the Calamus Park at 10:30 a.m.
- © Fun and games for all ages! Food and drink provided! © Come and participate! Come and watch! Come and eat!
- © The offering for the day is items for Calamus/Wheatland Elementary: tissues, hand sanitizer, disinfecting wipes

Everyone is invited to the graduation celebration of **Mikaela Crossen**, daughter of Ray and Deb Detlefs. Join with them today to celebrate at their home, 2112 – 225th Street, Calamus, from Noon until 4:00 this afternoon.

A funeral service will be held today at Chapman Funeral Home, Wheatland, beginning at 5:00 p.m. for **Dana Jacobsen**, who died on May 12, 2014. Visitation time is from 2:00—4:00 p.m.

This afternoon, **Brianna Williams**, **Serina Carpenter**, **Beth Tulley and Noah Mullin leave for Confirmation Camp** at Riverside Bible Camp. Support them with your prayers for a great week!

Committee night begins at 8:00 p.m. at Our Savior's on Tuesday. There is no Education Committee.

Worship Committee is on Thursday at 6:00 p.m. at Our Savior's.

Joint Council meets on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at Our Savior's.

Just a friendly reminder (and nudge) of our upcoming basket raffle on July 12 in conjunction with Calamus Fun Days. We have already started wrapping baskets as they are coming in. Please leave your donated items in the basement at Faith. If you need ideas for baskets, feel free to call me at 563-212-3352, as I have a list compiled. Let's see how creative we all can be! – Dawn Dosland, Basket Raffle Co-Chair

This Week At A Glance

Today	8:00 a.m 9:30 a.m 10:30 a.m	Worship Service at Faith Church Worship Service at Our Savior's Church Family Field Day at Calamus Park	
Tuesday	8:00 p.m	Committee Night at Our Savior's	
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Thursday	6:00 p.m	Worship Committee at Our Savior's	
	7:30 p.m	Joint Council at Our Savior's	
Next Sunday	8:00 a.m	Worship Service at Faith Church	
	9:30 a.m	Worship Service at Our Savior's Church	
Faith: Worship Attendance, June 1			
Our Savior's: Worship Attendance, June 1			

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