



Welcome to Tree of Life Lutheran Church

Pentecost Season
Congregational Bulletin

Responses of assembly in **bold** ↑ indicates to please stand as able

PRELUDE *Please use this time for quiet reflection and prayer
and prepare for worship.*

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

↑ **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

In the name of the Father, and the +Son, and the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one-another:

Brief silence for self-reflection.

Merciful Father,

We confess that we have sinned.

We have failed you in our thoughts, words and deeds.

We have squandered your blessings, and hoarded your bounty.

In the name of your Son, Jesus Christ, forgive us and grant us your mercy.

Amen.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

↑ **GATHERING SONG** *see hymn board*

↑ **APOSTOLIC GREETING**

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

↑ SONG OF PRAISE ELW 857 Lord I Lift Your Name on High

Lord, I lift your name on high; Lord, I love to sing your praises.

I'm so glad you're in my life, I'm so glad you came to save us.

You came from heaven to earth to show the way, from the earth to the cross,
my debt to pay, from the cross to the grave, from the grave to the sky;

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Words and Music by
Rick Founds

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↑ **PRAYER OF THE DAY** *see Celebrate insert*

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

WORD


God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching and song

FIRST READING *see Celebrate insert* The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM *see Celebrate insert*

SECOND READING *see Celebrate insert* The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

↑ **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**



Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

The first line of musical notation is on a treble clef staff with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). It begins with a whole rest, followed by a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a half note B4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, and a quarter note F#4.



You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

The second line of musical notation is on a treble clef staff with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). It begins with a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, a quarter note F#4, a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, and a quarter note F#4.

↑ **GOSPEL** *see Celebrate insert*

The holy gospel...**Glory to you, O Lord**

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

↑ **SONG OF THE DAY** *see hymn board*

↑ **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 Pilate, 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 catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

↑ **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION** *Each portion concludes with either:*

Let us pray. **Have mercy, O God.** *OR* Merciful God, **receive our prayer.** *OR* Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.** *OR* Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer** *OR* God of grace, **hear our prayer.** *The presiding minister concludes the prayers: Amen.*

↑ **PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

THE MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

OFFERING

↑ **OFFERTORY**

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly hosts; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

↑ **OFFERING PRAYER** Let us pray together.

God of field and forest, sea and sky, you are the giver of all good things. Sustain us with these gifts of your creation, and multiply your graciousness in us, that the world may be fed with your love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

↑ **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

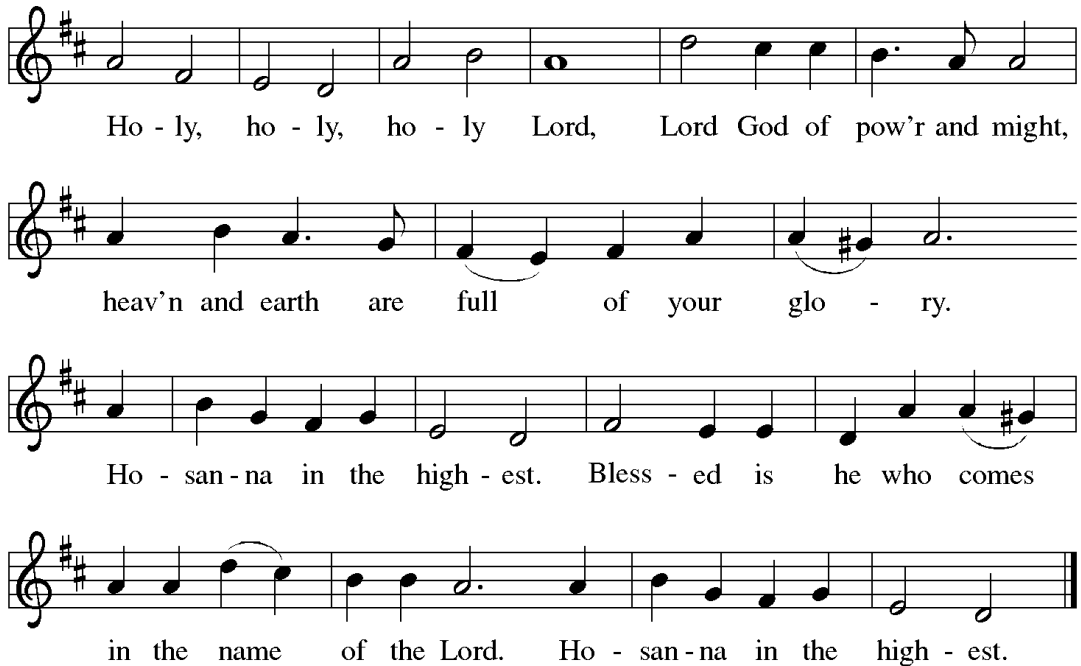
The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

The thanksgiving continues with the preface for the day; the assembly responds:

↑ **SANCTUS**



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

↑ **WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

↑ 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.

↑ INVITATION TO COMMUNION The gifts of God for the people of God! Amen.

All the baptized who believe that Christ is truly present in the Holy Communion, are welcome to commune. We commune with wine and white grape juice in the individual cups. Wine is in the common cup. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

COMMUNION



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on



us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have



mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the



sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

COMMUNION SONGS *see hymn board*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION Let us pray together.

We thank you, generous God, for the refreshment we have received at your banquet table. Send us now to spread your generosity into all the world, through the one who is our dearest treasure, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

THE SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

↑ **BENEDICTION**

↑ **SENDING SONG** *see hymn board*

↑ **OUR MISSION** What is our Mission? **To be faithful children of God, called by grace through Christ, and sharing this gift with Middletown, Odessa, Townsend and the World.**

↑ **DISMISSAL** Go in peace; serve the Lord! **Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE Sends us back into the world to live out our calling as children of God.
You may listen to the music or depart to do God's work!

Please join us for refreshments in the fellowship room after the service.

RESTROOMS are located by the kitchen, in the nursery
or at the end of the piano wing of the sanctuary.

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Thank you for worshipping with us!