



THAT THEY
MAY BE
ONE
JOHN 17:20-26

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 29, 2022

9:30 am Worship Service

ELW Setting One

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, HANOVER, PA

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Announcements

Welcome

We begin our worship as we were baptized in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

† Confession and Forgiveness

Pastor: Gracious God,

Cong.: have mercy on us. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by your gracious Spirit so that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through Jesus Christ our Lord, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

Cong.: Amen.

* Gathering Song

"Son of God, Eternal Savior"

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* 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.**

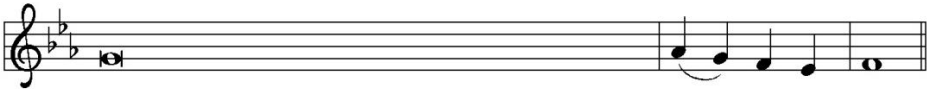
* Kyrie



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



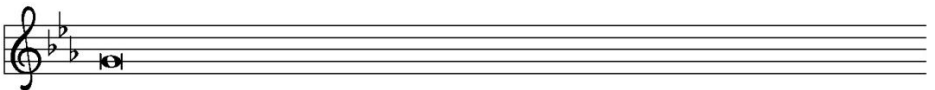
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



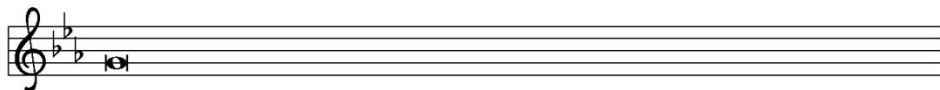
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.

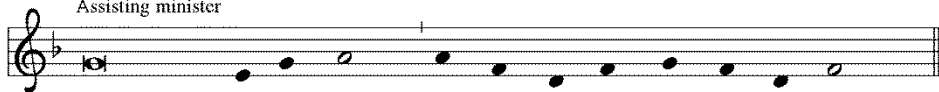


A - men, a - men.

*** Hymn of Praise**

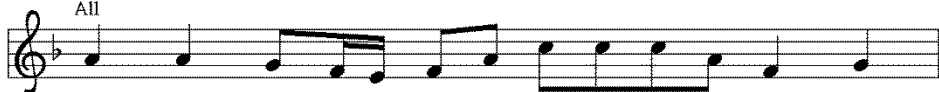
"Glory to God"

Assisting minister



Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.

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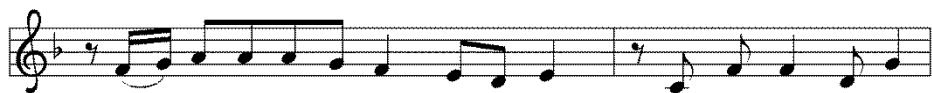
Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther,



we wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,



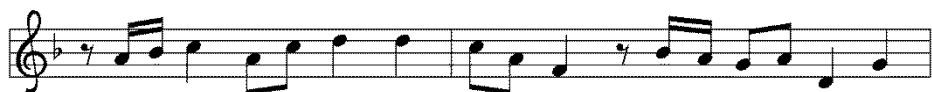
you take a-way the sin of the world: have mer-cy on us;



you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther: re-ceive our prayer.



For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,



you a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,



in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A-men.

*** Prayer of the Day**

L: Let us pray.

Response to the prayer: C: Amen.

First Reading:

L: A reading from Acts 16:16-34
The word of the Lord.

Pew Bible page 104 NT

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 97 (read responsively)

¹The LORD reigns; let the earth rejoice;
let the multitude of the isles be glad.

²**Clouds and darkness surround the LORD,
righteousness and justice are the foundations of God's throne.**

³Fire goes before the LORD,
burning up enemies on every side.

⁴**Lightnings light up the world;
the earth sees and trembles.**

⁵The mountains melt like wax

before the Lord of all the earth.

**6The heavens declare your righteousness, O LORD,
and all the peoples see your glory.**

7Confounded be all who worship carved images and delight in false gods!
Bow down before the LORD, all you gods.

**8Zion hears and is glad, and the cities of Judah rejoice,
because of your judgments, O LORD.**

9For you are the LORD, most high over all the earth;
you are exalted far above all gods.

10You who love the LORD, hate evil!

**God guards the lives of the saints and rescues them from the hand
of the wicked.**

11Light dawns for the righteous,
and joy for the honest of heart.

**12Rejoice in the LORD, you righteous,
and give thanks to God's holy name.**

Second Reading:

L: A reading from Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

Pew Bible ps. 205 NT

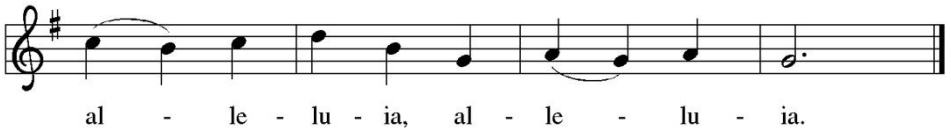
The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

*** Gospel Acclamation**

"Alleluia"

(Sing before the Gospel reading.)



Repeat alleluia



*** Gospel:**

P: The holy gospel according to John 17:20-26

Pew Bible p. 85 NT

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

The gospel concludes:

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

* Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary
and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

* Prayers of the People

Each petition ends with these words:

L: Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

Response at the conclusion of the prayers: C: Amen.

* The Peace

L: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

*The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace,
and may say, "Peace be with you," or similar words.*

The assembly is seated.

* Offertory Response

"Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful"

Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of
 bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that
 we may be fed with the bread of life. Gath-er the hopes and dreams of
 all; u-nite them with the prayers we of-fer. Grace our ta-ble
 with your pres-ence, and give us a fore-taste of the feast to come.

* Offertory Prayer

L: Let us pray.

Response after the prayer: C: Amen.

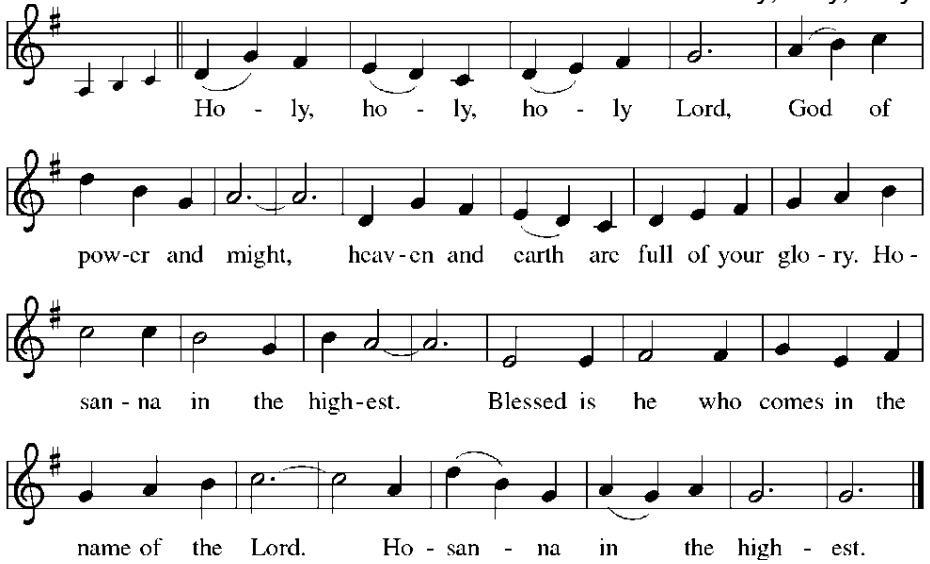
* The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. And al- so 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.

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all...
 (the minister continues with the preface concluding:)
 we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

* **Sanctus**

“Holy, Holy, Holy”



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

* **Eucharistic Prayer**

* **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.

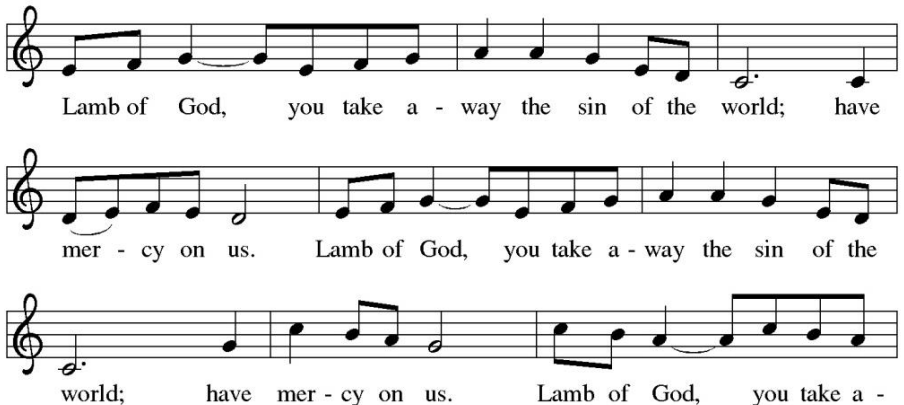
* **Invitation to Communion**

All baptized believers are welcome to commune.

Continuous Communion Distribution

Communion Song

“Lamb of God”



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 -



*** Communion Blessing**

Response after the blessing: C: Amen.

*** Prayer after Communion**

Response after the prayer: C: Amen.

*** Benediction**

Response: C: Amen.

*** Dismissal**

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Response: C: We are called through Christ to praise God and love generously. Thanks be to God.

*** Postlude**

* Stand if you are able

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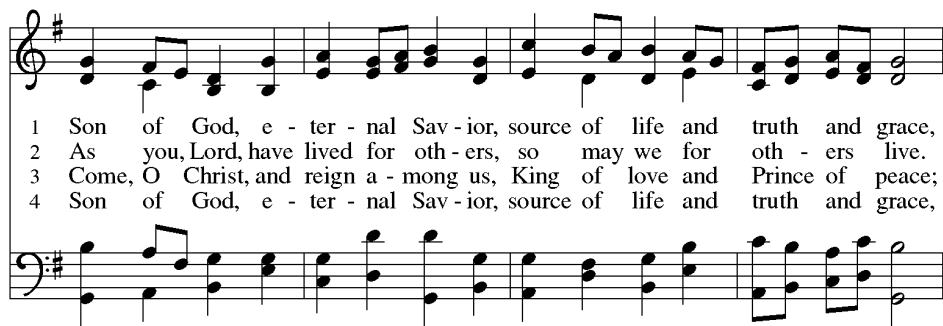
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WELCOME TO ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH! If you are seeking a faith community, exploring faith, desire to be a part of our ministries, or have questions, please feel free to speak with Pastor Bob or any staff member.

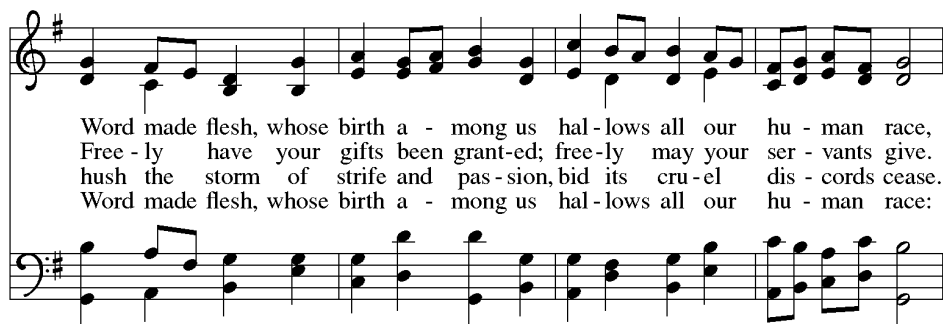
Preaching	<u>May 29</u>	<u>June 5</u>
Presiding Minister	Frank Hueske	Pastor Bob
Assisting Minister:	Russ Kaltreider	Pastor Bob
Lay Reader	Russ Kaltreider	Russ Kaltreider
Offering Deposit Team:	Russ Kaltreider	Betty Sheets
	Sharon Bortner	Frank Hueske
	Amy Feeser	Dave Maus
Ushers:	Team 3	Team 4
Altar:	Linda Knapp	Ginny Murray
	Sally Lovelace	Donna Lehman
	Sue Shue	

THE COMMUNION BREAD AND WINE is sponsored to the glory of God and in honor of Russ Kaltreider's birthday on May 24th by his wife and children.

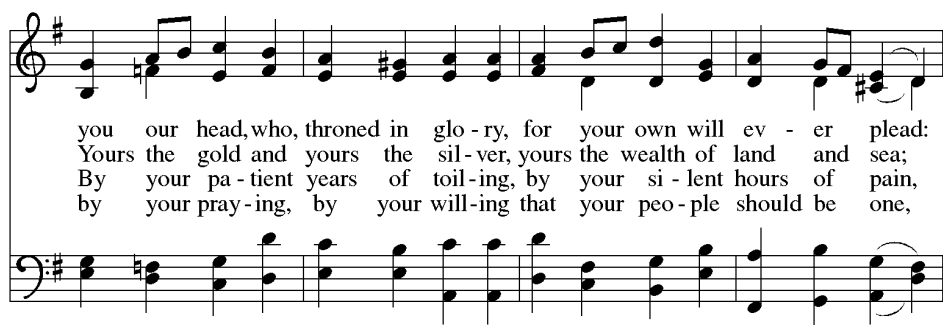
Son of God, Eternal Savior




1 Son of God, e - ter - nal Sav - ior, source of life and truth and grace,
2 As you, Lord, have lived for oth - ers, so may we for oth - ers live.
3 Come, O Christ, and reign a - mong us, King of love and Prince of peace;
4 Son of God, e - ter - nal Sav - ior, source of life and truth and grace,



Word made flesh, whose birth a - mong us hal - lows all our hu - man race,
Free - ly have your gifts been grant - ed; free - ly may your ser - vants give.
hush the storm of strife and pas - sion, bid its cru - el dis - cords cease.
Word made flesh, whose birth a - mong us hal - lows all our hu - man race:



you our head, who, throned in glo - ry, for your own will ev - er plead:
Yours the gold and yours the sil - ver, yours the wealth of land and sea;
By your pa - tient years of toil - ing, by your si - lent hours of pain,
by your pray - ing, by your will - ing that your peo - ple should be one,



fill us with your love and pit - y, heal our wrong, and help our need.
we but stew - ards of your boun - ty held in sol - emn trust will be.
quench our fe - vered thirst of plea - sure, stem our self - ish greed of gain.
grant, oh, grant our hope's fru - i - tion: here on earth your will be done.

Crown Him with Many Crowns

1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;
 2 Crown him the vir - gin's Son, the God in - car - nate born,
 3 Crown him the Lord of love— be - hold his hands and side,
 4 Crown him the Lord of life, who tri - umphed o'er the grave
 5 Crown him the Lord of years, the po - ten - tate of time,

hark, how the heav'n-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own.
 whose arm those crim - son tro - phies won which now his brow a - dorn;
 rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied.
 and rose vic - to - rious in the strife for those he came to save.
 cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, in - ef - fab - ly sub - lime.

A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
 fruit of the mys - tic rose, yet of that rose the stem,
 No an - gels in the sky can ful - ly bear that sight,
 His glo - ries now we sing, who died and rose on high,
 All hail, Re - deem - er, hail! For thou hast died for me;

and hail him as thy match-less king through all e - ter - ni - ty.
 the root whence mer - cy ev - er flows, the babe of Beth - le - hem.
 but down - ward bend their burn - ing eyes at mys - ter - ies so bright.
 who died, e - ter - nal life to bring, and lives that death may die.
 thy praise and glo - ry shall not fail through-out e - ter - ni - ty.

THE ETERNAL FLAME is sponsored to the glory of God and in remembrance of Nancy's parents, Dennis and Anna Becker, by Nancy and Gary Martin.

SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE: Please contact Maureen Kaltreider in the church office or at finance@stpaulsyorkst.org

Radio – June 12, 19 & 26 (\$60 or any portion you desire)

Altar Flowers – June 12 & 19 (2) June 5 (1)(\$20)

Communion Bread & Wine – June 12 & 26 (\$12)

Eternal Flame – June 12, 19 & 26 (\$10)

MAY SPECIAL DESIGNATED GIVING is St. Paul's Sabbatical Policy funding. St. Paul's Sabbatical Leave Policy can be provided as an opportunity for called personnel to have a leave up to three months for professional enrichment, study, growth, travel, skill development and research, all for the purpose of enrichment for continued service in the church. Seven years of continued service is required.

JUNE SPECIAL DESIGNATED GIVING is for New Hope Ministries is a Christian social service agency that shows the love and hope of Christ by serving our neighbors in times of need with emergency crisis assistance, food pantries, rent/mortgage assistance, help with medical needs, heat/utility assistance, transportation assistance, counseling, referral services, youth programs, holiday food baskets and gifts. In addition to basic needs, NHM offers ongoing support and guidance to help people become self-sufficient and stable over the long term through financial literacy, nutrition education, GED, employment preparation, and job training programs. NHM received an overall score of 97.24 out of 100 from Charity Navigator, the most utilized evaluator of the financial stability and best practices of charities in the U.S.

SOMETHING'S BREWING BIBLE STUDY - On Monday evening, June 6th, join us at 6:00 pm for a fellowship meal followed by our final Bible Study of the Spring at 7:00 pm. We will resume this study in the Fall.

We are studying C.S. Lewis' book "Mere Christianity". Everyone is welcome!

HELP IS NEEDED! The Christian Education Committee would like to provide our children with a Bible lesson during the summertime Sunday service. (If there are 2 services, this would be during the later service). We need volunteers. Children would be dismissed from the sanctuary before the sermon begins. Volunteers would take the children to another room to do a short Bible lesson and activity, then the children return to the sanctuary after the sermon. All materials will be provided. You just have to show up! We need at least 2 volunteers each week. Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board across from Pastor Burkhart's office.

DON'T MISS "TREE OF HEALING" Family Fest! Activities for all ages (not just "kids"). More details are on the Youth and Family bulletin board as well as last month's Evangel. Still looking for a few youth/adult helpers (no prep needed). See Deb Sowers for more info.

SPY'S MISSION ON THE MOUNTAIN! Currently we have 10 youth and adults putting together a mission trip for the summer (July 17-23). The trip is open to any youth ages 13 and up; youth under 13 need to have a parent/adult come WITH them. Contact Bill Sowers or the Church Office for more information.

YOUTH NEED VOLUNTEER HOURS? Adults wanting to help build community with the brothers and sisters in our congregation? Consider joining our Grocery Ministry team on Friday afternoons to unpack and sort donations from New Hope. We meet in Fellowship Hall at 3:30 and finish by 5:00. (Also looking for volunteers to help on Saturday mornings, 9:00 - 11:30) Thanks for considering!

LUTHERAN DISASTER RESPONSE - EASTERN EUROPE CRISIS RESPONSE

YOU CAN SUBMIT YOUR CHECK TO ST. PAUL'S (made payable as shown below). We will mail the checks monthly and inform our congregation of the total amount donated by St. Paul's members.

MAKE YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO:

Lower Susquehanna Synod,

write in memo line: **LDR - Eastern Europe Crisis Response.**

Your gift will be used entirely, 100%, to provide support for people impacted by conflict in the region.

Or, if you prefer, mail your check directly to
**Evangelical Lutheran Church in America,
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STEWARDSHIP SNIPPET - John 17:26—I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.

The foundation of generosity is the abundant love of God in Christ Jesus. It has the power to inspire and inform every aspect of our lives, including decisions about the most faithful use of our time, talent, and resources.

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SUNDAY, MAY 29 8:30 am Radio Broadcast
95.3 FM & 1280 AM
9:30 am Worship Service

MONDAY, MAY 30 **Office is closed for Memorial Day**

MAY 31 – JUNE 3 Church office will operate remotely
No in-person church office hours

WED., JUNE 1 6:00 pm Building Renovation Task Force
7:00 pm **ALL COMMITTEE NIGHT**
If you are on a committee, check with your chairperson as to whether your committee is meeting and, if so, where and when they plan to meet.

THURSDAY, JUNE 2 6:00 pm Boy Scouts
7:00 pm Senior Choir rehearsal

FRIDAY, JUNE 3 3:30 pm Grocery Ministry prep

SATURDAY, JUNE 4 9:00 am Grocery Ministry
(SPY, SPY Kids and families)

SUNDAY, JUNE 5 **THE DAY OF PENTECOST**
8:30 am Radio Broadcast
95.3 FM & 1280 AM
9:30 am Worship Service