



**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCHES**  
**Babbtown (Meta 8 am)**  
**Schubert (Jefferson City 10 am)**

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***The Festival of Pentecost***  
***Senior Member Sunday (Schubert)***  
***May 19, 2024***

**Order of Worship:** Printed below  
 (with P for Pastor, C for Congregation)  
 or

found on page 15 in The Lutheran Hymnal TLH

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Welcome to each of you in the Name of Jesus, our risen Savior. Today is the third great celebration of the Church Year. It is the celebration of the sending of the promised Holy Spirit.

We rejoice in the work of the Holy Spirit who calls us to faith and keeps us in faith, gives us the power to believe and do good works.

If you are a guest worshipping with us today, we greet you with special joy. Please be sure to introduce yourself, sign the guest register, and come back soon.

We also welcome all who are joining us online and pray that your faith will be strengthened through the Word of God that we proclaim. We also invite you join us in person, as you are able, to be encouraged and to encourage the fellowship of the believers.

**The Ringing Of The Bell**

**Prelude**

**Welcome**

**Opening Hymn:** TLH #224 "Come, Holy Ghost, God And Lord"

**Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord! Be all Thy graces now out-poured  
 On each believer's mind and heart; Thy fervent love to them impart.  
 Lord, by the brightness of Thy light Thou in the faith dost men unite  
 Of ev'ry land and ev'ry tongue This to Thy praise, O Lord, our God, be sung.  
 Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

**Thou Holy Light, Guide Divine, Oh cause the Word of Life to shine!  
 Teach us to know our God aright And call Him Father with delight.  
 From ev'ry error keep us free; Let none but Christ our Master be  
 That we in living faith abide, In Him, our Lord, with all our might confide.  
 Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

**Thou holy Fire, Comfort true, Grant us the will Thy work to do  
 And in Thy service to abide; Let trials turn us not aside.  
 Lord, by Thy pow'r prepare each heart And to our weakness strength impart  
 That bravely here we may contend Thro' life and death to Thee, our Lord, ascend.  
 Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Amen.**

**Invocation:** p. 15 [*Responses Sung*]

**P:** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost.

**C: Amen.**

P: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness. Our help is in the name of the Lord.

C: **Who made heaven and earth.**

P: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord.

C: **And Thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin.**

**Confession:** *[Spoken by all]*

ALL: **O almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto Thee all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended Thee and justly deserved Thy temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray Thee of Thy boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Thy beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

**Absolution** p. 16

P: Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost.

C: *[Sung]* **Amen.**

**Introit**

**Gloria Patri:** p.16 *[Sung]*

C: **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

**The Kyrie:** p.17 *[Sung]*

C: **Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.**

**The Gloria in Excelsis:** p. 17-19 *[Sung]*

C: **Glory be to God on high; And on earth peace, good will toward men.**

**We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,**

**We glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.**

**O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.**

**O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;**

**O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,**

**That takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.**

**Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.**

**Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.**

**For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.**

**Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

**Salutation And Response:** p.19

P: The Lord be with you

C: *[Sung]* **And with thy spirit.**

## **The Prayer Of The Day:** *[Spoken by all]*

**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.**

**Response [Sung]: Amen.**

## **Old Testament Reading:** Ezekiel 37:1-14

<sup>1</sup>The hand of the LORD was upon me, and he brought me out in the Spirit of the LORD and set me down in the middle of the valley; it was full of bones. <sup>2</sup>And he led me around among them, and behold, there were very many on the surface of the valley, and behold, they were very dry. <sup>3</sup>And he said to me, "Son of man, can these bones live?" And I answered, "O Lord GOD, you know." <sup>4</sup>Then he said to me, "Prophesy over these bones, and say to them, O dry bones, hear the word of the LORD. <sup>5</sup>Thus says the Lord GOD to these bones: Behold, I will cause breath<sup>[a]</sup> to enter you, and you shall live. <sup>6</sup>And I will lay sinews upon you, and will cause flesh to come upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live, and you shall know that I am the LORD." <sup>7</sup>So I prophesied as I was commanded. And as I prophesied, there was a sound, and behold, a rattling,<sup>[a]</sup> and the bones came together, bone to its bone. <sup>8</sup>And I looked, and behold, there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them. But there was no breath in them. <sup>9</sup>Then he said to me, "Prophesy to the breath; prophesy, son of man, and say to the breath, Thus says the Lord GOD: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe on these slain, that they may live." <sup>10</sup>So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived and stood on their feet, an exceedingly great army. <sup>11</sup>Then he said to me, "Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel. Behold, they say, 'Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are indeed cut off.' <sup>12</sup>Therefore prophesy, and say to them, Thus says the Lord GOD: Behold, I will open your graves and raise you from your graves, O my people. And I will bring you into the land of Israel. <sup>13</sup>And you shall know that I am the LORD, when I open your graves, and raise you from your graves, O my people. <sup>14</sup>And I will put my Spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you in your own land. Then you shall know that I am the LORD; I have spoken, and I will do it, declares the LORD."

## **Choir Anthem (Schubert)**

## **Epistle Reading:** Acts 2:1-21

<sup>1</sup>When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup>And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup>And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. <sup>4</sup>And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance. <sup>5</sup>Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. <sup>6</sup>And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. <sup>7</sup>And they were amazed and astonished, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? <sup>8</sup>And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? <sup>9</sup>Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup>Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, <sup>11</sup>both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." <sup>12</sup>And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" <sup>13</sup>But others mocking said, "They are filled with new wine." <sup>14</sup>But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them: "Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. <sup>15</sup>For these people are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. <sup>16</sup>But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel: <sup>17</sup>""And in the last days it shall be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams; <sup>18</sup>even on my male servants and female servants in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy.<sup>19</sup> And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke; <sup>20</sup>the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day. <sup>21</sup>And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

## **Gradual**

## **Sentence Of The Season**

**The "Triple Hallelujah":** *[Sung]*

**C: Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

P: The Holy Gospel that is appointed to be read for today is from the Gospel of St. John, chapters 15 and 16.

C: *[Sung]* **Glory be to Thee, O Lord!**

**The Gospel Reading:** John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15

<sup>15:26</sup> “But when the Helper comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth, who proceeds from the Father, he will bear witness about me. <sup>27</sup> And you also will bear witness, because you have been with me from the beginning.

<sup>16:4</sup> ... “I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. <sup>5</sup> But now I am going to him who sent me, and none of you asks me, ‘Where are you going?’ <sup>6</sup> But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your heart. <sup>7</sup> Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you. But if I go, I will send him to you. <sup>8</sup> And when he comes, he will convict the world concerning sin and righteousness and judgment: <sup>9</sup> concerning sin, because they do not believe in me; <sup>10</sup> concerning righteousness, because I go to the Father, and you will see me no longer; <sup>11</sup> concerning judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged. <sup>12</sup> “I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. <sup>13</sup> When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. <sup>14</sup> He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. <sup>15</sup> All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

P: Here ends the reading of the Holy Gospel.

C: *[Sung]* **Praise be to Thee, O Christ!**

**The Third Article (Apostles’ Creed) and Explanation: Sanctification**

*(from Luther’s Small Catechism)*

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

***What does this mean?* I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, or come to Him; but the Holy Spirit has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith.**

**In the same way He calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctified the whole Christian church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith. In this Christian church He daily and richly forgives all sins and the sins of all believers. On the Last Day He will raise me and all the dead, and give eternal life to me and all believers in Christ.**

**This is most certainly true.**

**Sermon Hymn:** TLH #234 “Holy Ghost With Light Divine”

**Holy Ghost, with light divine Shine upon this heart of mine;  
Chase the shades of night away, Turn the darkness into day.**

**Let me see my Savior’s face, Let me all His beauties trace;  
Show those glorious truths to me Which are only known to Thee.**

**Holy Ghost, with pow’r divine Cleanse this guilty heart of mine;  
In Thy mercy pity me, From sin’s bondage set me free.**

**Holy Ghost, with joy divine Cheer this saddened heart of mine;  
Yield a sacred, settled peace, Let it grow and still increase.**

**Holy Spirit, all divine, Dwell within this heart of mine;  
Cast down every idol throne, Reign supreme, and reign alone.**

**See, to Thee I yield my heart, Shed Thy life through every part;  
A pure temple I would be, Wholly dedicate to Thee. Amen.**

**Sermon:** "The Power Of The Holy Spirit"

Text: Acts 1:8; 2:1-21

*(The Offerings are brought forward. Offering plates are at the entrances or can be mailed or given online.)*

**Offertory** p. 22 *[Sung]*

**C: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.**

**Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.**

**Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation; And uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.**

**Prayers**

### **THE ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION**

*[We invite those who are communicant members of sister Lutheran Congregations, in the fellowship of LC-MS, and are repentant, to commune with us.]*

**The Preface:** p. 24 *[Responses Sung]*

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And with thy spirit.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

C: **It is meet and right so to do.**

P: It is truly meet, right and salutary that we should at all time and in all places give thanks unto Thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God ....

**The Proper Preface,** p. 25

P: .... therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Thy glorious name, evermore praising Thee and singing:

**The Sanctus:** p. 26 *[Sung]*

**Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth; Heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory;  
Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He, Blessed is He,  
Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the Lord. Hosanna, Hosanna,  
Hosanna in the highest.**

**The Lord's Prayer:** p. 27

**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;**

*[Sung]* **For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

**The Words of Institution:** p. 27

Our Lord Jesus Christ, the same night in which He was betrayed, took bread; and when He had given thanks, He brake it and gave it to His disciples, saying, "Take eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of me."

After the same manner also He took the cup when He had supped, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, "Drink ye all of it; this cup is the New Testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the remission of sins. This do, as oft as ye drink it, in remembrance of Me."

**The Pax Domini:** p. 27

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

C: *[Sung]* **A - - - - men.**

**The Agnus Dei: p. 28 [Sung]**

**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world have mercy upon us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, Grant us Thy peace.  
A - - - men.**

## **The Distribution**

**Distribution Hymns: TLH #227 "Come Holy Ghost, In Love"**

**Come Holy Ghost, in love Shed on us from above Thine own bright ray.  
Divinely good Thou art; The sacred gifts impart  
To gladden each sad heart. Oh, come today!**

**Come, tend'rest Friend and best, Our most delightful Guest, With soothing pow'r.  
Rest which the weary know, Shade mid the noon-tide glow,  
Peace when deep griefs o'erflow, Cheer us this hour.**

**Come, Light serene and still, Our inmost bosoms fill, Dwell in each breast.  
We know no dawn but Thine: Send forth Thy beams divine  
On our dark souls to shine And make us blest.**

**Exalt our low desires, Extinguish passion's fires, Heal every wound.  
Our stubborn spirits bend, Our icy coldness end,  
Our devious steps attend While heav'nward bound.**

**Come, all the faithful bless; Let all who Christ confess His praise employ.  
Give virtue's rich reward, Victorious death accord  
And, with our glorious Lord, Eternal joy. Amen.**

**TLH #226 "Come, Oh, Come, Thou Quickening Spirit"**

**Come, oh, come, Thou quick'ning Spirit, God from all eternity!  
May Thy power never fail us; Dwell within us constantly.  
Then shall truth and life and light Banish all the gloom of night.**

**Grant our hearts in fullest measure Wisdom, counsel, purity,  
That they ever may be seeking Only that which pleaseth Thee.  
Let Thy knowledge spread and grow, Working error's overthrow.**

**Show us, Lord, the path of blessing; When we trespass on our way,  
Cast, O Lord, our sins behind Thee And be with us day by day.  
Should we stray, O Lord, recall; Work repentance when we fall.**

**With our spirit bear Thou witness That we are the sons of God  
Who rely upon Him solely When we pass beneath the rod;  
For we know, as children should, That the cross is for our good.**

**Prompt us, Lord, to come before Him With a childlike heart to pray;  
Sigh in us, O Holy Spirit, When we know not what to say.  
Then our prayer is not in vain, And our faith new strength shall gain.**

**If our soul can find no comfort And despondency grows strong,  
That the heart cries out in anguish: "O my God, how long, how long?"  
Comfort then our aching breast, Grant it courage, patience, rest.**

**Holy Spirit, strong and mighty, Thou who makest all things new,  
Make Thy work within us perfect And the evil foe subdue.  
Grant us weapons for the strife And with victory crown our life.**

Guard, O God, our faith forever; Let not Satan, death, or shame  
Ever part us from our Savior; Lord our Refuge is Thy name.  
Though our flesh cry ever: Nay! Be Thy Word to us still Yea!

And when life's frail thread is breaking, Then assure us more and more,  
As the heirs of life unending, Of the glory there in store,  
Glory never yet expressed, Glory of the saints at rest. Amen.

**The Nunc Dimittus:** p. 29 *[Sung]*

Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy Word,  
For mine eyes have seen Thy Salvation:  
which Thou hast prepared before the Face of all people,  
a Light to lighten the Gentiles and the Glory of Thy people Israel.  
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

**The Thanksgiving:** p. 30

P: Oh, give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good.

C: *[Sung]* **And His mercy endureth forever.**

**The Thanksgiving Prayer:** pp, 30-31

P: We give thanks to Thee, Almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift; and we beseech You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith towards You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.

C: *[Sung]* **A- - - - men.**

**The Benedicamus:** p. 31

P: The Lord be with you.

C: *[Sung]* **And with thy spirit.**

P: Bless we the Lord.

C: *[Sung]* **Thanks be to God.**

**The Benediction:** p. 31

P: The Lord bless you and keep you, The Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

C: *[Sung]* **Amen, Amen, Amen!**

**Closing Hymn:** TLH #235, vs. 1 "O Holy Spirit, Enter In"

O Holy Spirit, enter in, And in our hearts Thy work begin,  
Thy temple deign to make us. Sun of the soul, Thou Light Divine,  
Around and in us brightly shine, To joy and gladness wake us  
That we In Thee Truly living, To Thee giving Prayer unceasing,  
May be in love be still increasing. Amen.

**Silent Prayer**

**Announcements**

***Have A Blessed Week!***

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BAPTISM BIRTHDAY: Babbtown – Kurt Schubert; Schubert – Claire Henderson, Nicole Jones, Connor Henderson, Haley Titus and Jack Kelly.

(NOTE: Please call or text Pastor with prayer requests and birthdays.)

PASTOR: Rev. Gerald Scheperle; Office phone: 573-395-4591; Cell: 573-353-9540.

ORGANISTS: Babbtown – Kathy Bauer; Schubert – Keith Bohl.

USHERS this Sunday: Jerry Bartel and Mike Forbis.

USHERS next Sunday: Jerry Bartel and Matt Belcher.

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Allan Forbis and Gary Stroup.

ACOLYTE this Sunday: Isabella Larkins.

ACOLYTE next Sunday: Ava Willson.

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TODAY: We celebrate Pentecost and we honor our Senior Members, those 70+ and above. We invite all ages to fellowship with a coffee and donut reception following worship and ask those who are 70+ to pick up a small token of our love.

- June Newsletter items are also due.

MONDAY: Men’s Bible Study/Supper, 6:00 p.m.

THIS WEEK: Pastor will be in and out of town this week. If you have a need, you can reach him by cell phone. Thanks.

NOTE: VBS is quickly approaching. We need you and your help. See the attached flyer and sign-up sheet.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE: As we look forward to the 2024-2025 school year, Trinity Lutheran School is seeking to call Christ-centered individuals to fill the following full-time positions: ● Middle School math or science. Successful candidates will provide spiritual leadership in all relationships with students, parents, faculty, and staff as they carry out plans and programs to achieve the responsibilities assigned. The constitution of the congregation requires that every member be given the opportunity to suggest names to fill the position. If you have questions or concerns about this process, or would like to suggest a name for consideration, please contact Jonathan Sprengel, Principal at 573-636-7807 or [jsprengel@trinityjc.org](mailto:jsprengel@trinityjc.org).

CALLING ALL ST. JOHN’S YOUTH: You are invited the evening of Tuesday, May 28, for a Bible study / ice cream run. We will meet at Schubert at 7:00 p.m. We need to organize our summer activities as well as plan ahead for next year and also next summer’s Youth Gathering. Contact Ginger and/or Samuel Luetkemeyer for details. Also: Mark your calendars to work the VBS kickoff on Sunday, June 2, and the VBS nights of June 3-6.

Immanuel Lutheran School is looking for a seventh & eighth grade full time teacher. The position teaches English/Social Studies (along with some other non-core subjects). Please either email Mr. Kopp at [principal@midmoimmanuel.com](mailto:principal@midmoimmanuel.com) or call the school office 573-496-3766 for more information or to submit your name.

Immanuel Lutheran School's 2024-2025 school enrollment is open. Call the office 573-496-3766 to set up your tour today.

TEENS ENCOUNTER CHRIST (TEC) will be held on June 8-10, 2024 at Faith Lutheran Church, Jefferson City, MO. TEC is a three-day retreat for teens AND adults that allows them to encounter the presence of Christ in their lives in a unique way. If you want to find out more about this amazing opportunity to grow in your faith, please visit our website, [www.heartofmotec.com](http://www.heartofmotec.com). The website has all the information and an online application – registration deadline is May 31. If you want more information you can call or text Sam Ziegelbein at 573-680-6887 or email TEC at [heartofmotec@gmail.com](mailto:heartofmotec@gmail.com). Please prayerfully consider supporting this important ministry with your prayers, by attending, or by donating needed items.

LIFE THOUGHTS IN THE CHURCH YEAR: The Holy Spirit means to make a dwelling place of every human body (1 Corinthians 6:19-20). The Scriptures explicitly apply this mission to old and young, male or female (Acts 2:17), and even the unborn (Psalm 139:13). We have the invitation and commission to proclaim this prophetic message to a culture that beholds some neighbors as lifeless bones (Ezekiel 37:2-3). Let His precious breath of life (Genesis 2:7) inspire us all!

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY: Babbtown, 23; Schubert, 104.



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Thanks be to God that we have the opportunity to gather in worship each week. Make worship and Bible Study and the Lord's Supper a high priority in your life.

**Babbtown**

**Schubert**

**8:00 a.m. Worship Service**  
**9:10 a.m. Sunday School**  
**and Adult Bible Study**

**9:15 am. Sunday School**  
**9:30 a.m. Bible Study**  
**10:00 a.m. Worship Service**

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Hymn #224: Scripture: Acts 2:4; Komm Heiliger Geist, Herr Gott; Come, Holy Ghost, God And Lord; Author: Martin Luther (1524); Translation: Composite; Tune: Komm Heiliger Geist, Herr Gott; Source: 15th Century Melody.

Hymn #234: Scripture: 1 Thessalonians 5:23; Holy Ghost With Light Divine; Author: Andrew Reed (1817); ; Tune: Light Divine; Composer: Orlando Gibbons (1623).

Hymn #227: Scripture: Ezekiel 36:26; Latin: Veni, Sancte Spiritus; Come Holy Ghost, In Love; Latin Author unknown (c. 1200); Translator: Ray Palmer (1858)); Tune: Italian Hymn; Composer: Felice deGiardeni (1769).

Hymn #226: Scripture: Romans:8:16; Komm, O Komm, du Geist des Lebens; Come, Oh, Come Thou Quickening Spirit; Author: Heinrich Held (c. 1664); Translator: Charles W. Schaeffer (1866, alt.); Tune: Komm, O Komm, Due Geist Des Lebens; Composer: J. Christoph Bach (1680).

Hymn # 235: Scripture: Isaiah 11:2; O Heiliger Geist,kehr bei uns ein; O Holy Spirit, Enter In; Author: Michael Shirmer (1640, alt.); Translator: Catherine Winkworth (1866, alt.); Tune: Wie schon leuchtet; Composer: Philipp Nicolai (1599).

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**CALVARY NEWS**

**CALVARY INSIDER –** Wondering what went on at Calvary this week?

- Student Government held elections for next year. Ben Kuhlmann was selected as the 2024-2025 Student Body President.
- Seniors closed out their High School academics with Final Exams on Monday and Tuesday – and then blessed the student body and teachers by cooking breakfast for them on Wednesday morning!
- Micah Christman finished 37<sup>th</sup> at the Class 1 State Golf Tournament in Joplin.
- Awards Recognition Night for underclassmen was celebrated on Tuesday.
- Baseball Lions were victories over Jamestown in the first round of Districts! They went on to play St. Elizabeth on Wednesday.
- The final chapel of the 2023-2024 school year was led by Mr. Christman.
- On Friday, Jaxson Jobe, Sydney Morris, and Maddy Sprengel headed to State for Track & Field. Go Lions!



**GRADUATING CLASS OF 2024** - Join us as the class of 2024, along with their families, praise God in celebration of this milestone at Calvary's **graduation worship service** on **Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 am**, at Calvary.

**CALVARY BOYS YOUTH CAMPS - YOUTH Baseball** – Incoming 5th through 8th graders are invited to join us from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on June 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> for Calvary's Youth Baseball Camp! Infield, outfield, hitting, pitching, and catching will all be covered. This event is free of charge. Please RSVP by calling the Calvary office at (573) 638-0228 by Friday, May 26<sup>th</sup>.

**POSITIONS AVAILABLE** – Calvary Lutheran High School is seeking mission-minded individuals to serve as an Outreach Coordinator and another person to teach one credit of Art for the 2024-2025 school year. Interested applicants can contact the Calvary office at 573-638-0228. Resumes will be accepted until the positions are filled. They may also be submitted to Calvary at 2525 Route B, Jefferson City, MO 65101.

**LAST CALL FOR THE CALVARY GOLF TOURNAMENTS!** – Assemble your team and shine your clubs! The 20<sup>th</sup> annual Calvary Benefit Golf Tournament is **Friday, May 31, 2024** at Tanglewood Golf Course in Fulton! The deadline to enter a team in the tournament is tomorrow, May 20<sup>th</sup>! If you would like to volunteer your time to help, we would love to have you! Contact John Christman at 573-638-0228 or administrator@calvarylhs.org with your interest. To register your team, go to calvarylhs.org/golftournament. Space is Limited!

**SAVE THE DATE –**

May 25	Graduation of the Class of 2024	10AM
May 31	20 <sup>th</sup> Annual Benefit Golf Tournament	calvarylhs.org/golftournament