

Word of God Lutheran Church
Grow • Build • Serve



Our Mission:
With God's help we are called to be a
multi-generational traditional church, grounded in
the Bible and focused on service in the community
and mission outreach.

Pentecost
May 23, 2021

ORDER OF SERVICE

May 23, 2021

Pentecost

Advent † Christmas † Epiphany † Lent † Easter † **Pentecost**

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* Please stand as able

† All who are baptized and believe that Jesus is truly present in the bread and wine are invited to receive communion and assurance of God's forgiveness. *Children who have not been instructed in the sacrament should fold their hands to receive a blessing.*

NOTE: Page numbers are in the front of the hymnal, followed by the Hymn numbers. *LBW* is the green *Lutheran Book of Worship*. *WOV* is the blue *With One Voice Hymnal*.

Acts 2:1-21

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

Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

²⁴ O Lord, how manifold are Your works!
In wisdom have You made them all;
the earth is full of Your creatures.

**²⁵ Here is the sea, great and wide,
which teems with creatures innumerable,
living things both small and great.**

²⁶ There go the ships,
and Leviathan, which You formed to play in it.

**²⁷ These all look to You,
to give them their food in due season.**

²⁸ When You give it to them, they gather it up;
when You open Your hand, they are filled with good things.

**²⁹ When You hide Your face, they are dismayed;
when You take away their breath, they die
and return to their dust.**

³⁰ When You send forth Your Spirit, they are created,
and You renew the face of the ground.

**³¹ May the glory of the Lord endure forever;
may the Lord rejoice in His works,**

³² Who looks on the earth and it trembles,
Who touches the mountains and they smoke!

**³³ I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
I will sing praise to my God while I have being.**

³⁴ May my meditation be pleasing to Him,
for I rejoice in the Lord.

**³⁵ Bless the Lord, O my soul!
Praise the Lord!**



Romans 8:22-27

²² For we know that the whole creation has been groaning together in the pains of childbirth until now. ²³ And not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies. ²⁴ For in this hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what he sees?

²⁵ But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

²⁶ Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. ²⁷ And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Please *love your neighbor* and be cognizant of Covid 19 protocols such as practicing **social distancing**, wearing a **face mask**, and **washing** your hands.
- On May 30, WoG will begin having **communion** every Sunday again. You will be able to choose between intinction from a host family at the altar rail and the individual communion kit at your seat. More information to follow.
- The **Annual Congregational Business Meeting** is Sunday, June 13, immediately following service.
- **ROMEOS'** monthly luncheon will resume meeting again on Tuesday, June 1, at 11:30 am. Please contact Paul Talbott, COS, at gafarman@gmail.com for more information.
- Reminder, your **baby bottle(s)** filled with loose coin will be collected on Father's Day, Sunday, June 20. Thank you for supporting Coweta Pregnancy Services.
- **Midwest Food Bank** is celebrating their 10-year anniversary with a party in their parking lot on Saturday, June 5, from 10 am - 2 pm. Free food and Fun!
- **Volunteers** are still needed to help Newnan tornado victims. Please contact the *Coweta County Tornado Relief Resource Line* at **910-632-3309** for locations and times.
- Our next **RLC Warehouse** service opportunity is Wednesday, June 16, at 9:00 AM, and the **RLC Mobile Food Pantry** will be Thursday, June 17, at 9:00 AM. Please sign up on the bulletin tear-off or contact Cathy Moore at mooreteam5@gmail.com for more information.
- The next **Midwest Food Bank** distribution will be Tuesday, June 22 (8 AM - 12 PM & 6 PM - 8 PM); Wednesday, June 23 (8 AM - 1:30 PM); and Thursday, June 24 (8 AM - 12 PM). Lunch is provided each day to all volunteers. Contact Joe Bowler at ltcbowler@gmail.com, or sign up on the bulletin tear-off.
- The next **Redeemer Soup Kitchen** service opportunities in Atlanta will be Monday, May 31 and Tuesday, June 29. Volunteers meet in the parking lot at Mimi's restaurant at 8:30 AM to carpool. Please contact Cathy Moore at mooreteam5@gmail.com for more information.
- *Unless otherwise indicated, the announcement submission deadline for the Sunday bulletin is the previous Monday at 11:00 AM. Please send all announcements to wogadmin@woglutheran.org.*

April 2021 Report

All donations will be applied to the General, Building, or Scholarship funds.

Average Weekly Worship Attendance: 113

Monthly Giving: \$26,897

Monthly Benevolence: \$2,959

Building for Our Future Giving to Date: \$752,980

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Visit http://woglutheran.org/online_giving

Upcoming Events
Please Mark Your Calendars!

- Sunday, May 23** - *Pentecost*
- **Sunday School, 9:00 AM (LAST CLASS for 2021)**
- **Discovery Class, 9:00 AM**
- **Worship Service, 10:15 AM**
- **Chapel Chat, 11:30 AM**
- Tuesday, May 25** - **Pathways 2, 7:00 PM**
- Wednesday, May 26** - **The Word at Mid-Week, 6:30 PM**
- Thursday, May 27** - **Assemble Bulletins, 1:00 PM**
- Sunday, May 30** - **Worship Service, 10:15 AM**
- Monday, May 31** - *Memorial Day*, **OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED**
- Wednesday, June 2** - **The Word at Mid-Week, 6:30 PM**
- Tuesday, June 4** - **Tuesdays with God PTC IHoP, 9:30 AM**
- **ROMEOS' Monthly Luncheon, 11:30 AM**
- Thursday, June 3** - **Assemble Bulletins, 1:00 PM**
- Sunday, June 6** - *Trinity Sunday*
- **Worship Service, 10:15 AM**
- Wednesday, June 9** - **The Word at Mid-Week, 6:30 PM**
- Thursday, June 10** - **Assemble Bulletins, 1:00 PM**
- Sunday, June 13** - *Third Sunday after Pentecost*
- **Worship Service, 10:15 AM**
- **Annual June Congregational Meeting, 11:30 AM**
- Monday, June 14** - **Property Team Meeting, 7:00 PM**
- Tuesday, June 15** - **Tuesdays with God PTC IHoP, 9:30 AM**
- Wednesday, June 16** - **RLC Warehouse Senior Box Dist., 9:00 AM**
- **The Word at Mid-Week, 6:30 PM**
- **Service Committee Meeting, 7:00 PM**
- Thursday, June 17** - **RLC Mobile Food Pantry, 9:00 AM**
- **Assemble Bulletins, 1:00 PM**
- Friday, June 18** - **Midwest Food Bank Pre-pack, 8:00 AM**



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