PRAYER REQUESTS: Please use the blue prayer request cards in the pews for your prayer requests. Place them in the offering plate so Pastor can include them in the Pastoral Prayer.

LAYREADER for this week is Linda Schaller.

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS this week are Veronika Charpentier, Judy Schreck, Callie Falzone, Rick Sanker and Jim Hall.

CELEBRATING AN ANNIVERSARY this week are Bill and Barbara Cramer and Kerry and Janice Delaney.

THE FLOWERS this week are sponsored by Rick and Rebecca Sanker in honor of Rick's birthday.

DEACON for the month of June is Lucas Swanson.

Church Elders

Sharon Laverdure Rick Sanker Ellie Buff Sandra Rydell Judy Schreck Jim Hall Phil Lawrence Debbie Prince Lisa Swanson

Church Staff

Nicole Vogel	Pastor
Jen Carmella	Secretary
Linda Schaller	Music Director
Bob Lee	Sexton
Keith Karkut	Technology

THIS WEEK AT E.S.P.C.

<u>Today</u> ~ Choir Rehearsal, 9:15 a.m.

~ Worship, 10:00 a.m.

~ Fellowship Hour after worship in Lounge

<u>Tuesday</u> ~ Mission Committee meeting, 1:00 pm

~ Women's Circle, 1:45 pm

Wednesday ~ Men's Lunch, noon

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June 5, 2022

Pentecost Sunday
Celebration of Confirmation
Communion Sunday

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "Down to the River to Pray" ARR. MARY MCDONALD

GATHERING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Come, sing a new song of worship.

P: Come, sing a new song of praise.

L: Today is a day of a promise fulfilled.

P: With joy, we celebrate Pentecost.

L: With joy, we welcome more into the church today.

P: A Day when the Holy Spirit was revealed in flaming glory.

L: The fire of the Holy Spirit lives on in us.

All: Sing praises!

*HYMN NO. 289 "On Pentecost They Gathered"

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

Eternal God, it seems not so long ago we were celebrating Advent, the birth of Christ and now we are celebrating another advent; the coming of Your Spirit among us and the creation of Your church. Fill this room our hearts and lives, especially those who our joining Your fold today with the Pentecost power of the Holy Spirit. Amen

CHILDREN'S SERMON

INVITATION TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, you poured Your Spirit upon gathered disciples, creating bold tongues, open ears and a new community of faith. We confess that we hold back the force of Your Spirit among us. We do not listen for Your word of grace, speak the good news of Your love, or live as a people made one in Christ. Have mercy on us, oh God. Transform our timid lives by the power of Your Spirit and fill us with a flaming desire to be Your faithful people, doing Your will for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

~Moment for Silent Reflection~

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*Gloria Patri

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. Amen.

THE PEACE

L: The peace of Christ be with you!

P: And also with you!

CHOIR ANTHEM

"Clap Your Hands And Sing Halleluiah" DON BESIG & NANCY PRICE
The Choir

THE WORD

NEW TESTAMENT Acts 2:1-21 (Pg. 119)

EPISTLE Romans 8:14-17 (Pg. 158)

L: Word of God for the people of God **P: Thanks be to God**

SERMON "Pouring It All Out" Pastor Nicki

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

RECEIVING OF OUR CONFIRMANDS

Presentation

Profession of Faith

Questions to the Congregation

Confession of Faith (on insert)

Prayer and laying on of hands

Welcome

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION (see insert)

BENEDTICTION

SENDING

HYMN NO. 407 "Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayers" verses 1,3,5

POSTLUDE "Revive Us Again" ARR. MARY MCDONALD