



Diamond Lake Lutheran Church

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Inviting all people to a life in Christ.

Day of Pentecost

May 23, 2010, 11:00 a.m.

Red is the liturgical color for Pentecost.

Pentecost is a day of promises fulfilled. The promised Spirit of God is poured out. The baptized have become "children of God" and "joint heirs with Christ." By the power of the Spirit we have seen the face of the Father in his only begotten Son and been saved by him. Bless the Lord, O my soul.

We invite those that are able to stand each time the † symbol appears in the service bulletin.

PRELUDE: *How Majestic Is Your Name* Michael W Smith

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

TRINITY CHIMES

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Youth Choir

Cleanse Me Lord Mark Hayes

† **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

P: Trusting in the word of life given in baptism, we are gathered in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: God has given to all nations the repentance that leads to life. Let us come with repentant hearts to the God who makes all things new.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Gracious God,

C: we confess to you all the ways in which we dismiss the resurrection news. We are slow of heart to believe. We turn from others and retreat in fear. Come into our locked rooms and breathe into us your forgiving Spirit. Reawaken our trust and strengthen our hope, that we may be witnesses to your saving power.

P: Peace be with you, sisters and brothers. In baptism, you have received a spirit of adoption; you are God's beloved children. In the name of Christ, your sins are forgiven. Rejoice, and welcome this freedom as a gift.

C: Amen.

† **GATHERING SONG:** *Earth and All Stars (1,4,5)*..... ELW 731

† **GREETING**

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

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.

Please complete a tri-fold "Welcome to Worship" form and place it in the offering plate. Inside you will find opportunities to: volunteer, request special prayers, sign up for events, or join specific ministries.

We appreciate your helping us be a little "greener" by returning your 8:30 bulletins to the bin in the narthex so that we can reuse them at the 11:00 service.

Feel free to ask one of the ushers for **HEARING DEVICES** or **LARGE PRINT BULLETINS.**

‡ **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: Let us pray.

C: God our creator, the resurrection of your Son offers life to all the peoples of earth. By your Holy Spirit, kindle in us the fire of your love, empowering our lives for service and our tongues for praise, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.



Special Children's
Message with
Jack Pearson

FIRST READING: ACTS 2:1–21

Before Jesus ascended into heaven, he told his disciples they would be filled with the Holy Spirit. Now, surrounded by signs of fire, wind, and a variety of languages in their midst, the people were amazed and astonished at Jesus' promise coming true.

R: A reading from the Book of Acts, the 2nd Chapter.

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. ²And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

⁵Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?" ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹Cretans and Arabs — in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." ¹²All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. ¹⁵Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. ¹⁶No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

¹⁷"In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.

¹⁸Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. ¹⁹And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. ²⁰The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. ²¹Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

R: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM: 104:24–34, 35b

R: Please join me in reading Psalm 104 responsively.

²⁴How manifold are your works, O Lord!
In wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.

**C: ²⁵Yonder is the sea, great and wide,
with its swarms too many to number,
living things both small and great.**

R: ²⁶There go the ships to and fro,
and Leviathan, which you made for the sport of it.

**C: ²⁷All of them look to you
to give them their food in due season.**

R: ²⁸You give it to them; they gather it;
you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.

**C: ²⁹When you hide your face, they are terrified;
when you take away their breath,
they die and return to their dust.**

R: ³⁰You send forth your Spirit, and they are created;
and so you renew the face of the earth.

**C: ³¹May the glory of the Lord endure forever;
O Lord, rejoice in all your works.**

R: ³²You look at the earth and it trembles;
you touch the mountains and they smoke.

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

R: ³⁴May these words of mine please God.
I will rejoice in the Lord.

**C: ³⁵Bless the Lord, O my soul.
Hallelujah!**

R: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING: ROMANS 8:14-17

Here Paul speaks about the mystery of baptism: through the Holy Spirit we are claimed, gathered, and welcomed into Christ's body, the church. And we receive new names in our adoption: brother, sister, child of God.

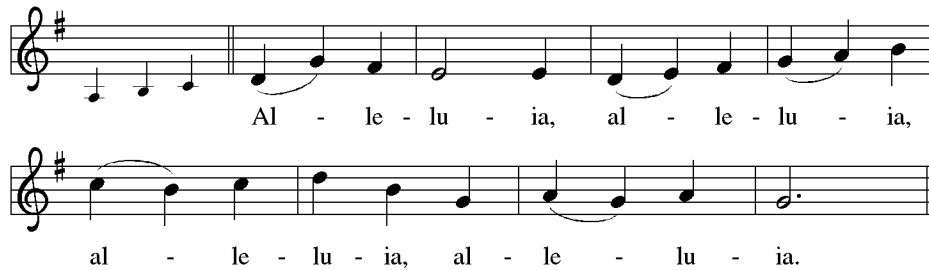
R: A reading from the Book of Romans, the 8th Chapter.

¹⁴For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. ¹⁵For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" ¹⁶it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ — if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

R: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

‡ **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**



‡ **GOSPEL: JOHN 14:8–17 [25–27]**

Though the disciples struggle with Jesus' nature and identity, they receive the promise that they too will be identified with God and God's mission. Though he must leave them now, Jesus promises the coming of the Advocate whom God will send to comfort and enlighten them.

P: The holy gospel according to St. John, the 14th Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

⁸Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." ⁹Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'?" ¹⁰Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. ¹¹Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. ¹²Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. ¹³I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

¹⁵If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. ¹⁷This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. ²⁵I have said these things to you while I am still with you. ²⁶But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. ²⁷Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON IN WORDS & SONG

Message.....Paul Batz

Let us sing a song in unison, in harmony praise our God. Members are we, one another, the body of Christ, sisters and brothers . . . we are the children of God.

How do you measure a year in a life? In daylights, in sunsets, in midnights, and cups of coffee; in inches, in miles, in laughter, and strife;

How about Love, Remember in Love, Measure in love.

Many nights we prayed, with no proof that anyone could hear. In our hearts, a hopeful song we barely understood. Now we are not afraid, although we know there is much to fear. We were moving mountains long before we knew we could. There can be miracles when you believe, though hope is frail, it's hard to kill. Who knows what miracles you can achieve, when you believe, somehow you will . . . you will when you believe.

Lord, let your love, love no end come over us. That we may be saved, that we may have life to find our way in the darkest night. Let your love come over us, let your light shine on us.

Youth Choir

Seasons of LoveJonathan Larson

When You Believe Stephen Schwartz

Shine on Us.....Michael W. Smith



Blessing of Our Graduates

HYMN OF THE DAY: *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart* ELW 800

‡ **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**

P: Rejoicing in the glory of the resurrection dawn, let us pray for the church, the world, and all of God's creation.

A brief silence is kept before the prayers.

P: Lord in your mercy,

C: . . . hear our prayer.

P: Into your hands, O God, we commend ourselves and all for whom we pray, trusting in your abundant mercy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

OFFERING:

Bagatelle No. 8..... Nicolai Kapustin

‡ **OFFERTORY**

Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re - new a right
spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence, and take
not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re - store to me the joy of
your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me with your free Spir - it.

‡ **OFFERING PRAYER**

P: Let us pray.

C: **Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

‡ **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.

‡ **BLESSING**

P: The God of life, who raised Jesus from the dead, who sends forth the Spirit to renew the face of the earth, be merciful to you and bless you, now and forever.

C: Amen.

The congregation may be seated at this time.

SENDING SONG:

Congregation

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee (1,3).....ELW 836

Youth Choir

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee arr. Mervyn Warren

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace, serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE: *Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ*Jamaican Folk Song

Youth Choir Director's Notes

Today marks the culmination of 17 years working with the Youth Choir here at Diamond Lake. Lord knows our kids have many other tempting ways they could spend their Wednesday evenings. Together, we have created a rewarding environment that allows them to shine through service, worship, music, theatre, fellowship, and more.

Thank you to all the parents, families, volunteers, and contributors who make this happen. I am grateful, and blessed in so many ways. As a choir, we especially appreciate you, our adoring congregation! You allow us to offer up yet another "greatest hits" song list . . . because you know that's what the older kids in the choir want to sing again. (You are welcome to sing along on your favorites.) Without you, we're just rehearsing. With your encouragement, we are all helping to develop the future leaders of the Church . . . and that's worth celebrating!

Sincerely,

*Paul Batz,
Youth Choir Director*



ABOUT JACK PEARSON: Hi! I'm Jack Pearson. As long as I can remember I've been in love with the meaning of things. I've been busy delivering music / story experiences of imagination, spirit, folklore, and history full-time for thirty years now. I play guitar, fiddle, 5-string banjo, mandolin, dobro, and an assortment of small percussion instruments including my one-and-only amplified toy box lid.

I'm a songwriter with one foot in our American folk tradition but the other joyfully lost in the landscape of imagination. I weave music with stories original and traditional and perform for kids, grown-ups and family groups in the Upper Midwest and around the country. I work often with K-6 kids in schools both as a performer and resident artist. I also work closely with churches and faith-based groups helping facilitate worship or doing a concert for the kids or families.

Summer finds me as musician-in-residence at Mount Hermon Conference Center near Santa Cruz, California, but I live way up on the upper Mississippi in Minneapolis, Minnesota. I make good pancakes, love to read, and wear suspenders a lot.

I've been married for over thirty years to Nancy and we have two cool kids: Peter and Kari.

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DIAMOND LAKE MINISTERS

Senior Pastor Rev. Mark N. Orvick
 Associate Pastor..... Rev. Amy C. Thoren
 OrganistRichard Neighbor
 Senior Choir Director.....Dr. Bruce Gleason
 Youth Choir Director Paul Batz
 Spirit & K-3 Choirs Director Ben Wagner
 Youth Choir Accompanist Kevin Hobbs
 Carillon & Children's Bell Choirs DirectorChuck Linderkamp

SERVANTS FOR TODAY, SUNDAY, MAY 23, 2010

	8:30a	11:00a
<i>Acolytes</i>	Isabelle Bergman	Tim Eidsmoe
<i>Children's Message</i>	Jack Pearson	Jack Pearson
<i>Coffee Hosts</i>	Jim & Mary Teurman	
<i>Communion Assistants</i>		
<i>Cued Speech</i>		TBD
<i>Greeters</i>	John & Loree Hinderaker & Family, Allen & Rita Gehrke & Family	Cynthia Dickison, Lee & June Jacobson
<i>Music Group(s)</i>	Youth Choir (Sending Hymn)	Youth Choir, Megan Kresse, <i>soloist</i> Kevin Hobbs, <i>accompanist &</i> <i>piano soloist</i> (Offering)
<i>Nursery Volunteers*</i>	Rita Gehrke	Eric & Denise Patrick-Johnson
<i>Pursers</i>	Graydon Royce, Julie Schmidt	
<i>Readers</i>	Ed Rousseau	Jack Lewis
<i>Ushers</i>	Carl & Julie Sarff, Robb & Connor Bass	Ron Youngquist, Graydon Royce, Ken & Val Oulman

SERVANTS FOR NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 30, 2010 (one service)

	9:30a
<i>Acolytes</i>	Sarah Miner
<i>Children's Message</i>	Frank Anderson
<i>Coffee Hosts</i>	Mark Bergman
<i>Communion Assistants</i>	
<i>Cued Speech</i>	TBD
<i>Greeters</i>	Paul & Gretchen Ambrosier, Dottie Gardner
<i>Music Group(s)</i>	
<i>Nursery Volunteers*</i>	<i>Staff</i>
<i>Pursers</i>	Ken & Val Oulman
<i>Readers</i>	Bruce Ajax
<i>Ushers</i>	Sue Nelson, Joe Nelson, Cynthia Dickison, Lolly Haas

*Nursery Volunteers assist the permanent Nursery Staff.