

In Our Prayers

Healing, strength, and guidance for: Jerry & Lois Peterson, Jerry & MaryAnn Kaczmarek, Aaron, Jimmy, Brian Tracy, Bob & Nancy Mohns, Jim, Adrian, Ada, Andy, Nancy, Bob, Kristan, Dave Olson, Ann Stewart, Abigail, Wyatt, Penny Pfile, Nancy Wuthrich, Michelle, Christian Bush, Taylor, David A., Nate, Gabe, Eli, Rachel, Luann Bartz, Edmund, Andrea, and Ron Johnson.

For those suffering loss: The family and friends of Gary Noeller. Tina B. upon loss of husband Kevin. Cousin Karen upon loss of husband.

Weekly Schedule

Monday (June 6)

9:30am Prayer Group
4:00pm Transition Team

Wednesday (June 8)

6:30pm Altar Guild

Volunteer Schedule

June 12

AV: Stacy Diemel
Acolyte: Connor Diemel
Ushers: Dan King & Lora Conrad
Reader: Jim Freedlund
Counters: Dan King & Brad Mueller
June Pew Stock: Cyndy King

June 19

AV: Kara Wallace
Acolyte: Damon Lynch
Ushers: Dorothy Bush & Debbie Tracy
Reader: Sue Peterson
Counters: Greg Bartz & Tom Lenhart

Lawn Mowers: June 9-11 D. Landenberger, D. Lynch

Presider: Pastor Bob Castro **Pianist:** Linda Chartrau
AV: Kara Wallace **Acolyte:** Ava Lynch
Ushers: Greg & Luann Bartz **Reader:** Tom Lenhart
Counters: Pam Novotnak & Steve Shrider

Prince of Peace

Faith, Family, Community



*"I will pour out my Spirit
on all people."*

Joel 2:28, NIV



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Church Office Hours:
M-F 8:00 am-12:00 pm

**9:00 am
Service**

Interim Pastor Bob Castro
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Tues & Th 9:00 am-12:00 pm
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June 5, 2022

Welcome to Prince of Peace Lutheran Church

PRELUDE & CANDLE LIGHTING

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

(please rise)

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS:

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

(Silence for reflection.)

P: Most merciful God,

C: we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

HYMN: “Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness” (blue WOV #684)

Chorus

Spirit, Spirit of gentleness

Blow through the wilderness calling and free

Spirit, Spirit of restlessness

Stir me from placidness, wind, wind on the sea

You moved on the waters, you called to the deep

Then you coaxed up the mountains

From the valleys of sleep

And over the eons you called to each thing

“Awake from your slumbers and rise on your wings”

Chorus

You swept through the desert, you stung with the sand

And you goaded your people with a law and a land

And when they were blinded with idols and lies

Then you spoke through your prophets

To open their eyes **Chorus**

You sang in a stable, you cried from a hill

Then you whispered in silence

When the whole world was still

And down in the city you called once again

When you blew through your people

On the rush of the wind **Chorus**

(continued)

You call from tomorrow, you break ancient schemes
From the bondage of sorrow
All the captives dream dreams
Our women see visions, our men clear their eyes
With bold new decisions your people arise **Chorus**

SALUTATION:

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of
God, and the friendship of the Holy Spirit be with
you all.

C: **And also with you.**

KYRIE: (LBW p. 57-58, sung)

P: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

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

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

P: 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.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

P: For this holy house, and for all who offer here their
worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

P: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C: **Amen**

HYMN OF PRAISE: (p. 60-61)

Chorus

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb, who was slain, whose blood
set us free to be people of God. **Chorus**

Power, riches, wisdom, and strength, and honor, blessing
and glory are his. **Chorus**

Sing with all the people of God, and join in the hymn of
all creation: Blessing, honor, glory and might be to God
and the Lamb forever, Amen. **Chorus**

For the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign.
Alleluia. **Chorus**

PRAYER OF THE DAY: (spoken)

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Let us pray.

C: **God our creator, earth has many languages, but
your Gospel announces your love to all nations
in one heavenly speech. Make us messengers
of the good news that, through the power of
your Spirit, everyone everywhere may unite in
one song of praise; through your Son, Jesus
Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now
and forever. Amen**

(please be seated)

FIRST READING: Genesis 11:1-9 (pew Bible p. 8)

SECOND READING: Acts 2:1-21 (p. 882)

(please rise)

ALLELUIA: (LBW p. 62)

**C: Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life.
Alleluia. Alleluia.**

(sung)

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the 14th chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL TEXT: John 14:8-17

Philip said, "Lord, show us the Father and that will be enough for us."

Jesus answered: "Don't you know me, Philip, even after I have been among you such a long time? Anyone who has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Don't you believe that I am in the Father, and that the Father is in me? The words I say to you I do not speak on my own authority. Rather, it is the Father, living in me, who is doing his work. Believe me when I say that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; or at least believe on the evidence of the works themselves. Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father. And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it.

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"If you love me, keep my commands. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever—the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

(please be seated)

THE MESSAGE

SONG: "Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

There's a sweet sweet Spirit in this place
And I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord
There are sweet expressions on each face
And I know they feel the presence of the Lord

Sweet Holy Spirit
Sweet heavenly Dove
Stay right here with us
Filling us with Your love
And for these blessings
We lift our hearts in praise
Without a doubt we'll know
That we have been revived
When we shall leave this place

(please rise)

NICENE CREED (p. 64)

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH:

L: Lord, in Your mercy...

C: **Hear our prayer.**

PEACE:

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

C: **And also with you.** (greet those around you)

OFFERTORY: (*ushers bring forward offering, p. 66*)

“Spirit of the Living God”

Spirit of the living God

Fall fresh on me

Spirit of the living God

Fall fresh on me

Melt me, mold me

Fill me, use me

Spirit of the living God

Fall fresh on me

P: Let us pray. Merciful Father,

C: **we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us – our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: (p. 68-69, sung)

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

P: It is indeed their unending hymn:

C: **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of pow’r and might: Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna. Hosanna. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD’S PRAYER:

C: **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**

SONG: (p. 72)

C: **Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.**

HOLY COMMUNION

We celebrate the real presence of our Lord Jesus Christ in Holy Communion. We understand this to mean that Jesus is truly present with us in His body and blood through the bread and wine. We welcome all baptized adults and children who have been instructed to receive Holy Communion to share in the Lord’s Supper.

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ
strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: **Amen**

POST COMMUNION HYMN: (p. 72-73)

C: **Thank the Lord and sing his praise; tell ev-'ry-
one what he has done. Let all who seek the
Lord rejoice and proudly bear his name. He re-
calls his promises and leads his people forth in
joy with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia. Alle-
luia.**

BLESSING: (p. 74, sung)

P: Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless
you now and forever.

C: **Amen**

SONG: "Spirit Song"

O let the Son of God enfold you
With His Spirit and His love
Let Him fill your life
And satisfy your soul
O let Him have the things
That hold you and His Spirit
Like a dove, will descend upon
Your life and make you whole

Chorus

**Jesus, O Jesus
Come and fill Your lambs
Jesus, O Jesus
Come and fill Your lambs**

O come and sing the song
Of gladness as your hearts
Are filled with joy
Lift your hands in sweet
Surrender to His name
O give Him all your tears and sadness
Give Him all your years of pain
And you'll enter into life in Jesus' name

Chorus

DISMISSAL:

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE