



Celebrating

Three stylized Pentecost symbols are arranged horizontally: a red and orange flame-like shape on the left, a white dove in flight on a purple background in the center, and a blue and white swirling wind-like shape on the right.

Pentecost

BEUTECOST

The Weekend of Pentecost
Saturday, June 7, 2025 5:30pm
Sunday, June 8, 2025 9:00am

On Pentecost, we celebrate that we have been given an Advocate to accompany us. Poured out in wind and fire, water, wine, and bread, the Holy Spirit abides in and among us. We give thanks that God speaks to each of us, no matter our origins, language, or life path. Filled with the Spirit of truth, we go out from worship to proclaim the saving power of Christ's love and the freedom of God's grace with all the world.

Prelude 5:30 JoAnn Halverson 9:00 Naomi Baker
Ring of the Bell (9:00)

Welcome/Call to Worship

The Spirit is here among us
within us, around us, between us.
The Spirit is here to strengthen us
bringing courage, bringing conviction.
The Spirit is here to move us,
making us sing and praise.
The Spirit is here.

May we feel the Spirit as we gather.
May we be fed by her fiery strength.
May we be emboldened by her powerful wind.

We gather in the Spirit's arms to be nurtured as we worship.
And may our worship fill us with the Spirit
as we go back out into our daily lives.

Gathering Hymn *Faithful God, You Sent Your Spirit*

(to the tune of *Come, Thou Fount*)

Faithful God, you sent your Spirit
Long ago at Pentecost.
You gave life and said to share it,
All as one, beneath your cross.
May we see your wondrous blessing
When your people everywhere
Work together, all confessing
Faith that binds us, faith to share.

God of hope, you daily nurture
Those who seek to follow you.
You're not bound by any culture;
You love rich and poor ones, too.
In an ever-changing nation,
May your churches welcome in
Every child of your creation,
Giving hope to all again.

God of love, may we in worship
Welcome our diversity.
May we reach in trust and friendship
To the poor and refugee.
May we see Christ in the stranger,
Breaking bonds of hate and fear.
By your Spirit, may we offer
Glimpses of your kingdom here.

Confession and Assurance of Forgiveness

In the name of the Father,
and of the ✠ Son,
and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Baptized into Christ, let us confess our sin.
Merciful God,
you free us to love others,
but we neglect our neighbors and follow our own way.
You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace,
but we turn away from the abundant life you offer.
You surround us with patience, kindness,
and generosity,
but we grow weary in doing what is right.
In your mercy, forgive us.
Do not give up on us.
Heal us, break our bonds,
and show us the path of life. Amen.

You belong to Christ Jesus and you are God's children through faith.
In the cross of ✠ Christ, and through the power of the Holy Spirit, your sins
are forgiven. Clothed with Christ, you are a new creation. **Amen.**

Prayer of the Day

We pray together, **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.**

Hymn *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart* ELW 800 (vs 1 & 4)

Scripture Readings

Acts 2:1-21

¹When 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:

¹⁷In 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.'
The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalms 104:24-34, 35b

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

²⁵**Yonder is the sea, great and wide,
creeping things innumerable are there,
living things both small and great.**

²⁶There go the ships,
and Leviathan that you formed to sport in it.

²⁷**These all look to you
to give them their food in due season;**

²⁸when you give 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.**

³⁰When 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 —**

³²who 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.**

³⁴May my meditation be pleasing to him,
for I rejoice in the LORD.

³⁵**Let sinners be consumed from the earth,
and let the wicked be no more.**

**Bless the LORD, O my soul.
Praise the LORD!**

Here ends the reading of the Psalm.

Romans 8:14-17

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.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Children's Message (9:00)

Gospel Acclamation *Halle, Halle, Hallelujah* ELW 172

Gospel John 14:8-17, 25-27

The Gospel reading is found in the Gospel of John.

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.

The Gospel of our Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon Pastor Rick Hoyme

Hymn of the Day *O Day Full of Grace* *ELW 627 (vs 1,3,4)*

Apostles' Creed (p. 105)

Prayers of the Church (Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**)

Sharing of the Peace

Offering Music

Offertory Prayer

Creator God,

**in your wisdom you bring forth all that is good
and the harvest is plentiful.**

**Strengthen us at your table with these gifts of the earth
and our labor, that we may work for the good of all;
through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.**

The Words of Institution and The Lord's Prayer

Communion Music	<i>Let Us Break Bread</i>	<i>ELW 471</i>
	<i>Spirit of Gentleness</i>	<i>ELW 396</i>
	<i>Eat This Bread</i>	<i>ELW 472</i>

Prayer after Communion

Mothering God, you gathered us to your table and we drank deeply of your grace. Send us out by your Spirit to love our neighbors as ourselves and proclaim your love in Jesus' name. **Amen.**

Announcements

Sending Blessing

The love of God abound in you;
the grace of our Savior Jesus Christ fill your hearts;
and the life of the Spirit ✠ bless you and give you peace. **Amen.**

Sending Hymn *God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind* *ELW 400*

Dismissal

Go in peace. Live by the Spirit.
We will! Thanks be to God!

Postlude

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Readings and Psalm for Next Week

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Wisdom rejoices in the creation

Psalm 8

Your glory is chanted above the heavens. (Ps. 8:2)

Romans 5:1-5

God's love poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit

John 16:12-15

The Spirit will guide you into the truth

PENTECOST QUIZ

1. What Christian holiday does Pentecost follow?
2. While everyone was gathered together in a room celebrating the feast, what sound was heard all around them, as described in Acts?
3. How does the Bible describe what happened to the disciples when the Holy Spirit entered them?
4. In Acts 2:21, what did Peter say would happen to those that call upon the Lord?
5. Who did Peter describe in Acts 2:25 as sitting at the right hand of God?

1. Easter 2. rushing of wind 3. spoke different languages 4. be saved 5. Jesus

HOSPITALIZED THIS WEEK: David Haugen

PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF: Barb Hanson, sister of Bonnie (Ron) Keith, aunt of Colleen Crannick.

Calvary Lutheran Church Financial Summary for May 2025

General Fund

- Total General Fund income is \$45,016 under the monthly budgeted income by \$9,401
- At \$43,598 the general offerings is under budget by \$9,152
- Actual monthly budgeted operating expenses were \$62,761 which is under budget by \$1,724
- Net Loss for the month is \$17,745, YTD Net Loss \$42,153
- Total Net Assets are (\$62,223)

Serving Saturday Night 5:30pm

Preaching: Pastor Rick Hoyme
Greeters: Wayne and Lynette Emberland
Musician: JoAnn Halverson
Lector: Marilyn Gjerde

Serving Sunday 9:00 am

Preaching: Pastor Rick Hoyme
Presiding: Pastor Amy Juel
Musician: Naomi Baker
Communion: Brian Henrickson, Aden Jacobson, Caleb Hanson
Greeters: Darrell & Peggy Ruch, Jan & Colleen Ruby
Lector: Jean Berg
Office: Amy Gilbertson - 8:45 - 10:15am
Sound: Victoria Larsen
Video: Jody Skindeliën

Weekly Attendance - 281
YouTube - 84
General Offerings - \$8,517.44



JUNE 2025 WORSHIP AT CALVARY	
Saturday, May 31st	5:30pm Traditional Worship in the Chapel Light Meal for Kopitzke's following
Sunday, June 1st	9:00am Contemporary/Modern Worship Coffee with Council following
Saturday, June 7th	5:30pm Traditional Worship in the Chapel
Sunday, June 8th	9:00am Traditional Worship
Saturday, June 14th	5:30pm Traditional Worship in the Chapel
Sunday, June 15th	9:00am Contemporary/Modern Worship
Saturday, June 21st	5:30pm Traditional Worship in Sanctuary for recording purposes
Sunday, June 22nd	9:00am OUTDOOR Worship/Youth led
Saturday, June 28th	5:30pm Traditional Worship in the Chapel
Sunday, June 29th	9:00am Traditional Worship Coffee with Council following

Creation Care Tip

Buy House Plants - House plants not only add to the aesthetics of a home, but also maintain room temperatures by adding moisture to the air and reducing airborne bacteria, fungi and other unhealthy pollutants.

NTY
FRIDAY, JUNE 13 - 12:00PM

Jayne Asche (no relation to me) and Mildred Meyer will entertain us with a sing-a-long accompanied by both of them on their accordians! Probably a few piano selections also! Together, they have shared their musical talents with many groups and have many years of experience and memories! Come and enjoy the program at 1:00 & bring a guest if you can't make it for the noon lunch. Please call the church office by 4:30 P.M. Wednesday, June 11th to register for the catered lunch. Cost for lunch will be \$7.00, payable in Bethany Hall and not at the church office. (Note that cancellations and no-shows after Wednesday will still require payment due to increased food costs.) Thank you. If any questions, please call Diane Asche at 295-8938.

PLEASE WEAR NAME TAG

To help Pastor Rick and others know who you are, please remember to wear your name tags. **If you have lost your name tag or just need one, please contact the church office and we will order one for you.** Thank you!



BUBBLE MACHINE(s) NEEDED:

If you have a Bubble Machine that you would loan to the church for Worship on June 22, please contact the church office ASAP. Thank you so much!



SCAM ALERT!!!

Pastor Amy IS NOT leaving Calvary. It has been brought to our attention that along with the scams going around that it is being said that Pastor Amy is leaving Calvary. If you happen to hear this from anyone, please feel free to tell them that she isn't leaving and to reach out to the church office or Pastor Amy if they have any questions.

We appreciate those who have brought it to our attention and please continue to call us if you get any emails or strange texts from any of us at church. Let's continue to take care and watch out for each other...We are Stronger Together.





**Calvary has reserved
Arnold's Case IH Redzone
Monday, August 4th
6:35pm**

**\$20 = unlimited burgers, brats,
hot dogs, pasta salad, chips, soda &
water (beer & wine are discounted)**



**Reserve your ticket at the
CHURCH OFFICE & we'll
See you at the Ballpark!**

Sunday, June 8

9:00am Worship – P. Rick preach, P. Amy preside
10:00am Coffee Time
10:45am Worship Service on KWLM 1340 am or 96.3 fm
1:00pm Worship Service-WRAC 181
3:00pm Girl Scout Troop #3500 – Friendship Room
8:00pm Worship Service-WRAC 181

Tuesday, June 10

11:30am Finance Committee – Conference Room
6:00pm Council Meeting – Koinonia Room
6:30pm Worship Service - WRAC 181

Thursday, June 12

9:30am Text Bible Study – Friendship Room
1:00pm Quilting

Friday, June 13

12:00pm NTY – Bethany Hall

Saturday, June 14

5:30pm Chapel Service – P. Amy

Sunday, June 15

9:00am Worship – P. Amy preach, P. Rick preside
10:00am Coffee Time
10:45am Worship Service on KWLM 1340 am or 96.3 fm
1:00pm Worship Service-WRAC 181
8:00pm Worship Service-WRAC 181

From the Kopitzkes....

Dear friends and Members of Calvary,
Thank you so much for the privilege of serving with you for the past 21 months. In addition, thank you so much for hosting the lovely gatherings on Sunday May 18th (between services), Wednesday, May 28 (staff pizza party), and Saturday, May 31(following "chapel" worship).

Please know that we will keep you in our prayers and hold you in our hearts!

In faith, friendship, and deepest gratitude to God...
Pastor Wayne and Donna Jo



Do you know.....

Styrofoam can take 500 to a million years to decompose?
Styrofoam fills up 30% of landfills around the world?
Approximately 1360 TONS of Styrofoam is buried daily?
Styrofoam material releases chemicals in food & drinks which affect human health?
Styrofoam harms animals scavenging for food?



What can WE do?



**THE BEST SOLUTION &, #1 CHOICE,
IS USE
ALTERNATIVE MATERIALS.**



***Option #2 is to bring your
LARGE SOLID PACKING STYROFOAM***
to Room 112 at Calvary.

When we get a full load, volunteers will
drive it to Hutchinson,
the nearest styrofoam recycling facility.

If you or a loved one would like a pastoral visit (ill, hospitalized, or just because), please contact:

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Our pastors are always willing to provide support in time of need.