

**Redeemer Lutheran Church
San Antonio, Texas**

**May 24, 2026
Pentecost Sunday
Divine Service Setting 1: Pgs. 151-166**

NOTES: Please place your attendance cards and offering in the plate located by the narthex. Offerings will not be collected by passing plates, they will be brought forward before singing the message hymn. There is no specified seating. We offer large print copies of the liturgy. Masks are not required, but you can wear one at your own discretion.

For Holy Communion we offer gluten-free wafers and non-alcoholic white grape juice.

Prelude

Opening Hymn:

“O Holy Spirit, Enter In” – LSB # 913

Confession and Absolution: Pg. 151

Introit: Pg. 152

Kyrie: Pg. 152

Hymn of Praise:

This is the Feast: Pg. 155

The Salutation and Collect of the Day: Pg. 156

The Readings:

The First Reading: Song of Songs 5:1-6

The young man:

¹ I have come into my garden, my sister, my bride.
I have taken my myrrh with my spice.
I have eaten my honeycomb and my honey.
I have drunk my wine and my milk.

The writer:

Eat, friends, and drink, you who love each other!
Drink until you can drink no more!

The young woman:

² I slept but my mind was awake.
Listen! My lover is knocking on my door!
He said, 'Open the door for me, my dear friend.
You are my sister, the perfect one that I love.
To me you are like a beautiful dove.
Dew from the night air covers my head.
My hair is very wet.'

³ I said, 'I have taken off my day clothes.
I do not want to dress myself again.
I have washed my feet.
I do not want them to get dirty again.'

⁴ My lover pushed his hand through the hole in the door.
My heart began to beat faster because he was near.

⁵ I got up to open the door for my lover.
My hands were wet with myrrh.
Myrrh dropped from my fingers

onto the handle of the door.

⁶ I opened the door for my lover.
But he had already turned away.
He had gone!
I was very upset that he had gone away.
I looked for him but I did not find him.
I called to him but he did not answer me.

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

The Second Reading: Acts 2:1-21

¹ 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.’

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse: Pg. 156

The Gospel Reading: John 7:37-39

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the 7th chapter.

Congregation: Glory to You, O Lord.

³⁷ On the last day of the feast, the great day, Jesus stood up and cried out, “If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink. ³⁸ Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, ‘Out of his heart will flow rivers of living water.’” ³⁹ Now this he said about the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were to receive, for as yet the Spirit had not been given, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: Praise to You, O Christ.

Presentation of Offering

Message Hymn:

“Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord” – LSB # 497

The Message:



Nicene Creed: Pg. 158

Prayer of the Church: Pg. 159

(**Pastor:** Lord, in your mercy,)

(**Congregation:** Hear our prayer.)

The Communion Liturgy:

The Preface: Pg. 160

The Sanctus: Pg. 161

The Prayer of Thanksgiving: Pg. 161

The Lord's Prayer: Pg. 162

The Words of Our Lord: Pg. 162

The Pax Domini: Pg 163

The Agnus Dei: Pg. 163

Pre-Communion Hymn:

“Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful” – LSB # 955

Holy Communion:

Jesus is the sacrifice; the High Priest; and the Host of this new Passover meal. He meets you in the bread and wine in which He says they are His body and blood. In this mystery He brings healing for the repentant who broken in sin will find a new life in hope, grace, forgiveness, and sacrificial love. All who believe this, and are baptized, who hunger and thirst for His righteousness, receive such gifts.

Please come up single file in the center aisle. Pastor will distribute both the bread and wine, prompting you for each element. We have gluten-free wafers available, and we have non-alcoholic white grape juice in the center of the tray. After you are dismissed, please return down the side aisle(s).

Post Communion Canticle:

Nunc Dimittis: Pg. 165

Post Communion Collect: Pg. 166

The Benediction:

Closing Hymn:

“Holy Spirit, Light Divine” – LSB # 496

Announcements:

Postlude

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