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COVENANT COMMUNITY

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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SUNDAY, JUNE 5TH, 2022 - 10 A.M.

THE MIRACLE OF PENTECOST

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

Prelude: "Blow, Spirit, Blow" Les Fraaza

Quiet Reflection and Preparation for Worship:

Pentecost began with the powerful concept of a shared passion. The idea of a group of people rushing along in unison, operating with one mind... one purpose. And that purpose/passion was to honor Jesus Christ as Lord in a place and time at which their declaration could lead to persecution. Has our purpose/passion become one mind... one purpose with things of the world, or with Scripture, the Church, and our Lord Jesus Christ?

Welcome & Announcements

Lighting of the Candles

Call to Worship: Psalm 104:24, 30, 33

How manifold are your works, O Lord!

In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

You send forth your spirit, and they are created;

and so you renew the face of the earth.

I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;

I will praise my God while I have my being.

***Hymn:** "Spirit of the Living God" #288
"Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us" (vs. 1) #280

*Call to Confession:

Our sister Julian of Norwich spoke these words of faith: "All people who shall be saved, while we are in this world, have in us a marvellous mixture of both well-being and woe. We have in us our risen Lord Jesus; we have in us the misery of the harm of Adam's falling and dying. We are steadfastly protected by Christ, and by the touch of his grace we are raised into sure trust of salvation. And by Adam's fall our perceptions are so shattered in various ways, by sins and by different sufferings, that we are so darkened and blinded that we can hardly find comfort." In the strong assurance of pardon, let us confess our sin.

*Prayer of Confession:

Without your power, O God, we are lost. We have done the things we would avoid, and what you desire, we have not done. By your purifying fire transform our lives; guide us into honesty and compassion so that filled with your peace our dreams and visions may be one with yours; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

(We keep a moment of silence for reflection)

SMALL GROUP FOR RETIRED SINGLES— CCPC has a small group for people who are single and retired. This group typically meets every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month at 1pm in the Cry Room, **however the next gathering on June 15 will take place at Jean Rogers' home for some fellowship on the water!** Please call Bonnie Rogers (715-370-7618) if you plan to attend!

YOUTH, CHILDREN & FAMILY

VBS 2022 — It's time to register your kiddos for CCPC Kids Ministry's Vacation Bible School 2022! Join us *Sunday, June 26 through Thursday, June 30 from 6-8pm* for loads of fun, education, snacks, and most importantly... learning about God's Word and His amazing gift of salvation! This year's theme is "Monumental: Celebrating God's Greatness." Go to www.covenantcommunitypc.org/vbs-2022 to register your kiddos, or visit the table in the Narthex.

PARENTING THROUGH THE PHASES — We are excited to provide a wonderful three-day small group experience for parents entitled, "Parenting Through the Phases" this summer during VBS. Drop your kids off and join us from 6:15-7:15pm from June 27 through June 29 for a conversation about parenting through the many phases from birth to high school graduation. Go to www.covenantcommunitypc.org/vbs-2022 to sign up.

SALT & LIGHT YOUTH GROUP — Students who are in 6th through 8th grades gather on Wednesdays at 6pm, including *THIS* week, June 8, for Salt & Light Youth Group. 9th through 12th graders meet Sunday evenings at 6pm, including *TONIGHT*.

UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS — Salt & Light Youth will be kicking off the summer with a time of fellowship and board games *THIS* Tuesday, June 7 at 1pm here at the church. Bring your competitive juices and get ready to "roll" in Bouldin Hall. Then, on Wednesday, June 15 there will be a scavenger hunt beginning at 5:45pm. There will be separate hunts for the middle school and high school students and we'll be welcoming in our rising 6th graders! Contact Dan Frost (dan@covenantcommunitypc.org) with any questions.

TUESDAYS AT 2 — This summer, CCPC Kids will be organizing a regular gathering of parents and kids at different parks in our community. "Tuesdays at Two" will include visits to places like Brockmeier Park (June 14), Friendship Park (June 21), as well as pool parties, ice skating at Greenheck, and even mini golf, on Tuesdays at 2pm. Stay tuned for more information in the coming weeks!

SUMMER CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS — Summer Bible Camp can make a huge impact on the faith of a child/student. It's that time of the year to register your kids and CCPC would like to help make that impact happen by offering scholarships! If you are interested in more information, please go to our website at www.covenantcommunitypc.org/summer-camps for links to area camps, as well as a registration form for the scholarship.

HIGHLIGHTS FOR JUNE, & JULY

- Tuesay at Two - **June 14**
- Bridge St. Cookout - **June 18**
- Father's Day Car Show - **June 19**
- VBS - **June 26-30**
- Parenting Class - **June 27-29**
- Day of Service at CCPC - **July 16**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FATHER'S DAY CAR SHOW — The 1st Annual CCPC Father's Day Care Show is just around the corner on Sunday, June 19th following service! Join us and invite your family and friends to enjoy up to 85 cars, as well as food provided by the CCPC Softball Team to help raise money for their season. Many of the cars on display are provided by the "Wisconsin Road Knights" auto club, but we invite *ANYONE* to bring their car to show as well. We will have voting and prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes. *We are also looking for volunteers to help with the event. If you are interested, please contact Jim Fuls (fulsfam2@mtc.net or 715-571-3916) or Jeff Gramling (jeffgraml@outlook.com or 715-581-1631).*

MISSIONS

JOIN THE PINE RIDGE, SD MISSION TRIP! — Our CCPC team headed to South Dakota July 23-31 is looking to grow! In an effort to bring an even bigger team to the Pine Ridge Reservation, the cost to go has been *CUT IN HALF*, with adults paying \$300 and youth (6th graders and up) paying \$200. *Note: 3rd through 5th graders can attend if they are accompanied by a parent or adult relative, 21 or older.* The team will be doing a number of things, including construction, running VBS for the reservation kids, providing food, and sharing the love of Christ in a number of ways. Payment in full is due *NEXT* Sunday, June 12. Go to www.covenantcommunitypc.org/pine-ridge or talk with Dan Frost (dan@covenantcommunitypc.org).

COOKOUT FOR BRIDGE STREET MISSION — The CCPC Mission Committee will be hosting a cook out at Marathon Park (shelter #1) on Saturday, June 18 from 5-7:30pm, through the Bridge Street Mission. We will need donations of ketchup, mustard, relish, coolers and ice, beverages for up to 50 people, charcoal and grilling supplies, hand sanitizer, and paper towels, as well as funds to purchase meat to grill. We are also planning on handing out care packages and are looking for items including: socks, deodorant, wipes, rain ponchos, combs, pens, small notebooks, feminine products, gallon-sized ziplock bags, and handwritten notes of encouragement. There is a cooler located in the Narthex in which you can leave donated items ahead of time. Contact Kari Kufahl (kari.kufahl@gmail.com) with any questions.

FELLOWSHIP HOUR VOLUNTEERS — We are looking for new faces to join our Fellowship Hour volunteer team! This is a rotating Sunday schedule that includes the duties of picking up donuts, cookies, and drinks at Kwik Trip before service, along with the setup and cleanup in the kitchen and Fellowship Hall of coffee, juice, and food items. If you (and your family) would like to help, please contact Kent Perrin at kent@kentperrinphotography.com or 715-370-2694.

BIBLE STUDIES & SMALL GROUPS

BIBLE READING PLAN - OLD TESTAMENT — We continue through the Old Testament on the Bible App. To join in any time, download the free Bible App (aka YouVersion) from the Apple or Google stores and click on the link provided below, or call the church for help anytime. We continue in the Books of History *TODAY*, with Esther 1-3 (tomorrow is a catch up day).

*Assurance of Pardon:

Acts 2:21

Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved. By the power in whom we live and move and have our being, I pronounce to you the complete forgiveness of all your sins, through the holy Trinity, one God, whose mercy is everlasting. Amen.

*Gloria Patri

Children's Message

[Children may come forward and be seated on the stage.]

Period of Fellowship

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Old Testament:	Genesis 11:1-9	Page 9
Special Music:	"When He Came"	CCPC Choir
New Testament:	Acts 2:1-21	Page 119
Sermon:	The Miracle of Pentecost	Jess Wakefield

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

***Hymn:** "Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness" (vs. 1,3) #291

The Sacrament of Communion

Discussing the CCPC Endowment Fund

Offering

Offertory Music: "Be Still, for the Spirit of the Lord" Deb Perrin

*Doxology

BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

*Benediction

***Choral Benediction:** "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" (vs. 1,4) #286

Postlude:

Les Fraaza

WELCOME TO COVENANT COMMUNITY!

We consider it a privilege to have you worship with us and sincerely hope you get a blessing from the service. Some notes to help you be more comfortable during the service:

- † Please participate in congregational responses (bold)
- † Please stand as able, as marked with an asterisk *
- † Please fill out the Connection Card insert.
- † Feel free to use the Cry Room (you will be able to see & hear the service) and/or Nursery located across from the sanctuary
- † Activity bags for children are available in the Narthex.

HOW TO JOIN THIS CHURCH

The officers and members of CCPC welcome all persons who wish to respond to the Lordship of Jesus Christ by confessing or reaffirming their Christian Faith or by transferring their membership. We invite you to accept this invitation if you do not have a church home. Please speak with Jim Gates or Drew Bouché, note your interest on the Connection Card, or phone the church office (715) 359-6467. You are welcome here!

OUR AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

THE APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost; born of the Virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven; and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of the saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

WORSHIP SERVICE VOLUNTEERS/PERFORMERS

Thank you to all who make this morning's worship meaningful!

Worship Leaders: Jack Fraaza

The Hub: Gail Daman

Acolytes: Abby Wensel &
Allie VanSlyke

Livestream: Abram Bouché

Slides: Megan Bouché

Elder Greeters: Julie Nelson &
Luke Coenen

Fellowship Hour: Tom & Carol
Anklam

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for the following folks who were recently in the hospital or reside in an assisted-care facility.

Mary Zuidema
*(Renaissance in
Wisconsin Rapids)*

Joyce Michna
(Fond du Lac)

Don Hawkins
(In Rehab)

Stella Lamping
(Home)

Cheryl Lenz
*(Colonial Center
in Colby)*

Mike Petterson
*(Riverview Assisted
Living)*

THIS WEEK AT CCPC

SERVICE... DISCIPLESHIP... ENGAGEMENT!

<u>TODAY</u>		<u>MONDAY</u>		<u>TUESDAY</u>		<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	
10AM	WORSHIP			7PM	CELEBRATE RECOVERY	3PM	FOOD PANTRY
11:15AM	WOMEN'S SM. GROUP					6PM	MS YOUTH GROUP
4PM	BAND REHEARSAL						
5PM	CCPC SOFTBALL						
6PM	HS YOUTH GROUP						
<u>THURSDAY</u>		<u>FRIDAY</u>		<u>SATURDAY</u>		<u>SUNDAY</u>	
NOON	OLD GUYS RULE (GORSKI'S IN MOSINEE)					10AM	WORSHIP
						11:15AM	WOMEN'S SM. GROUP
2PM	SHEEPSHEAD					4PM	BAND REHEARSAL
						4PM	CCPC SOFTBALL
						6PM	HS YOUTH GROUP

For more details about CCPC programming, refer to the next couple of pages in this bulletin, go to www.covenantcommunitypc.org, or call the church office at 715-359-6467.