

WELCOME! We're glad you're here and have decided to join us today!

Today we celebrate communion. Anyone who professes Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior is invited to participate in the sacrament of Holy Communion. Those who may not be ready to participate in the Lord's Supper are welcome at any of the stations to take a grape and receive a blessing.

TEACHER: Pastor Garry Nyenhuis

SCRIPTURE: Acts, Chapter 2

SUMMARY: Wow! Pentecost is simply amazing, isn't it? To see flames of fire sitting on tops of the disciples had to be mind-blowing! Today we will spend time talking about Acts, Chapter 2 and as we do, here are some things to think about and discuss:

- What do you know about Pentecost and the Holy Spirit?
- What have you learned about the third Person of the Trinity and where did that learning come from?

Talk this out with your group or with another believer and be open to learning more about the third Person of the Trinity!

- What is significant about "they were all together in one place" in verse 1?

The Holy Spirit is often confusing and perplexing, and the actions He takes can leave us perplexed (see verses 7 and 8).

- What can we do with our confusion? Is confusion okay? How do we explain to others what we ourselves can't understand?
- What stands out to you from Peter's message (verses 14-39)?
- What is it like to be "cut to the heart?" Have you had this experience? Describe it to someone and/or journal that experience to be able to look back at it later!

Peter's action words are "repent and be baptized!" Don't ignore this call to action and don't ignore what the Holy Spirit is calling you to do today!

NOTES:

OUR FAMILY

Today - Mentor info session - following worship - in the Worship Center Sandra Nyenhuis will join us from Atlas and lead us through a brief training on what mentoring looks like and how to increase our discipleship!

Please check out the Lost and Found items in the lobby area outside the WAVE room. Any unclaimed items will be donated to charity on August 16.

Connect Cards are located throughout the facility and you are encouraged to fill one out:

- ⇒ if you have a prayer request
- ⇒ if you'd like to be contacted by a Pastor or Elder
- ⇒ if you'd like to know more about Living Water
- ⇒ if you have questions about membership (baptism, profession of faith, transfer)
- ⇒ if you would like to be added to our ALL-LW email distribution list
- ⇒ if you have updated contact information
- ⇒ if there is any other info you'd like to share with us

You can place the completed card in the offering basket or mailbox located at the Welcome Center.

Serve Sunday will be held on September 15. If you know of anyone who LW can bless that day by helping them with a project, please contact one of the following:

Brad or Ronda Noteboom rondajn@hotmail.com
Jim or Julie Haack arizona6@premieronline.net
Brent or Barb Stuit bstuit@nethtc.net
Dale or Deb Schmidt dschmidt19@msn.com

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Mon, Aug 5

7:00pm - Prayer Gathering (OC) Everyone is invited!

Tues, Aug 6

3:00pm - Staff meeting

Thurs and Fri - GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT at NWC

CALENDAR BEYOND THIS WEEK

Sun, Aug 11 - Donuts with the Pastor

This is an opportunity for anyone who would like to visit with the Pastor, to get to know more about Living Water, to talk about membership questions or any general questions relating to getting connected or serving at LW.

Sun, Aug 18 -

Baptism - Olivia Anderson

Sign up Sunday - Before and after worship, we will have ministry leaders sharing what volunteers are needed in their area and what volunteering in that area looks like. Be sure to spend time in prayer before that Sunday, asking the Holy Spirit where it is you can be used!

ELECTRONIC GIVING IS NOW AN OPTION!

One of the things introduced by the Stewardship team is an exciting new option available through Planning Center for electronic giving. You are encouraged to try it out and then share your feedback! You can set up your account one of these three ways:

⇒ **Online:** Visit <https://forallwhothirst.churchcenter.com/giving> (You will need to set up your account on this secure website through several steps, follow the prompts).

⇒ **On your phone:** Install the "**Church Center App**" and then look for Living Water under the search option. Once installed and verified (through a text code), you will be able to make donations through the app anytime!

⇒ **Text:** Text any amount (example: \$20) to "84321" and follow the prompts to set up your account.

Please contact Administrative Deacon, Brittany Foreman, (dan_brittanyforeman@yahoo.com) with any questions or concerns about online giving!

9:30am

COFFEE SHOPPE

10:00am

WORSHIP

10:20am

LITTLE TREASURES

3-5 yr olds time to worship God
meets in Upper Room
watch for dismissal slide

Please remember to stop in the lobby and check in your child

11:00am-11:30am **KID ZONE**

Meets in the JAM room next to the kitchen

11:00am

STAY AND PRAY

SW corner of the Worship Center

11:00am

MENTOR INFO SESSION

After worship in the Worship Center