

Peace Ev. Lutheran Church

Central Avenue at 171st Place
Oak Forest, Illinois 60452
Rev. David T. Mensing, Pastor

Pentecost – The Feast of the Holy Spirit

June 4, 2017

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Hymn 228: “Oh, Enter, Lord, Thy Temple”

Opening Liturgy – Order of Service, Hymnal, p. 15ff.

Epistle Lesson: Acts 2:1-21

Gospel Lesson: John 14:23-31

The Nicene Creed (Hymnal, p. 22)

Hymn 224: “Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord!”

The Sermon: A Portion of the Standard Gospel: John 14:26-27

Theme: Jesus’ Promise of the Comforter to His Disciples and to Us

We shall note: I. Who this Comforter is;

II. What His special work consist in; and

*III. How His gracious operation affects the hearts of those
in whom it is accomplished.*

The Offering “to prove the sincerity of your love.” (II Corinthians 8:8)

The Pentecost Prayer and Prayer for our Communicants

Hymn 293: “O Holy Spirit, Grant Us Grace”

*Communion Liturgy – Hymnal, p. 24ff. (Note that we observe the Scriptural
practice of Close Communion. Please see the back cover regarding this.)*

Hymn 330: “I Come to Thee, O Blessed Lord”

(To be sung during the distribution of the Sacrament)

The Benediction of the Lord Congregation: “Amen, Amen, Amen!”

Announcements for the Week

For spiritual care during the week, particularly in case of serious illness or urgency, please call Pastor Mensing, either at his **study**, (708) 532-4288, or at **home** at the parsonage, (708) 532-9035, or on his **cell phone**, (708) 601-3943.

VISITORS are always welcome to attend our services. Please register in our Guest Book, and leave also your address and telephone number if you would like to have our Pastor contact you further. And please come again!

TODAY, June 4th — NO Scheduled Classes or Meetings today

Our Pastor’s Schedule this week:

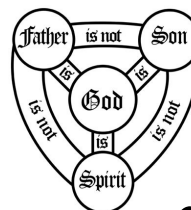
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. are the Pastor’s regular “**Office Hours**.” Unless he is running an errand, attending a meeting elsewhere, making a pastoral call at a hospital or nursing home, or is at lunch, he will normally be “on site.” However, if you need to see him in person, it always pays to call first.

In addition...

Monday, June 5th	4:00 p.m., Confirmation Class (Jonah & Aaron) 6:00 p.m., Confirmation Class (Connor, Nick, Isaac) 7:00 p.m., Confirmation Class (Samuel)
Tuesday, June 6th	NO Scheduled Classes or Meetings
Wednesday, June 7th	NO Scheduled Classes or Meetings
Thursday, June 8th	4:00 p.m., Confirmation Class (Jonah & Aaron) 6:00 p.m., Confirmation Class (Connor, Nick, Isaac) 7:00 p.m., Confirmation Class (Samuel)
Friday, June 9th	NO Scheduled Classes or Meetings
Saturday, June 10th	Pastoral Preparation Time for Sunday; also for special meetings and such consultations as are of an urgent nature. Please call ahead if possible.

NOTE: This will be our last week of instructional classes before the Convention.

Next Sunday, June 11th **The Feast of the Holy Trinity**



— 8:30 a.m., **Sunday School** and **Adult Bible Class** for all.
— 10:00 a.m., **The Divine Worship Service** also for all.
— Immediately following the service, our usual **Potluck Luncheon** served by the ladies, followed by the **Regular Voters’ Meeting** for June. Election of Convention delegates.

A blessed week to all of you!