



August 31st, 2025

Pentecost 12

8:30 am & 11:00 am



Christ Lutheran Church 9212 Taylorsville Rd. Jeffersontown, KY 40299
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WE WELCOME OUR VISITORS who worship with us today. We are glad you are here and we invite you to worship with us again and often. If you have no church home, we invite you to consider Christ Lutheran Church. Please sign the attendance card and place it in the offering plate.

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

Jesus Christ is the host at the table of Holy Communion and invites all to come. Here the real presence of Jesus meets us in the form of bread and wine. In this sacrament he offers himself to us for the forgiveness of sin and the promise of eternal life. Holy Communion kits are available in the narthex for in-person worship. Gluten free Communion Wafers are available, please notify the Pastor.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Dr. Bimen Limbong, Pastor
Ann Colbert Wade, Director of Music

WiFi: CLCChurch **PW:** peace9212
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Thank you to today's worship assistants:

	8:30am	11:00am
Communion Assistant	Alita Whie	Steve Sarson
Lector	Jenny Nixon	Jane Farrar
Ushers	Jenny Nixon, Ray Peak	Sarah Pryor, Liz Walker
Crucifer	Ray Peak	Liz Walker
Liturgist	Kathleen Breitenstein	Jennifer Kemnitz

If you are interested in serving contact Liz Walker at 502-693-7576

Welcome

Stand

Brief Order of Confession and Forgiveness

A Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✠ one God,
who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

C **Amen.**

A God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us
from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may
confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our
Savior and Lord.

C **Amen.**

A Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Stand/Kneel Silence for reflection and self-examination

A Gracious God,

C Have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given
ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your
compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things
we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we
may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen

A God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made
us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of ✠ Jesus
Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the
Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C **Amen.**

Peace

A The peace of the Lord be with you all.

C **And also with you.** *(Please greet each other with a sign of peace.)*

Entrance Hymn: <i>Gather Us In</i>

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Apostolic Greeting

A The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the
Holy Spirit be with you all.

C **And also with you.**

Kyrie

Leader

In peace, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Assembly

Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have

For the reign of God, and for

mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.

peace through - out the world, for the u - ni - ty of all, let us pray to the

Lord.

For your

Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.

peo - ple here who have come to give you praise, for the strength to live your

word, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy. Lord, have

Help, save, and de - fend us, O God.

mer - cy.

A - men.

Now the Feast and Celebration



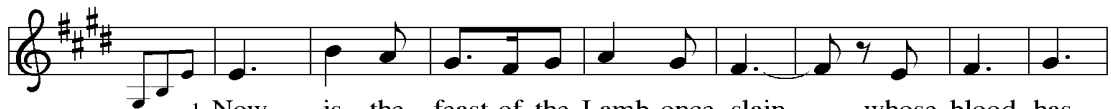
Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion, all of cre - a - tion



sings for joy to the God of life and love and free-dom;



praise and glo - ry for - ev - er - more!



1 Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has



freed and u - nit-ed us to be one great peo-ple of God.

Refrain



2 Pow - er and rich-es, wis-dom and might, all hon - or and



glo - ry to Christ for - ev - er.

Refrain



3 For God has come to dwell with us, to make us peo-ple of



God; to make all things new.

Refrain

Prayer of the day: *(See on screen/Celebrate insert)*

A The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

A (prayer)

C Amen.

Sit

Children's Sermon

Word

Readings and Psalm: *(See on screen/Celebrate insert)*

End 1st and 2nd reading with:

A The word of the Lord.

The congregation responds with:

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Gospel Acclamation

Congregation:

Al-le-lu - ia, al-le-lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we

go? You have the words of e - ter - nal

life. Al - le - lu - ia!

Optional Repeat

Gospel: *(See on screen/Celebrate insert)*

P The Holy Gospel according to:

C Glory to you O Lord

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you O Christ

Sit

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: *Let Us Go Now to the Banquet*

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The Apostles' Creed

P God has made us his people through our Baptism into Christ, living together in trust and hope we confess our faith...

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.*
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

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

* Or, He descended into hell

** 'Catholic church means 'universal church or Christian church throughout the world'.

Intercessory Prayers *(See on screen/Celebrate insert)*

Sit

Offering:

For on-line worshipers please mail to the office at 9212 Taylorsville Road, 40299 or contact the office for instructions for direct deposit. You may also use our on-line app at tithe.ly or scan QR code on the right)



SCAN ME

Stand

Offertory Prayer

P Let us pray.

P Merciful Father,

C Everything in heaven and earth belongs to you. We joyfully release what you have entrusted to us. May these gifts be signs of our whole lives returned to you, dedicated to the healing and unity of all creation, through Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

Presider: *Congregation:*

The Lord be with you. And al-so with you.

Presider: *Congregation:*

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Presider: *Congregation:*

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is

right to give God thanks and praise.

P It is our duty and delight...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Congregation:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly are you, God of pow - er and

might; Heav - en and earth are filled with your

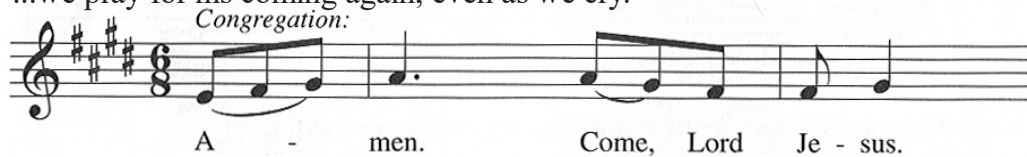
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est!

Bless - ed is the One who comes in your name. Ho -

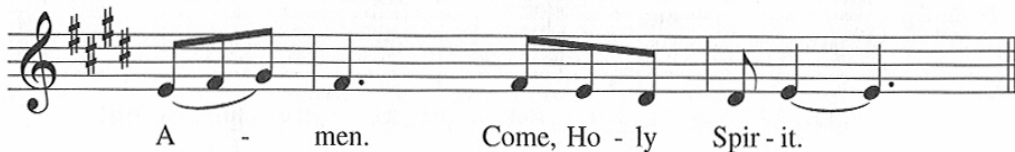
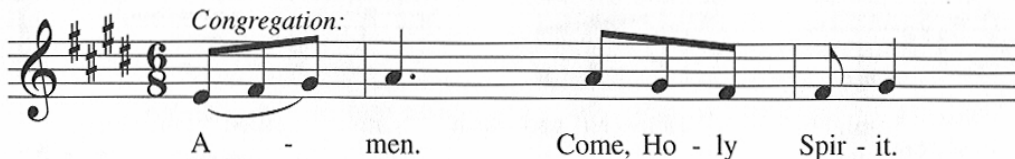
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est!

Eucharistic Prayer

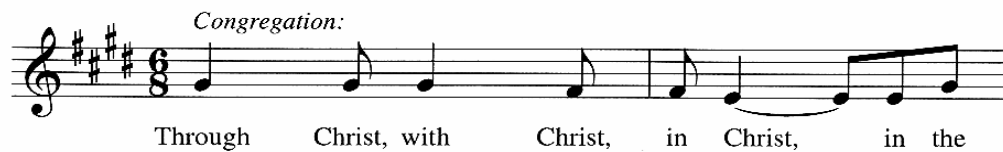
P ...we pray for his coming again, even as we cry:



P ...that your promises may come to us and the whole creation.



P This we pray through Jesus Christ our Savior and friend.



The Lord's Prayer

P Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

C Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.

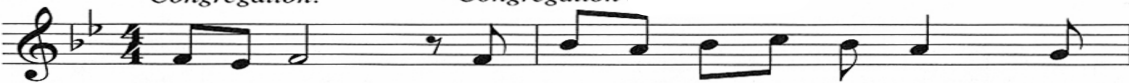
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those

who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.


Communion

Congregation:



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
you break the chains of ha - tred and
you are the way of jus - tice and
you are the way of mer - cy and


Congregation:



world: have mer - cy on us, mer - cy on us,
fear:
peace:
love.


Final Stanza

Congregation



mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you

Congregation:



take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace,
grant us peace, grant us peace.

Stand

Blessing

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the gifts of His body and blood strengthen, keep and unite us, now and forever.

C Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer

A Let us pray.

C We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Benediction

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C Amen.

Sending Hymn: <i>Sent Forth by God's Blessing</i>
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Dismissal

A Walking together with Christ, go in peace to love and serve our church and neighbors

C Thanks be to God!

Postlude: *Allegro moderato*

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CHRIST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

THE CHURCH IN LIFE & WORK

August 31, 2025

August 31	8:30 am	- Worship In Person w/Communion
	9:45 am	- Sunday School - Adults Room 1
		- Sunday School - Young Adults - Room 8
	11:00 am	- Worship In Person and at Home w/Communion
	12:15 pm	- Social Hour in Hall near Solarium
September 1		- Labor Day: Office Closed and No Prayer Meeting
September 2	9:30 am	- Tuesday Friends
September 3	9:30 am	- Wednesday Friends
	7:00 pm	- Choir Rehearsal
September 7	8:30 am	- Worship In Person w/Communion
	9:45 am	- Sunday School - Adults Room 1
		- Sunday School - Young Adults Room 8
		- Rally Day Roundup - Room 5
	11:00 am	- Worship In Person & at Home w/Communion
	12:15 pm	- Social Hour in Hall near Solarium

✠**Servant of the Month** - Congratulations to Jennifer Kemnitz for being voted August's Servant of the Month!

✠**Office Closed**- The office will be closed this upcoming Monday, September 1st in observance of Labor Day.

✠**Monday Prayer Meeting** - There will be no Monday Prayer Meeting this upcoming Monday, September 1st due to Labor Day.

✠**Live Stream** - The 11:00 am Sunday service is live streamed. You can join us on our Facebook page or YouTube. If you are interested in joining the live-streaming media team, please contact the office. Training will be provided.

✠**JAM Donations - (September)** Lunch box items: applesauce pouches, granola bars, crackers in packs.

✠**Social Ministry Committee JAM Donations** - The Social Ministry Committee will be collecting bathroom tissue for JAM the last two Sundays of September. Please consider donating.

✠**Attendance Cards**- Please make sure you fill out the attendance cards completely with all family member's names to help us keep our parish records up to date.

CONTINUED PRAYERS

HOSPITALIZED, RECOVERY OR ON-GOING TREATMENT

Rod Hester, 2015 Roberts Road, Taylorsville, KY 40071
Anne Hernandez, 10116 Cedar Crest Court, 40291
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Shari Bessette, 416 Tophill Dr., Shelbyville, KY 40065-9414
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Silvia Schuette 4320 Tulip Grove Ct., Louisville, KY 40241
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Wilma Brown, 10625 Wimberley Hills Blvd., 40241
Becky Zibart, Forest Springs Health Campus, 4120 Wooded Acre Ln. Rm. 301, 40245
Mary Lou Miller, 13600 Lagrange Road, Apt. 238, 40245
Pete Peters, Forest Springs Health Campus, 4120 Wooded Acre Ln #519, 40245
Norma Kuerzi, 34515 Hurstbourne Ln Apt 214, 40299
Betty Payne, 2300 Old Hickory Road, 40299
Betty Graff, 1143 Fisherville Rd, 40022
Annette Bishoff, 8401 Lagrange Rd, Beehive Homes of Lyndon, 40222
Ron Morgan, The Lantern at Morning Pointe, 4701 S. Hurstbourne Ln, 40291
Joyce Anderson, 5317 Bartonfield Ln, 40219
Bob Wade, Forest Springs Health Campus, 4120 Wooded Acre Ln. Rm. 218, 40245

This Week's Birthdays	This Week's Anniversaries
8/29 - Angela Adams	8/26 - Earl & Carol Breitenstein
8/29 - Cynthia Alder	8/30 Vic & Rebecca Johnston
8/29 - Shannon Morrison	

UPCOMING EVENTS SUMMARY

Please mark your calendars:

- ✓ Sunday, September 7th will be Rally Sunday. All school-aged children (grades K-12), their families and young adults are invited to join us in Room 5 during the Sunday School hour (9:45-10:45) for our Rally Day Round-up of ideas. We will be planning events for the youth and young adult age groups. We can't wait to see you there.
- ✓ WELCA will resume monthly meetings on Tuesday, September 9th in Room 1. Please join at noon for lunch, Bible Study and Fellowship!
- ✓ We will be participating in the Gaslight Festival Parade on Thursday, September 11th and hosting our booth the weekend of September 12th through 14th. Love and serve our J-Town neighbors by volunteering your time and talents by scanning the QR Code or on the signup sheet in the Narthex. 
- ✓ Join us on Sunday, September 28th for our annual Church Picnic immediately following the 11:00 am worship service. Our in-house chefs will prepare hamburgers, hot dogs and BBQ. We're asking for volunteers to bring a side or dessert. Sign up to provide a dish and RSVP by scanning the QR code or by signing up in the Narthex. Please note that there will be no 8:30 am service that day. 
- ✓ On Saturday, October 11th at 2:00 pm we'll have our 3rd annual Blessing of the Animals Worship Service. Bring your dog, cat, hamster, gerbil, snake, fish and even your turtle to receive a special blessing from Pastor Bimen. This is such a special service and it's super fun too!
- ✓ There will be a Youth Farm Trip on Saturday, October 18th starting at 2:30 pm on Kyle Fletcher's farm in Oldham County. This event is open to all ages. You can learn about life on a farm, meet and ride horses, play fun outdoor yard games, paint your own pumpkin, take a hay ride and gather around the bonfire. Please RSVP by scanning the QR code or contacting the office. 

Church Office Hours:

Monday through Friday

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

If you wish to contact Pastor Limbong
please call the church at (502-267-5082)
or his cell phone: (502-553-6025)

His scheduled days off are Friday and Saturday

Except during an emergency

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