

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Today, June 12th**

Communion/Pentecost Sunday

**Wednesday, June 15th**

Choir Practice @ 7p.m.

**Thursday, June 16th**

Third Thursday Knitting @ 6:30p.m.

**Sunday, June 19th**

Trinity Sunday/Father's Day

**Wednesday, June 22nd**

Choir Practice at 7 p.m.

**Thursday, June 23rd**

July Newsletter Deadline

**Sunday, June 26th**

ASTA Service @ 1:30 p.m.

## June Birthdays & Anniversaries

2<sup>nd</sup> - Autumn Smith

5<sup>th</sup> - Priscilla Andreae

5<sup>th</sup> - Pat & Cassy Morris Anniversary

8<sup>th</sup> - Kara Johnson

8<sup>th</sup> - Breann Swan

8<sup>th</sup> - Brian & Grace Funk Anniversary

9<sup>th</sup> - Mike & Alex Goudy Anniversary

10<sup>th</sup> - Lisa Niewold

10<sup>th</sup> - Allan & Georgia Turner Anniversary

12<sup>th</sup> - Greg & Kitty Anderson Anniversary

15<sup>th</sup> - Don & Colleen Lawrence Anniversary

21<sup>st</sup> - Jim Niewold

27<sup>th</sup> - Tim & Deanne Silence Anniversary

30<sup>th</sup> - Jack & Vicki Cole Anniversary

Lord, We ask thanksgiving, comfort, healing  
and faith for these friends and family members

Jeff Legener

Torrie Jones

Brent Lawrence

Glen Vermette

### Homebound or in Nursing Homes

Donald & Dorothy Rhodes

Jani Fraim - Room 219, GC Hospital & Health Center

Wanda Larson - La Canada Care Facility, Tucson, AZ

Marcella Woodworth - Prairie Village, Rantoul

Eloise Shear at Gilman Nursing Home, Gilman

For the month of June, please bring  
peanut butter, jelly, tuna, noodles & canned vegetables  
for the Food Pantry. *As always, all non-perishable  
food items are welcomed.*

**G**reeters **L**iturgists **U**shers **E**lders

June ~ M. Goudy, Lawrence, Moore

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June 12th, 2011  
Pentecost Sunday



# Pentecost



The Federated Church of Paxton

9:00 a.m. Worship Service



# Welcome to our guests!

Please take a minute to sign our guest book located at the back of the sanctuary.

## Sharing of Joys, News, Concerns

### Opening Prayer *(in unison)*

*Psalm 104:24, 30*

Life-giving Lord,  
we offer praise with all of creation  
for the wonders and works that surround us  
every moment of our lives.  
Send forth your Spirit,  
that we may be recreated and renewed,  
to love and live for you.  
In the matchless name of your Son, Jesus Christ,  
we pray. Amen.

Prelude "?" ?

### \*BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

\*Opening Hymn "Open My Eyes That I May See" PH #324

\*Call to Worship *Acts 2, 1 Corinthians 12, John 7*

One: The Spirit comes as a violent wind,  
**All: filling this place of worship.**  
One: The Spirit comes as tongues of fire,  
**All: resting on those who are gathered here.**  
One: The Spirit comes, and we are transformed.  
**All: Jew and Greek, slave and free,  
all are welcome to drink of one Spirit.**  
One: Come, Holy Spirit,  
**All: fill us; fill this place; inhabit our lives;  
bless our worship.**

\*Hymn "?" PH #?

### Youth Moment

*\*All who are able, PLEASE STAND*

## Lectionary Scripture

Acts 2:1-21  
Psalm 104:24-34, 35b  
1 Corinthians 12:3b-13  
John 7:37-39

### Prayer of Confession *(Response is sung)*

*Acts 2, John 7*

**All: Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.**

One: Gracious God, Source of the Spirit,  
forgive us for doubting your goodness  
when you work in ways we do not understand.

**All: Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.**

One: Loving Christ, Wellspring of the Spirit,  
forgive us for failing to follow your example  
of compassion and service.

**All: Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.**

One: Holy Spirit, Living Water,  
forgive us for misusing your gifts  
when we focus more on ourselves than on others.

**All: Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.**

\*Words of Assurance *(in unison)* *Acts 2, Psalm 104:30*

**God declares, "I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh . . .  
and everyone who calls on the name of the Lord  
shall be saved."**

**Know with confidence that, by God's grace,  
you are forgiven and renewed.**

### Passing of the Peace

As a forgiven and renewed people, share the peace of  
Christ with those around you.

Message "5 x 10 = 50"

### Sacrament of Holy Communion

### Unison Prayer

**Father, open our hearts so that we may feel the breath  
and play of your Spirit.  
Unclench our hands so that we may reach out to each  
other to be touched and healed.**

**Open our lips that we may drink in the delight and wonder  
of life.**

**Unclog our ears to hear your agony in our inhumanity.**

**Open our eyes so that we may see Christ in friend and stranger.**

**Breathe your Spirit into us and touch our lives with  
the life of Christ. Amen**

### Communion Prayer

### Sharing of the Gifts

### Thanksgiving Prayer

### Investment of Time, Talents & Treasures

Offertory Hymn "?" ?

### \*Doxology

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him all  
creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise  
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Offering Prayer *Psalm 104, John 7*

\*Closing Hymn "Breathe on me Breath of God" PH #316

\*Benediction *1 Corinthians 12:12*

May the Spirit of the living God  
continue to fall afresh on you  
as you go from this place.  
Though we are now divided,  
remember that we are always one  
in Christ Jesus.  
Go and share unity in the Spirit  
as you live lives of wholeness and peace.

### TAKING OUT THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

\*Postlude "?" ?

Organist - Priscilla Andreae