Cannon River & Cross of Christ Lutheran Churches ELCA Faithful Through Generations May 15, 2016

PRELUDE Welcome and Announcements Organist: Jeff Rudi

*OPENING HYMN "O Holy Spirit, Enter In" ELW #786

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. C: Amen.

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **C: Amen.** (*Silence for reflection and self-examination*)

P: Most merciful God, C: we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. C: Amen.

GREETING & KYRIE

P: 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.**

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it saves us from despair.	create in us new hearts!	
2. Have mercy on us, Christ, and wash away our sin. Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may begin.		
HYMN OF PRAISE	ELW p.204	
1. Come, let us join our cheerful songs with angels round the throne; ten thousand thousand are their tongues, but all their joys are one.	3. Jesus is worthy to receive honor and pow'r divine; and blessings, more than we can give, be, Lord, forever thine.	
2. "Worthy the Lamb that died," they cry, "to be exalted thus!" "Worthy the Lamb," our lips reply, "for he was slain for us!"	4. Let all creation join in one to bless the sacred name of God who sits upon the throne, and to adore the Lamb.	
PRAYER OF THE DAY: (Bulletin Insert) The Lord be with you. And also with you.		
THE FIRST READING (Bulletin Insert) The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.	Acts 2:1-21	
THE SECOND READING (Bulletin Inser The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.	<i>t)</i> Romans 8:14-17	
*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	ELW p.205	

3. Have mercy on us, Lord; make sin and shame depart.

Renew us with your saving pow'r;

C: Alleluia! Lord and Savior: open now your saving word. Let it burn like fire within us; speak until our hearts are stirred. Alleluia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

***THE GOSPEL** (Bulletin Insert) *Glory to you, O Lord. *The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, O Christ.

1. Have mercy on us, Lord,

and hear our solemn prayer.

We come to hear your living word;

<u>ELW p.205</u>

John 14:8-17 [25-27]

Pastor Robert Berthold

HYMN OF THE DAY"O Holy Spirit, Root of Life"ELW #399

*THE APOSTLE'S CREED: I believe in God, the Father almighty creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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.

*PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH (Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.) *The Peace of the Lord be with you always. And also with you.

OFFERING

<u>*OFFERTORY HYMN</u> <u>"Create in Me a Clean Heart"</u> <u>ELW #186</u> Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with your free spirit.

*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 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.

*BENEDICTION: May God bless you and keep you. May God's face shine on you and be gracious to you. May God look on you with favor and give you peace. C: Amen.

*CLOSING HYMN

"Spirit of Gentleness"

ELW #396

*Go in Peace. Serve the Lord. Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

(* Please Stand)

ANNOUNCEMENTS		
Today	11:30AM	Contemporary Practice-CC
	3:00PM	Sunday Supper-RW
Mon-Thurs	5-8PM	Garage Sale Drop Off-CC
Friday	8-11AM	Garage Sale Setup-CC
	Noon-3pm	Garage Sale-CC
Saturday	8AM-3PM	Garage Sale-CC
	9:00AM	Men's Bible Study-CC

Graduate Recognition Sunday

Graduate Recognition Sunday will be May 22nd at both Cannon River and Cross of Christ. Please let the church office know of anyone in your family that will be graduating from high school, college or other programs so they can be recognized that day. Coffee fellowship will be served at both churches in honor of the recent graduates.

Community Table Meal

Cannon River will be serving the Community Table Meal in Cannon Falls on Sunday, May 22nd. Volunteers are needed to provide food, serve and clean up. Thank you!

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EconoFoods Receipts

Please keep saving your receipts from EconoFoods in Cannon Falls and Red Wing. Once we collect \$150,000 in receipts, we will get \$1000 to donate to Feed My Starving Children.

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