

EFFINGHAM UNION CHURCH
May 11, 2008
PENETECOST SUNDAY
MOTHER'S DAY

PRELUDE Cindy Ladd
LIFE AND WORK OF THE CHURCH
PASSING OF THE PEACE

PSALM 67:1-5, 7 (TNIV)

L: May God be gracious to us and bless us
and make his face shine on us--

C: so that your ways may be known on earth,
your salvation among all nations.

L: May the peoples praise you, God;
may all the peoples praise you.

C: May the nations be glad and sing for joy,
for you rule the peoples with equity
and guide the nations of the earth.

L: May the peoples praise you, God;
may all the peoples praise you.

C: May God bless us still,
so that all the ends of the earth will
fear him.

***HYMN 249** "Spirit of God"

L: Lord God, come, make us temples of your
Spirit.

C: Grant us the fruit of your Holy Spirit:
love, joy, peace, patience, faithfulness...

L: Comforter, come to those who face and know
adversity or abandonment.

C: Holy Spirit, speak by your servants of the
Word, as we announce the Gospel.

L: Lord and Giver of life, giver of the seven gifts.

C: Spirit of wisdom and understanding,
Spirit of counsel and strength.

L: Spirit of knowledge and devotion,
Spirit of obedience to the LORD.

C: Build up a true community of holy love;
bring new life to we who are the church.

THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH
THE LORD'S PRAYER

(forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us)

CHOIR "A Mother's Love"

THE CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

THE READING OF GOD'S WORD

Acts 2:1-21, p. 1004; I Corinthians 12:3-13,
p.1060; John 7:37-39, p. 985-986; John
20:19-23, p. 1001

THE PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD
"The Lord and Giver of Life"

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***HYMN 291** "O Breath of Life"

THE OFFERING **OFFERATORY**

***THE DOXOLOGY #625**

***THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION** Unison

Lord, as you told the first disciples that they
would receive power to be witnesses, may we
also be sent forth in your power to witness
about you in all we say and do. With these
offerings may we proclaim the Good News we
believe. With these gifts may we go into the
world in the joy of the Gospel. To you be all
honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

***HYMN 92** "Love Divine, All Love Excelling"

***THE BENEDICTION**

***RESPONSE 247**

"Spirit of the Living God"

***POSTLUDE**

*may stand, if able

We want to thank everyone for the many acts of
kindness shown to us over the past several
months. Thanks for all the prayers, cards, calls,
visits, food and the love offering. A special
thanks to Dave and Joanne for taking Scott to his
appointment at KU Med when we were not able.
We feel truly blessed to be part of such a caring
and generous church family. God bless you all.

Pat, Wayne & Scott Strine

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PRAYER CONCERNS

Emma Speer, Pat Strine, Geneva Dunster, Nancy Dunn, Mac Hoffman, Adeline Wood, Ellie Speer, Kallie Parnell, Taylor Jennings, Scott Strine, Brock Hinz, Clark Moses, Kristie Oakleaf Wyman, J.C. Roudebush, Liz Thompson. Connie Pantle requests prayers for her brother and sister-in-law Joe and Jessica Ellerman, whose three-month-old niece Ava Boeckman passed away this week. Ava was born January 31 with a heart defect, however was starting to hold her own and there was talk about her going home from Children's Mercy in the near future. The family has been through a lot and can use all of our prayers!
--Pray for Seth, Leanne and the youth that the Lord leads them on the mission trip.
--Prayers for our brothers and sisters of the St. Ann's Parish.
--Men and women serving to keep our country safe and free.

Health Kits are in great demand year round. Pick up a list from the back table. Whenever you are shopping and see an item on sale, pick it up.

COMING EVENTS

Sun. May 11 - HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

--We are glad that you have chosen to worship with us today and look forward to seeing you again next Sunday.

--Nursery Care: Mary Kay Barnett, Courtney Caplinger, Linda Montgomery

--Board Meeting

--Lawn Care: Dallas & Chelsie Todd

Tues. May 13 - Ruth Circle, 1:30 P.M.

--DATE CHANGE: The Nite Circle will meet at the home of Courtney Caplinger at 7:30 P.M.

Wed. May 14 - ACCHS Baccalaureate, 7:30 P.M.

Sun. May 18 - Scripture Readings: Genesis 1:1-2:4; 2 Corinthians 13:11-13; Matthew 28:16-20

--Nursery Care: Devin Gigstad, Diane Kiehl, Courtney Richardson

--Lawn Care: Chuck Hawk

CELEBRATIONS

May 12 - Birthday: Ida Taliaferro

Baptism: Shirley Hawk

May 13 - Birthday: Kathleen Meeks

Courtney Richardson

May 14 - Birthday: Ruth Dillon,

Venita Jo Schurman

Baptism: Adler Koontz

May 17 - Birthday: Tom Hawk, Jason Parnell

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