

# Welcome to



## Sermon Notes You Need Help!

John 14.15-21

**4 June 2017**

**Day of Pentecost**

*May God who gathers us around Himself in the Word and Sacrament to bless us with His forgiveness this morning be your source of comfort, strength and renewal as you worship today. In the Name of Christ, we are all called to come and hear that the Lord is Good!*

Our Gospel reading is John 7.37-39 and our response is, “**Praise be to thee, O Christ**” spoken in unity aloud.

Call to Worship: Psalm 25.1-15

Hymns: Opening #98 Prayer #331 Closing #538

At the presentation of our offerings we sing the Doxology # 668

The Thursday Bible Study has ended for the Summer but will pick back up after Labor Day.

### **Today is the Birthday of the Church!**

Today we celebrate the birth of The Church-through the coming of The Holy Spirit in the manner that the Hebrews celebrate Shavu’ot. The custom is to eat dairy-based desserts and meals, like yogurt, cheesecake, ice cream, pudding, etc. The intent is to remind us that our Spiritual wellness is as dependent upon God’s Holy Scripture illumined by the Holy Spirit as a newborn is dependent upon their mother’s milk for sustenance. Therefore, today we are celebrating the birthday of the Christian church with the cakes of Shavu’ot aka Cheesecake ( or other dairy –based offering). Thank you for those who brought and may all share together!

1. Coming to Faith in Christ.
2. Comfort, that we are Not Alone.
3. \_\_\_\_\_, to understand more of God.
4. \_\_\_\_\_, to obey the teachings of God.
5. \_\_\_\_\_, that we are Eternally Loved.

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