

SILVERSTREET LUTHERAN CHURCH

120 Long Street
Silverstreet, S.C. 29145
CHRIST IS THE WORD. LIVE IT!

Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 15, 2022

The congregation of Silverstreet Lutheran Church welcomes you and invites you to worship with us. The liturgy and hymns are found in the Lutheran Book of Worship (LBW), the green book in the pew racks. Additional hymns are sung from the blue book, With One Voice (WOV).

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude: "I Stand Amazed," piano

Silent Prayer

***Processional Hymn:** "Christ Is Alive! Let Christians Sing"

LBW #363

***Call to Worship:** (Psalm 148, Revelation 21)

Pastor: As the sun rises in the morning,

All: let all creation worship God.

Pastor: From the highest mountains to the deepest seas,

All: let all creation proclaim the name of the Lord, for God alone is worthy to be praised.

Pastor: God alone makes all things new.

All: All praise, glory, and honor be yours, forever.

***Order for Confession and Forgiveness**

LBW pg 56

***Greeting and Kyrie**

LBW pg 57

***Hymn of Praise**

LBW pg 58

***Prayer of the Day:** (in unison) O Lord God, you teach us that without love, our actions gain nothing. Pour into our hearts your most excellent gift of love, that, made alive by your Spirit, we may know goodness and peace, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

HEAR GOD'S WORD:

First Reading: Acts 11:1-18

Pew Bible page 1711

Reader: The Word of the Lord

Response: Thanks be to God

Psalm 148 (read responsively)

Pew Bible page 982

Second Reading: Revelation 21:1-6

Pew Bible page 1937

Reader: The Word of the Lord

Response: Thanks be to God

***The Verse:** "Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?"

LBW pg 62

***Gospel is Announced:** "Glory to you, O Lord"

*Gospel Reading: John 13:31-35

Pew Bible page 1674

***Response to the Gospel:** "Praise to you, O Christ"

Children's Sermon: "Halle, Halle, Hallelujah"

WOV #612

Sermon

Rev. John Stoudemayer

***Sermon Hymn:** "Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen"

WOV #674

***Apostles' Creed**

LBW pg 65

***Sharing of the Peace:** Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And also with you.

Offering

Anthem: "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus," Adult Choir

***Offertory Psalm:** "Create in me a clean heart..."

LBW pg 75

*Prayers: Pastor: Lord, In Your Mercy.

All: Hear Our Prayer.

***The Lord's Prayer**

(sung by congregation)

*Blessing

LBW pg 76

***Recessional Hymn:** "On What Has Now Been Sown"

LBW #261

*Dismissal: Pastor: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

*Postlude

Silence for Reflection

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR MAY 22, 2022

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 16:9-15; Psalm 67; Revelation 21:10, 22—22:5

Gospel: John 14:23-29

PRAYER REQUESTS: Please remember the following in your prayers:

Special Needs: Shirley Fant, Pastor Bob McCollum, Jackie Perry, Tayler Grace Kinard, Eric Longshore, John Dale, Gerald Dominick, Risa Nolting, Grace Mabe, LueVester Davis, Robert Dorroh, Wanda Coleman, Pat Malcom, Martha Bowers, Marlene Moore, Brianna Neel, and Peggy Longshore.

Serving Our Country: Jason Huggins

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If you have a visitation or prayer request, please contact a church council member or use the Prayer/Visitation Request cards available in the Narthex. We will always strive faithfully to meet the needs of our members and visitors. If there is an emergency, please contact council president, Mike Willingham at (803) 944-9193 or council vice-president, Terry Crone at (803) 497-7368.

Mike Willingham-President	Nick Piersol	Jan Piersol
Terry Crone-Vice-President	Dalton Shealy	Bryan West
Brandy Wix-Secretary	Jerry Willingham	Christopher Smith

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WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Acolyte:	Harper Piersol
Next week:	Karsen Wix
Crucifer:	Christian Gilliam
Next week:	Cameron Lybrand
Lay Reader:	Cayce Lybrand
Next Week:	Nancy Ruff
Ushers for May:	Dalton Shealy*, Helen Shealy**, Alicia Willingham, and Jerry Willingham
Sound system:	T.C. Bowers

Altar flowers: The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by Casey and Cayce Lybrand.

Next week: Jay and Lindsay Piersol

Offering counters for May: Nick Piersol and Dell Miller

Securing the church for May: Nick Piersol

Ministers

Stated Supply Pastor (803) 924-0016

Music Director/Pianist

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Announcements for May 15, 2022

† Please consider partnering with a local food bank to help feed the hungry families in our community. Manna House is accepting monetary donations.

Manna House, c/o Sue J. Mitchell, 2210 Timber Lane, Newberry, SC 29108. (803) 321-2155

† Lutheridge Day Camp 2022 will be June 20 – June 24. Applications are available in the narthex.

† SUMMER TIME CHANGE. Beginning June 5, Sunday School will begin at 9:00 a.m. followed by our worship service at 10:00 a.m.

† Saturday, May 21, 5:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m., is SLC Youth Night. A sign-up sheet is in the narthex.

† June 5 through August 21 the children and youth Sunday School classes will meet jointly in the Fellowship Hall at 9:00 a.m. Youth leaders and Sunday School teachers are excited to offer ministry lessons, as well as music, crafts, puppets, handbells, choir. There will be activities for nursery through high school.

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Offering and Attendance

May 8, 2022

	Sunday School: 32	Worship: 66	
Current:-----			\$ 4,475.00
Sunday School:-----			15.00
Benevolence:-----			10.00
B&I:-----			60.00
Cemetery:-----			200.00
Manna House:-----			30.00
Memorials:-----			100.00
Needed Weekly:-----			\$ 1,890.04

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As brothers and sisters in Christ, we are called to “carry each other’s burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ.” - Galatians 6:2. By being generous and sharing our blessings we show love and support to those most in need. If you or you know of a member of this congregation who needs assistance with things such as yard work-possibly from a storm; transportation for groceries, appointments, or church; housework or meals following an illness please contact a member of the church council. Committees and resources are available to meet your needs.