

What is the Sacrament of Holy Communion?

Sacrament means *mystery*. We believe, as the Bible teaches, that in Holy Communion we receive the *mystery* of Christ's true body and blood through the bread and wine. Through this, Christ reassures us of His forgiveness and strengthens and empowers our faith. No one needs to understand or explain this truth. We simply believe it, by faith, as Paul teaches in 1 Cor.10:16. The Bible also says that before communing, we should:

1. Repent of all sins.
2. Ask the Holy Spirit to help us turn from our sinful ways and reconcile with others.
3. Trust in Jesus as our only Savior from sin (1 Cor. 11:27-29).

Baptized Christians who share this belief are welcome at the Lord's table. To receive Communion, place your palms up at the altar. White grape juice is in the center of each tray for those who prefer it to wine.

If you are not of this belief, you are welcome to come to the altar to receive a blessing. Please fold your hands or hold them under the rail to show this preference.

At Fountain of Life, children receive Communion at the end of fifth grade following a period of instruction.

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Greeters	Travis Family
Nursery	Dawn Ludwig & Braidy Robinson
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Tellers	Debra Pendley & Larry Fraioli
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Music Coordinator

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Praise Band Director

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Worship Schedule

8:30 am Traditional Service

9:45 am Adult & Children's

Sunday School

11:00 am Contemporary Service

At the Fountain, you will find a community of caring believers who focus on strengthening homes and families by following and serving Jesus Christ and bringing His love to Kernersville, the Triad and the world.

Our Mission: To connect people to Jesus !

Our Values:

Reaching Out. We seek to reach out to the broken and hurting, for as Jesus opened His arms to all people, we open our arms to all people. **Matthew 28:18-20**

Following Jesus Christ. We seek to help every person grow as a follower of Jesus Christ through Biblical, Christ-centered preaching and education. **John 15:5-8**

Fostering a Caring Christian Community. We seek to encourage fellowship that builds and supports a caring Christian community. **Acts 2:42-47**

Strengthening Families. We seek to build an environment that nurtures and strengthens the home and family in Christ. **Deuteronomy 6:4-12**

Speaking in Today's Language. We seek to offer ministry and worship that are relevant and speak in the language of today. **Acts 17:16-34**



**May 20, 2012
11:00 a.m. Service**

COME TO THE FOUNTAIN

323 Hopkins Road - Kernersville, NC 27284
Phone: 336.993.4447 fax: 336.993.0941

Grow in God's Word with Us
Next Sunday at 9:45 am

Conclusion of the Gospel of John
 Pastor Joe Dzugaan
 Adults Room #1

Edge Youth
 Youth Room
 7th-12th Graders Karen Armour-Hoke

June 3: Voter's Meeting at 9:45am
June 10: "The Me I Want to Be"

Children's Ministry: Kingdom Quest

4-5K Room #5
 Shannon Kerr

1st-4th Room #4
 Dinene Crater
 Heather Norman & Rebekah Beal

5th-6th Room #7
 Kim Adams



Small Group Ministry
around the Fountain!

Adults Contact: Bill & Jan Lonneckner, 993-5520
 Wednesday, May 23, 7:00 pm

Young Families
 Contact: Steve & Gwen Ashburn, 595-2118
 Sunday, May 27, 5:30 pm

Adults
 Contact: Mike & Ruth Woods, 993-6612
 Monday, May 28, 7:00pm

Welcome to
Fountain of Life
Lutheran Church

Welcome to the Fountain!

We are honored that you would worship with us this morning. We pray that you would experience the love of our Savior, the call of God to make Fountain of Life your worship home, and the opportunity to have spiritual family in this place! Our Hospitality Team is wearing yellow name tags and would love to answer any question you may have or assist you in any way this morning. Welcome to Fountain of Life!

Children's Church is for children age 4 years - 2nd grade and seeks to teach our children how to worship. Liturgy, music and a message based upon the theme of Pastor's sermon provide an age appropriate learning environment for our children. Pastor will dismiss the children before the readings and an adult leader will escort them to classroom #1. Children will return before Holy Communion.

Nursery care is offered during worship and Bible class for children up through 3 years old. That ministry is located directly across from the sanctuary.

Altar Flowers are given in celebration of the Confirmands. "Whoever acknowledges me before men, I will also acknowledge him before my Father in heaven."

Matthew 10:32

Flowers are also given by Steve and Jeannie Schwanz in celebration of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Response

Jesus Messiah

Jesus Messiah, Name above all names
 Blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel
 The rescue for sinners, The ransom from Heaven
 Jesus Messiah Lord of all
 Jesus Messiah Lord of all

The Communing

The Blessing

Closing Praise Song

We Believe

We believe in God the Father, maker of the universe.
 And in Christ the Son, our Saviour, come to us by virgin birth.
 We believe he died to save us, bore our sins, was crucified;
 Then, from death He rose victorious, ascended to the Father's side.

Chorus: Jesus, Lord of all, Lord of all, Jesus, Lord of all, Lord of all, Jesus, Lord of all, Lord of all, Jesus, Lord of all, Lord of all.

We believe He sends His Spirit on His church with gifts of pow'r.
 God, His Word of truth affirming, sends us to the nations now.
 He will come again in glory, judge the living and the dead;
 Ev'ry knee shall bow before Him, then must ev'ry tongue confess.

Chorus

Lord of all.

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THE SENDING

P: Go in peace and joy. Proclaim the risen and ascended Lord. Alleluia!

C: Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

(You are invited to come to the altar to pray with our prayer team.)

HEALTH ISSUES: Carol & Julie Kananen; Jane; Virginia; Rick; Russ; Ana; Ken; Joanne Scruggs; Ginny Vibbert; Francis Cook; Joe and Donne Peerenboom; Charles; Glenn Pendley; Karen Robins; Carrie; Joe Mullinax; Leo Cassidy; Mary Sue; Mike Merrill; Hazel Hale; Kyle Flores; Sue McLean; Andy; Bob; Velma Mangum; Bill; Doug Pizzino; Barbara DeFosset; Sally; Michele; David Virost; Debbie Smith

FAITH ISSUES: All those struggling with Faith; Unity in the mission and ministry among all members

MISSION: Mission Ecuador; Marco Segovia: Specific Ministry Pastor Program

MILITARY: Bobby; Hunter Brady; Leslie Buentello; Jeff Cassidy; Rob Caudill; Kenneth Ford; Pastor Quentin Genke; Matt Hardison; Zack Holt; Jesse Knox; Joe Lamb; Joe Loeffler; Kyle Laycock; Sean and Dan Lonnecker; Phillip McKay; Daniel McMurray; Joey Moore; Anthony Mueller; Jason Noyes; Drew Parks; Scott Singerling; Peter Santini; David Turpin; Ken Woods

E: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray,
C: **Trusting in Your mercy, through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

LORD'S PRAYER

All: 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.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE PEACE IS GIVEN AND SHARED

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER/SUNDAY AFTER THE ASCENSION

PRE-SERVICE PRAISE, GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INVOCATION

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

C: **Amen**

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Before God and in the company of our sisters and brothers, let us confess our sin.

C: **God and Father of all, we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed. In Your mercy, O God, forgive us, cleanse us, and heal us, for the sake of Jesus, our Savior. Amen.**

P: If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation; everything old has passed away; everything has become new! In Christ God has forgiven you. You are a new creation; your sins are taken away and you are made new.

C: **Amen**

SONG OF WORSHIP

Come, Worship the King

Oh, He is Jehovah. Oh, King of all kings.
Oh, He is Almighty. Come, worship the King.
Oh, He is Jehovah. Oh, King of all kings.
Oh, He is Almighty. Come, worship the King.
Come, worship the King

**Chorus: Splendor and Majesty, Power and authority,
Are His from the beginning, His they are and his they evermore shall be.**

Oh, He is Jehovah. Oh, King of all kings.
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Chorus X2

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Oh, He is Almighty. Come, worship the King.
Come, worship the King. Come, worship the King.

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

EMILY BECKWITH

(All of the children are invited to come forward for the Children's message and after the Children's message, Children 4 years – 2nd Grade are invited to go to Children's Church in Room #1)

+The Word+

(The first two readings are read by Wayne Travis)

FIRST READING Acts 1:1-11 *(Page 770 in the pew Bible)*

READER: THIS IS THE WORD OF THE LORD.

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD.

EPISTLE LESSON Ephesians 1:15-23 *(Page 827 in the pew Bible)*

READER: THIS IS THE WORD OF THE LORD. WE STAND AND SAY,

**ALL: ALLELUIA! COME, HOLY SPIRIT, FILL THE HEARTS OF YOUR FAITHFUL,
AND KINDLE IN US THE FIRE OF YOUR LOVE. ALLELUIA!**

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 24:44-53 *(Page 749 in the pew Bible)*

P: THIS IS THE GOSPEL OF THE LORD.

C: PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST.

THE APOSTLES CREED

**All: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.
And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by
the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into
hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended
into heaven and sits at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the com-
munion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the
body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

SONG OF THE DAY

As morning dawns and evening fades
You inspire songs of praise
That rise from earth to touch
Your heart and glorify Your Name
**Your Name is a strong and mighty tower
Your Name is a shelter like no other
Your Name let the nations sing it louder
'Cause nothing has the power to save
But Your Name**
Jesus in Your Name we pray
Come and fill our hearts today
Lord give us strength to live for
You And glorify Your Name

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THE SERMON "THE MESSAGE OF THE LIFTED HANDS" PASTOR JOE DZUGAN
LUKE 24:50-53

THE OFFERING & SIGNING OF THE FRIENDSHIP REGISTERS

(Each family member should sign the Friendship Register every week as well as visitors. Please remember to include your phone number if you are visiting with us. We invite all our guests to visit the Welcome Center located in the narthex following the service.)

OFFERING RESPONSE

Give Thanks

Give thanks with a grateful heart. Give thanks to the Holy One
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ His Son

Repeat

And now let the weak say I am strong Let the poor say I am rich
Because of what The Lord has done for us

Repeat

Give thanks, Give thanks.

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The Rite of Confirmation

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

**CELEBRATION: Those who are confirming their faith this morning:
Adam Bonagura, Abbey Crater, Kenneth Deterding, Ryan Glass,
Christian Kepner, Chloe Lauten, Megan Ludwig, Stephanie Men-
ten, Marcus Patterson, Ally O'Reilly, Caitlin Smith, Josh Stuart,
Allison Wolfe. We also celebrate with Eric & Shawn McFarlin
who are celebrating 20 years of Holy Matrimony.**

GRIEVING: The Koska Family as they mourn the passing of Danielle.

**LIFE ISSUES: Those struggling in economic uncertainty and those going
through employment transition; Debra; Tony**