

# SUDDENLY

"A SOUND LIKE THE BLOWING  
OF A VIOLENT WIND CAME  
FROM HEAVEN AND FILLED  
THE WHOLE HOUSE WHERE  
THEY WERE SITTING." ACTS 2:2

Welcome to  
**Lauvers Mennonite Church**

*“Our mission is to seek the lost and nourish the found  
through the work of Jesus Christ.”*

Pastor: Curtiss Kanagy 207.431.8825

**May 31, 2020**

WELCOME to our visitors today! Please join us in worshipping the  
Lord and in experiencing His love, grace, truth and presence.  
God bless you in this service and in the coming days!

Welcome/Door holders: Dave & Sharon Hicks  
There is no Sunday school scheduled for this morning.

Worship Service

No nursery service is provided today.

Worship leader: Eric Brubaker

Worship group: Tonya's

Offering:

Message: Elvin Ranck “Lessons from David”

Last Sunday's attendance: 91

Last Sunday's offering + contributions via mail: \$6,189.15

***The OneCry prayer calendar is on the table. Pick one up & pray for  
“Seeking God during Times of Judgment.”***

Happy Birthday to: Heidi Glick on June 2  
Jay Shenk on June 3  
Lindsey Glick on June 4

**One friend whom we'll always have is Jesus:**

“I have called you friends . . .” – John 15:15 (NRSV)

“I will never leave you or forsake you.” Hebrews 13:5 (NRSV)

“So we can say with confidence, ‘The Lord is my helper; I will not  
be afraid. What can anyone do to me?’” Hebrews 13:6 (NRSV)

# Pentecost

Fill the H and S squares with the facts about Pentecost. Acts 2 will help you. H and S stand for Holy Spirit.

## H ACROSS:

5. All who want to be saved will need to \_\_\_\_\_ and be baptized. (v. 38)

## H DOWN:

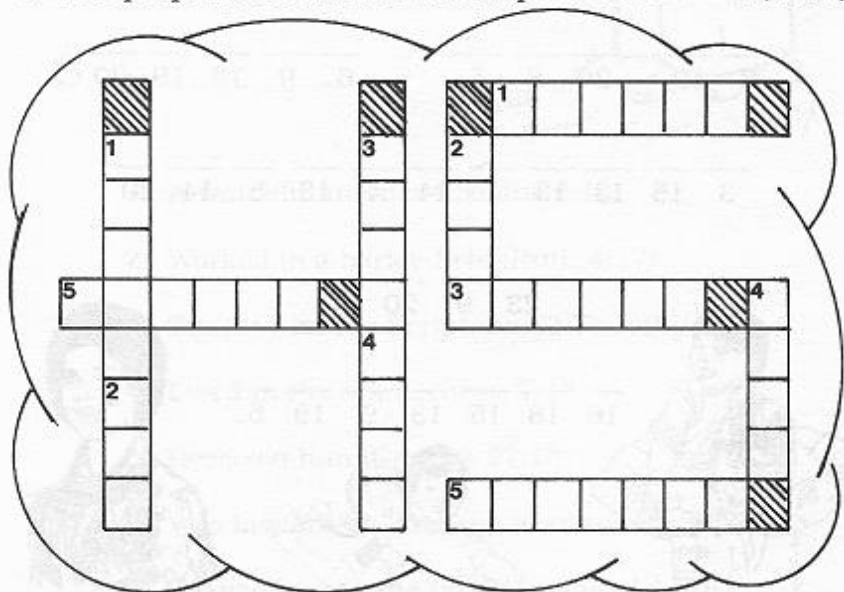
1. \_\_\_\_\_ preached on Pentecost. (v. 14)  
2. He told of the wondrous acts of \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 22)  
3 and 4. The believing \_\_\_\_\_ came to hear him preach about the prophet \_\_\_\_\_. (vv. 5, 16)

## S ACROSS:

1. God's promised \_\_\_\_\_ came upon them. (v. 4)  
3. \_\_\_\_\_ apostles stood by Peter as he preached. (v. 14)  
5. The gospel will be heard in all \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 8)

## S DOWN:

2. Some people thought they had drunk too much \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 13)  
4. The people met often to fellowship and to \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 42)



## *Give and Take*

*Life is often a matter of giving and taking. But with what spirit do we give, or take? British author, Elizabeth Bibesco, once said, "Blessed are those who can give without remembering and take without forgetting."*

*Accomplishing that will require some practice. Giving something to another, or to God's church and not remembering the act may go against our nature. Yet when we can give without remembering or without begrudging what we gave, the giving can become habitual and instill a feeling of joy.*

*So try to remember the happiness of giving but forget the occasion of doing so.*

*On the other hand, most of us are recipients of gifts given and good deeds done by others. Remember with gratitude those blessings. Savor the joy they aroused in us and be grateful for the givers.*

*Give without remembering. Take without forgetting. Those are clues to better living.*



### Our Church Council

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## Power House of Prayer

*I will praise the Lord at all times. I will constantly speak his praises!*  
*Psalm 34:1 (NLT)*

### **Praise God for:**

- \*God's goodness to us at all times!
- \*Marlin's left eye doing better after visit to the doctor at Hershey last week.
- \*Emma is in remission for now! The doctor will recheck her in 4 weeks.
- \*High school graduate, Stephen Ranck.
- \*College graduate, Kelvin Ranck.

### **Pray for:**

- \*Curtiss and Robin celebrating their anniversary this weekend.
- \*Kyle and Joanna Burkholder planning to move to Washington in June. Pray that they can find affordable housing.
- \*Our elderly isolated in nursing homes.
- \*Gunner's new medication to help him heal.
- \*Marcus's granddaughter, Janaya diagnosed with a blood cancer plasmacythomia. She is currently getting radiation treatments.
- \*Emma to regain her strength during the next 4 weeks.
- \*Protection for our health care workers.
- \*A coming to God – national revival.

**Q. – What are you praising the Lord for today??**

**Kim Varner is serving in the prayer room this morning.**

Please give any praises or prayer concerns to Marilyn Swartz by calling (717) 463-3466 or email [dmswartz77@gmail.com](mailto:dmswartz77@gmail.com) by Thursday evening.