

**“Submitting To Be More Vile”
By Pastor Kayla Mangrich**

Responsive Hymn

“Wind Who Makes All Winds That Blow” UMH 538

Offertory

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

***Benediction**

Closing Hymn

“The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve TFWS 2241

Postlude by Glen Haselbarth

May 24-30, 2026

Sunday

10:00am Worship

Happy Birthday—Doug Hammer & Gage Fries

Monday

Memorial Day

Happy Birthday—Jacey Smidt

Tuesday

Happy Birthday—Braxton Janda
VBS @ Bethany Lutheran 9am-Noon

Wednesday

VBS @ Bethany Lutheran 9am-Noon

Thursday

Happy Anniversary—Cade & Michelle Craig—15 years
VBS @ Bethany Lutheran 9am-Noon

Friday

Happy Anniversary—Mike & MaryJo Froid—27 years
Happy Anniversary—Larry & Kim Snavelly—27 years

Saturday



United Methodist Church

340 N Newell Ave, Minden, Nebraska

Order of Worship for May 24, 2026

Day of Pentecost

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Welcome of Guests—Greeting—Sharing of Announcements

1. VBS at Bethany Lutheran, May 26-28, 2026.
2. 5th Sunday Funday and Brunch, May 31. Meal sign up sheet on the back table.
3. The carts are in the lobby for food pantry collection.
4. Check Bulletin board by office for information.
5. If you'd like to volunteer as a helper during worship service please sign up on the sheet located at the back of the sanctuary.

Invocation

Opening Hymn

“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing” UMH 57 vs 1-3 & 7

*Call to Worship

One: Beloved, the Spirit of Truth gathers us here to receive and discern God’s good news working among us.

Many: Come, Holy Spirit, come!

One: The Spirit of Love draws us together to receive and restore life-giving relationships with God and one another.

Many: Come, Holy Spirit, come!

One: The Spirit of Freedom knits us together to receive and renew the bonds of empathy, justice, and peace that bind us together in the work for liberation and wholeness.

Many: Come, Holy Spirit, come!

One: Beloved, the Holy Spirit is here, moving and working among us. Will you come and receive all the Spirit has to give?

Many: We come to receive the Spirit’s abundant and gracious gifts that we may be a people who live out God’s truth, love, and freedom in our neighborhood, community, and throughout all creation. Amen.

Passing the Peace of Christ

“Where Children Belong” TFWS 2233

Young Disciple’s Lesson

Prayer Hymn “Breathe on Me, Breath of God” UMH 420

Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer of Confession

Pastoral Prayer

Lord’s Prayer

Preparatory Hymn

“As a Fire Is Meant for Burning” TFWS 2237

Scripture Proclamation

Acts 2:1-21

When Pentecost Day arrived, they were all together in one place. Suddenly a sound from heaven like the howling of a fierce wind filled the entire house where they were sitting. They saw what seemed to be individual flames of fire alighting on each one of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages as the Spirit enabled them to speak. There were pious Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. When they heard this sound, a crowd gathered. They were mystified because everyone heard them speaking in their native languages. They were surprised and amazed, saying, “Look, aren’t all the people who are speaking Galileans, every one of them? How then can each of us hear them speaking in our native language? Parthians, Medes, and Elamites; as well as residents of Mesopotamia, Judea, and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the regions of Libya bordering Cyrene; and visitors from Rome (both Jews and converts to Judaism), Cretans and Arabs—we hear them declaring the mighty works of God in our own languages!” They were all surprised and bewildered. Some asked each other, “What does this mean?” Others jeered at them, saying, “They’re full of new wine!” Peter stood with the other eleven apostles. He raised his voice and declared, “Judeans and everyone living in Jerusalem! Know this! Listen carefully to my words! These people aren’t drunk, as you suspect; after all, it’s only nine o’clock in the morning! Rather, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy. Your young will see visions. Your elders will dream dreams. Even upon my servants, men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy. I will cause wonders to occur in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood and fire and a cloud of smoke. The sun will be changed into darkness, and the moon will be changed into blood, before the great and spectacular day of the Lord comes. And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.

The Word of God, for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.