



Pentecost People

Part 1: Pastor Balvanz

The Holy Spirit has one function, to connect _____ to the work of Christ through God's means of grace:

Hearing the _____ of the gospel.

_____ into God's name.

Receiving the _____ of Christ's body and blood.

The Holy Spirit, through Word and Sacrament, creates faith in us, delivers the forgiveness of sins and connects us to the saving work of Jesus.

Part 2: Pastor Halvorson

Evidence of the Spirit's presence in his people.

Gathering in worship and _____.

People loving and _____.

Doing things that don't come "naturally."

Yielding a changed way of thinking, speaking and doing that directs us outward.

"...one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of us all, who is over all and through all and in all!" Ephesians 4:5

"Whoever believes in me, as Scripture has said, rivers of _____ will flow from within them." John 7:38

Part 3: Pastor Balvanz

The Holy Spirit is _____ in working to connect God's chosen ones to the source of eternal life — Jesus Christ.

"For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands." 2 Timothy 1:6

Part 4: Pastor Halvorson

Renewed personal commitment to Jesus Christ and His work in _____ in our _____ and in our _____

Sunday Morning Worship

Day of Pentecost and Groundbreaking

May 31, 2020

8:00 a.m. & 9:30 a.m.

9:30 a.m. Service streamed live

Preservice song

Welcome

Opening Song

Invocation, Confession and Absolution

Song

Service of the Word

Song

Scripture Readings

Hymn of the Day

Message

Apostles' Creed

Offerings, Prayers of the Church

The Lord's Prayer

Blessing

Closing Song (9:30 a.m. only Groundbreaking participants depart as hymn is sung)

Thank You God for Saving Me

Come Thou Fount (I Will Sing)

Lord, I Need You

Holy Spirit

Numbers 11:24-30

Acts 2:1-21

John 7:37-39

Holy Spirit, Light Divine LSB 496

Rev. Mark Halvorson & Rev. Rich Balvanz

LSB 179

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The Saving One

**Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayers
this week for...**

For all believers in Christ: Thanksgiving for our faith through the Holy Spirit. That the grace of God guide and direct our steps as witnesses of the salvation that is ours through Jesus Christ.

For blessing of the groundbreaking for our building addition: That construction of the children's ministry addition may proceed smoothly under God's blessing and, when complete, serve to enhance and strengthen our ability to teach all ages about the salvation that comes to us by grace through Jesus Christ.

For the Ministry of the Gospel: That God guide, direct and bless establishment of the Marion Ministry and Outreach Center. May we as individuals be moved to support this ministry with our time and resources so that children and families may see faith in Christ through word and deed and be moved to receive Jesus as Lord.

King of Kings members & friends:

For preservation and confidence:

Grant safety to all who worship together at King of Kings. We pray for God's protection as we begin returning to regular daily life and ask that his promise of unending care for his people sustains our mental and emotional health through faith. Protect those who care for the sick and remind them that they serve you by serving those you love. Provide jobs for those needing employment, support for the unemployed and a willingness to help one another by those blessed with abundance of health and resources.

King of Kings' ministries:

Attentiveness to worship: That we encourage one another through various means toward faithful worship, even when unable to gather in person, so that God's gifts and blessings are received and our faith strengthened.

Prayers for Our People:

Claudette Walker & family—
death of her father; Jason Silcox & family—death of his grandfather;
Doug Thurm's mother—peace at time of death; Healing, recovery, strength for—
Sherry Brendes
Cindy Deahl
Bob Meyer (father of Sandy Thurm)
Lois Muench
David Marousek
Jerry Green
Doug Goodson
Guy Patten
Rev. Dave Renfro
For encouragement—
Jack (Bob & Pat Harris)
Ted Williams

Public Worship will resume this Sunday, May 31st at 8:00am and 9:30am. Full details in the weekly e-news and on our website.

King of Kings: YouTube & Facebook

Our Sunday 9:30 a.m. worship service is streamed live on YouTube and Facebook Live. To view the YouTube feed on your smart phone, computer or smart TV, go to YouTube.com and search King of Kings Cedar Rapids. The YouTube version may also be viewed later through replay. Our page includes this photo:



Celebrating our Grads

Thank You for supporting our 2020 high school grads by dropping off encouraging notes and cards that will be delivered to them! This Sunday congregation members will have one more opportunity to celebrate our grads. A book for each of the HS grads will be available in the entryway at King of Kings for congregation members to stop by and sign. You could simply write your name or share an encourage note reminding the grads that they are loved and supported by their Church family.

VBS Update

With uncertainty due to global events beyond our control VBS is not canceled, but will look different this year to allow us fluidity in an uncertain time. VBS will not meet in June as planned, but postponed until later this summer. Please watch for details!

**Forward with Christ Update
GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY will be held on Sunday, May 31st immediately following the 9:30am worship service.**

Marion Ministry Meeting Recording

A recording of Monday night's meeting regarding King of Kings' establishment of a Marion Ministry and Outreach Center is available on our YouTube page. If you were unable to take part, many questions are answered in this recording. Much more information and an invitation for your personal involvement in this gospel and service outreach will be coming soon.



Marion
Ministry &
Outreach
Center

PLAY BALL!!!!

A shortened summer softball season will be held for the church leagues in Cedar Rapids. If you are interested, email Melanie Jochimsen at m.jochimsen@gmail.com or call/text her at 319-389-8073. There is also a sign-up sheet at the Opportunities Counter at church.

Christian Basics Class Today!

Members, visitors and friends of King of Kings are invited to an online class focused on the foundational doctrines of the Christian faith. We will gather through a Zoom meeting this afternoon at 2 p.m. An internet connection via computer, tablet or smartphone is required in order to employ the Zoom face-to-face meeting program. Materials will be delivered for download. If you are interested in taking part please contact Pastor Balvanz before 11:30 today rbalvanz@kingofkingscr.org or call 319-350-3276.

Altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by Denny and Luann Wangeman celebrating their 45th Anniversary on May 31, and Larry and Sandra Germaine celebrating their 13th Anniversary on June 2.

Wednesday Evening Bible Study

Wednesday evening Bible study continues June 3 at 7 p.m. on YouTube and Facebook Live! You may follow along with the study and interact directly by typing on the page. Check your email for the download of the evening's study guide.

Children's Ministry

Family Five is a short video lesson for all people, it includes a lesson for NOW and a question to discuss with your family LATER.

Today's lesson is "Filled with the Holy Spirit"

Question for **LATER:** As a family discuss ways that the Holy Spirit could help you share Jesus' love with people in your life.

