

\*Silent Prayer of Confession

\*Assurance of Pardon

L: Hear the good news: God is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. In Jesus Christ, God has made us a new creation.

**P: We give thanks to the Lord our God.**

L: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel:

**P: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!**

\*Gloria Patri

Passing of the Peace

“Good Morning!”

Anthem *We Will Remember You* Chancel Choir

Time With The Children

Morning Prayer, the Lord’s Prayer, and Prayer Response

***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 sins, as we forgive those who sin***

***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. Amen.***

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Readings: *Psalm 104:24-35; Acts 2:1-21 (ESV)*

Song of Praise #492 *Spirit of the Living God*

Sermon **“Fire and Wind”** Jakob J. Harmon

\*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles’ Creed

Hymn of Preparation #695 *As We Gather at Your Table*

Invitation to the Lord’s Table Please see the bulletin insert.

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

\*Doxology #34 *Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow*

\*Prayer of Dedication

(“Welcome to Linway” Cards will be collected by Deacons.)

\*Closing Hymn #326 *Spirit of Gentleness*

\*Charge and Benediction

\*Congregational Response *He Is Lord*

\*Postlude

**\*Indicates those who are able to please stand**



**Today’s Chancel Flowers:** are given to the glory of the Lord by Lila and Andy Sedlak in honor of their 54th wedding anniversary. Happy Anniversary!

*If you would like to order flowers for the Chancel, please use a blue order form on the table as you exit or contact the office.*

**Video Recording:** Portions of today’s 10:30 service will be recorded & posted to the Linway Facebook Page and website Monday evening at [www.LinwayChurch.org](http://www.LinwayChurch.org)



### Contemporary Worship Service

9:15 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

Invocation

\*Praise Song: *Shout to the Lord*

\*Passing Of The Peace

Prayers of the People & the Lord’s Prayer

Praise Song: *God of Wonders*

Scripture Readings

*Psalm 104:24-35; Acts 2:1-21 (ESV)*

Message: Jakob J. Harmon

**“Fire and Wind”**

Celebration of the Lord’s Table (Please see bulletin insert)

\*Praise Song: *How Great is Our God*

Final Challenge and Depart to Serve

**\*Indicates those who are able to please stand**

#### When attending the 9:15 worship service, please:

- complete a “Welcome to Linway” Card and place it in the basket when exiting the Sanctuary.
- place any offering in the box when exiting the Sanctuary.
- use the restroom located out the front left Sanctuary door and then down the hallway.

#### The Church Staff

Student Pastor.....Jakob Harmon

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Church Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 9:00-3:00; Fri 9:00-noon

Please use our East Entrance to visit during the week.

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*Celebrating 129 Years*  
*June 1, 1897—June 1, 2026*

“Come, grow your faith in Jesus Christ with us.”



The purpose of Linway United Presbyterian Church is to joyfully worship and serve the mission and ministry of the Lord Jesus Christ.

## Sunday, May 24, 2026

### The Day of Pentecost

“May the glory of the LORD endure forever;  
may the LORD rejoice in his works,  
who looks on the earth and it trembles,  
who touches the mountains and they smoke!  
I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; I will  
sing praise to my God while I have being.”  
May my meditation be pleasing to him,  
for I rejoice in the LORD.

-Psalm 104: 31-34 (ESV)

**10:30 a.m. Worship Service**

\*Indicates those who are able to please stand

Prelude George Hawkins  
Prelude *Battle Hymn of the Republic* Chancel Choir  
Welcome and Announcements Jaime Ruffing, Liturgist  
Gathering Prayer: (In Unison): **Holy God, You are the Source of Life and the Maker of all things. We gather before You to be united as one Church by the power of Your Spirit. We ask that You would send Your holy fire into this place, that it would set our hearts ablaze, and that we would be sent out to do Your will wherever we may go. We praise You with our whole being; our minds to understand Your Word and Your will, our hearts to be open to the transformative power of Your Spirit, our lives to be used in the service of Your people and Your world. As we have gathered here today just as You have called us, help us to do Your work and participate in Your mission for the sake of the world You so love. Through Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.**

Call To Worship  
L: God sent forth the Spirit, and all creation rejoiced.  
God's breath filled the skies, the sea, the land, and all creatures.  
**P: May the glory of the Lord endure forever!**  
L: Let us sing to the Lord as long as we have breath.  
**P: Bless the Lord, O my soul. Praise the Lord!**  
L: Let us worship the God who calls and sends.  
**P: Let us worship the God! Alleluia!**

\*Hymn #134 *Sweet, Sweet Spirit*  
\*Call to Confession  
\*Prayer of Confession (in unison): **Living, breathing God, You call us to trust in You with all of our being, yet we confess how often we rely on ourselves. We lean on our own understanding, trusting our judgment more than You. We try to limit Your control when we don't understand what You are doing. We have followed the ways of this world instead of the You.**

**Forgive us, we pray. Turn us again toward You. Set your Spirit loose in this place, that we might be challenged, surprised, and open to Your power, that we might know You more and trust You more deeply. Help us to follow You faithfully and to love You more fully in all of the ways that we live out the lives You have called us into.**

*"Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His steadfast love endures forever!" -Psalm 118: 1*

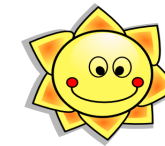
**In Our Prayers:** David A, Helen Alexander, Annie, Kathy B, Patty B, Baker Family, Chris, Jeannette Briggs, Jim C, Cheryl D, Kathy D, Nathan E, Betty Frommell, Michelle F, Barb Harvey, Clare & Sandy Hillgartner, Glenn H, Bev & Barry Harcum, Frank Kordalski Sr, Bill Knight, Cindie M, Cindy & Ken McCall, Peg M, Andrew N, Howard N, Mark Pascarella, Arthur R, Renee R, Cindy S. Susan S, Shawn, P & K Schwer, Laura Shawley, Bill Szmuc, Bruce S, Glenda T, Tracey, Pat V, Kevin W, Scott W, Linda Wetzler, Rebecca W.

**Welcome Children!**  
**Sunday School:** age 5 thru 5th grade. Every Sun. during the 10:30 service after Time With the Children. Finishes at 11:30.  
**Coloring/Activity Sheets:** are available at the Sanctuary entrance for children. Please help yourself or ask a Deacon.  
**The Nursery:** is open for parents/guardians should you need to step out a moment with a little one. It is located out the front left doors & down the hall. Speakers allow you to hear the service.  
**Kid's Club:** Taking a break for the summer.  
**Linway Preschool:** Currently registering children for next year's 3 & 4 year old's classes which start in Sept. Contact church office.

**Missions:** Help our local + international mission projects by placing a donation in a pew envelope & mark it "Mission Fund". Loose change left in the pew is also given to Missions. Thank you for assisting these worthy programs.

**Sharing Their Time**  
**Coffee Conn:** Today's Snack: Leanne C.  
5/31/26 Snack: Kim B.  
**Deacon Duty:** Today: Andrew, Judy, Trent, Leanne  
5/31/26: Kim, Lynn, Frank, Chris  
**Sunday School:** Today: Amy G.  
5/31/26: Jaime R.  
**Technology:** Today: 9:15 Jamie 10:30 Rich/Trent  
5/31/26: 9:15 Jamie 10:30 Rich/Trent  
**Security:** This Week: Brian B. 6/1/26: Dave B.

**Church Fundraisers**  
Available after the service or contact the church office.  
**Giant Eagle Gift Cards** - In \$25, \$50, or \$100 amounts.  
-The church receives 5% of the value of the card.  
**Eat'n Park, Dunkin' Donuts, or Denny's Gift Cards,**  
-The church receives a percentage for each card.  
**Sarris Candy** - All sold out. Will return in the fall.



**Good Morning and Welcome to all who are worshipping with us today!** We hope you will find the service meaningful and that you can come back and join us again. Please enjoy a refreshment inside the church entrance. We ask everyone to please complete a "Welcome to Linway" Card found in the pews. Restrooms and the Nursery are located out the front left Sanctuary doors, and then down the hallway.

**LINWAY HAPPENINGS**


**Today 5/24** Pentecost + Holy Communion  
9:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service  
10:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service  
**Mon 5/25** Memorial Day  
**Tu 5/26** Walking with Jesus at 6:00 p.m. in Soc Hall  
**Wed 5/27** Men's Breakfast at 9:00 at N.Versailles Eat n'Park  
Preschool Graduation at 10:00 a.m.  
**Fri 5/29** Pastor Jakob's Graduation at 4:00 p.m.  
**Next Sun 5/31** 9:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service  
10:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service  
Noon Luncheon for Pastor Jakob  
**Mon 6/1** Happy 129th Birthday Linway!  
Women's Breakfast 10:00 N.Versailles Eat n'Park  
Pepperoni Roll Orders Due

**Luncheon to Celebrate Pastor Jakob's Graduation!**  
**Next Sunday, May 31 at Noon in our Social Hall**  
Everyone is invited! Pastor Jakob's family & friends will be joining us. We hope you'll come for the celebration! This will not be a covered dish meal.



**Need a Ride To/From Church?** Contact Amy Gida 412-607-8430, Christine Stewart 412-736-9763 or the church office 412-824-3555.

**Food + Fellowship Cookout:** Thank you to those who came on Tuesday & Thank you to those who prepared the meal!

 **Memorial Day:** We remember all those who served our country with gratitude and pride, and are thankful for their service.  
We also recognize the resilience of their families and thank you for your sacrifice. May your day be filled with peace.