# Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 5, 2024 10 am

We don't change the message, the message changes us



Please sign Fellowship Book today.

# Hope Lutheran Chapel

5709 Osage Beach Parkway, Osage Beach, MO 65065 Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

10 a.m. Indoor Communion Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Fellowship 11:20 a.m. Sunday School/Adult Bible Study Rev. Guillaume J.S. Williams, Sr. Church Office ~ 573-348-2108 Alternate Number ~ 573-286-3427

Email: <u>office@HopeLutheranChapel.org</u> Website: www.hopelutheranchapel.org **WE WELCOME** you in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. You are invited to open your heart to God's Word in Scripture, Sermon, and Song. Please sign our Record of Fellowship at each end of the open pews. **You are Always welcome here – this is your Father's House! As we worship**, we stand for some parts of the Liturgy. However, please feel free to remain seated if you prefer.

# LARGE PRINT BULLETINS ARE AVAILABLE. PLEASE ASK THE USHER IF YOU NEED ONE.

A cry room is available for fussy babies.

God Bless your worship with us!

Hope Lutheran Chapel Communion Statement: If you are a confirmed member in good standing of a LCMS or an AALC congregation, are repentant of your sins, and believe Jesus gives you His true body and blood for the forgiveness of your sins in the Lord's Supper, you are welcome to commune with us today. (I Cor. 11:17-32) For Lutherans, receiving the Lord's Supper, is an action of the celebrating community, signifying a oneness in faith, life, and worship of the community. (I Cor. 10:14-22, 11:18-19, 26; Eph. 4:2-6) If you are a visitor from another Christian Church body or other faith, we welcome you to our service. As a sad consequence of the divisions in Christianity we cannot extend to you a general invitation to the Lord's Supper. Reception of the Lord's Supper by Christians not fully united with us would imply a oneness which does not yet exist, and for which we must all pray. If you are a visitor and not sure whether or not you should commune, please speak with the Pastor, Elder, or Usher before the service.

**Communion Note:** For those who need assistance with the cup please hold out your hand and the Elder will hand it to you.

SANITIZER/WIPES ARE LOCATED AT THE END OF AISLE FOR THE HAND RAILS. Trashcans for wipes are at end of ramp.

If it is difficult for you to kneel at the rail, please feel free to remain standing.

#### **ORGAN PRELUDE**

- P HE IS RISEN!
- HE IS RISEN INDEED, HALLELUJA!

# Opening Hymn ~ Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice

LSB 556 vs 1-3

- Dear Christians, one and all, rejoice,
   With exultation springing,
   And with united heart and voice
  - And holy rapture singing,

Proclaim the wonders God has done, How His right arm the vict'ry won.

What price our ransom cost Him!

2 Fast bound in Satan's chains I lay; Death brooded darkly o'er me. Sin was my torment night and day; In sin my mother bore me.

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But daily deeper still I fell; My life became a living hell, So firmly sin possessed me.

3 My own good works all came to naught, No grace or merit gaining; Free will against God's judgment fought, Dead to all good remaining. My fears increased till sheer despair Left only death to be my share; The pangs of hell I suffered.

# **DIVINE SERVICE** - Setting Three

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The sign of the cross + may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

Stand

#### **Confession and Absolution**

- **P** In the name of the Father and of the 

  → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- **©** who made heaven and earth.
- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- (I), a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and

eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the 
→ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

#### INTROIT

Ps. 66:1-2, 8-9, 20; antiphon: Ps. 66:16

- P Come and hear, all you who fear God,
- and I will tell what he has done for my soul.
- **P** Shout for joy to God, all the earth;
- sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise!
- P Bless our God, O peoples;
- c let the sound of his praise be heard,
- P who has kept our soul among the living
- C and has not let our feet slip.
- P Blessèd be God,
- because he has not rejected my prayer or removed his steadfast love from me!

#### Gloria Patri

All Sing: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

- P Come and hear, all you who fear God,
- and I will tell what he has done for my soul.

KYRIE All Sing: Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

P Glory be to God on High,

All Sing: and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee.

we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.

O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.

For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord. Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## Salutation and Collect of the Day

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- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **C** And with thy spirit. (All Sing)
- P Let us pray.

O God, the giver of all that is good, by Your holy inspiration grant that we may think those things that are right and by Your merciful guiding accomplish them; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen. (All Sing)

Sit

The Lord Jesus Is with His Church in the Apostolic Ministry of the Gospel Acts 10:34–48 ~ 1 John 5:1–8 ~ John 15:9–17

The crucified and risen Lord Jesus is with His Church through the word of His apostles, who "are witnesses of all that he did." He was anointed by God "with the Holy Spirit and with power," and "he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil," and so He was with those whom He sent "to preach to the people" (Acts 10:38–42). The Holy Spirit is bestowed on those who hear that apostolic preaching, who are "baptized in the name of Jesus Christ," so that "everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name" (Acts 10:43–44, 48). For as He came by the water of His Baptism, even to the blood of His Passion, so the Spirit testifies to the truth with "the water and the blood" in the apostolic ministry of the Gospel (1 John 5:6–7). By these means, Christ Jesus speaks to us, that His joy may be in us and that our "joy may be full." For this purpose, He appointed the apostles to "go and bear fruit" in order to make known His divine friendship to us (John 15:11, 15–16).

FIRST LESSON

Acts 10:34-48

Then Peter spoke: "Now I really understand that God doesn't favor one person over

another. It doesn't matter what people you belong to; if you fear Him and do what's right, He accepts you. He sent His Word to the people of Israel to bring the news of peace in Jesus Christ—He is Lord of all! You know what happened in the whole country of the Jews, how after the baptism that John preached, God anointed Jesus from Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and Jesus, beginning in Galilee, went around doing good and healing all who were under the tyranny of the devil, because God was with Him. We have seen everything He did in the land of the Jews and in Jerusalem, and we can tell about it. Men hanged Him on a cross and killed Him. But God raised Him on the third day and showed Him to us—not to all our people but to us whom God has chosen to be witnesses and who ate and drank with Him after He rose from the dead. He ordered us to preach to the people and warn them that God has appointed Him to judge the living and the dead. All the prophets declare that through His name everyone who believes in Him receives forgiveness for his sins." While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit came down on all who heard the Word. All the Jewish believers who had come with Peter were surprised the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out also on people who were not Jews. They heard them speaking in other languages and praising God. Then Peter asked, "Surely no one can refuse water and keep them from being baptized, can he? They have received the Holy Spirit just as we did." And he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they asked him to stay several days.

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

**Gradual** 

adapt. from Matt. 28:7; Heb. 2:7; Ps. 8:6

- **P** Christ has risen from the dead.
- [God the Father] has crowned him with glory and honor,
- P He has given him dominion over the works of his hands;
- he has put all things under his feet.

#### **EPISTLE LESSON**

1 John 5:1-8

Everyone who believes Jesus is the Christ is God's child. And everyone who loves the Father loves the Father's child. We know we love God's children when we love God and do what He orders us to do. Loving God means we keep His commandments. And what He orders is no burden. Every child of God conquers the world. Our faith is the victory over the world. Who conquers the world but he who believes Jesus is God's Son? This is He Who came by water and blood - Jesus Christ; not by water only, but by water and blood. And the Spirit is telling the truth because the Spirit is the Truth. There are three

who bring us the truth: the Spirit, the water, and the blood, and these three have one purpose.

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Stand

#### Alleluia and Verse

- C Alleluia.
- We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him.
- C Alleluia.
- In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.
- C Alleluia.

#### HOLY GOSPEL LESSON

John 15:9-17

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fifteenth chapter.
- Glory be to Thee, O Lord. (sing)

"As the Father has loved Me, so I have loved you. Stay in My love. If you obey My commandments, you'll stay in My love, as I have obeyed My Father's commandments and stay in His love. I told you this so that My joy will be in you and your joy will be complete. This is what I order you to do: Love one another as I have loved you. No one has a greater love than he who gives his life for his friends. You're My friends if you do what I order you to do. I don't call you servants any more, because a servant doesn't know what his master is doing. But I've called you friends because I've told you everything I heard from My Father. You didn't choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit that doesn't pass away and to have the Father give you anything you ask Him in My name. This is what I order you to do: Love one another."

- **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- Praise be to Thee, O Christ. (sing)

#### **NICENE CREED**

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I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man;

and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.

And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of the Father.

And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord and giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life + of the world to come. Amen.

Sit

## **Hymn of the Day** ~ Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice

LSB 556 vs 4-7

- But God had seen my wretched state Before the world's foundation, And mindful of His mercies great, He planned for my salvation. He turned to me a father's heart: He did not choose the easy part But gave His dearest treasure.
- 5 God said to His beloved Son: "It's time to have compassion. Then go, bright jewel of My crown, And bring to all salvation.

From sin and sorrow set them free; Slay bitter death for them that they May live with You forever."

The Son obeyed His Father's will, Was born of virgin mother; And God's good pleasure to fulfill, He came to be my brother. His royal pow'r disguised He bore; A servant's form, like mine, He wore To lead the devil captive.

To me He said: "Stay close to Me,
 I am your rock and castle.

 Your ransom I Myself will be;
 For you I strive and wrestle.

For I am yours, and you are Mine, And where I am you may remain; The foe shall not divide us.

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#### Sermon

Stand

Offertory p192

All Sing: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

**Offering** ~ Plates are located in the back to collect as you leave today

# Prayer of the Church

Stand

#### SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

## Preface thru Agnus Dei

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- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **And with thy spirit.**
- **P** Lift up your hearts.
- **©** We lift them up unto the Lord.
- P Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.
- C It is meet and right so to do.
- P It is truly meet, right and salutary . . . evermore praising You and saying:

**Sanctus** (All Sing)

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Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth;

heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.

Hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Lord's Prayer p196

P 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.

All Sing: For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

#### The Words of Our Lord

- P Our Lord Jesus Christ . . .
- P The peace . . . you always.
- C Amen.

## Agnus Dei (All Sing)

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© O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

Sit

## DISTRIBUTION

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O Lord, We Praise Thee

LSB 617

10 Lord, we praise Thee, bless Thee, and adore Thee,

In thanksgiving bow before Thee.

Thou with Thy body and Thy blood didst nourish

Our weak souls that they may flourish:

O Lord, have mercy!

May Thy body, Lord, born of Mary,

That our sins and sorrows did carry,
And Thy blood for us plead
In all trial, fear, and need:
O Lord, have mercy!

2 Thy holy body into death was given,Life to win for us in heaven.No greater love than this to Thee could bind

us;
May this feast thereof remind us!
O Lord, have mercy!
Lord, Thy kindness did so constrain Thee
That Thy blood should bless and sustain me.
All our debt Thou hast paid;
Peace with God once more is made:
O Lord, have mercy!

3 May God bestow on us His grace and favor
That we follow Christ our Savior
And live together here in love and union
Nor despise this blest Communion!
O Lord, have mercy!
Let not Thy good Spirit forsake us;
Grant that heav'nly-minded He make us;
Give Thy Church, Lord, to see
Days of peace and unity:
O Lord, have mercy!

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## I Come, O Savior, to Thy Table

I come, O Savior, to Thy table,
 For weak and weary is my soul;
 Thou, Bread of Life, alone art able
 To satisfy and make me whole: Refrain.

Refrain: Lord, may Thy body and Thy blood Be for my soul the highest good!

- 2 Thy heart is filled with fervent yearningThat sinners may salvation seeWho, Lord, to Thee in faith are turning;So I, a sinner, come to Thee. Refrain.
- 3 Unworthy though I am, O Savior, Because I have a sinful heart,

LSB 618

Yet Thou Thy lamb wilt banish never, For Thou my faithful shepherd art: Refrain.

- 4 Weary am I and heavy laden; With sin my soul is sore oppressed; Receive me graciously and gladden My heart, for I am now Thy guest. Refrain.
- 5 What higher gift can we inherit?
  It is faith's bond and solid base;
  It is the strength of heart and spirit,
  The covenant of hope and grace.
  Refrain.

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Stand

# Nunc Dimittis (All Sing)

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Cord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Thanksgiving p200

- P O give thanks unto the Lord for He is good,
- and His mercy endureth forever.
- P Let us pray . . . one God, now and forever.
- Amen.
- **P** The Lord be with you.
- And with thy spirit.
- P Bless we the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Benediction p202

- The Lord bless you and keep you.
   The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
   The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and 
   → give you peace.
- **C** Amen. Amen. (All Sing)

Closing Hymn ~ Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice LSB 556 vs 8-10

- 8 "Though he will shed My precious blood, Me of My life bereaving,
  - All this I suffer for your good;

Be steadfast and believing.

Life will from death the vict'ry win;

My innocence shall bear your sin,

And you are blest forever.

9 "Now to My Father I depart, From earth to heav'n ascending, And, heav'nly wisdom to impart, The Holy Spirit sending;

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In trouble He will comfort you And teach you always to be true And into truth shall guide you.

10 "What I on earth have done and taught Guide all your life and teaching; So shall the kingdom's work be wrought And honored in your preaching.

But watch lest foes with base alloy The heav'nly treasure should destroy; This final word I leave you."

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Offering plates are in the back of the sanctuary as you leave.

YOU ARE INVITED to join us in the downstairs fellowship hall for refreshments following service today.

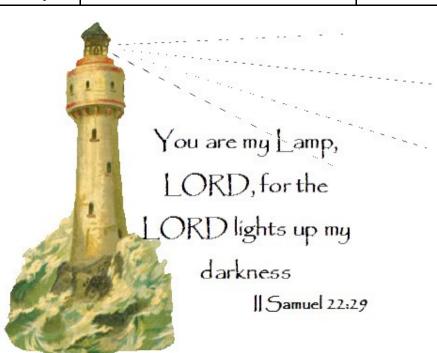
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#### ADULT SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS OPPORTUNITIES

A topical study in Deuteronomy led by Pastor will meet in the downstairs fellowship hall following service Next Week.

#### DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

May. 5	Sunday	Num. 3:1-16, 39-48	Luke 14:25-15:10
May. 6	Monday	Num. 8:5-26	Luke 15:11-32
May. 7	Tuesday	Num. 9:1-23	Luke 16:1-18
May. 8	Wednesday	Num. 10:11-36	Luke 16:19-31
May. 9	Thursday	Num. 11:1-23, 31-35	Luke 17:1-19
May. 10	Friday	Num. 11:24-29; 12:1-16	Luke 17:20-37
May. 11	Saturday	Num. 13:1-3, 17-33	Luke 18:1-17
May. 12	Sunday	Num. 14:1-25	Luke 18:18-34



#### IN OUR PRAYERS:

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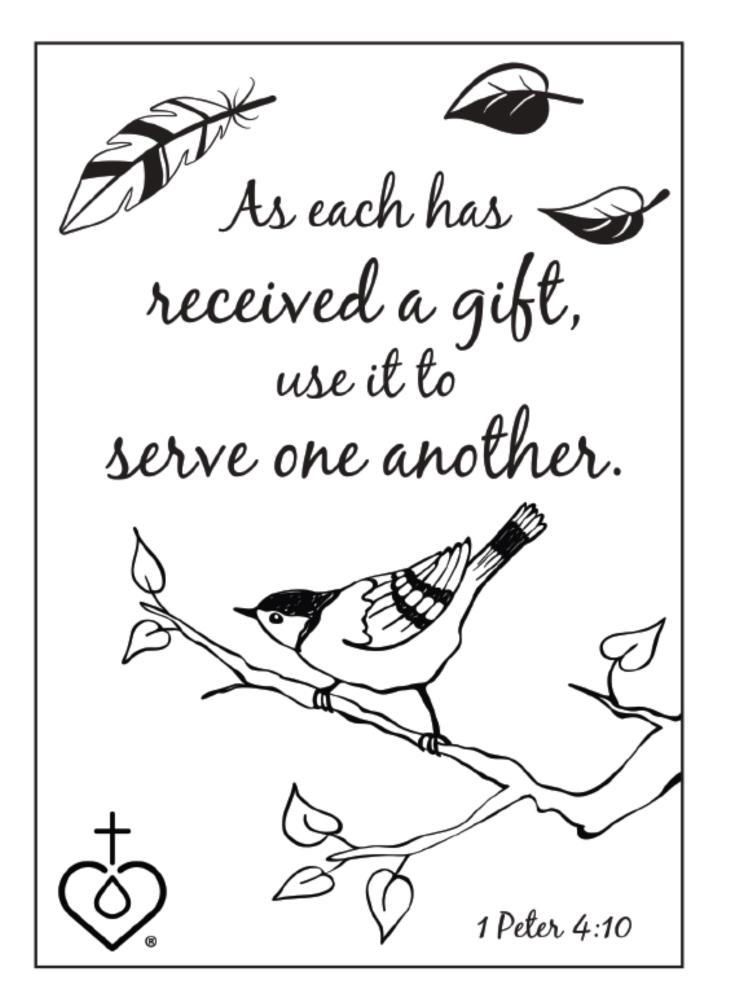
Today's altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by Ed and Tina Cardin in honor of grandson Nick's birthday.

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

5/7 Stefanie Cardin

## SUNDAY SCHOOL COLLECTION

**DURING MAY** our Sunday School offerings will benefit our Radio Program. Please place your offerings in the jar or basket during the Sunday School hour.



THIS WEEK AT HOPE					
May 5 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday	10:00	am	Worship with Communion	
		11:00	am	Fellowship	
		11:20	am	Sunday School for all ages	
May 1st	Wednesday	10:00	am	Prayer Service	
May 9 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday	6:00	pm	Ascension Communion Service	
May 12 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday	10:00	am	Worship with Communion	
		11:00	am	Fellowship	
		11:20	am	Sunday School for all ages	

Secretary's hours: Mon - Fri ~ 8 am - Noon
Pastor's office hours: Mon - Thurs ~ 9 am - Noon

## Those Who Serve

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Elder	Mike Merchant	Mike Merchant
Preparing the Altar	Sonja Howard	Kathy Heinemann
Preparing the Candles	Sonja Howard	Constantin Williams
Counters	Jerol Laughlin and Anita Topel	Pete and Christal Hill

