#### Those for Whom We Pray

Jim Mock	Virginia Mock	Clarissa Miller
Kalfas Family	Gary Turner	Grace Hershberger
Carrol Williams	Sarah Pruszynski	Terry Fyock
Bob Kagarise	Tommy Osman	Ed Figura
Colleen Figura	Maddie Letsche	Donna Shannon
Eva Miller	Larry Claycomb	Delasko Family
Rick Vogelsberger	Tom Eschmann	Owen College
Kyler James	Tom Ritchey	Liam Norris
Landon Norris	Greathouse Family	Tina Masters
Tom Shaffer	Nicole Smolen	Bryce Biddle
Sherri Nicodemus	Linda Greathouse	Gloria Geisel
James Swaynos	Paul Claycomb	Vickie Goughenour

#### Serving in the Military:

Nathan Custer Lela Browne Scott R. Barefoot Eric Mannion Troy Hershberger **Dustin Bingham** Jacoby Brady Brandon Hebert Michael Tenley II

Jeremy Boyce David Custer Chris Bowen Steve B. Domonkos Jr. Steven Faul Rebecca Thevenot Kevin Dively Tina Masters Kyler Claar

Jason Browne Kristin Custer Sean Danowski Johnathan Douglass Landon Persavich Christopher Faul **Christopher Ickes** 

Please see the prayer list with numbers before the names. The names with a #5 in front of them will be removed on June 28th. If you want it on longer, please call the office. Thank you.

Pastor Donna's email is dugsma@gmail.com Office email is sclpoffice@yahoo.com The email will only be checked during office hours twice a week.



## St. Clairsville Lutheran Parish

Messiah, Bedford – 10:30 a.m.

WELCOME VISITORS! We're glad to have you worship with us today.

June 24, 2012

#### FOURTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST

Rev. Donna J. Wolfinger – 276-3036 P. O. Box 488 Osterburg, PA 16667 Secretary's Office Hours Tues. 9:30-11:30 & Thurs. 9-12:30 Phone 276-3070 sclpoffice@yahoo.com www.stclairsville-lutheranparish.net

## Prelude

+Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness: page 94

+Gathering Song:

+Greeting: page 98

+Kyrie: page 98

+Song of Praise #848

# +Prayer of the Day:

P O God our defender, storms rage about us and cause us to be afraid. Rescue your people from despair, deliver your sons and daughters from fear, and preserve us all from unbelief; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen

# FIRST READING: Job 38:1-11

The LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind: <sup>2</sup> "Who is this that darkens counsel by words without

knowledge?

<sup>3</sup>Gird up your loins like a man,

I will question you, and you shall declare to me. <sup>4</sup> "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?

Tell me, if you have understanding. <sup>5</sup>Who determined its measurements--surely you know!

Or who stretched the line upon it? <sup>6</sup>On what were its bases sunk,

or who laid its cornerstone

<sup>7</sup>when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?

<sup>8</sup> "Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb?--

<sup>9</sup>when I made the clouds its garment, and thick darkness its swaddling band,

<sup>10</sup>and prescribed bounds for it, and set bars and doors,

<sup>11</sup>and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stopped'?"

### PSALM: Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32

Give thanks to the LORD, for | he is good,\*

and his mercy en- | dures forever.

<sup>2</sup>Let all those whom the LORD has re- | deemed proclaim\*

# that he redeemed them from the hand of the foe.

<sup>3</sup>He gathered them out | of the lands;\*

# from the east and from the west, from the north and | from the south.

<sup>23</sup>Some went down to the | sea in ships\*
and plied their trade | in deep waters;
<sup>24</sup>they beheld the works | of the LORD\*

and his wonders | in the deep. <sup>25</sup>Then he spoke, and a stormy | wind arose,\*

## which tossed high the waves | of the sea. <sup>26</sup>They mounted up to the heavens and fell back | to the depths;\*

their hearts melted because | of their peril. <sup>27</sup>They reeled and stag- | gered like drunkards\* and were at | their wits' end. <sup>28</sup>Then they cried to the LORD | in their trouble,\* and he delivered them from | their distress.

<sup>29</sup>He stilled the storm | to a whisper\*

#### and quieted the waves | of the sea. <sup>30</sup>Then were they glad because | of the calm,\* and he brought them to the harbor | they were bound for.

<sup>31</sup>Let them give thanks to the LORD | for his mercy\* and the wonders he does | for his children.

<sup>32</sup>Let them exalt him in the congregation | of the people\* and praise him in the council | of the elders.

# **SECOND READING: Second Corinthians 6:1-13**

As we work together with him, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. <sup>2</sup>For he says,

"At an acceptable time I have listened to you,

and on a day of salvation I have helped you." See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! <sup>3</sup>We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, <sup>4</sup>but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, <sup>5</sup>beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; <sup>6</sup>by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, <sup>7</sup>truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; <sup>8</sup>in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; <sup>9</sup>as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see--we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; <sup>10</sup>as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything.

<sup>11</sup>We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. <sup>12</sup>There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. <sup>13</sup>In return--I speak as to children--open wide your hearts also.

+Gospel Acclamation: page 102

# +Gospel: Mark 4:35-41

When evening had come, Jesus said to the disciples, "Let us go across to the other side." <sup>36</sup>And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. <sup>37</sup>A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. <sup>38</sup>But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" <sup>39</sup>He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. <sup>40</sup>He said to them, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" <sup>41</sup>And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

# **Children's Sermon**

Sermon

# +Hymn of the Day

+Apostles' Creed: page 105

# +Prayers of Intercession:

A With the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, let us pray for the church, those in need, and all of God's creation. *A brief silence.*  A For people of faith who everywhere hunger for hope, and for all whose callings give evidence of your mercy, that your will may be known and done. Gracious God,

## C hear our prayer.

A For the earth, that the air, water, and soil may be healed from destruction, and that all human thanksgiving for your bounty would increase daily. Gracious God,

## C hear our prayer.

A For peoples of every culture in whose music and food, language and art we see the wide joy of your creative hand. Gracious God,

## C hear our prayer.

A For those who wield power without regard for the prisoners and refugees they torment, that these injustices would come to an end. Gracious God,

## C hear our prayer.

A For all who are despised, afraid, and vulnerable, that they would be kept from harm and know the lasting freedom that comes from your good news. Gracious God,

C hear our prayer.

A For all who are sick and grieving or whose well-being is on our minds this day (especially). Gracious God,

C hear our prayer.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

A May we (with Philipp Melanchthon and the confessors of Augsburg), and all who have kept the faith in each generation, continue to be embraced by your generous and eternal love. Gracious God,

C hear our prayer.

P Into your hands, O God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen

+Peace: page 106

# **OFFERING**

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+Sending Hymn

+Dismissal: page 115

Postlude

+Please stand as you are able

## Announcements:

Help build houses!

This summer in New Orleans at the ELCA Youth Gathering, our high school youth and their advisors will be building walls for three homes for families in the New Orleans area.

Habitat for Humanity will finish the job we start.

We are raising money to buy lumber, nails and pay transportation costs for the walls – this project is coordinated by campus ministry (including Alicia Anderson, campus minister at Penn State).

Checks to help can be made out to "Lutheran Campus Ministry– BUILD NOLA" can be sent to:

Lutheran Campus Ministry 211A Pasquerilla Spiritual Center University Park, PA 16802

- St. Peter's Property Committee is looking for someone to do some painting in the church. Mostly touch-up work. Contact Randy Maxwell 977-4954 or Bob Bowser 276-3748.
- St. Peter's is still collecting food for the local food bank. Please bring all non-perishable food items to the church.
- Save the date August 11<sup>th</sup> yard sale at St.
   Peter's. More info later.
- Happy Birthday to Matt Ellis, Tyler Peterson, Jackie Finnegan, Lucille Mangiafico, Matthew Custer, Steve Feather and Neta Knisely.
- Happy Anniversary to Carey & Naomi Ellis, Robert & Mary Bowser and Kermit & Arlene Frazier.

Attention St. Peter's Readers: advance copies of lessons are on the bulletin board to better prepare for reading the lessons. Please take those for the week(s) you are responsible.