#### **Those for Whom We Pray**

Virginia Mock	Kalfas Family	Gary Turner
Grace Hershberger	Sarah Pruszynski	Terry Fyock
Tommy Osman	Ed Figura	Colleen Figura
Maddie Letsche	Eva Miller	Rick Vogelsberger
Tom Eschmann	Tom Ritchey	Liam Norris
Landon Norris	Tom Shaffer	Linda Greathouse
Betty Hoagland	Jaden Brown	Gloria Geisel
Jackie Couch	Danny Feather	Shelly Delasko
Anthony Strushensky	Tom Strushensky	Jim Rovansek

#### Serving in the Military:

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Nathan Custer	Jeremy Boyce	Jason H
Lela Browne	David Custer	Kristin
Scott R. Barefoot	Sean Danowski	Eric M
Steve B. Domonkos J.	Ir. Steven Faul	Troy H
Rebecca Thevenot	Johnathan Douglass	Dustin
Kevin Dively	Jacoby Brady	Tina M
Christopher Faul	Kyler Claar	Christo
Michael Tenley II		

Tason Browne Kristin Custer Eric Mannion Troy Hershberger Dustin Bingham Tina Masters Christopher Ickes

If you have any changes for the prayer list, please call the office. Thank you.

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#### St. Clairsville Lutheran Parish

Messiah, Bedford – 10:30 a.m.

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

March 31, 2013

#### EASTER SUNDAY THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

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### Prelude

+Gathering Song:

+Greeting: page 98

+Song of Praise #848

## +Prayer of the Day:

P O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C Amen** 

## FIRST READING: Acts 10:34-43

Peter began to speak to [the people:] "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup>but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup>You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ–he is Lord of all. <sup>37</sup>That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: <sup>38</sup>how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. <sup>39</sup>We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; <sup>40</sup>but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, <sup>41</sup>not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. <sup>42</sup>He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. <sup>43</sup>All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

PSALM: Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24
Give thanks to the LORD, for | he is good;\* his mercy en- | dures forever.
<sup>2</sup>Let Israel | now proclaim,\* "His mercy en- | dures forever."
<sup>14</sup>The LORD is my strength | and my song,\* and he has become | my salvation.
<sup>15</sup>There is a sound of exulta- | tion and victory\* in the tents | of the righteous:
<sup>16</sup> "The right hand of the | LORD has triumphed!\* The right hand of the | LORD has triumphed!\* If hand of the | LORD has triumphed!"
<sup>17</sup>I shall not | die, but live,\* and declare the works | of the LORD. 18 The LORD has pun- | ished me sorely,\*
but he did not hand me o- | ver to death.

# <sup>19</sup>Open for me the | gates of righteousness;\*I will enter them; I will offer thanks | to the LORD.

- 20 "This is the gate | of the LORD;\* he who is right- | eous may enter."
- <sup>21</sup>I will give thanks to you, for you | answered me\* and have become | my salvation.
- 22The same stone which the build- | ers rejected\* has become the chief | cornerstone.

23This is | the LORD's doing,\*
and it is marvelous | in our eyes.
24On this day the | LORD has acted;\*
we will rejoice and be | glad in it.

# **SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 15:19-26**

If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. <sup>20</sup>But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. <sup>21</sup>For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; <sup>22</sup>for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. <sup>23</sup>But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. 24Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. <sup>25</sup>For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. <sup>26</sup>The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

## +Gospel Acclamation: page 102

## +Gospel: Luke 24:1-12

But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. <sup>2</sup>They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, <sup>3</sup>but when they went in, they did not find the body. <sup>4</sup>While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. <sup>5</sup>The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. <sup>6</sup>Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, <sup>7</sup>that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again."

<sup>8</sup>Then they remembered his words, <sup>9</sup>and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. <sup>10</sup>Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. <sup>11</sup>But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. <sup>12</sup>But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

### **Children's Sermon**

Sermon

+Hymn of the Day

+Apostles' Creed: page 105

### +Prayers of Intercession:

A Rejoicing in the resurrection, let us remember in prayer the church, the world, and all those in need.

A Blessed are you, holy God, for you call us together in your name and join us to Christ's resurrection through Holy Baptism. Bless the newly baptized everywhere and bring aid to all who seek to bear one another's burdens. For this we pray: C Hear us, living God.

A Blessed are you, for you continue to create, to liberate, to judge, to love, to suffer, and to give peace in our troubled world. Inspire the nations of the world by the power of the resurrection, that your name might be glorified and proclaimed by all people. For this we pray: C Hear us, living God. A Blessed are you, for you extend the power of the resurrection to those who are broken in body, mind, or spirit. Be with those who are sick and in need *(especially)*, and give again your generous help and healing. For this we pray:

C Hear us, living God.

A Blessed are you, for by the power of the resurrection you make all things new. Renew this congregation, that we may live abundantly in Easter joy. For this we pray:

# C Hear us, living God.

A Blessed are you, for you have restored our joy. Help us to extend this celebration beyond these walls, that everyone may know the joyful news and share in the new life you offer. For this we pray:

C Hear us, living God.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

A Blessed are you, for you are the hope of all who have died in faith. Renew our hope, that with Mary Magdalene, the disciples, and all the saints we may see and worship you in glory. For this we pray: C Hear us, living God.

P With alleluias in our hearts and on our lips we commend to your care all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. C Amen +Peace: page 106

#### **OFFERING**

+Offertory: hymn #182 (Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful Lord)

+Offertory Prayer page 107

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+Lord's Prayer: page 112

Communion

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+Benediction: page 114

**Announcements and Blessings** 

+Sending Hymn

+Dismissal: page 115

#### Postlude

+Please stand as you are able

#### **Announcements:**

- Clean up outside of parsonage Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. Please bring rakes, shovels & wheelbarrows. Everyone is welcome.
- <sup>(1)</sup> Happy Birthday to Carol Domonkos, Nancy Hinson, Troy Bowser, Jordon McDonald, Rickey McDonald, Sidney Feather, Joan Beutman, Bill Beutman and Dorothy Levchik.

Non-perishable food items are being collected at St. Peter's and will be delivered to New Paris food bank on the following Mondays.

April 15	September 16
May 13	October 14
June 17	November 11
July 15	December 16
August 12	

Monthly Schedule St. Peter's Bible Study every Tuesday or Thursday 10-noon at Mary Kay Osman's

Outreach Sunday – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday

St. Peter's WELCA meeting – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday

Parish Council meeting – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday 7:00 (odd months only 3,5,7...)

Healing Hearts spousal bereavement support group – 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday 7:00 at St. Peter's

St. Peter's Council meeting - 3rd Monday

Comforting Friends – 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday, 7:00 at Trinity Reformed Church, Osterburg

Messiah WELCA – 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday