

Those for Whom We Pray

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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.

September 7, 2014

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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Prelude

+Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness:

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+Song of Praise #848

+Prayer of the Day:

P O Lord God, enliven and preserve your church with your perpetual mercy. Without your help, we mortals will fail; remove far from us everything that is harmful, and lead us toward all that gives life and salvation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen

FIRST READING: Exodus 12:1-14

1 The LORD said to Moses and Aaron in Egypt, 2 "This month is to be for you the first month, the first month of your year. 3 Tell the whole community of Israel that on the tenth day of this month each man is to take a lamb for his family, one for each household. 4 If any household is too small for a whole lamb, they must share one with their nearest

neighbor, having taken into account the number of people there are. You are to determine the amount of lamb needed in accordance with what each person will eat. 5 The animals you choose must be year-old males without defect, and you may take them from the sheep or the goats. 6 Take care of them until the fourteenth day of the month, when all the people of the community of Israel must slaughter them at twilight. 7 Then they are to take some of the blood and put it on the sides and tops of the doorframes of the houses where they eat the lambs. 8 That same night they are to eat the meat roasted over the fire, along with bitter herbs, and bread made without yeast. 9 Do not eat the meat raw or cooked in water, but roast it over the fire--head, legs and inner parts. 10 Do not leave any of it till morning; if some is left till morning, you must burn it. 11 This is how you are to eat it: with your cloak tucked into your belt, your sandals on your feet and your staff in your hand. Eat it in haste; it is the LORD's Passover. 12 "On that same night I will pass through Egypt and strike down every firstborn--both men and animals--and I will bring judgment on all the gods of Egypt. I am the LORD. 13 The blood will be a sign for you on the houses where you are; and when I see the blood, I will pass over you. No destructive plague will touch you when I strike Egypt. 14 "This is a day you are to commemorate; for the generations to

come you shall celebrate it as a festival to the LORD--a lasting ordinance.

PSALM: Psalm 149

¹ Praise the LORD!

Sing to the LORD a new song,

his praise in the assembly of the faithful.

² Let Israel be glad in its Maker;

let the children of Zion rejoice in their King.

³ Let them praise his name with dancing,

making melody to him with tambourine and lyre.

⁴ For the LORD takes pleasure in his people;

he adorns the humble with victory.

⁵ Let the faithful exult in glory;

let them sing for joy on their couches.

⁶ Let the high praises of God be in their throats

and two-edged swords in their hands,

⁷ to execute vengeance on the nations

and punishment on the peoples,

⁸ to bind their kings with fetters

and their nobles with chains of iron,

⁹ to execute on them the judgment decreed.

This is glory for all his faithful ones.

Praise the LORD!

SECOND READING: Romans 13:8-14

Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. ⁹The

commandments, "You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet"; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, "Love your neighbor as yourself."

¹⁰ Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law.

¹¹ Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; ¹²the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light; ¹³let us live honorably as in the day, not in reveling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarreling and jealousy. ¹⁴Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

+Gospel Acclamation: page 102

+GOSPEL: Matthew 18:15-20

[Jesus said to the disciples:] "If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. ¹⁶But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. ¹⁷If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the

church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. ¹⁸Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.

¹⁹Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. ²⁰For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them."

Children's Sermon

Sermon

+Hymn of the Day

+Apostles' Creed page 105

+Prayers:

A Lord God, you gave us your law to warn us of danger, to show us our wrong doing and to guide us toward yourself. Help us receive your law as a sign of your love, for you take no pleasure in the consequences of our wrong doing.

Prince of Peace:

C Come, Lord Jesus, come.

A Give us teachers of your way, Lord God, and the strength to follow you all the days of our lives.

Prince of Peace:

C Come, Lord Jesus, come.

A Help us fulfill your law by loving our neighbor as we love ourselves. Prince of Peace:

C Come, Lord Jesus, come.

A Lord Jesus, you promise to be with us every time we gather in your name. By your presence, even now, guide our ways and strengthen our faith.

Prince of Peace:

C Come, Lord Jesus, come.

A We bring before you all the institutions of mercy in every land. We thank you for all who serve, heal, pray and love the persons in their charge.

Prince of Peace:

C Come, Lord Jesus, come.

A Hear our prayers for those with special needs including the faithless, the atheists, the doubters, and the searchers for love and truth. Especially we ask you to be with those in physical, mental or spiritual need whom we name before you now: _____.

Prince of Peace:

C Come, Lord Jesus, come.

P Your steadfast love is your daily gift for our daily need. Thank you, loving Lord.

C Amen.

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OFFERING

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Communion

+**Post Communion Canticle:**

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+**Sending Hymn**

+**Dismissal:** page 115

Postlude

+Please stand as you are able

Announcements:

August Financial Statement

Total Income \$3,930

Total Expenses \$2,906

Year-to-date over budget \$467

August coins & match 165.55

- Next Sunday September 14th Exodus 14:19-31, Psalm 114, Romans 14:1-12, Matthew 18:21-35

- Worship with Holy Communion Schedule:
Sundays at St. Peter's at 9:00am, at Messiah at 10:30am, and Wednesday evening at 5:30pm at St. Peter's. Sunday School classes meet at Messiah at 9:30am and at St. Peter's at 10:15am.

- Next Thrivent Board Meeting Sep 9 at 6:30 at Trinity Church. We still have some money available to more projects. Any questions call Sandy Zembower 814-356-3561.

- St. Peter's is selling Marianna's Pizza & Subs orders are due Sep. 14th for delivery Sep. 24th Call Bette Kagarise 276-3795.

- Annual Prayer Breakfast, Saturday, Oct. 11th, 8:30 a.m. at St. Matthew Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall, Martinsburg. Speaker: Rev.

Suzanne Morelli. No charge for breakfast, but reservations are required by Oct. 6th 793-2413.

- Happy Birthday to Julie Ickes, Patricia Deffibaugh, Eva Miller, Joseph Felix, Ben Popp and Jim Winesickle.
- Happy Anniversary to Kevin & Clara Barefoot and William & Sara Ford.

Parish Office Hours for September will vary.

Please leave bulletin announcements on the answering machine. Remember to leave your name & # with any message in case of questions or if you want me to return your call. Thank You.

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

September 15	November 17
October 13	December 15

Bloodmobile at St. Peter's Dates for 2014

October 1st December 3rd
Please mark your calendars.

**We need donors & volunteers
to keep this a successful bloodmobile**

Monthly Schedule

Every Wednesday evening "Quiet Hour" service of Holy Communion will be celebrated in the sanctuary of St. Peter's at 5:30 p.m.

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

Outreach Sunday – 1st Sunday

St. Peter's WELCA meeting – 1st Sunday
after the service

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

St. Peter's Council meeting – 2nd Sunday 6:00

Comforting Friends – 3rd Tuesday, 7:00 at Trinity Reformed Church, Osterburg

Messiah WELCA – 4th Tuesday

Exercise Fellowship Group - **Tuesdays and Thursdays** 6-6:30PM Gentle Exercise, and 6:30-7:30PM Regular Exercise at St. Peter's for **September**

