Those for Whom We Pray

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Tom Eschmann	Tom Shaffer	Linda Greathouse
Betty Hoagland	Jaden Brown	Peg Henry
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Jill Campitell	Tom Bingham	

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St. Clairsville Lutheran Parish

St. Peter's at St. Clairsville 9:00 a.m. Sunday

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

August 9, 2015

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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Prelude

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness:

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+Opening Hymn: #252 You Servants of God

+Greeting: page 57

+Kyrie: page 57

+Hymn of Praise page 60 (This is the Feast)

+Salutation: page 62

+Prayer of the Day:

P Gracious God, your blessed Son came down from heaven to be the true bread that gives life to the world. Give us this bread always, that he may live in us and we in him, and that, strengthened by this food, we may live as his body in the world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen

FIRST READING: 1 Kings 19:4-8

[Elijah] went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die: "It is enough; now, O LORD, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors." ⁵Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, "Get up and eat." ⁶He looked, and there at his head was a cake baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank, and lay down again. ⁷The angel of the LORD came a second time, touched him, and said, "Get up and eat, otherwise the journey will be too much for you." ⁸He got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.

PSALM: Psalm 34:1-8

1 I will bless the Lord at all times;

his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

2 My soul makes its boast in the Lord;

let the humble hear and be glad.

3 O magnify the Lord with me,

and let us exalt his name together.

4 I sought the Lord, and he answered me, and delivered me from all my fears.

5 Look to him, and be radiant;

so your faces shall never be ashamed.

6 This poor soul cried, and was heard by the Lord,

and was saved from every trouble.

7 The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him,

and delivers them.

8 O taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are those who take refuge in him.

SECOND READING: Ephesians 4:25--5:2

So then, putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbors, for we are members of one another. ²⁶Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, ²⁷ and do not make room for the devil. ²⁸Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labor and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. ²⁹Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. ³⁰And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. ³¹Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, ³²and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you.

^{5:1}Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, ²and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

+Verse: page 62

+Gospel: John 6:35, 41-51

Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty."

⁴¹Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven." ⁴²They were saying, "Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, 'I have come down from heaven'?" ⁴³Jesus answered them, "Do not complain among yourselves. ⁴⁴No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. ⁴⁵It is written in the prophets, 'And they shall all be taught by God.' Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. ⁴⁶Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. ⁴⁷ "Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. ⁴⁸I am the bread of life. ⁴⁹Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. ⁵⁰This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. ⁵¹I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."

Children's Sermon

Sermon

+Hymn of the Day WOV #748 Bind Us Together

+Apostles' Creed: page 65

+Prayers:

A Growing in the soil of the Spirit, let us pray for the church, the world, and all who seek the richness of life in God.

A brief silence.

A O living Bread from heaven, nourish your church with the supper of the Lord and give it boldness to invite all people to your table. Gracious God,

C hear our prayer.

A O God, you gave your Son to be bread for the life of the world. Watch over the fields of the earth now ripening, that many will be fed with the fruits of the harvest. Gracious God,

C hear our prayer.

A O Bread of life, you satisfy our every hunger. Be with all in need, and draw near to the sick who hunger for health (*especially*). Gracious God,

C hear our prayer.

A O Healer of all, you raise up servants to minister to those suffering from illness. Help all nurses and doctors, therapists and caregivers to see your blessing in their work. Gracious God,

C hear our prayer.

A O God, you call us to imitate you as your beloved children. Bless the fruits of this congregation's ministries, that many may be drawn to you for nourishment. Gracious God,

C hear our prayer. Here other intercessions may be offered.

A Bread of heaven, bring us all at length to your banquet table where, in the company of Lawrence (*other names*), and all the saints, we will dine with you for all eternity. Gracious God,

C hear our prayer.

P Hear us as we pray, living God, and in your mercy give us all good things, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.

C Amen.

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Communion

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Postlude

+Please stand as you are able

WOV – With One Voice Blue Book

Announcements:

Pastor Donna will be on vacation starting after church on Sunday, August 16th through Saturday, September 5th. She will still be available for services & emergencies.

Next Sunday, August 16th Proverbs 9:1-6, Psalm 34:9-14, Ephesians 5:15-20, John 6:51-58

August 2nd offering - \$929.00

If you would like Communion on Tuesday afternoon, please contact Pastor Donna at 276-3036.

- Worship with Holy Communion Schedule: Sundays at St. Peter's at 9:00am, at Messiah at 10:30am. Sunday School classes meet at Messiah at 9:30am and at St. Peter's at 10:15am.
- Dug's school address will be: Dug Swank
 7301 Germantown Ave.
 Philadelphia, PA 19119-1974
- "Barefoot Sunday" August 30th, wear or bring a pair of shoes to donate to the shoe drive. Wear your LIVE GENEROUSLY T-SHIRT.
- Happy Birthday to William Ickes, Nicky Young, Jack Monsour and David Custer.
- Happy Anniversary to Bud & Mary Henderson.

Non-perishable food items will be delivered to New Paris food bank on Mondays. Aug. 11 & Sep. 15

- A message from your treasurer to the St. Peter's Congregation: While we are enjoying the summer months and our vacations away from the church, please don't forget about your weekly contributions. As you'll remember from our budget discussions this past winter, the church needs \$1,150.00 weekly to support its expenses. Over the past 10 weeks we are averaging \$850.00 per week. That's a shortfall of \$3,000.00 and that's a significant amount to our budget. Kindly remember your church with your finances as you are able. Thank you.
- The Harold W. Hengst Scholarship will be available again for the academic year 2015/2016 in the amount of \$700.00. This scholarship is available to any full time student who is a member of or whose parents or grandparents are members of St. Peter's Church. Application deadline is **TODAY**. Details and applications are available in the narthex or from Keith Bowser.

Monthly Schedule

Every Tuesday "Quiet Hour' service of Holy Communion will be celebrated in the sanctuary of St. Peter's at approximately 3:45 p.m. Contact Pastor Donna if you want Communion that afternoon 276-3036.

> St. Peter's Bible Study meets at the church every Tuesday 2-3:30 PM

> > 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

Messiah Council Meeting – 2nd Tuesday 6:30

Messiah WELCA – 4th Tuesday

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