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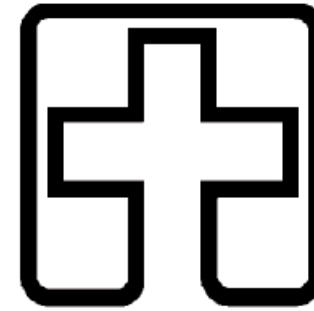
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## St. Clairsville Lutheran Parish

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

**WELCOME VISITORS!**

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

November 22, 2015

### **CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY**

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## Prelude

### Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness:

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#### +Opening Hymn:

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

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#### +Prayer of the Day:

**P** Almighty and ever-living God, you anointed your beloved Son to be priest and sovereign forever. Grant that all the people of the earth, now divided by the power of sin, may be united by the glorious and gentle rule of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C Amen**

#### FIRST READING: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne, his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire.

<sup>10</sup>A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousands served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him.

The court sat in judgment, and the books were opened. <sup>13</sup>As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. <sup>14</sup>To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed.

#### PSALM: Psalm 93

1 The Lord is king, he is robed in majesty;

**the Lord is robed, he is girded with strength.**

He has established the world;

**it shall never be moved;**

2 your throne is established from of old;

**you are from everlasting.**

3 The floods have lifted up, O Lord, the floods have lifted up their voice;

**the floods lift up their roaring.**

4 More majestic than the thunders of mighty waters, more majestic than the waves of the sea,

**majestic on high is the Lord!**

5 Your decrees are very sure;

**holiness befits your house, O Lord, forevermore.**

## **SECOND READING: Revelation 1:4b-8**

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne,<sup>5</sup> and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood,<sup>6</sup> and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

<sup>7</sup>Look! He is coming with the clouds;  
every eye will see him,  
even those who pierced him;  
and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.

So it is to be. Amen.

<sup>8</sup>"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

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## **GOSPEL: John 18:33-37**

Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?"  
<sup>34</sup>Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?"  
<sup>35</sup>Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?"  
<sup>36</sup>Jesus

answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here."

<sup>37</sup>Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

## **Children's Sermon**

### **Sermon**

### **+Hymn of the Day**

#363 Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing

### **+Apostles' Creed:** page 65

### **+Prayers:**

A In communion with all the saints, let us pray to God who is our eternal home.

*A brief silence.*

A Let us pray that the church would always lift high the cross from which Christ our king rules and reigns.

Lord, in your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

A Let us pray that all people, nations, and languages would be brought into the peace of Christ's eternal dominion of love. Lord, in your mercy,

**C hear our prayer.**

A Let us pray that all who have been victims and all who have been mistreated by injustice would be comforted by the one who endured the shame of the cross. Lord, in your mercy,

**C hear our prayer.**

A Let us pray that this congregation would identify with the suffering, the sorrowing, and the sick of the community (*especially*). May we always seek avenues to reach out in tangible and loving ways. Lord, in your mercy,

**C hear our prayer.**

*Here other intercessions may be offered.*

A Let us pray in thanksgiving for those who have died (*especially*), that we, with all your saints, will be brought one day to rejoice in your eternal kingdom, there to sing your praises for all eternity. Lord, in your mercy,

**C hear our prayer.**

P Your reign, O God, endures forever, and in Christ we are free to be your saints and servants. Hear our prayers for the sake of him who died and rose again, and lives with you in the company of all your saints in light.

**C Amen**

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## **Postlude**

+Please stand as you are able

## Announcements:

Next Sunday, November 29<sup>th</sup>, Jeremiah 33:14-16, Psalm 25:1-10, 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13, Luke 21:25-36

- 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. If you want Communion, contact Pastor Donna.
- Bedford Area Lutherans will be hosted by Trinity (Public Square, Bedford) on Thursday, Nov. 19; beginning at 6:00 pm. Bishop Michael Rhyne will lead a discussion on matters of stewardship and providing for the financial needs of synodical ministries. Trinity will provide light refreshments which will be available before, during, and after the meeting.
- Messiah is having a Tastefully Simple fundraiser until the end of November. Call Christine 623-9683.
- We collected 44 shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child.
- St. Peter's WELCA Christmas Party December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6:00 at the church.
- Play practice for the Children's Christmas Program will be at St. Peter's on November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup>, December 6<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> from 4 till 5.
- Regular exercise group, Monday & Thursday 6:30 at St. Peter's. All are welcome.

- Happy Birthday to Jim Imler, Melissa Smith, Janet Bowser, Mark Bromley, Dawn Claar, Arlene Frazier, Timothy Griffith and Timothy Osman.
- Happy Anniversary to Charles & Ellamay Barefoot.

Non-perishable food items will be delivered to New Paris food bank on Monday Dec. 15.

### 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 – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday

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

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

St. Peter's Council meeting – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday 6:00

Messiah Council Meeting – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday 6:00

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

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