

## 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.

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**FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT**

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## Prelude

+**Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness:**

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+**Opening Hymn:**

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+**Kyrie:** page 98

+**Prayer of the Day:**

**P** O Lord God, you led your people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide us now, so that, following your Son, we may walk safely through the wilderness of this world toward the life you alone can give, through Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.      **C      Amen**

**FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 26:1-11**

When you have come into the land that the LORD your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, <sup>2</sup>you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the LORD your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the LORD your God will choose as a dwelling for his name.

<sup>3</sup>You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, "Today I declare to the LORD your God that I have come into the land that the LORD swore to our ancestors to give us."

<sup>4</sup>When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the LORD your God, <sup>5</sup>you shall make this response before the LORD your God: "A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. <sup>6</sup>When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labor on us, <sup>7</sup>we cried to the LORD, the God of our ancestors; the LORD heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. <sup>8</sup>The LORD brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; <sup>9</sup>and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. <sup>10</sup>So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O LORD, have given me." You shall set it down before the LORD your God and bow down before the LORD your God. <sup>11</sup>Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the LORD your God has given to you and to your house.

**PSALM: Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16**

- 1 You who live in the shelter of the Most High,  
**who abide in the shadow of the Almighty,**
- 2 will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress;  
**my God, in whom I trust."**
- 9 Because you have made the Lord your refuge,  
**the Most High your dwelling place,**
- 10 no evil shall befall you,  
**no scourge come near your tent.**
- 11 For he will command his angels concerning you  
**to guard you in all your ways.**
- 12 On their hands they will bear you up,  
**so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.**
- 13 You will tread on the lion and the adder,  
**the young lion and the serpent you will trample under foot.**
- 14 Those who love me, I will deliver;  
**I will protect those who know my name.**
- 15 When they call to me, I will answer them;  
**I will be with them in trouble, I will rescue them and honor them.**
- 16 With long life I will satisfy them,  
**and show them my salvation.**

**SECOND READING: Romans 10:8b-13**

The word is near you,  
on your lips and in your heart"

(that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); <sup>9</sup>because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. <sup>10</sup>For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. <sup>11</sup>The scripture says, "No one who believes in him will be put to shame." <sup>12</sup>For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. <sup>13</sup>For, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

**+Gospel Acclamation: page 103**

**+GOSPEL: Luke 4:1-13**

Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, <sup>2</sup>where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished. <sup>3</sup>The devil said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread." <sup>4</sup>Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'One does not live by bread alone.' "

<sup>5</sup>Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. <sup>6</sup>And the devil said to him, "To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. <sup>7</sup>If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours."

8 Jesus answered him, "It is written,  
'Worship the Lord your God,  
and serve only him.' "

9 Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed  
him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, "If  
you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from  
here, 10 for it is written,

'He will command his angels concerning you,  
to protect you,' 11 and

'On their hands they will bear you up,  
so that you will not dash your foot against a  
stone.' "

12 Jesus answered him, "It is said, 'Do not put the Lord  
your God to the test.' " 13 When the devil had finished  
every test, he departed from him until an opportune  
time.

## Children's Sermon

### Sermon

### +Hymn of the Day

### +Nicene Creed page 104

### +Prayers:

A As we seek in this Lenten time to grow in our faith,  
let us pray for the life of the world.

*A brief silence.*

A That all fertile lands be tended with care, that crops  
be successfully planted and that the coming growing  
season might yield abundant harvests and all the  
bounty needed to feed this hungry world, let us pray to  
the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A That the church be strengthened in its forty-day  
Lenten journey, be delivered from all temptation and  
harm, and be found faithful on the day of Christ's  
coming, let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A That by grace, those preparing for baptism and  
those who will affirm their baptisms may confess with  
their lips that Jesus is Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A That those people who lack a home and wander in  
our modern wilderness might be helped to find a  
permanent place of welcome, let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A That those who are ill or in any need (*especially*) may  
find comfort and deliverance in the generosity of the  
Lord of all, let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A That this community through Lenten almsgiving might find joy in returning the firstfruits of their labors, let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

*Here other intercessions may be offered.*

A That the witness of the faithful departed (*especially*) may strengthen us in our journey, and that we be joined with them by the power of our baptism into Christ, let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

P Grant these prayers, merciful God, and all that we need, as we eagerly await the Easter feast; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C Amen**

**+Peace: page 106**

## **OFFERING**

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

**+Offertory Prayer** page 107

**+Great Thanksgiving** pages 107-108

**+Lord's Prayer:** page 112

## **Communion**

**+Post Communion Canticle:**

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## **Announcements and Blessings**

**+Sending Hymn**

**+Dismissal:** page 115

## **Postlude**

+Please stand as you are able

## **Announcements:**

Next Sunday, February 21<sup>st</sup> – Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18  
Psalm 27, Philippians 3:17-4:1, Luke 13:31-35

- 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.
- Daylight Saving Time begins at 2:00 AM on Sunday, March 13, remember to set your clocks ahead one hour.

- Annual Ecumenical Prayer Service, Sunday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 at Christ Our Savior Orthodox Cathedral in Johnstown.
- I would like to start a list that commemorates an issue or group, observes an awareness of an issue or group, celebrates an issue or group on our Parish webpage.

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I would love to have you, the parishioners give me what is special to you. For my family an example, November: National Epilepsy Awareness Month will be listed in the month of November on the webpage. You can call me, email me, write me or give what YOU would like to see for your special month on the webpage.

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- St. Peter's is having a Chili Cook-off. Messiah church members are invited to attend & participate Saturday, February 20, NOON-4 p.m. If you can make a crockpot of Chili and attend the festival please contact Rita 932-2346 or Karen 276-3621. Prizes will be given for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> places in addition to all participants receiving a prize. This is a fun filled event with a bake sale and basket raffle. If you can make a baked good or a basket for the raffle please let Rita or Karen know. Plan to attend.

- Happy Birthday to Michael Baldinger, Cheryl Lynn Calhoun, Kaitlyn Feathers, Alden Smith, Trinette Becker, Jamie Ickes, Marcie Pukala and Brian Barefoot.

### **January Financial Statement**

Total Income \$2,688

Total Expenses \$2,752

Year-to-date under budget \$843

January coins & match \$131.56

### **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

St. Peter's exercise group- Monday & Thursday 6:30

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

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