

## 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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**EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

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## Prelude

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+**Prayer of the Day:**

**P** Lord God, your mercy delights us, and the world longs for your loving care. Hear the cries of everyone in need, and turn our hearts to love our neighbors with the love of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **C Amen**

**FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 30:9-14**

The LORD your God will make you abundantly prosperous in all your undertakings, in the fruit of your body, in the fruit of your livestock, and in the fruit of your soil. For the LORD will again take delight in prospering you, just as he delighted in prospering your ancestors, <sup>10</sup>when you obey the LORD your God by observing his commandments and decrees that are written in this book of the law, because you turn to the

LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul.

<sup>11</sup>Surely, this commandment that I am commanding you today is not too hard for you, nor is it too far away. <sup>12</sup>It is not in heaven, that you should say, "Who will go up to heaven for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?" <sup>13</sup>Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, "Who will cross to the other side of the sea for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?" <sup>14</sup>No, the word is very near to you; it is in your mouth and in your heart for you to observe.

**PSALM: Psalm 25:1-10**

1 To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul. 2 O my God, in you I trust;

**do not let me be put to shame; do not let my enemies exult over me.**

3 Do not let those who wait for you be put to shame; **let them be ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.**

4 Make me to know your ways, O Lord; **teach me your paths.**

5 Lead me in your truth, and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation;

**for you I wait all day long.**

6 Be mindful of your mercy, O Lord, and of your steadfast love,

**for they have been from of old.**

7 Do not remember the sins of my youth or my transgressions;

**according to your steadfast love remember me, for your goodness' sake, O Lord!**

8 Good and upright is the Lord;

**therefore he instructs sinners in the way.**

9 He leads the humble in what is right,

**and teaches the humble his way.**

10 All the paths of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness,

**for those who keep his covenant and his decrees.**

## **SECOND READING: Colossians 1:1-14**

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,

2To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

3In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, 4for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, 5because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel 6that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God.

7This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, 8and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

9For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, 10so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. 11May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully 12giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. 13He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, 14in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

**+Gospel Acclamation: page 102**

## **+GOSPEL: Luke 10:25-37**

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" 26He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?" 27He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and

with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." 28And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live."

29But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" 30Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. 31Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. 32So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. 33But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. 34He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. 35The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend."

36"Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" 37He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

## **Children's Sermon**

### **Sermon**

## **+Hymn of the Day**

### **+Apostles' Creed** page 105

#### **+Prayers:**

A Confident in God's steadfast love through Jesus Christ and guided by the Holy Spirit, let us pray for the church, the world, and all people according to their needs.

*A brief silence.*

A Let us pray for the whole church, that filled with your Spirit, the church will, in action and word, proclaim boldly the word of truth that is near, we pray: God of grace,

**C let our prayer come before you.**

A Let us pray for all creation, that God will move nations and peoples to be good stewards of the gifts of the earth and work toward a sustainable world in which all might share its blessings, we pray: God of grace,

**C let our prayer come before you.**

A Let us pray for all those abandoned and forgotten in our world: those who are mentally ill or disabled, children missing and living in neglect, those in nursing homes without caring families. Increase our love for you, God, so that we might show that love more fully to these neighbors in need, we pray: God of grace,

**C let our prayer come before you.**

A Let us pray for all the sick and those close to death (*especially*), that God will prepare them to endure everything with patience and bring them to wholeness, we pray: God of grace,

**C let our prayer come before you.**

A Let us pray for this congregation, that through the word proclaimed and sacrament shared here, we might bear fruit and truly comprehend the grace of God, we pray: God of grace,

**C let our prayer come before you.**

*Here other intercessions may be offered.*

A Let us thank God for the inheritance given to the saints in light, especially Benedict of Nursia, abbot and renewer of the church. May we follow his example of hospitality to strangers as a witness of our faith in Christ, we pray: God of grace,

**C let our prayer come before you.**

P Teach us to pray, O God, and grant to all for whom we pray the good gifts that you have promised, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C Amen**

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## **OFFERING**

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

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## **Communion**

**+Post Communion Canticle:**

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## **Announcements and Blessings**

**+Sending Hymn**

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## **Postlude**

**+Please stand as you are able**

## **Announcements:**

July 17<sup>th</sup> Genesis 18:1-10a, Psalm 15,  
Colossians 1:15-28, Luke 10:38-42

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.

- 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Ride & Slide to Fight Cancer Day, Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup> at Delgrosso's. Ride & Slide all day for \$20 to benefit Woodmen Life 688, Bedford Relay for Life. Coupons in each church.
- Bloodmobile August 3<sup>rd</sup> 12:30-6 at St. Peter's. Next one is October 5<sup>th</sup>. Please donate.
- Happy Birthday to Chase Barefoot, Jess Claycomb, David Dapper, Connie Shaffer, Robert Bromley, Jason Winesickle and Calvin Young.
- Happy Anniversary to Albert & Linda Custer and Ed & Kitty Pukala.

## **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.

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