

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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EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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Prelude

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+Opening Hymn:

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+Prayer of the Day:

P God among us, we gather in the name of your Son to learn love for one another. Keep our feet from evil paths. Turn our minds to your wisdom and our hearts to the grace revealed in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **C Amen**

FIRST READING: Amos 8:4-7

Hear this, you that trample on the needy,
and bring to ruin the poor of the land,
5saying, "When will the new moon be over
so that we may sell grain; and the sabbath,
so that we may offer wheat for sale?
We will make the ephah small and the shekel great,
and practice deceit with false balances,
6buying the poor for silver and the needy for a pair of
sandals, and selling the sweepings of the wheat."
7The Lord has sworn by the pride of Jacob:
Surely I will never forget any of their deeds.

PSALM: Psalm 113

1 Praise the Lord! Praise, O servants of the Lord;
 praise the name of the Lord.
2 Blessed be the name of the Lord
 from this time on and forevermore.
3 From the rising of the sun to its setting
 the name of the Lord is to be praised.
4 The Lord is high above all nations,
 and his glory above the heavens.
5 Who is like the Lord our God,
 who is seated on high,
6 who looks far down
 on the heavens and the earth?
7 He raises the poor from the dust,
 and lifts the needy from the ash heap,
8 to make them sit with princes,
 with the princes of his people.
9 He gives the barren woman a home,
 making her the joyous mother of children.
 Praise the Lord!

SECOND READING: 1 Timothy 2:1-7

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for everyone, ²for kings and all who are in high positions, so that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and dignity. ³This is right and is acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, ⁴who desires everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.

⁵For there is one God; there is also one mediator between God and humankind, Christ Jesus, himself human, ⁶who gave himself a ransom for all —this was attested at the right time. ⁷For this I was appointed a herald and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

+Gospel Acclamation: page 102

+GOSPEL: Luke 16:1-13

Then Jesus said to the disciples, "There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was squandering his property. ²So he summoned him and said to him, 'What is this that I hear about you? Give me an accounting of your management, because you cannot be my manager any longer.' ³Then the manager said to himself, 'What will I do, now that my master is taking the position away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am

ashamed to beg. ⁴I have decided what to do so that, when I am dismissed as manager, people may welcome me into their homes.' ⁵So, summoning his master's debtors one by one, he asked the first, 'How much do you owe my master?' ⁶He answered, 'A hundred jugs of olive oil.' He said to him, 'Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it fifty.' ⁷Then he asked another, 'And how much do you owe?' He replied, 'A hundred containers of wheat.' He said to him, 'Take your bill and make it eighty.' ⁸And his master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly; for the children of this age are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. ⁹And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of dishonest wealth so that when it is gone, they may welcome you into the eternal homes.

¹⁰"Whoever is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and whoever is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. ¹¹If then you have not been faithful with the dishonest wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? ¹²And if you have not been faithful with what belongs to another, who will give you what is your own? ¹³No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth."

Children's Sermon

Sermon

+Hymn of the Day

+Apostles' Creed page 105

+Prayers:

A Remembering God's marvelous work and living in hope, let us pray for the church, the world, and all people according to their needs.

A brief silence.

A Let us pray for the church, that its leaders and ministers will be faithful heralds of the one mediator, Jesus Christ, and draw others to the knowledge of the truth. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Let us pray for the leaders of the world, that they will govern wisely and protect those under their care, so that all people may live a quiet and peaceable life.

Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Let us pray for the poor and for all people oppressed and exploited by dishonest business practices, that they might receive justice. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Let us pray for those who mourn because they are childless, that God will give them comfort, hope, and fulfillment. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Let us pray for all who are sick and dying (*especially*), that they would be lifted from their pain and despair to healing and hope. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Let us pray for our congregation, that we would be called away from the lure of wealth and everything that might impede our service to God and others. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

A Let us give thanks for (*names, and all*) the saints who lived in the knowledge of the truth of Jesus Christ and now rest securely with him. Bring us also to that rest.

Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P God of faithfulness, encircled in your lovingkindness, we lift up to you all in need. Hear our prayers on behalf of others and sustain us as we await the coming of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, in whose name we pray.

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:
#313 O Lord, Now Let Your Servant

+Post Communion Prayer: page 114

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Announcements and Blessings

+Sending Hymn

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Postlude

+Please stand as you are able

Announcements:

September 25th – Amos 6:1a, 4-7, Psalm 146,
1 Timothy 6:6-19, Luke 16:19-31

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.

- Tuesday's Bible Study, 2PM at St. Peter's with
Vicar Kathy Popp.
- Bloodmobile October 5th, 12:30-6 at St. Peter's.
Please donate.
- Happy Birthday to Chris Buck, Dawnelle Miller,
Charlee Sue Ickes and Melanie McDonald.
- Happy Anniversary to John & Julie Deffibaugh,
Check & Betty Johnstone and Tim & Brandi
Osman.
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August Financial Statement

Total Income \$2,535

Total Expenses \$3,654

Year-to-date under budget \$5,907

August coins & match \$127.52

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 – 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 Sunday 6:00

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

Messiah WELCA – 4th Tuesday