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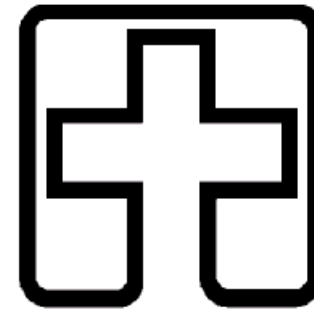
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## St. Clairsville Lutheran Parish

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

**WELCOME VISITORS!**

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

January 22, 2017

### **THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**

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## Prelude

### Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness:

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#### +Opening Hymn:

#499 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

#### +Greeting: page 57

#### +Kyrie: page 57

#### +Hymn of Praise page 58 (Glory to God)

#### +Salutation: page 62

#### +Prayer of the Day:

Lord God, your loving kindness always goes before us and follows after us. Summon us into your light, and direct our steps in the ways of goodness that come through the cross of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.       **C     Amen**

#### FIRST READING: Isaiah 9:1-4

There will be no gloom for those who were in anguish. In the former time the LORD brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he will make glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations.

<sup>2</sup>The people who walked in darkness

have seen a great light;

those who lived in a land of deep darkness--

on them light has shined.

<sup>3</sup>You have multiplied the nation,  
you have increased its joy;

they rejoice before you

as with joy at the harvest,

as people exult when dividing plunder.

<sup>4</sup>For the yoke of their burden,

and the bar across their shoulders,

the rod of their oppressor,

you have broken as on the day of Midian.

#### PSALM: Psalm 27:1, 4-9

1 The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?

**The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?**

4 One thing I asked of the Lord, that will I seek after:  
**to live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life,**

to behold the beauty of the Lord,

**and to inquire in his temple.**

5 For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble;

**he will conceal me under the cover of his tent; he will set me high on a rock.**

6 Now my head is lifted up above my enemies all around me, and I will offer in his tent sacrifices with shouts of joy;

**I will sing and make melody to the Lord.**

7 Hear, O Lord, when I cry aloud,

**be gracious to me and answer me!**

8 "Come," my heart says, "seek his face!"

**Your face, Lord, do I seek.**

9 Do not hide your face from me.

**Do not turn your servant away in anger, you  
who have been my help.**

Do not cast me off,

**do not forsake me, O God of my salvation!**

### **SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 1:10-18**

Now I appeal to you, brothers and sisters, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you be in agreement and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and the same purpose. <sup>11</sup>For it has been reported to me by Chloe's people that there are quarrels among you, my brothers and sisters. <sup>12</sup>What I mean is that each of you says, "I belong to Paul," or "I belong to Apollos," or "I belong to Cephas," or "I belong to Christ." <sup>13</sup>Has Christ been divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? <sup>14</sup>I thank God that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Gaius, <sup>15</sup>so that no one can say that you were baptized in my name. <sup>16</sup>(I did baptize also the household of Stephanas; beyond that, I do not know whether I baptized anyone else.) <sup>17</sup>For Christ did not send me to baptize but to proclaim the gospel, and not with eloquent wisdom, so that the cross of Christ might not be emptied of its power.

<sup>18</sup>For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

**+Verse:** page 62

### **+GOSPEL: Matthew 4:12-23**

Now when Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. <sup>13</sup>He left Nazareth and made his home in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, <sup>14</sup>so that what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled:

<sup>15</sup>"Land of Zebulun, land of Naphtali,  
on the road by the sea, across the Jordan,  
Galilee of the Gentiles--  
<sup>16</sup>the people who sat in darkness  
have seen a great light,  
and for those who sat in the region and shadow  
of death  
light has dawned."

<sup>17</sup>From that time Jesus began to proclaim, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near."

<sup>18</sup>As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea--for they were fishermen. <sup>19</sup>And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fish for people." <sup>20</sup>Immediately they left their nets and followed him.

<sup>21</sup>As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. <sup>22</sup>Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him.

<sup>23</sup>Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness among the people.

## Children's Sermon

### Sermon

#### +Hymn of the Day

WOV #752 I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

#### +Apostles' Creed page 65

#### +Prayers:

A Called to be a light to the nations, let us pray for God's justice, peace, and healing.

*A brief silence.*

A Holy God, you call us to fish for people. Tear down divisions and unite the church universal in your mission. Make us of the same mind and purpose in service and worship to you. Hear us, O God.

**C Your mercy is great.**

A Nurturing God, you call us to care for creation. Breathe into us the joy and beauty of stewardship. Teach us to care for the small seed and the expansive sky. Hear us, O God. **C Your mercy is great.**

A Compassionate God, you call us to care for the stranger in our midst. Sustain refugees from every country (*especially*) and empower organizations that provide food and shelter for them, especially Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service. Hear us, O God. **C Your mercy is great.**

A Redeeming God, you break the oppressor's rod. Bring an end to tyranny and poverty. Wipe out fear. Uphold all your children who suffer in body, mind, or spirit (*especially*). Heal us with your presence. Hear us, O God. **C Your mercy is great.**

A Triune God, you call us into relationship with you. Raise up leaders in your church who risk looking foolish for the sake of the gospel. Hear us, O God. **C Your mercy is great.**

*Here other intercessions may be offered*

A Ever-living God, you call us to rest in you. Keep us faithful on earth and bring us to life everlasting with the saints of every time and place. Hear us, O God. **C Your mercy is great.**

P Receive these prayers in the name of Christ, the light of the world, who is one with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. **C Amen**

**+Peace:** page 66

## **OFFERING**

**+Offertory:** page 67 (What Shall I Render)

**+Offertory Prayer** page 67

**+Great Thanksgiving** pages 68-71

**+Lord's Prayer:** page 71

## **Communion**

**+Post Communion Canticle:**  
page 72 (Thank the Lord)

**+Post Communion Prayer:** page 74

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## **Announcements and Blessings**

**+Sending Hymn**  
WOV #723 Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve

**+Dismissal:** page 74

**Postlude** +Please stand as you are able  
WOV With One Voice (blue book)

## **Announcements:**

January 29<sup>th</sup>- Micah 6:1-8, Psalm 15,  
1 Corinthians 1:18-31, Matthew 5:1-12  
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 9:00am and at St.  
Peter's at 10:15am. If you want Communion, contact  
Pastor Donna.

- The 50,000 can challenge now has 20,300 cans.
- Next Bloodmobile is Wednesday, February 1<sup>st</sup>,  
12:30-6 at St. Peter's.
- Bible Study will be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday  
of the month, 2-3:30.
- Happy Birthday to Tristan Alexander Foulk,  
James Chamberlain, Joshua Deffibaugh, Angela  
Franketti, Darrell Rowley, Mary Bowser, Diane  
Feathers and Diane Felix.
- Happy Anniversary to David & Debbie Crist.

## **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

Exercise Group – Monday & Thursday 6:30 at St. Peter’s

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

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