

Those for Whom We Pray

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If you have any changes for the prayer list, please call the office.
Thank you.

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The email will only be checked during office hours twice a week.

Attention St. Peter's Readers: advance copies of lessons are on the bulletin board to better prepare for reading the lessons. Please take those for the week(s) you are responsible.



St. Clairsville Lutheran Parish

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

WELCOME VISITORS!

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

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TWELFTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST

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Prelude

+Brief Order for Confession and

Forgiveness: page 56

+Opening Hymn: #250 Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty

+Greeting: page 57

+Hymn of Praise page 58 (Glory to God)

+Salutation: page 62

+Prayer of the Day:

☐ Almighty and ever-living God, you have given great and precious promises to those who believe. Grant us the perfect faith, which overcomes all doubts, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen

FIRST READING: Proverbs 9:1-6

Wisdom has built her house;

she has hewn her seven pillars.

²She has slaughtered her animals;

she has mixed her wine, she has also set her table.

³She has sent out her servant girls, she calls from the highest places in the town,

⁴ "You that are simple, turn in here!"

To those without sense she says,

⁵ "Come, eat of my bread

and drink of the wine I have mixed.

⁶Lay aside immaturity, and live,

and walk in the way of insight."

PSALM: Psalm 34:9-14

Fear the LORD, you that | are his saints,*

for those who fear | him lack nothing.

¹⁰The young lions lack and | suffer hunger,*

but those who seek the LORD lack nothing | that is good.

¹¹Come, children, and lis- | ten to me;*

I will teach you the fear | of the LORD.

¹²Who among | you loves life*

and desires long life to en- | joy prosperity?

¹³Keep your tongue from | evil-speaking*

and your lips from | lying words.

¹⁴Turn from evil | and do good;*

seek peace | and pursue it.

SECOND READING: Ephesians 5:15-20

Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people

but as wise, ¹⁶making the most of the time, because

the days are evil. ¹⁷So do not be foolish, but

understand what the will of the Lord is. ¹⁸Do not get

drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled

with the Spirit, ¹⁹as you sing psalms and hymns and

spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and

making melody to the Lord in your hearts, ²⁰giving

thanks to God the Father at all times and for

everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

+Verse: page 62

+Gospel: John 6:51-58

[Jesus said,] ⁵¹ "I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."

⁵²The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" ⁵³So Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. ⁵⁴Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; ⁵⁵for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. ⁵⁶Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. ⁵⁷Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. ⁵⁸This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever."

Children's Sermon

Sermon

+Hymn of the Day (*pew folder*) What Feast of Love
(*please return insert to pew folder*)

+Apostles' Creed: page 65

+Prayers:

A With the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, let us pray for the church, those in need, and all of God's creation.

A brief silence.

A That as we are nourished by your word and sacrament, we may become food and drink for one another. Gracious God,

C **hear our prayer.**

A That our world may not continue in ignorance but discern what is truly good and just, and that all political leaders might seek the common good and practice genuine care for the earth. Gracious God,

C **hear our prayer.**

A That we might be generous in giving, compassionate in serving, and sensitive in understanding the needs of others. Gracious God,

C **hear our prayer.**

A That all people might receive a hope strong enough to endure all trials, fears, and discouragement. Gracious God,

C **hear our prayer.**

A That all who are sick and who experience any kind of need will be healed and strengthened (especially). Gracious God,

C **hear our prayer.**

A That this congregation may be a community eager to find ways to share your gifts of love as we look toward the blessings of a new school year and a time of harvest. Gracious God,

C **hear our prayer.**

Here other intercessions may be offered.

A That the examples of the saints who have lived before us (especially Bernard, abbot of Clairvaux) may encourage us in our daily lives. Gracious God,

C **hear our prayer.**

P Into your hands, O God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C **Amen**

+**Peace:** page 66

OFFERING

+**Offertory:** page 66 (Let the Vineyards be Fruitful)

+**Offertory Prayer** page 67

+**Great Thanksgiving** pages 68-71

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

Communion

+**Post Communion Blessing:** page 72

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

+**Post Communion Prayer:** page 74

+**Benediction:** page 74

Announcements and Blessings

+**Sending Hymn:** #197
O Living Bread From Heaven

+**Dismissal:** page 74

Postlude

+Please stand as you are able

Announcements:

- 🕒 St. Peter's is still collecting food for the local food bank. Please bring all non-perishable food items to the church.
- 🕒 The new Voter ID law requires a valid driver's license or passport to vote. For more information call 1-866-687-8683.
- 🕒 Happy Birthday to Kathy Claycomb, Matt Dawson, Adam Hynes, Jana Drenning, Anna Johnson, Boyd Ickes, Lottie Way, Jacoby Brady, Devin Custer, Dorothy Snare, Kimberly Buck, Hannah Whetstone and Ashley Johnson.
- 🕒 Happy Anniversary to Charles & Sharon Maxwell, Cloyd & Theresa Leppert, Todd & Sarah Barefoot, Jim & Virginia Mock, Donald & Betty Hoagland and Boyd & Kathleen Ickes.

Comforting Friends balloon release in memory of our children, Tuesday, August 21st at Shawnee State Park, picnic area #7 at 7:00. Balloons will be provided at no charge. All bereaved parents, grandparents, friends & family are welcome.

Monthly Schedule

Outreach Sunday – 1st Sunday

St. Peter's WELCA meeting – 1st Sunday

Parish Council meeting – 2nd Sunday 7:00

Healing Hearts spousal bereavement support group –
2nd Wednesday 7:00 at St. Peter's

St. Peter's Council meeting - 3rd Monday

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

Messiah WELCA – 4th Tuesday

New Paris Food Bank
Pick up dates

MONDAY

September 17th

October 15th

November 12th

December 17th