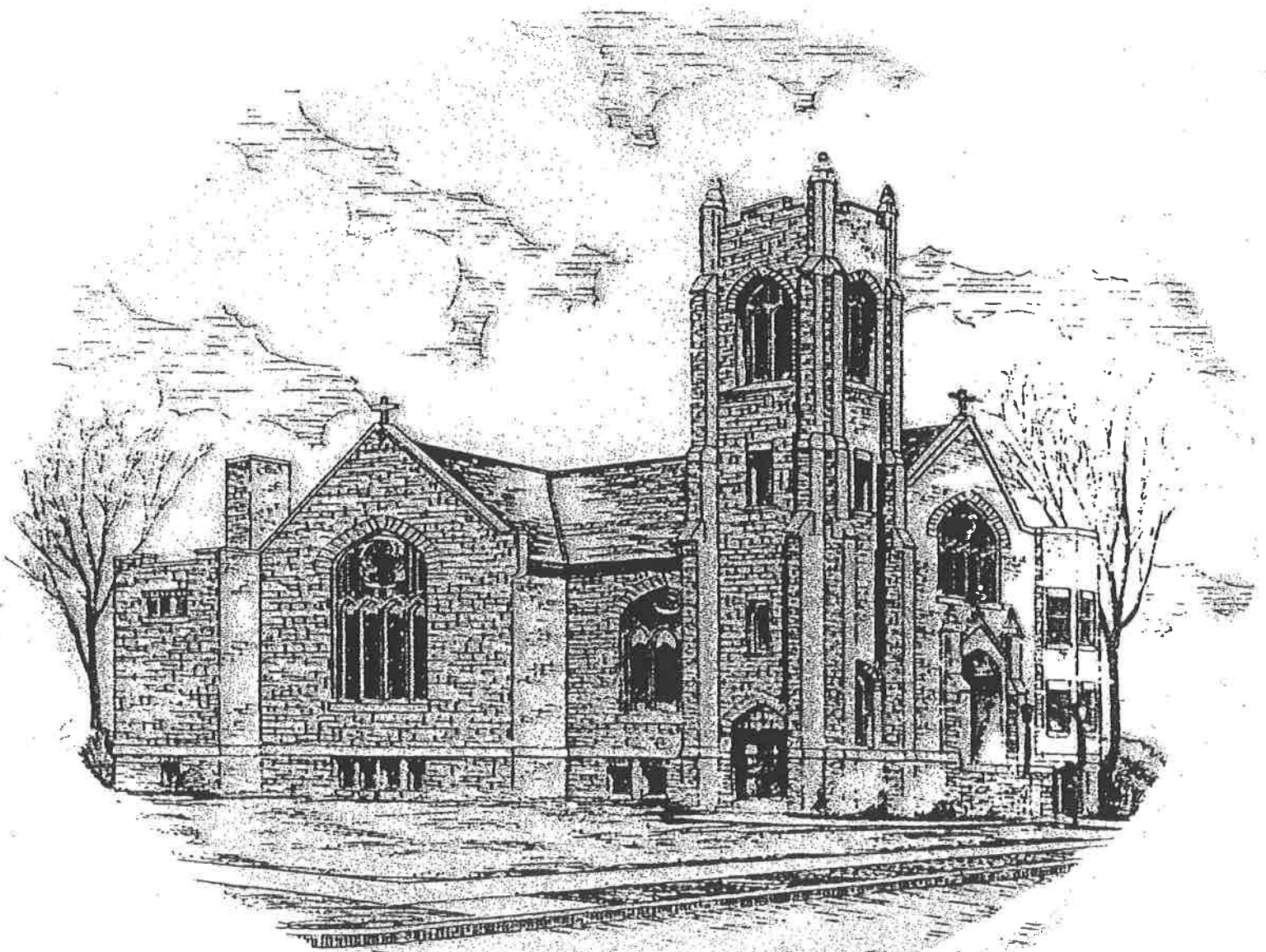


Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, September 23, 2018

8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.



St. Paul's Lutheran Church
Clyde, Ohio

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

147 West Forest Street
Clyde, Ohio

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST SEPTEMBER 23, 2018
8:00 A.M. & 10:30 A.M.
HOLY COMMUNION ~ SETTING THREE

* = those who are able may stand

Prelude

Bell & Announcements

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

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| * | Confession & Forgiveness | Pg. 116 |
| * | <i>The Hymn</i> <i>“Oh, Worship the King”</i> | <i>No. 842</i> |
| * | The Apostolic Greeting | Pg. 138 |
| * | The Kyrie <i>“Lord, have mercy”</i> | Pg. 138 |
| | The Hymn of Praise <i>“This is the feast of victory...”</i> | Pg. 140 |
| | The Prayer of the Day (in unison) | see insert |
| | The First Lesson ~ Jeremiah 11:18-20 | see insert |
| | P: The Word of the Lord. | |
| | C: <i>Thanks be to God.</i> | |
| | Psalm 54 | see insert |
| | P: Here ends the reading of the Psalm. | |
| | C: <i>Thanks be to God.</i> | |

The Word of God



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Prayer of the Day

Direct our hearts, O Lord, by your merciful reign, because without your help it is impossible to please you. Grant this, we pray, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading: Jeremiah 11:18-20

¹⁸The Lord made it known to me and I knew; then you showed me their deeds. ¹⁹But I was like a gentle lamb led to the slaughter. I did not know it was against me they devised schemes, saying, "Let us destroy the tree with its fruit, let us cut him off from the land of the living, that his name be remembered no more." ²⁰But, O Lord of hosts, who judges righteously, who tests the heart and the mind, let me see your vengeance upon them, for to you have I committed my cause.

Psalm 54

¹Save me, O God, by your Name;
in your might, defend my cause.

²Hear my prayer, O God;
give ear to the words of my mouth.

³For the arrogant have risen up against me,
and the ruthless have sought my life,
those who have no regard for God.

⁴Behold, God is my helper;
it is the Lord who sustains my life.

⁵Render evil to those who spy on me;
in your faithfulness, destroy them.

⁶I will offer you a freewill sacrifice
and praise your name, O Lord, for it is good.

⁷For you have rescued me from every trouble,
and my eye has seen the ruin of my foes.

Second Reading: James 3:13-4:10

¹³Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom.

¹⁴But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. ¹⁵This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. ¹⁶For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. ¹⁷But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. ¹⁸And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.

¹What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? ²You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask.

³You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions. ⁴You adulterous people! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. ⁵Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the

Scripture says, "He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us"? ⁶But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, "God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble." ⁷Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. ⁸Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. ⁹Be wretched and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. ¹⁰Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

Gospel: Mark 9:30-37

³⁰{Jesus and the disciples} went on from there and passed through Galilee. And he did not want anyone to know, ³¹for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill him. And when he is killed, after three days he will rise." ³²But they did not understand the saying, and were afraid to ask him. ³³And they came to Capernaum. And when he was in the house he asked them, "What were you discussing on the way?" ³⁴But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. ³⁵And he sat down and called the twelve. And he said to them, "If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all." ³⁶And he took a child and put him in the midst of them, and taking him in his arms, he said to them, ³⁷"Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me."

Lessons for Next Week: Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29; Psalm 104:27-35;
James 5:[1-12] 13-20; Mark 9:38-50

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The Second Lesson ~ James 3:13-4:10 see insert
P: The Word of the Lord.
C: Thanks be to God.

* The "Gospel Acclamation" "Alleluia. . ." Pg. 142
P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 9th chapter.
C: Glory to You, O Lord.

* The Gospel ~ Mark 9:30-37
P: The Gospel of the Lord.
C: Praise to You, O Christ.

* *The Hymn "O Jesus, I Have Promised" No. 810*

The Sermon "True Submission ~ Part 1"
James 4:7-10
Interim Pastor Roger Miller

* The Nicene Creed (front cover of hymnal)

* The Prayers Pg. 143
Each prayer ends, P: Lord, in Your mercy.
C: Hear our prayer.

* The Peace of the Lord
P: The peace of the Lord be with you.
C: And also, with you.

* The Passing of the Peace

The Offering ~ Interlude
10:30 a.m. ~ Chancel Choir
"Holy and Mighty"

* The Offering Prayer

*	The Great Thanksgiving	Pg. 144
*	The Proper Preface "... We join their unending hymn..."	
*	"Holy, Holy, Holy..."	Pg. 144
*	The Word of Institution	
*	The "Lord's Prayer"	Pg. 145
	Holy Communion	
	The Distribution Hymns	
	<i>"Give Me Jesus"</i>	<i>No. 770</i>
	<i>"Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me"</i>	<i>No. 767</i>
*	The Post Communion Blessing	
*	<i>The Hymn</i> <i>"How Great Thou Art"</i>	<i>No. 856</i>
*	The Benediction	
*	The Dismissal	Pg. 146
	The Postlude	

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PRAYER CONCERNS

Don Anstead	
Megan Braun	friend of Sam Dagg
Mikaela Breslin	granddaughter of Richard & Connie Dagg
Don & Bev Burroughs	friends of many
Ashley & Preston Cooner	mother & newborn son
La Mar Craig	brother of Nancy Dagg
Lonnie Dick	
Kathy Genzman	sister of Thelma Blair
Pam Harrington	grandmother of Madilyn Dagg
Dick Heisler	brother of Karen Sawyer
Tracy Hutchinson	
Neal Kessler	
Terry Langham	
Paul Long	
Pastor Kurt & Krystal Luebke	
Pastor Lisa Peterson	
Allyson & Marcus Pullano	parents of Quinn Pullano
Sue Smith	mother of Brenda Sieger
Lisa (Hipp) Stoneham	
Tim Storer	friend of many
Joyce Weiker	
Jack Whitaker	great nephew of Fred & Sherry Bouyack
Pastor Robert Young	

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DEPLOYED MILITARY PERSONNEL

Justin Barnard ~ (friend of Tammy & Riley Baker)
 Sarah Petrock ~ (friend of Mary Waugh)
 CJ Rogers ~ (grandson of Joe & Karen Sawyer)

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Maumee Community Church Band

Come Worship Come Praise with the Maumee Community Church Band on Saturday, September 29, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. in St. Paul Lutheran Church sanctuary. Invite family, friends and your neighbors . . . just come. A free-will offering will be taken.

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God, You know the private lives of those sitting near me. Prompt me to reach out to them in whatever ways will best show Your love.

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The ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the glory of God from the "Cross of Lilies" Fund.



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WE EXTEND CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Jeffrey & Jordie (nee: Myers) Martin on the birth of a son, **Luke Michael Martin**, born on Monday, September 3, 2018 at Flower Hospital in Sylvania, Ohio. Proud grandparents are Mike & Tammy Myers.

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WE EXTEND OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO:



Kevin Brian Shetzer & Lori Kay Hephner, who exchanged wedding vows on Saturday, September 8, 2018. May God's blessing be with this couple as they begin their relationship as husband and wife.

September 23 ~ 30, 2018

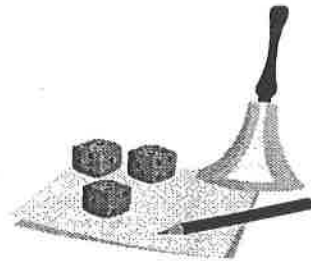
<i>Sunday the 23rd</i>	<p>8:00 a.m. ~ Holy Communion Worship 9:15 a.m. ~ Sunday School 10:30 a.m. ~ Holy Communion Worship 7:00 p.m. ~ CCYG @ 1st UMC</p>
<i>Monday the 24th</i>	
<i>Tuesday the 25th</i>	
<i>Wednesday the 26th</i>	<p>9:00 a.m. ~ “Activity Day” 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm ~ Youth Choir practice 7:30 p.m. ~ Chancel Choir practice</p>
<i>Thursday the 27th</i>	<p>8:00 p.m. ~ AA / Al-Anon Meetings</p>
<i>Friday the 28th</i>	
<i>Saturday the 29th</i>	<p>8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. ~ Men’s Bible Study 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. ~ Hour of Prayer 5:00 p.m. ~ Holy Communion Worship Service / Maumee Community Band</p>
<i>Sunday the 30th</i>	<p>8:00 a.m. ~ Holy Communion Worship 9:15 a.m. ~ Sunday School 10:30 a.m. ~ Holy Communion Worship 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. ~ “BUNKO” Fun Night 7:00 p.m. ~ CCYG @ 1st UMC</p>

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WE WELCOME INTO GOD'S FAMILY through sacrament of Holy Baptism on Saturday, September 22, 2018 at the 5:00 p.m. service, **Luke Michael Martin**. Luke was born at Flower Hospital in Sylvania, Ohio to Jeffrey J. & Jordie (nee: Myers) Martin on September 3, 2018.

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“BUNKO” Fun Night

Sunday, September 30, 2018

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

in the church lounge

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Daily Devotions



PORTALS OF PRAYER

The **October – December 2018** “Portals of Prayer” are in the track racks and at the “Information Center.” Please help yourself!

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Hour of prayer

The men's Saturday morning Bible study will be holding an hour of prayer on Saturday morning Sept 29 in the sanctuary. It will start at 10:00am for one hour. The bible tells us in I Thessalonians to "Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."

So we invite all in the congregation join us for that hour. We will pray for the needs of the church, the needs of the individual, as well as healing. We will offer praise for all the wonderful things He has already done for us.

Again all (male and female) are invited. We hope to see you there.

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NEEDED! ! !

We are in need of empty large juice cans for altar flowers to be delivered to shut-ins. Please put the juice cans in the kitchen.

Thank you for your help!

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Anyone interested in being a player on the church dart ball team this year are welcome to come and enjoy the fun and fellowship! Practices will be Monday, September 24, 2018 & Monday, October 1, 2018 @ 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall at St. Paul with the dart ball season BEGINNING Monday, October 8, 2018 @ 7:30 p.m. Any questions please call: Bob Kessler, 419-639-3187, Ken Avers, 419-307-1697 or Judy Jones, 419-547-7039.

GREETERS:

8:00 a.m. Service

N: Sherri Glass
E: John Glass

10:30 a.m. Service

N: Lisa Rieman
E: Ada Williams

READER:

Barb Wahl

Duane Kimmet

USHERS:

Gege Smith
DeAnn Krauss
Mel & Dot Mowry
Tony Paradiso
Bud Smith

Duane Kimmet
Kent Mestrey
Deanna Turner
Liz Wasson
Ray Wasson

COUNTERS:

Fred Bouyack
Jeff Haughawout

Ken Avers
Joyce Meyer

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September 23, 2018 Jenni McCoy

September 30, 2018 Amy Hilliker

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OUR STEWARDSHIP September 15 & September 16, 2018

Worship Service Attendance 125
General Fund Offering \$4,859.83

Weekly amount needed to achieve budget is \$5,225.00