



And He took the children in His
arms, placed His hands on
them and blessed them.

- Mark 10:16

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 3, 2021

8:00 & 9:30 am Worship Services

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, HANOVER, PA

“Purpose: We are called through Christ to praise God and love generously.”

Rev. E. Robert Burkhart, Senior Pastor

Rev. Jack R. Hoffman, Pastor Emeritus

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Announcements

† Confession and Forgiveness

Pastor: Gracious God,

Cong.: have mercy on us. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by your gracious Spirit so that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through Jesus Christ our Lord, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

Cong.: Amen.

Psalm: Psalm 8 (*spoken responsively*)

¹O | LORD our Lord,

how majestic is your name in | all the earth!—

²**you whose glory is chanted above the heavens out of the mouths of in- | fants and children; you have set up a fortress against your enemies, to silence the foe | and avenger.**

³When I consider your heavens, the work | of your fingers, the moon and the stars you have set | in their courses,

⁴**what are mere mortals that you should be mind- | ful of them, human beings that you should | care for them?**

⁵Yet you have made them little less | than divine; with glory and hon- | or you crown them.

⁶**You have made them rule over the works | of your hands; you have put all things un- | der their feet:**

⁷all | flocks and cattle, even the wild beasts | of the field,

⁸**the birds of the air, the fish | of the sea, and whatever passes along the paths | of the sea.**

⁹O | LORD our Lord,

how majestic is your name in | all the earth!

*Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

* Song

"He Is Exalted"

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* Prayer of the Day

L: Let us pray.

Response to the prayer: **C: Amen.**

First Reading:

L: A reading from Genesis 2:18-24
The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Second Reading:

L: A reading from Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12
The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

* **Gospel:**

P: The Holy Gospel according to Mark 10:2-16

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel concludes:

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Rev. Faye Snyder

* **Song**

"Our Father, By Whose Name"

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* **Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.*
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

* **Prayers of the People**

Each petition ends with these words:

L: Lord, in your mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

Response at the conclusion of the prayers: C: Amen.

Offering

Offering Song – 8:00 am only

"Give Thanks"

(If you have not already deposited your offering, please do so now.)

Give thanks with a grate - ful heart, give thanks to the Ho - ly One,
 give thanks be - cause he's giv - en Je - sus Christ, his Son.

Give thanks with a grate - ful heart, give thanks to the Ho - ly One,
 give thanks be - cause he's giv - en Je - sus Christ, his Son.

And now let the weak say, "I am strong," let the poor say, "I am
 rich," be - cause of what the Lord has done for us. And
 now let the weak say, "I am strong," let the poor say, "I am
 rich," be - cause of what the Lord has done for us. Give thanks!

Last time

Text: Henry Smith
 Music: GIVE THANKS, Henry Smith

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Offertory Anthem – 9:30 am only
 "Gentle Voice"

Senior Choir
 Dengler/Dengler

*** Offertory Prayer**

L: Let us pray.

Merciful Father,

**C: we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—
 our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious
 love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us,
 Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

* **Communion Prayer**

P: In the night in which he was betrayed ...

* **The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

* **Invitation to Communion**

All baptized believers are welcome to commune. Gluten free wafers and grape juice are also available.

Intinction Communion Distribution (8:00 am)

(For folks with difficulty walking on the grass, remain seated in the first row and communion will be brought to you.)

Continuous Communion Distribution (9:30 am)

Usher will release one row at a time. Please maintain 6 ft. distance in the aisle. Upon approaching the altar, sanitize your hands. Take a wine cup, refrain from touching other cups. Receive the bread from the Pastor, holding out your open hand, palm up, fingers straight out. The Assistant Minister will pour wine into your cup. Proceed to the cup disposal area and consume both elements at that location. Place disposable communion cup in the waste container.

* **Blessing**

Response after the blessing: C: Amen.

* **Prayer after Communion**

L: Let us pray. Pour out upon us the spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of those whom you have fed with one heavenly food; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

* **Benediction**

Response: C: Amen.

* **Dismissal**

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: We are called through Christ to praise God and love generously. Thanks be to God.

* **Postlude (9:30 am)**

* Stand if you are able

WELCOME TO ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH! If you are seeking a faith community, exploring faith, desire to be a part of our ministries, or have questions; please feel free to speak with the pastor.

WE WELCOME REV. FAYE SNYDER who will be preaching and presiding over our service today in Pastor Bob's absence.

	<u>October 3</u>	<u>October 10</u>
Assisting Minister:	Frank Hueske	Frank Hueske
Offering Deposit Team:	Nancy Smith Laura Silver	Frank Hueske Russ Johnson
Sound System:	Christopher Johnson	John Markle
Ushers:	Team 1	Team 1
Altar:	Team 2	Team 2

THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED THIS WEEK DUE TO CARMEN BEING ON VACATION. If you need to get inside the church, please call Pastor Bob at 717-698-1963 and leave a message on his answering machine. He will contact you to make arrangements.

NORMAL OFFICE HOURS RESUME MONDAY, OCT. 11TH

Monday – Thursday – 8:00 am to 1:00 pm (**in person BUT PLEASE CALL BEFORE YOU COME IN DUE TO CURRENT FAMILY ISSUES**)

Monday – Thursday – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm (by phone)

Friday – 8:00 am to 3:00 pm (by phone)

BOTH VASES OF ALTAR FLOWERS is sponsored to the Glory of God and in memory of Elizabeth K. Hubbard by the Krumrine Hubbard Charitable Trust.

SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE: Please contact Maureen Kaltreider in the church office or financialsecretary_stpauls@comcast.net

Radio – Oct. 10, 17, 24 & 31 (\$60 or any portion you desire)

Flowers – Oct. 10-2 vases (\$20/vase)

Communion Bread & Wine – Oct. 10, 17, 24 & 31 (\$12)

Bulletin – Oct. 10, 17, 24 & 31 (\$20)

Eternal Flame – Oct. 10, 17, 24 & 31 (\$10)

OCTOBER'S SPECIAL DESIGNATED GIVING will benefit our ELCA sister congregation in Tanzania.

FAITH IN ACTION NEWS - our Committee and several volunteers packed 61 school kits this week and they were delivered to the LWR facility in New Windsor, MD. Boxes for Operation Christmas Child are now available on the table outside of the pulpit entrance.

Thank you to all who continue to support these very important projects!

FALL FUN FAITH FORMATION for children 3 years through 6th grade continues. **Please Join Us!!!**

- We meet in the courtyard on the 2nd floor of the education wing every Sunday at 9:30am, concurrent with the 9:30am indoor worship service. We will focus on a different Bible story every four weeks while rotating through crafts, games, songs, and theater activities designed to reinforce the principal concepts of the story. We will finish in time to bring the children down to the sanctuary to commune with their family and participate in the conclusion of the service. Once a month we will also share a musical offering with the congregation at this time.
- If you would like to assist with Rotation Faith Formation either as the required 2nd adult present (no planning or participation required) or by leading a rotation, please sign up for the Sunday of your choice on the volunteer bulletin board by the office or contact Gretchen Walter (stpaulschildrensmusic@gmail.com).

THE YOUTH CHOIR will begin rehearsals on October 10th, immediately following the 9:30 am service. We will meet in the choir loft. All are welcome. If you have any questions, please contact Steven Ruppright.

ALL COMMITTEE NIGHT will be held on **Wednesday, October 6th**, at 7:00 pm. If you are on a committee, check with your chairperson as to whether your committee is meeting and, if so, where and how they plan to meet.

- **If you have not submitted your committees 2022 Budget figures yet, please email them to pegsennett@hotmail.com ASAP.**

WE ARE IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS to help us sort the books for the Book Sale on Wednesday, October 6th from 2 - 4 pm and 6:30 pm - ? and on Thursday, October 7th from 2 - 4 pm. If you can help please speak to Bob Colehouse, call him at 717-965-1370 or just come.

MEN IN MISSION FALL BOOK SALE will be held Friday, October 8, from 9 am - 3:00 pm and Saturday, October 9, from 9:00 am - 12:00 pm. Donations of used books, puzzles, DVD's are being accepted. You can place your books along the right-hand wall in Fellowship Hall. Proceeds benefit our youth.

THE 45TH ANNUAL HANOVER AREA CROP WALK is scheduled for Oct. 17. See Deb Sowers to register or make a donation OR visit our St. Paul's team page at <https://events.crophungerwalk.org/2021/team/st-pauls-york-st> or this QR code



"BOUNDLESS"--youth in grades 9-12 are invited to join us for the 2022 ELCA National Youth Gathering in Minneapolis. Come to our meeting on Monday, Oct. 18, 5:00 - 6:00 pm) for the details! Contact Deb Sowers (debsowers@gmail.com) for more information! We're excited that we already have 4 youth interested in attending!

IT'S NOT TOO LATE to sign up for our Sisters in Faith Retreat on November (12-14) at Mar-Lu-Ridge! There's always room for more people!

STEWARDSHIP SNIPPET: Psalm 8:4, 6 –What are human beings that you [Lord] are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them? You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet. God gives us dominion over God’s creation, which means we’re in charge. But that also means we have a duty to treat the created world respectfully and use its resources responsibly. How do you think we’re doing? As steward-disciples, how can we do better?

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SUN., OCT. 3	8:00 am	Outdoor Worship (inside in inclement weather)
	8:30 am	Radio Broadcast - 95.3 FM & 1280 AM
	9:30 am	Indoor Worship (masks are required)
	10:15 am	Confirmation Class
MON., OCT. 4	6:30 pm	Girl Scout groups
TUES., OCT. 5	10:00 am	Music and Motion classes
WED., OCT. 6	9:00 am	Music and Motion classes
	2:00-4:00 pm	Book Sale – set-up and sort
	6:20 pm	Music and Motion classes
	6:30 pm - ?	Book Sale – set-up and sort
THURS., OCT. 7	9:00 am	Music and Motion classes
	2:00-4:00 pm	Book Sale – set-up and sort
	4:20 pm	Music and Motion classes
	5:45 pm	Bell Choir rehearsal
	6:30 pm	Cub Scouts
	6:30 pm	Boy Scouts
	7:00 pm	Sr. Choir rehearsal
FRI., OCT. 8		P.A.L. Team 2
	9:00 am	Music and Motion classes
	9:00 am – 3:00 pm	Book Sale
	3:00 pm - ?	Grocery Ministry food unloading & sort
SAT., OCT. 9	9:00 am	Grocery Ministry (Cub & Boy Scouts)
	10:00 am	Music and Motion class
	9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Book Sale

"He Is Exalted"

VERSE

F F/A B \flat B \flat /C C 7

He is ex - alt - ed, the King is ex - alt - ed on high, I will praise Him.

5 F F/A B \flat C/B \flat B \flat /C C D sus

He is ex - alt - ed, for - ev - er ex - alt - ed, and I will praise His name!

CHORUS

10 D Gm Dm/F C/E C F Am B \flat F/A

He is the Lord, for - ev - er His truth shall reign.

15 Gm Dm/F C/E C F Am B \flat F/A

Heav - en and earth re - joice in His ho - ly name.

19 Gm B \flat /F E \flat B \flat /C F

He is ex - alt - ed, the King is ex - alt - ed on high!

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Our Father, by Whose Name

1 Our Fa - ther, by whose name all par - ent - hood is known,
2 O Christ, your - self a child with - in an earth - ly home,
3 O Ho - ly Spir - it, bind our hearts in u - ni - ty

in love di - vine you claim each fam - 'ly as your own.
with heart still un - de - filed to full a - dult - hood come:
and teach us how to find the love from self set free;

Bless moth - ers, fa - thers, guard - ing well, with con - stant love as
our chil - dren bless in ev - 'ry place that they may all be -
in all our hearts such love in - crease that ev - 'ry home, by

sen - ti - nel, the homes in which your peo - ple dwell.
hold your face and, know - ing you, may grow in grace.
this re - lease, may be the dwell - ing place of peace.

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