

FOR THE **SON OF MAN**
CAME NOT TO BE SERVED
BUT TO SERVE,
AND TO GIVE HIS

Life a Ransom

FOR MANY.



TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 17, 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 91:9-16 (*read responsively*)

⁹Because you have made the | LORD your refuge,
and the Most High your | habitation,

¹⁰**no evil | will befall you,
nor shall affliction come | near your dwelling.**

¹¹For God will give the angels charge | over you,
to guard you in | all your ways.

¹²**Upon their hands they will | bear you up,
lest you strike your foot a- | gainst a stone. R**

¹³You will tread upon the lion | cub and viper;
you will trample down the lion | and the serpent.

¹⁴**I will deliver those who | cling to me;
I will uphold them, because they | know my name.**

¹⁵They will call me, and I will | answer them;
I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue and | honor them.

¹⁶**With long life will I | satisfy them,
and show them | my salvation. R**

*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

"Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil"

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* Prayer of the Day

L: Let us pray.

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

First Reading:

L: A reading from Isaiah 53:4-12
The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Second Reading:

L: A reading from Hebrews 5:1-10
The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

*** Gospel:**

P: The Holy Gospel according to Mark 10:35-45

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel concludes:

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Rev. Bob Burkhart

*** Song**

"The Church of Christ, in Every Age"

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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

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 Music: GIVE THANKS. Henry Smith
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Offertory Anthem – 9:30 am only
"Simple Gifts"

Senior Choir
arr, Beck

* **Offertory Prayer**

L: Let us pray.

Merciful Father,

**C: we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—
 ourselves, 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.

Communion Anthem

"O Master, Let Me Walk with You"

Heritage Choir
Gladdens/Smith

* **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

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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.

	<u>October 17</u>	<u>October 24</u>
Assist. Minister – 8:00 am:	Frank Hueske	
Assist. Minister – 9:30 am:	Russ Kaltreider	Frank Hueske
Offering Deposit Team:	Russ Kaltreider	Tom Miller
	Dan Kiser	Dave Maus
Sound System:	Christopher Johnson	John Markle
Ushers:	Team 1	Team 1
Altar:	Team 2	Team 2

OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday – 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

**PLEASE CALL BEFORE YOU COME IN
DUE TO CURRENT FAMILY MEDICAL ISSUES**

PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS ARE 9:00 AM TO NOON

The pastor is available during these hours unless called away.

Appointments are preferred.

Pastor Burkhardt can be reached by phone 24/7.

If there is no answer, please leave a message.

Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil



Lord, let my heart be good soil, o-pen to the seed of your word.



Lord, let my heart be good soil, where love can grow and peace is un-der-stood.



When my heart is hard, break the stone a - way. When my heart is cold,



warm it with the day. When my heart is lost, lead me on your way.



Lord, let my heart, Lord, let my heart, Lord, let my heart be good soil.

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The Church of Christ, in Every Age

1 The church of Christ, in ev - 'ry age be - set by
2 A - cross the world, a - cross the street, the vic - tims
3 Then let the ser - vant church a - rise, a car - ing
4 For he a - lone, whose blood was shed, can cure the
5 We have no mis - sion but to serve in full o -

change, but Spir - it - led, must claim and test its
of in - jus - tice cry for shel - ter and for
church that longs to be a part - ner in Christ's
fe - ver in our blood, and teach us how to
be - dience to our Lord; to care for all, with -

her - i - tage and keep on ris - ing from the dead.
bread to eat, and nev - er live be - fore they die.
sac - ri - fice, and clothed in Christ's hu - man - i - ty.
share our bread and feed the starv - ing mul - ti - tude.
out re - serve, and spread his lib - er - at - ing word.

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Radio – Oct. 24 & 31 (\$60 or any portion you desire)
Communion Bread & Wine – Oct. 24 & 31 (\$12)
Bulletin – Oct. 24 & 31 (\$20)
Eternal Flame – Oct. 24 & 31 (\$10)

ONE VASE OF ALTAR FLOWERS is sponsored to the glory of God and in memory of Dorothy Burgard, Catherine Trimmer and Kenneth Burgard by Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Burgard.

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

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

WE ARE STILL IN NEED OF ASSISTING MINISTERS AND LAY READERS. If you are interested, please speak to Pastor Bob, call the church office at 717-637-5941 or email us at stpaulsyorkst@comcast.net to let us know. We would like to start new rotations beginning in November for our 9:30 am Worship Service.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES are held on Sundays immediately following the 9:30 am worship service downstairs in our Youth Room, which is right off of the gymnasium.

THE YOUTH CHOIR will rehearse Sundays 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.

THE 45TH ANNUAL HANOVER AREA CROP WALK is scheduled for today. 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.



We will meet in St. Paul's parking lot at 12 pm and carpool to St. Paul's, Dubs (near Codorus). Walk starts at 1 pm. Afterward we'll have a campfire and outdoor games as fellowship!

"BOUNDLESS"--youth in grades 9-12 are invited to join us for the 2022 ELCA National Youth Gathering in Minneapolis next summer! Even if you aren't SURE you want to go on this trip, consider coming to our meeting next month (**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!

MEN IN MISSION WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE who donated and supported our Used Book Sale. And a Special Thank You to all the volunteers who helped unpack, setup, and clean up after the sale. Thank you all for another successful Book Sale.

MEN IN MISSION WILL BE MEETING on Saturday, October 23rd at 9am at the Dutch Country Restaurant. Please consider joining us as we share some good conversation, discuss re-organizing our group and growing our faith in God and love for each other while serving our congregation and community. You are responsible for ordering and paying for your own breakfast. All men are welcome.

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 Mark 10:42-44—Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. Jesus gives us a reality that's topsy-turvy from what we know! We achieve greatness by serving others. Why is this so hard? What kind of heart-transformation does it require?"

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SUN., OCT. 17	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) Senior and Heritage Choirs sing
	10:15 am	Confirmation Class Youth Choir Rehearsal
MON., OCT. 18	5:00 pm	2022 ELCA Youth Conference meeting
	6:30 pm	Girl Scout groups
TUES., OCT. 19	10:00 am	Music and Motion classes
WED., OCT. 20	9:00 am	Music and Motion classes
	6:20 pm	Music and Motion classes
THURS., OCT. 21	9:00 am	Music and Motion classes
	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. 22	9:00 am	Music and Motion classes
	3:00 pm - ?	Grocery Ministry food unloading & sort
SAT., OCT. 23	10:00 am	Grocery Ministry (Council)
	10:00 am	Music and Motion class