Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, October 19, 2014

SERVICE NOTES:

- Please note the Psalm of the day is Psalm 25. The psalm is found on page 74 in the front part of the hymnal.
- The following psalms in the front of the hymnal (page 64f) will aid you in your meditation before receiving the Lord's Supper: Psalms 34, 42-43, 51, 84, 116, 150. Prayers for preparation for worship are on pages 10 and 11 in the hymnal. A form for preparation for Communion is on page 156.

Holy Communion will be celebrated today. Our guests are kindly asked to note that it is our practice to first become a member of our communion fellowship before communing with us. Please speak to our pastor about becoming a member of our communion fellowship.

THE DIVINE SERVICE (p. 26) Service of Word and Sacrament

THE HYMN – #337 "Delay Not! Delay Not"

(hymnal, p. 26) CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

PRAYER AND PRAISE (hymnal, p. 27)

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY (hymnal, p. 29)

The Service of the Word

FIRST READING – Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32

PSALM OF THE DAY – Psalm 25 (hymnal, p. 74)

SECOND READING – Philippians 2:1-11

VERSE OF THE DAY – Alleluia! Happy are they who hear the Word, hold it fast in an honest and good heart, and bring forth fruit with patience. Alleluia!

THE HOLY GOSPEL – Matthew 21:28-32

HYMN OF THE DAY – #306 "Before You, God, the Judge of All"

THE SERMON

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NICENE CREED (hymnal, p. 31)

OFFERING & OFFERING MUSIC - "O Jesus, King Most Wonderful"

THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH (hymnal, p. 32)

THE LORD'S PRAYER (hymnal, p. 32)

The Service of Holy Communion

THE SACRAMENT (hymnal, p. 33)

DISTRIBUTION HYMN – #310 "I Come, O Savior, to Your Table"

BENEDICTION (hymnal, p. 37)

OFFICIANTS:

Preacher & Celebrant: Pastor Paul Schaefer
Communion Assistants: Mark Castellese and Bruce Winkler
Organist: Mrs. Jan Jacobi
Choir: Handbell Choir

SPECIAL VASE – A special vase has been placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Sally Tacia by her family.

BACK PEWS – Please keep the back two pews for parents with young children.

THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER'S

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Today	- 2:00 PM	Trunk or Treat
Monday	- 7:00 PM	Divine Service
Wednesday	- 8:05 AM	Chapel
	- 9:30 AM	Bible Study (Genesis)
Thursday	- 6:30 PM	Handbell Choir
	- 7:00 PM	Senior Choir
	- 7:00 PM	Adult Bible Instruction Class
Sunday	- 8:30 AM	Sunday School/Adult Bible Class
	- 9:30 AM	Divine Service
	- 10:45 AM	Public School Youth Catechism
	- 4:00 PM	Area Reformation Service
		Trinity, Saline

SERVING NEXT WEEK – Ushering: Team #4 Altar Guild: Shenal Smith

CHURCH ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK - Sunday: 109 Monday: 9

PASTORAL CARE & MERCY – Please remember with prayers, cards and visits those whose needs have been reported.

TRUNK OR TREAT – We will host this event **this afternoon** (2:00 – 4:00). Bring your children, their friends and any other children you may know to this fun afternoon at St. Peter's School.

AREA REFORMATION SERVICE – You are invited to join your fellow believers for the area Reformation Service. Congregations from the Ann Arbor area and the Metro West circuit will participate. There will be a choir from the congregations and special music. Pastor Schaefer will preach for this festival service. The service is at Trinity Lutheran Church in Saline at 4:00 PM.

ADULT BIBLE INFORMATION CLASS—starts this Thursday at 7:00 PM. This class is intended to teach the truths of Scripture and prepare for membership in our congregation. It also serves as a good "refresher" for members. If you know of someone who may be interested, please contact Pastor Schaefer ASAP @ (734)658-5735. If Thursday evenings do not work in your schedule, alternate arrangements can be made.

- **ST. PETER'S WHALERS GAME –** Saturday, November 8th. A detailed flier was in your narthex mailbox last Sunday. A poster is also posted at the communion registry.
- **DISPOSABLE CONTAINERS** We are in need of empty plastic containers (i.e. cool whip, margarine, sour cream, etc.) that can be used after functions at St. Peter's to send home left over food. Please leave all containers in the school kitchen. Thank you very much for your help.
- **HAWK TALK** Did you know that HVL has an art program? Art class is an elective class that students can take for up to two years. The types of art include self-portrait drawings, chalk & oil pastels, clay sculptures, and mosaic tiling. Our Shared Time Art teacher this year is Debora Carr from St. Peter's.
- **THANK YOU** The family of Sally Tacia would like to thank everyone for their cards, prayers and expressions of sympathy this past week.
- ATTENTION INSTRUMENTALISTS The WELS Band of Southeast Michigan is beginning its sixth season. Instrumentalists from eighth grade through adult are invited to participate. Rehearsals are held on Sunday evenings from 7:00 8:30 at HVL High School, beginning October 26. We will be rehearsing music for the Christmas Concert on December 14. New members are always welcome. For more information, contact Steve Grosinske (sgrosinske@hvlhs.org) or just show up at one of the first rehearsals.