

# *The Second Sunday after Pentecost*

Sunday, May 29, 2016

## **SERVICE NOTES:**

- Please note the Psalm of the day is Psalm 100. The congregation will sing hymn #233 "All People That On Earth Do Dwell."
  - 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.
  - Please sign the friendship registry in the pews before the service or during the offering. If you have a prayer request or would like Pastor Schaefer to visit or call you, please note your request.
- 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.

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

**THE HYMN – #403 "I Know My Faith is Founded"**

**THE INVOCATION**

**CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION**

(hymnal, p. 26)

**PRAYER AND PRAISE**

(hymnal, p. 27)

**THE PRAYER OF THE DAY**

(hymnal, p. 29)

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## **The Service of the Word**

**FIRST READING – 1 Kings 8:22, 23, 41-43**

**PSALM OF THE DAY – Psalm 100**

Congregation sings Hymn #233 "All People That On Earth Do Dwell"

**SECOND READING – Galatians 1:1-10**

**VERSE OF THE DAY – Alleluia! Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see. Alleluia!**

**THE HOLY GOSPEL** – Luke 7:1-10

**HYMN OF THE DAY** - #190 “We Now Implore God the Holy Ghost”

**THE SERMON**

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**NICENE CREED** (hymnal, p. 31)

**OFFERING**

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

**THE LORD’S PRAYER** (hymnal, p. 32)

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**The Service of Holy Communion**

**THE SACRAMENT** (hymnal, p. 33)

**DISTRIBUTION ANTHEM** – “Only Through Faith”

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Only through faith can our hearts be made pure; only through faith is our hope made secure.  
Faith in God’s promises, faith in God’s Son, faith in the cross where redemption is won.

Only by grace are we wrapped in God’s love: undeserved favor from heaven above.  
Only by grace did God send us his own: Word became flesh that God’s love be made known.

Only the Word can our weary souls feed. God’s Word provides us with all that we need.  
Daily we’re strengthened, uplifted, sustained. All things will pass, but the Word shall remain.

Forward in faith shall our motto now be: death to all death on that life-giving tree!  
Let us lift high our bold anthems of praise, fed by faith’s wellspring through all of our days.

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS** –

#404 “Faith is a Living Power from Heaven”

#402 “My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

**THE THANKSGIVING** (hymnal, p. 36)

**BENEDICTION** (hymnal, p. 37)

**OFFICIANTS:**

Preacher & Celebrant: Pastor Paul Schaefer

Communion Assistants: Richard Cording and Mark Castellese

Organist: Mrs. Kim Pappenfuss

Soloist: Jim Cutler

## **THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER'S**

Today	- 9:30 AM	Divine Service
	- 10:45 AM	Lemonade on the Lawn
Monday	- 7:00 PM	NO Divine Service (Memorial Day)
Tuesday	- 7:00 PM	Bd. of Elders
Wednesday	- 9:00 AM	Bible Class
	- 1:00 PM	Committal Service for Eileen Cook (Riverside Cemetery)
Thursday	- 7:00 PM	Day School Graduation
Friday	- 6:00 PM	Farewell Potluck
Sunday	- 9:30 AM	Divine Service
	- 10:45 AM	Lemonade on the Lawn
Monday	- 7:00 PM	Divine Service

**SERVING NEXT WEEK -** Altar Guild: Thea Bude      Ushering: Team #4

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

**ALTAR FLOWERS** – Flowers are placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of our son Logan Cording on his birthday by the Richard Cording Family. The Richard Cording Family also places flowers to the glory of God and in honor of the 2016 graduating class of HVL. **A special vase** is placed by Karen Conger in loving memory of her mother Eileen Cook for her committal service on Wednesday, June 1.

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

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** – Mark your calendars for Vacation Bible School for ages PreK (3 yr. old) through 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, August 1<sup>st</sup> through August 4<sup>th</sup> (9:00 – 11:30 AM).

**HURON VALLEY LUTHERAN** – Graduation for HVL Class of 2016 will be taking place on Sunday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at 2pm. The worship service and graduation ceremonies will be held in the HVL gymnasium. This year, there are 21 seniors: Ethan Beerbower (Salutatorian), April Borrusch, Brynn Brown, Sydney Casmer (Valedictorian), Jonathon Curis, Justin Curis, Alexandria Graves, Lydia Gutierrez, Jacob Haines, Jared Kennedy, Xiansong Li, Jenna Lovell, Danielle McDonald, Ivona Popova, Jordan Runstadler, Joseph Schultz, Ashley Setian, Jeremiah Stockdale, Jeremy Thompson, Zachary Villaneueva, and Zachary Wheeler.

## SUMMARY OF ACTIONS OF THE VOTERS' ASSEMBLY (MAY 22, 2016)

- Approved constitutional bylaw change to merge the Stewardship and Education Boards into the Board of Stewardship and Education
- Elected to church office:

Vice Chairman	- Bruce Winkler
Financial Secretary	- Curtis Krallman
Board of Elders	- James Cutler
	- Dan Lanning
Board of Trustees	- Scott Barber
	- Jasper Recto
Board of Stewardship and Education	- Richard Cording
	- 3 Open Positions
- Six month budget (July 1- Dec 31, 2016) Approved as presented

Dear Members of St. Peter's,

We will observe the faithful service of our teachers, Mr. Paul Pappenfuss, Miss Michele Diener, and Mrs. Laura Schroeder on Friday, June 3. We will also thank Mrs. Cheryl Smith our church-school secretary at that time. (Mrs. Smith resigned her position effective at the end of the school year - June 15)

The event will be in the school gymnasium beginning with a meal at 6:00 PM, followed by the program at 7:00 PM. The church will provide fried chicken and dessert. You are asked to bring a salad or side dish to complete the meal.

We are collecting a monetary gift to show our appreciation for these servants of God. If you would like to contribute, please turn the money into the church office or designate an additional amount on your offering envelope as "Farewell Gift." Any pictures of the staff over the years you may have are appreciated and will be displayed. Please turn them into the office as well and be sure to write your name on the back if you want them returned to you.

Please share or forward this email to any former students of St. Peter's Lutheran School. They are cordially invited as well. We ask that all who intend to come RSVP to Nancy Winkler ([njwinkler@hotmail.com](mailto:njwinkler@hotmail.com)) no later than **today** so that proper amounts of food can be ordered.

Blessings to you in Christ and we pray you will be able to join us on June 3.