

## Old Testament

*Leviticus 18:1-5; 19:9-18*

<sup>1</sup>The LORD spoke to Moses, saying, <sup>2</sup>"Speak to the people of Israel and say to them, I am the LORD your God. <sup>3</sup>You shall not do as they do in the land of Egypt, where you lived, and you shall not do as they do in the land of Canaan, to which I am bringing you. You shall not walk in their statutes. <sup>4</sup>You shall follow my rules and keep my statutes and walk in them. I am the LORD your God. <sup>5</sup>You shall therefore keep my statutes and my rules; if a person does them, he shall live by them: I am the LORD. . . .

<sup>9</sup>"When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap your field right up to its edge, neither shall you gather the gleanings after your harvest. <sup>10</sup>And you shall not strip your vineyard bare, neither shall you gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard. You shall leave them for the poor and for the sojourner: I am the LORD your God.

<sup>11</sup>"You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; you shall not lie to one another. <sup>12</sup>You shall not swear by my name falsely, and so profane the name of your God: I am the LORD.

<sup>13</sup>"You shall not oppress your neighbor or rob him. The wages of a hired servant shall not remain with you all night until the morning. <sup>14</sup>You shall not curse the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind, but you shall fear your God: I am the LORD.

<sup>15</sup>"You shall do no injustice in court. You shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great, but in righteousness shall you judge your neighbor. <sup>16</sup>You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not stand up against the life of your neighbor: I am the LORD.

<sup>17</sup>"You shall not hate your brother in your heart, but you shall reason frankly with your neighbor, lest you incur sin because of him. <sup>18</sup>You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD."

## Second Reading

*Colossians 1:1-14*

<sup>1</sup>Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,

<sup>2</sup>To the saints and faithful brothers in Christ at Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

<sup>3</sup>We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you, <sup>4</sup>since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, <sup>5</sup>because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. Of this you have heard before in the word of the truth, the gospel, <sup>6</sup>which has come to you, as indeed in the whole world it is bearing fruit and growing—as it also does among you, since the day you heard it and understood the grace of God in truth, <sup>7</sup>just as you

learned it from Epaphras our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf <sup>8</sup>and has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

<sup>9</sup>And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, <sup>10</sup>so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God. <sup>11</sup>May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy, <sup>12</sup>giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. <sup>13</sup>He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, <sup>14</sup>in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

## Holy Gospel

*Luke 10:25-37*

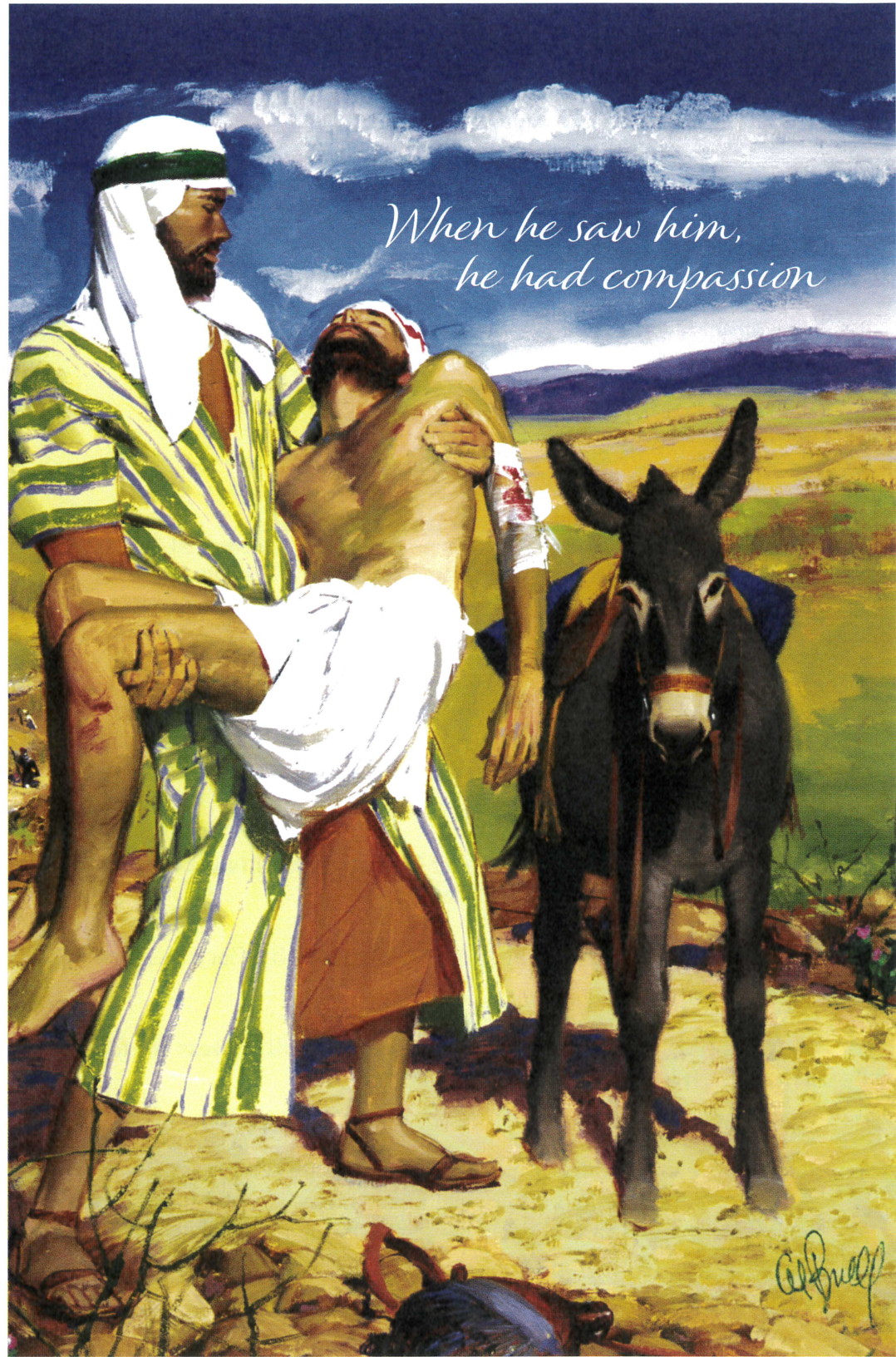
<sup>25</sup>Behold, a lawyer stood up to put [Jesus] to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" <sup>26</sup>He said to him, "What is written in the Law? How do you read it?" <sup>27</sup>And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." <sup>28</sup>And he said to him, "You have answered correctly; do this, and you will live."

<sup>29</sup>But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" <sup>30</sup>Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. <sup>31</sup>Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. <sup>32</sup>So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. <sup>33</sup>But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. <sup>34</sup>He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. <sup>35</sup>And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' <sup>36</sup>Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" <sup>37</sup>He said, "The one who showed him mercy." And Jesus said to him, "You go, and do likewise."

**About the Cover:** When the lawyer sought to qualify who was his neighbor, Jesus' parable demonstrated that true compassion knows no bounds. What compassion Jesus Himself has shown to us! Christ has not qualified for whom He died on the cross. God "desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth" (1 Timothy 2:4), and "even when we were dead in our trespasses, [He] made us alive together with Christ" (Ephesians 2:5).



Pentecost





# 5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 10, 2022

Sharing, Believing, Living, Caring

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Liturgy: Divine Service Setting Three p. 184  
Hymns: 845, 851, 845  
Sermon: Luke 10:25-37

## THE MEASURE OF OUR LOVE

Attendance 6/29	(Wed): 35	Comm.: 34	Offering: \$1,300.00
Attendance 7/3	(Sun): 30	Comm.: 28	Offering: \$1,819.13
Budget Needs: \$3,594			

## KINGDOM WORK THIS WEEK

WED (7/13) **7:00 p.m. – Worship Service w/Comm.**  
7:45 p.m. – Elders  
SUN (7/17) **9:00 a.m. – Worship w/Comm.**

**IN OUR PRAYERS** we remember Damian Wetzel (son of Renee Bonick) who was diagnosed with cancer.

**ALTAR FLOWERS** are given in God's glory by Gary & Alice Koerth.

**NEW EMAIL ADDRESS** – There is a new email address for the secretary. It is sblcoffice105@gmail.com.

**PRODUCE TABLE** – If you have any extra garden produce during the summer months that you would like to share with members of the congregation, drop it off on the table in the coat room. Items can be left on or taken from the table anytime during the week.

**THANKS** – Pastor Brandmahl got his B.A. in English Literature from Washburn Uni. in Topeka KS where he met and married Ashley. Shortly after they moved to Fort Wayne where Joshua attended Concordia Theological Seminary. They have two daughters, Josephine (3) and Violet (6 months). Joshua, Ashley, Josephine, and Violet would also like to thank everyone that has given so graciously of their time and generous gifts to help give us a warm welcome to St. Barts! Words cannot express our appreciation!

**PANTRY ITEMS** – Let's give the Brandmahl's- Joshua and Ashley-a warm St. Bartholomew welcome! You may drop off your favorite recipes along with pantry items/housewarming gifts in the coat room starting June 15th! Let's stock the shelves St. Bart style! Please keep in mind that Ashley does have a tree nut allergy. The last day to bring your gifts will be July 17th.

Don't forget their two sweet girls either! Josephine is 3 years old and Violet is 6 months old. Ashley has plans to make one of the rooms a library in the parsonage. Let's give the girls some of our favorite books to stock up their library! Feel free to also include blankets, toys, stuffed animals, etc. to make them feel at home! Drop off your gifts in the coat room until July 17th.

**GRADUATION CARDS** are available in the card room.

**YOUTH GATHERING** – Susan Wittmann will be attending the youth gathering in Texas July 6 – 14 as ambassador during the mass events. Please keep her in your prayers. You may stream the mass events every night and the church service on Wednesday morning at <https://lcmessaging.com>

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