

Fifth Sunday After the Epiphany

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Welcome to St. Paul Chuckery. We are glad to have you worshipping with us today. The Lord in his great mercy has called us together as a community of believers to have fellowship with him and with one another. We are pleased to share in that fellowship together with you. If there is any way that we can serve you or your family, please feel free to contact any member of our staff. We truly hope that the Lord bless you in His service to you today

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this altar in the confession and glad confidence that as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but also His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sins and that He thereby strengthens our union with Him and with one another. (Matt 26:26-28). Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, (1 Corinthians 5:11-13) and set aside any refusal to forgive (Matt 6:15) and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may proclaim His death until He comes. (1 Corinthians 11:26) Since the Lord's Supper is a testimony of the unity of faith, between those eating and drinking Christ's body and blood, members in good standing of sister LC-MS congregations are welcome to commune. Those who are of different confession of faith (non-LCMS churches), while not being able to commune (Acts 2:42; 1 Corinthians 10:17, 1 Corinthians 11:26-29) are invited to speak with the Pastor (1 Corinthians 4:1ff) regarding instruction classes leading to Church membership.

Common Cup: While individual cups are still available, the common cup is also be available to those who would like to partake. Please indicate your desire to partake from the common cup to Pastor as he comes by.

Attendance

Sunday Worship - 88

Sunday Schools Adults - 16 Children - 8 Teachers – 3

Today

Greeters Mark & Sue Ann Dillahunt and John & Susan Eickhoff

Acolytes: Krisitin Dellinger and Victoria Easterday

Ushers: John Eickhoff, Tony George, Derik Heiss, & Mat Johnson

Next Week

Greeters: Dan & Lois Ferryman and Letitia & Justin George

Acolytes: Sam Johnson & Cayde Breneman

Ushers: John Eickhoff, Tony George, Derik Heiss, & Mat Johnson

Altar Flowers today are in honor and memory of Erin Andrews' birthday, given by her friends.

Offering Report February 2, 2020

Loose \$ 39.00 Envelopes \$ 3725.00

Total \$ 3764.00

Attendance Cards: Please fill out your attendance cards (even if it is just date and name).

This Week at St. Paul:

Today: 4:00 pm Double H 4-H

Tuesday: 8:30 am Ladies Bible Study on Job

6:00 pm BoPE Meeting

6:30 pm Darby Clovers 4-H

Wednesday: 6:30 pm Bell Choir

7:00 pm Choir

Thursday: 8:00 pm Dartball

Next Sunday: 9:00 am Confirmation Class

11:30 am LYF Game-O-Rama

Monday, February 17th: 11:30 am Ladies Lunch at Walnut Crossing

Girlfriends Everywhere! Come to church for a simple breakfast, coffee, hot chocolate, etc. for an hour of conversation and girl talk. First meeting at church and we'll go from there...

- **Saturday 9am - February 15**
- **Sunday 6pm - February 23**
- **Saturday 9am - February 29**
- **Sunday 6pm - March 8**

Can't make all the dates? No worries! Come when you can and join in the fun. Let's pray together and Gather together around God's Word. Call or text Julie Schlueter **(937) 594-9627**

Ladies Aid Lunch at Walnut Crossing: Please sign up on the sheet on the Narthex table if you will be able to join us for lunch at Walnut Crossing next Monday, February 17th. Everyone is asked to bring a dozen or two cookies. We will plate these and then deliver them as a Valentine gift to our shut-ins. If you have questions, ask Anne Scheiderer.

Pre-School Registration is now open. Forms are on the Narthex table. Contact Belinda Allen with any questions at Belinda.allen@stpaulchuckery.church.

Der Dutchmen Fundraiser for St. John's 7th & 8th grade class: The 7th and 8th graders at St John's will be hosting a fundraiser at Der Dutchman on February 18 from 5-8 PM. Proceeds go to fund their Washington DC trip in April. Come on out and let them serve you! (The buffet is strongly encouraged so the kids aren't carrying plates of food around.)

Epiphany Visits: Please sign up to welcome Pastor to come visit you at your home during the season of Epiphany. There is a signup sheet on the Narthex table.

How to Reserve Chairs & Tables: If you want to borrow the tables and chairs from the barn, please email or contact Sue Ann, Church Secretary. She will put it on the calendar in the church office.

LOVE THY NEIGHBOR by becoming a Union County Neighbor to Neighbor volunteer! Volunteers accept the assignments they prefer at the time that suits the volunteer, making this a flexible and simple way to serve. UCN2N offers opportunities for families or groups to volunteer together, for teens to serve on their own, and for very young children to accompany their parents, learning the joys of service from an early age. Our next orientation session is Thursday, February 27 at the Marysville Public Library. Chose from 10:30AM-noon **OR** 6:00-7:30PM. RSVP to volunteers@ucn2n.org. Read the flyer on the Narthex bulletin board for more information.

Golden Eagles Euchre: They are now playing cards every Wednesday at 1:00 pm at the Heritage House. Feel free to join us.

It's Heart Healthy Time: On Friday, **February 21st, at 2:00pm**, your **Golden Eagles will welcome Dr. Michael Donnally**, Memorial Hospital Cardiologist who will share information on heart and vascular disease, treatment options, and prevention. Following a short lecture, Dr. Donnally will answer questions and share his knowledge with the group. Refreshments and "goodies" will be provided. It's almost Valentine's Day.....take care of your SWEET.....HEART! See you on the 21st at the Heritage House!

The Tulips will be Blooming Soon...Golden Eagles on the Road again:

Tulip Time Festival in Holland, Michigan – May 7-10. Are you interested in going on this trip with the Golden Eagles? If so, pick up a flyer hanging on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

Memory:

"What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask." **James 4:1-2**

Matt. 5:17 – "Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them." We cannot keep the Law of God perfectly. We are sinners. For us to be saved, Jesus had to fill up the Law in our place. Now the threat of the Law is abolished, and the Law itself is upheld. For in Christ now we desire to fulfill the Law and to live out a godly Christian life. This is precisely because we are so full of thanksgiving toward God for His salvation in Christ.

Private Confession and Absolution: The practice of Private Confession and Absolution is a practice that was established by Jesus (*If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld.* John 20:23) and has been in use in the Church throughout its' history, including our history as Lutherans. (*What sins should we confess? Before God we should plead guilty of all sins, even those we are not aware of, as we do in the Lord's Prayer; but before the pastor we should confess only those sins which we know and feel in our hearts.* [Small Catechism: The Keys]) Pastor is available for private confession at any time during the week by appointment. Please call him at (937) 594-1575.

Confession and Absolution

427 In the Cross of Christ I Glory

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| <p>1 In the cross of Christ I glory,
Tow'ring o'er the wrecks of time.
All the light of sacred story
Gathers round its head sublime.</p> <p>2 When the woes of life o'ertake me,
Hopes deceive, and fears annoy,
Never shall the cross forsake me;
Lo, it glows with peace and joy.</p> | <p>3 When the sun of bliss is beaming
Light and love upon my way,
From the cross the radiance streaming
Adds more luster to the day.</p> <p>4 Bane and blessing, pain and pleasure
By the cross are sanctified;
Peace is there that knows no measure,
Joys that through all time abide.</p> |
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*Stand**The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.***P** In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.**C Amen.****P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,**C who made heaven and earth.****P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,**C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.***Kneel/Stand**Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***P** O almighty God, merciful Father,

C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the $\cdot\text{I}\cdot$ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Stand

Service of the Word

Introit

Psalm 119:9–16; antiphon: v. 12



Blessèd are you, | O LORD;*
teach me your | statutes!

How can a young man keep his | way pure?*
By guarding it according | to your word.

With my whole heart I | seek you,*
let me not wander from your com- | mandments!

**I have stored up your word | in my heart,*
that I might not sin a- | gainst you.**

Blessèd are you, | O LORD;*
teach me your | statutes!

With my lips | I declare*
all the just decrees | of your mouth.

In the way of your testimonies | I delight*
as much as in all | riches.

**I will meditate on your | precepts*
and fix my eyes | on your ways.**

I will delight in your | statutes;*

I will not for- | get your word.

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;**

as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

Blessèd are you, | O LORD;*
teach me your | statutes!

- C** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Kyrie

LSB 186

- C** Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Gloria in Excelsis

LSB 187

- P** Glory be to God on high:
C and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.
We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.
O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.
For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

- P** The Lord be with you.
C And with thy spirit.

- P** Let us pray.
O Lord, keep Your family the Church continually in the true faith that, relying on the hope of Your heavenly grace, we may ever be defended by Your mighty power; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
C Amen.

Sit

³“Why have we fasted, and you see it not?

Why have we humbled ourselves, and you take no knowledge of it?’

Behold, in the day of your fast you seek your own pleasure,
and oppress all your workers.

⁴Behold, you fast only to quarrel and to fight
and to hit with a wicked fist.

Fasting like yours this day
will not make your voice to be heard on high.

⁵Is such the fast that I choose,
a day for a person to humble himself?
Is it to bow down his head like a reed,
and to spread sackcloth and ashes under him?

Will you call this a fast,
and a day acceptable to the LORD?

⁶“Is not this the fast that I choose:
to loose the bonds of wickedness,
to undo the straps of the yoke,
to let the oppressed go free,
and to break every yoke?

⁷Is it not to share your bread with the hungry
and bring the homeless poor into your house;
when you see the naked, to cover him,
and not to hide yourself from your own flesh?

⁸Then shall your light break forth like the dawn,
and your healing shall spring up speedily;
your righteousness shall go before you;
the glory of the LORD shall be your rear guard.

⁹Then you shall call, and the LORD will answer;
you shall cry, and he will say, ‘Here I am.’”

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

¹And I, when I came to you, brothers, did not come proclaiming to you the testimony of God with lofty speech or wisdom. ²For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified. ³And I was with you in weakness and in fear and much trembling, ⁴and my speech and my message were not in plausible words of wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power, ⁵that your faith might not rest in the wisdom of men but in the power of God.

⁶Yet among the mature we do impart wisdom, although it is not a wisdom of this age or of the rulers of this age, who are doomed to pass away. ⁷But we impart a secret and hidden wisdom of God, which God decreed before the ages for our glory. ⁸None of the rulers of this age understood this, for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. ⁹But, as it is written,

“What no eye has seen, nor ear heard,
nor the heart of man imagined,
what God has prepared for those who love him”—

¹⁰these things God has revealed to us through the Spirit. For the Spirit searches everything, even the depths of God. ¹¹For who knows a person’s thoughts except the spirit of that person, which is in him? So also no one comprehends the thoughts of God except the Spirit of God. ¹²Now we have received not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might understand the things freely given us by God. ¹³And we impart this in words not taught by human wisdom but taught by the Spirit, interpreting spiritual truths to those who are spiritual.

¹⁴The natural person does not accept the things of the Spirit of God, for they are folly to him, and he is not able to understand them because they are spiritually discerned. ¹⁵The spiritual person judges all things, but is himself to be judged by no one. ¹⁶“For who has understood the mind of the Lord so as to instruct him?” But we have the mind of Christ.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia

LSB 190

C Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifth chapter.

C **Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

¹³[Jesus said:] “You are the salt of the earth, but if salt has lost its taste, how shall its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trampled under people’s feet.

¹⁴“You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. ¹⁵Nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. ¹⁶In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.

¹⁷“Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them. ¹⁸For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Law until all is accomplished. ¹⁹Therefore whoever relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. ²⁰For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

Nicene Creed

**☩ I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures
and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life ✠ of the world to come. Amen.**

578 Thy Strong Word

- 1 Thy strong word did cleave the darkness;
At Thy speaking it was done.
For created light we thank Thee,
While Thine ordered seasons run.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise to Thee who light dost send!
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia without end!
- 2 Lo, on those who dwelt in darkness,
Dark as night and deep as death,
Broke the light of Thy salvation,
Breathed Thine own life-breathing
breath.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise to Thee who light dost send!
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia without end!

Women:

- 3 Thy strong Word bespeaks us righteous;
Bright with Thine own holiness,
Glorious now, we press toward glory,
And our lives our hopes confess.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise to Thee who light dost send!
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia without end!

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Sermon

- P** The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

C Amen.

Stand

MEN:

- 4 From the cross Thy wisdom shining
Breaketh forth in conqu'ring might;
From the cross forever beameth
All Thy bright redeeming light.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise to Thee who light dost send!
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia without end!
- 5 Give us lips to sing Thy glory,
Tongues Thy mercy to proclaim,
Throats that shout the hope that fills us,
Mouths to speak Thy holy name.
Alleluia, alleluia!
May the light which Thou dost send
Fill our songs with alleluias,
Alleluias without end!



- 6 God the Father, light-creator,
To Thee laud and honor be.
To Thee, Light of Light begotten,
Praise be sung eternally.
Holy Spirit, light-revealer,
Glory, glory be to Thee.
Mortals, angels, now and ever
Praise the holy Trinity!

Offertory

LSB 192

- C** Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit.
Amen.

Sit

Offering

Stand

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

Preface

LSB 194

- P** The Lord be with you.
C And with thy spirit.
P Lift up your hearts.
C We lift them up unto the Lord.
P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.
C It is meet and right so to do.
P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord; for what had been hidden from before the foundation of the world You have made known to the nations in Your Son. In Him, being found in the substance of our mortal nature, You have manifested the fullness of Your glory. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus

LSB 195

- C** Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth;
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

C 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.

The Words of Our Lord

LSB 197

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini

LSB 197

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C Amen.

Agnus Dei

LSB 198

C O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

Sit

Distribution

583 God Has Spoken by His Prophets

1 God has spoken by His prophets,
Spoken His unchanging Word;
Each from age to age proclaiming
God, the one, the righteous Lord.
In the world's despair and turmoil,
One firm anchor holds us fast:
God is king, His throne eternal;
God the first, and God the last.

2 God has spoken by Christ Jesus,
Christ, the everlasting Son,
Brightness of the Father's glory,
With the Father ever one;
Spoken by the Word Incarnate,
God of God, before time was;
Light of Light, to earth descending,
He reveals our God to us.

3 God is speaking by His Spirit,
Speaking to our hearts again,
In the ageless Word declaring
His own message, now as then.
Through the rise and fall of nations
One sure faith yet standing fast;
God abides, His Word unchanging;
God the first, and God the last.

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526 You Are the Way; through You Alone

1 You are the way; through You alone
Can we the Father find;
In You, O Christ, has God revealed
His heart and will and mind.

2 You are the truth; Your Word alone
True wisdom can impart;
You only can inform the mind
And purify the heart.

3 You are the life; the empty tomb
Proclaims Your conqu'ring arm,
And those who put their trust in You
Not death nor hell shall harm.

4 You are the way, the truth, the life;
Grant us that way to know,
That truth to keep, that life to win
Whose joys eternal flow.

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579 The Law of God Is Good and Wise

- 1 The Law of God is good and wise
And sets His will before our eyes,
Shows us the way of righteousness,
And dooms to death when we
transgress.
- 2 Its light of holiness imparts
The knowledge of our sinful hearts
That we may see our lost estate
And turn from sin before too late.
- 3 To those who help in Christ have found
And would in works of love abound
It shows what deeds are His delight
And should be done as good and right.
- 4 But those who scornfully disdain
God's Law shall then in sin remain;
Its terror in their ear resounds
And keeps their wickedness in bounds.
- 5 The Law is good; but since the fall
Its holiness condemns us all;
It dooms us for our sin to die
And has no pow'r to justify.
- 6 To Jesus we for refuge flee,
Who from the curse has set us free,
And humbly worship at His throne,
Saved by His grace through faith alone.

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Stand

Nunc Dimittis

LSB 199

- ☞ Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word,
for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face
of all people,
a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel.
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

Thanksgiving

LSB 200

- ☞ O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
and His mercy endureth forever.**

A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

Benedicamus

LSB 202

A Bless we the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Benediction

LSB 202

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ☩ give you peace.

C Amen, amen, amen.

580 The Gospel Shows the Father's Grace

- 1 The Gospel shows the Father's grace,
Who sent His Son to save our race,
Proclaims how Jesus lived and died
That we might thus be justified.
- 2 It sets the Lamb before our eyes,
Who made the atoning sacrifice,
And calls the souls with guilt oppressed
To come and find eternal rest.
- 3 It brings the Savior's righteousness
To robe our souls in royal dress;
From all our guilt it brings release
And gives the troubled conscience
peace.
- 4 It is the pow'r of God to save
From sin and Satan and the grave;
It works the faith which firmly clings
To all the treasures which it brings.
- 5 It bears to all the tidings glad
And bids their hearts no more be sad;
The weary, burdened souls it cheers
And banishes their guilty fears.
- 6 May we in faith its message learn
Nor thanklessly its blessings spurn;
May we in faith its truth confess
And praise the Lord, our righteousness.

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Congregation at Prayer

Invocation: In the name of the Father and the Son ✠ and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Prayer: Almighty and most gracious God and Father, we implore You to turn the hearts of all who have forsaken the faith once delivered to Your Church, especially those who have wandered from it or are in doubt through the corruption of Your truth. Mercifully visit and restore them that in gladness of heart they may take pleasure in Your Word and be made wise to salvation through faith in Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Meditation: (*Portals of Prayer / Devotion*)

Daily Readings

Feb. 10	Job 6:14–30	John 3:22—4:6
Feb. 11	Job 7:1–21	John 4:7–26
Feb. 12	Job 8:1–22	John 4:27–45
Feb. 13	Job 9:1–35	John 4:46–54
Feb. 14	Job 10:1–22	John 5:1–18
Feb. 15	Job 11:1–20	John 5:19–29
Feb. 16	Job 12:1–6, 12–25	John 5:30–47

In our Prayers this Week: (on back)

Collect: O Lord, keep Your family the Church continually in the true faith that, relying on the hope of Your heavenly grace, we may ever be defended by Your mighty power; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Apostles' Creed

Lord's Prayer

Benediction: May the Lord Almighty bless our days ✠ and our deeds in his peace. Amen.

The following is a list of prayer concerns. Please use this as a daily reminder in your Prayer Time.

Members who are ill, recovering or seeking medical treatment: Kris Bosley, Ann Burns, Kristin Dellinger, Bonnie & Jeanie Thiergartner, Barbara Barnhart (Kylene Harms' mother), and Belinda Fonner (St. John's parent)

Shut-Ins

Home: Marjorie Loschky, Elton Rausch, & Jeanie Thiergartner

Bluebird: Bob Dellinger

Brookdale: Helen Scheiderer & Martha Wolff

Edgewater: Margia Renner

Gables: Jane Nicol

Walnut Crossing: Viola Burns & Virginia Greenbaum

Public/National Service: Public/National Service: Seth Rengert, Matthew Roth, Darrell Breneman, William Harms, Nathan Burns, Shane McNae, Joshua Dillahunt, David Gerholdt, MacKenzie Roop, Pleasant Valley Fire Department and Plain City Police Department.

Miscellaneous: POBLO Mission, Epiphany Ministries, Loving Care Hospice & Home Health, CWEFT (Thailand Mission), Miguel & Rachel Gonzalez Feliciano (Ladies Aid Seminary Student), and New Path Pregnancy Resource Center

Birthdays: 10 – Pat Newland; 12 – Angela Underhill & Jessica Boerger;
13 – Rob Dellinger; 14 – Caleb Scheiderer, Gary Burns & Trevor Burns;
15 – Kim Fraley

Anniversaries: 13 – Gary & Bunny Boerger; 14 – Dan & Lois Ferryman