

... Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our Prayer**
... through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY *God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending* R. Hillert
Chancel Choir

***DOXOLOGY – HYMNAL 592** *(Please Remain Standing)*

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

.....with the confidence of the children of God, let us pray:

***LORD'S PRAYER** *(Traditional, Page 16 - Opposite Hymn # 1)*

SENDING

***HYMNAL 391 Take My Life**

***CHARGE AND BLESSING**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE - HYMNAL 586**

***POSTLUDE** *Antiphon V, How Fair and Pleasant Art Thou* M. Dupré

Every Sunday after worship we gather at the back of the Sanctuary for fellowship and light refreshments. We especially welcome visitors and guests to join with us. Please join us today as we share God's love with one another. Our hosts for this week are Ruth Fleeson, Tessie Gleckl, Nancy Govi and Betty Green.

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS, BULLETINS AND LISTENING AIDS ARE AVAILABLE. PLEASE ASK AN USHER.

GREETERS at the doors are wearing name tags.
Diana Kreiling, Elder and, Barbara Fitzmaurice, Deacon

The **flowers** this morning are to the
Glory of God

The **radio broadcast** this morning is in memory of
Douglas Nels Flodin

USHERS are wearing badges. Please approach them with any questions. Serving you this morning are members of **Team II:**



Latrobe Presbyterian Church



*Eternal God,
neither death nor life can separate us from your love.
Grant that we may serve you faithfully here on earth,
and in heaven rejoice with all your saints
who ceaselessly proclaim your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 19, 2008

Eleven O'clock

GATHERING

Prayer Request Cards (blue) are inside the Fellowship Pad Holder.

The ushers will collect the request cards before the Prelude.

The bold print invites the people to read aloud and/or sing.

GREETING, JOYS & CONCERNS Rev. Clark R. Kerr

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. *2 Thess. 3:18*

And also with you.

MOMENT FOR MISSION John Jamison – Special Gifts

PRELUDE *Jesus Loves Me* Thompson/Callahan
Joyful Noise Chimes

SENTENCES OF SCRIPTURE Dr. Edwin McKinnon, Lector

PRAYER FOR THE DAY

..... one God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

*An asterisk * invites the people to stand.*

***HYMNAL 473 For the Beauty of the Earth**

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being,
whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we
forget in the blindness of our hearts: cleanse us from all our
offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires,
that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you,
confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in
you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son.**

(Silent Confession)

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

***THE PEACE**

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

(Greet one another with the words, "Peace be with you.")

ANTHEM *Jesus Loves Me* Helen Kemp
Children's Choir

CHILDREN'S TIME

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

... through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FIRST READING Exodus 33:12-23

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 99 Lector

SECOND READING I Thessalonians 1:1-10 Lector

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM *Come, Let Us Sing* Jody Lindh
Kids' Club Choir

GOSPEL READING Matthew 22:15-22

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON *"Where Are You From?"* Rev. Clark R. Kerr

***HYMNAL 428 We Give The but Thine Own**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Nancy McKinnon

order separately from the menu. Please sign the sheet in the back of the sanctuary so we may arrange for adequate seating. See you there!!

Study books are now available from the Office for the 10:00 am, **Wednesday Morning Bible Study**. The text is from the Gospel of John. Cost per book is \$9.00.

LPC TO HELP PRESBYTERY WITH DISASTER PROJECT.

The Wednesday Morning Bible Study group is going to help the Redstone Presbytery assemble emergency clean-up buckets. We will be collecting the items below until **October 26th**. Perhaps you could help by donating some of these items, which are only one-fourth of the items that will fill the bucket?

one pack of 50 clothes pins, two pair of latex gloves (ex: Playtex)
clothes line (one 100 foot or two 50 foot), one 6-14 oz. bottle of insect repellent (drops or lotion, not aerosol, in plastic container)

We will also accept monetary contributions and will shop for the requested items. The cost of the four items is \$12.00. All donated items should be at the church by October 26th. One hundred dollars from the sale of cookbooks was also donated to offset the cost of shipping. Thank you in advance for sharing to help those who were in the path of the storms. If you have any questions, please see Janet McNees (724-423-5295).

The **Youth Group** is selling calendars, greeting cards and note pads. See the display in the back of the sanctuary. These are really great gifts.

Attention Ushers – there will be an Usher training program on Sunday, November 2nd at 10 am. Please plan to attend.

On **Stewardship Sunday**, a light lunch will be held on **November 9th** in the Vogelsang Room after worship. The luncheon is being sponsored by Jamison Farms.

On **Saturday, November 15th at 6:00 pm**, our **Mission and Society Committee** will be hosting a pre-Thanksgiving congregational **Family Covered Dish Dinner in the Vogelsang Room**. Nancy Auman will share with us her experiences from her recent mission trip to Mexico, along with other mission-minded activities. Rumor has it that a piñata might be involved!!

Please mark your calendars for Saturday, December 6, 2008.

Another bus trip is planned, this time to Pittsburgh for a **Progressive Holiday Tour**. Included are the following: PPG Place - to see the **Santa display**; salad at **The Spaghetti Warehouse** in the Strip District; entree at **The Grand Concourse** at Station Square; the light display at **Hartwood Acres** and dessert at **Gullifty's** in Squirrel Hill. The bus is filling but we still have seating

available. Please sign the sheet in the back of the sanctuary and be a part of this fun day.

Nancy McKinnon, Deacon Chair, thanks everyone who helped with this year's **Fall Harvest Luncheon** yesterday. After a great meal of ham, Eileen's potatoes, green beans/carrots and dessert, the audience was entertained by talented LPC kids and a Carol Curtis sing-along. It was a terrific day. Watch for a complete article in the next MAINSTream issue.

Hospitalized last week: John Angus

When you or a loved one is hospitalized, please be sure to have someone notify the church office. It is important that when you or a family member is admitted to the hospital, please be sure to identify yourself as a member of LPC – that way the hospital is able to notify us.



Upcoming Events:

November 2 - All Saints' Day Sunday & High Tea – 11:00 am
November 2 – Usher Training – 10:00 am
November 15 – M&S Pot Luck Dinner – 6:00 pm
November 26 – Community Thanksgiving Program–Trinity Lutheran – 6 pm
December 3 – Advent Event – 6:00 pm
December 6 – E&M's Progressive Holiday Tour
December 13 – Mature Presbyterian Luncheon
December 14 – Lessons & Carols – Unity Chapel – 7:30 pm

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I Thessalonians 2:1-8 Matthew 22:24-46

Hospitality Table: Janet Harvey, Kay Herb, Nancy Himler, Evelyn Hunter

