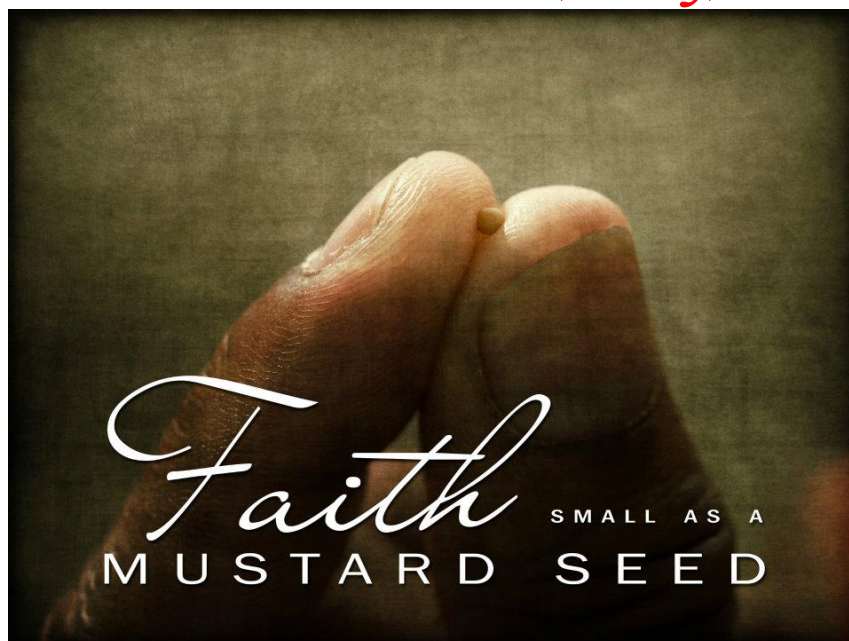


October 9, 2022

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 AM

The Lord Increases Faith, Duty, & Joy



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The Good News of **Jesus' Love and Forgiveness.*****

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18th Sunday after Pentecost

Pastor's Greeting:



Hymn: *Come, Follow Me, the Savior Spoke*..... CW₉₃ 453 (NCW 702) Stz 1, 2, 4, & 5



1 "Come, fol - low me," the Sav - ior spoke, "All in my way a -
2 "I am the light; I light the way, A god - ly life dis -
4 "I teach you how to shun and flee What harms your souls' sal -
5 Then let us fol - low Christ our Lord And take the cross ap -



bid - ing. De - ny your - selves; the world for - sake; O -
play - ing. I bid you walk as in the day; I
va - tion, Your hearts from ev - 'ry guile to free, From
point - ed And, firm - ly cling - ing to his Word, In



bey my call and guid - ing. Oh, bear the cross, what -
keep your feet from stray - ing. I am the way, and
sin and its temp - ta - tion. I am the ref - uge
suf - f'ring be un - daunt - ed. For those who bear the



e'er be - tide; Take my ex - am - ple for your guide.
well I show How you should jour - ney here be - low.
strength, my all To God I yield; on him I call.
of the soul And lead you to your heav'n - ly goal."
bat - tle's strain The crown of heav'n - ly life ob - tain.

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Hymn: *Come, Follow Me, the Savior Spoke*..... **CW₉₃ 453** (NCW 702) **Stz 1, 2, 4, & 5**

Confession and Absolution

L: The Grace of our Lord † Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

C: And also, with you.

L: We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.

All: Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray; Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.

L: God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, He has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.

C: AMEN

Prayer and Praise

L: We Pray. For all that we need in life and for the wisdom to use all your gifts with gratitude and joy, hear our prayer, O Lord.

C: Lord have mercy

L: For the steadfast assurance that nothing can separate us from your love and for the courage to stand firm against the assaults of Satan and every evil, hear our prayer, O Christ.

C: Christ have mercy

L: For the well-being of your holy Church in all the world and for those who offer here their worship and praise, hear our prayer, O Lord.

C: Lord have mercy

L: Merciful God, maker and preserver of life, uphold us by your power and keep us in your tender care:

C: Amen.

Prayer of the Day

L: Almighty God, we praise you for the gracious gift of your Son, Jesus Christ. Let his kingdom come to us and to all people so that the whole earth may know his saving grace and be filled with his glory, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

First Lesson:**Habakkuk 1:1-3; 2:1-4** (NIV 84)

¹ The oracle that Habakkuk the prophet received. ² How long, O LORD, must I call for help, but you do not listen? Or cry out to you, "Violence!" but you do not save? ³ Why do you make me look at injustice? Why do you tolerate wrong? Destruction and violence are before me; there is strife, and conflict abounds. ^{2:1} I will stand at my watch and station myself on the ramparts; I will look to see what he will say to me, and what answer I am to give to this complaint. ² Then the LORD replied: "Write down the revelation and make it plain on tablets so that a herald may run with it. ³ For the revelation awaits an appointed time; it speaks of the end and will not prove false. Though it linger, wait for it; it will certainly come and will not delay. ⁴ "See, he is puffed up; his desires are not upright— but the righteous will live by his faith.

This is the Word of our God.

CW₉₃ Psalm 72

CW₉₃ Psalm 72

Refrain



Let the peo - ple praise you, O God.



Let all the peo - ple praise you.

Psalm tone



Endow the King with your justice, O God,*
the royal Son with your righteousness.

He will defend the afflicted among the people*
and save the children of the needy.

He will endure as long as the sun,*
as long as the moon, through all generations.

He will be like rain falling on a mown field,*
like showers watering the earth.

Refrain

All kings will bow down to him,*
and all nations will serve him.

All nations will be blessed through him,*
and they will call him blessed.

Praise be to the LORD God, who alone does marvelous deeds.*
May the whole earth be filled with his glory.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son*
and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning,*
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Refrain

Second Lesson:**2 Timothy 1:3-14** (NIV 84)

³ I thank God, whom I serve, as my forefathers did, with a clear conscience, as night and day I constantly remember you in my prayers. ⁴ Recalling your tears, I long to see you, so that I may be filled with joy. ⁵ I have been reminded of your sincere faith, which first lived in your grandmother Lois and in your mother Eunice and, I am persuaded, now lives in you also. ⁶ For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands. ⁷ For God did not give us a spirit of timidity, but a spirit of power, of love and of self-discipline. ⁸ So do not be ashamed to testify about our Lord, or ashamed of me his prisoner. But join with me in suffering for the gospel, by the power of God, ⁹ who has saved us and called us to a holy life—not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace. This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time, ¹⁰ but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior, Christ Jesus, who has destroyed death and has brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. ¹¹ And of this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher. ¹² That is why I am suffering as I am. Yet I am not ashamed, because I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that he is able to guard what I have entrusted to him for that day. ¹³ What you heard from me, keep as the pattern of sound teaching, with faith and love in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴ Guard the good deposit that was entrusted to you—guard it with the help of the Holy Spirit who lives in us. This is the Word of the Lord.

Hymn: Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus..... CW₉₃ 474 (NCW 872) Stz 1-4

1 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus, Ye sol - diers of the cross!
 2 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus! The trum - pet call o - bey;
 3 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus! Stand in his strength a - lone.
 4 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus! The strife will not be long;



Lift high his roy - al ban - ner; It must not suf - fer loss.
 Forth to the might - y con - flict In this his glo - rious day!
 The arm of flesh will fail you; Ye dare not trust your own.
 This day the noise of bat - tle, The next, the vic - tor's song.



From vic - t'ry un - to vic - t'ry His ar - my shall he lead
 Ye that are brave, now serve him A - gainst un - num - bered foes;
 Put on the gos - pel ar - mor; Each piece put on with prayer;
 To him that o - ver - com - eth A crown of life shall be;



Till ev - 'ry foe is van - quished And Christ is Lord in - deed.
 Let cour - age rise with dan - ger And strength to strength op - pose.
 Where du - ty calls or dan - ger, Be nev - er want - ing there.
 He with the King of glo - ry Shall reign e - ter - nal - ly.

Gospel:

Luke 17:1-10 (NIV 84)

¹ Jesus said to his disciples: “Things that cause people to sin are bound to come, but woe to that person through whom they come. ² It would be better for him to be thrown into the sea with a millstone tied around his neck than for him to cause one of these little ones to sin. ³ So watch yourselves.

“If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him. ⁴ If he sins against you seven times in a day, and seven times comes back to you and says, ‘I repent,’ forgive him.”

⁵ The apostles said to the Lord, “Increase our faith!”

⁶ He replied, “If you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, ‘Be uprooted and planted in the sea,’ and it will obey you.

⁷ “Suppose one of you had a servant plowing or looking after the sheep. Would he say to the servant when he comes in from the field, ‘Come along now and sit down to eat’? ⁸ Would he not rather say, ‘Prepare my supper, get yourself ready and wait on me while I eat and drink; after that you may eat and drink’? ⁹ Would he thank the servant because he did what he was told to do? ¹⁰ So you also, when you have done everything you were told to do, should say, ‘We are unworthy servants; we have only done our duty.’”

L: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

C: Praise be to you O Christ

Hymn: *I Walk in Danger All the Way* **CW₉₃ 431** (NCW 836) **Stz 1–4**

Hymn: *I Walk in Danger All the Way* CW₉₃ 431 (NCW 836) Stz 1-4



1 I walk in dan - ger all the way; The thought shall nev - er
 2 I pass through tri - als all the way, With sin and ills con -
 3 Grim death pur - sues me all the way; No - where I rest se -
 4 I walk with an - gels all the way; They shield me and be -



leave me That Sa - tan, who has marked his prey, Is
 tend - ing; In pa - tience I must bear each day The
 cure - ly. He comes by night, he comes by day, And
 friend me. All Sa - tan's pow'r is held at bay When



plot - ting to de - ceive me. This foe with hid - den
 cross of God's own send - ing. Oft in ad - ver - si -
 takes his prey most sure - ly. A fail - ing breath, and
 heav'n - ly hosts at - tend me. They are my sure de -



snare May seize me un - a - wares If e'er I fail to
 ty I know not where to flee When storms of woe my
 I In death's strong grasp may lie To face e - ter - ni -
 fense; All fear and sor - row, hence! Un - harmed by foes, do



watch and pray; I walk in dan - ger all the way.
 soul dis - may; I pass through tri - als all the way.
 ty to - day. Grim death pur - sues me all the way.
 what they may, I walk with an - gels all the way.

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The Nicene Creed: *(together we confess)*

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and became fully human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer: Everlasting God, give us an increase of faith, love, and joy so that we may obtain what you promise and do what you command. Today, we remember those who are facing difficulties and challenges. These things we ask in the name of Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord who taught us to pray...

Lord's Prayer: *(traditional)*

***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!***

L: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and † give you peace.

C: Amen

Hymn: *To God Be the Glory***CW93 399** (NCW 627) **Stz 1**

Hymn: To God Be the Glory.....CW₉₃ 399 (NCW 627) Stz 1

I To God be the glo - ry; great things he has done!

He so loved the world that he gave us his Son,

Who yield - ed his life an a - tone - ment for sin

And o - pened the life - gate that all may go in.

Refrain

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the earth hear his voice!

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the peo - ple re - joice!

Oh, come to the Fa - ther through Je - sus the Son

And give him the glo - ry — great things he has done!

Pastor's wife, **Karen Ashely**, was told she may have only a couple of weeks before the Lord calls her to his side. We ask the Lord to give them peace in this difficult time.

Bob Baur will have outpatient surgery on Monday, October 10th. Let us ask the Lord to guide the hands of the nurses and doctors and bring success to him.

Nancy Witzel continues to suffer the effects of COPD and congestive heart failure. Nancy is back living in her apartment. She has been enrolled with Hospice Care. Send correspondences to: Mrs. Nancy Witzel, Apt 10H
6811 Campfield Road
Baltimore, MD 21207

 **Looking Ahead**

Date	Time	Streaming	Music	Usher #1	Comm.
October					
Sun Pent 18	9 9:30 AM	Mark F	Jessica O	Dan M	Mark F
Sun Pent 19	16 9:30 AM	Dan M	Jessica O	Scott S	
Sun Pent 20	23 9:30 AM	Karen A	Jessica O	Bob P	Dan M
Sun Reform	30 9:30 AM	Mark F	Jessica O	Gil P	

October Birthdays and Anniversaries:

- 1 Daniel & Cynthia Freeman 23 Years
- 3 Emily Meister
- 4 Dan & Karen Meister 36 Years
- 10 Karen & Pastor Trimmer 42 Years
- 10 Tim & Angie Carne 19 Years
- 13 Scott Schweitzer
- 18 John & Courtney Wittmershaus 8 Years
- 22 Dennis & Natasha Sullivan 33 Years
- 26 Kathy Potter
- 29 Matthew Wolf

2022 Cleaning Volunteers for Both the Church and the Fellowship Hall
Cleaning may be done any day and time during the week preceding the date indicated below. Thank you.

- October 15 Galbreath / Orth
- November 5 G & K Potter / Cammarata
- November 19 Backes / N & K Potter
- December 3 Meister