

On Nov 11<sup>th</sup>, we will observe All Souls and Remembrance Sunday with the Commemoration of the faithful departed. If you would like your loved one to be remembered during worship, please include their full Christian name in the sign-up sheet on the foyer table.

Nov 11th marks the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the cessation of violence in the Great War. We will include an Act of Remembrance for those who have served our country in conflict and remember the fallen of all foreign wars. If you would like to wear a poppy on that morning, it is entirely in keeping with our intention to honor the brave men and women of the armed forces of the United States of America.



### LET'S GATHER FOR CHRISTMAS

SUNDAY DECEMBER 9, AT 5 PM

A program of Christmas story and music followed by a community meal at no cost.

**HOWEVER, RESERVATIONS ARE A MUST AS SEATING IS LIMITED FOR THIS EVENT.**  
RSVP DEADLINE : **DECEMBER 3, 2018**

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#### **Metro Food Bank Project**

The next Metro Food Bank event will be on **Sat, Nov 17, 2018**.  
Volunteer sign-up online [www.stlukechardon.org](http://www.stlukechardon.org), in food pantry info.

We welcome you this morning!  
If you are visiting, we hope you enjoy worshipping with us today.

**Officiant The Rt. Rev. William Persell** **Nov 4, 2018**

**Opening Hymn** *For all the saints* Hymn #287  
vs. 1-4

*The people standing, the celebrant says*

*Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.*  
*People: And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.*

**Celebrant:** *There is one body and one Spirit;*  
*People: There is one hope in God's call to us;*  
**Celebrant:** *One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;*  
*People: One God and Father of all*

#### **Collect**

*Readings may be found on pages 5 and following.*

*(Please sit for the readings)*

**First Reading** *Ecclesiasticus 44:1-10, 13-14*

**Psalm** *149*

**Second Reading** *Revelation 7:2-4, 9-17*

#### **Gospel Acclamation**



**The Holy Gospel** *Matthew 5:1-12*

**Sermon**

The Rt. Rev. William Persell

**Brief reflections:** following the sermon, some thoughts will be offered by Samantha Scott and David Marcrum on a passage of scripture which was meaningful for them through their journey of preparation.

**Hymn** *Descend, O Spirit.* #297.

*During the singing of the hymn, the candidate for baptism and the candidates for reception will come forward and gather around the font.*

**Presentation and Examination of the Candidates** BCP pg. 301

**Baptismal Covenant** BCP pg. 304

**Thanksgiving over the Water** BCP pg. 306

**Baptism** *Samantha Marie Scott*

**Reception** *David Bishop Marcrum*  
*Thomas G Matowitz, Jr*  
*Darlene G Matowitz*

**The Peace**

**Offertory Hymn** *The Eternal Gifts of Christ the King* Hymn #234

**Prayer Over the Gifts**

**Celebrant:** *Blessed are you Lord God of Israel forever and ever.*  
*All that is in the heaven and in the earth is yours.*  
**People:** *All things come from you O Lord, and of your own have we given you. Amen.*

**The Great Thanksgiving**

**Gospel**

*Matthew 5:1-12*

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying: “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.” *The Gospel of the Lord.*

Church Financial Income Information			
Week of 10/28/18		Year To Date	Budget
<b>Pledges/Non Pledge</b>	\$1,245	\$77,924.05	\$107,500
<b>Loose Plate</b>	\$25	\$1,558	
<b>Coffee &amp; Hospitality</b>	\$4		
<b>Discretionary</b>	\$10		
<b>Attendance</b>	47 people		

Did You Know?.....

The joyful noises you hear from the back of the church are those of little Wyatt Nelson. Dave and Courtney (his parents), and Wyatt live in Chardon on Woodin Road. Courtney is a veterinarian, and Dave is a physical therapist. Courtney and Dave met in Lake County 4-H. We are so pleased to have them with us!



Sarah, Nicole, Danny, Tom, Lori, Dorothy, Rachael, Mark, Robin,  
Judy, Bob, Theresa, Patty

**For the Faithful Departed:**

Joyce Fienberg, 75, of Oakland  
Richard Gottfried, 65, of Ross Township  
Rose Mallinger, 97, of Squirrel Hill  
Jerry Rabinowitz, 66, of Edgewood  
Cecil Rosenthal, 59, of Squirrel Hill  
David Rosenthal, 54, of Squirrel Hill  
Bernice Simon, 84, of Wilkinsburg  
Sylvan Simon, 86, of Wilkinsburg  
Daniel Stein, 71, of Squirrel Hill  
Melvin Wax, 88, of Squirrel Hill  
Irving Younger, 69, of Mt. Washington

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**Today's Readings**

**The Twenty-Fourth  
Sunday after Pentecost**

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The Collect & Scripture Readings for The Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

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**Collect**

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

**First Reading**

*Ecclesiasticus 44:1-10, 13-14*

Let us now sing the praises of famous men, our ancestors in their generations. The Lord apportioned to them great glory, his majesty from the beginning. There were those who ruled in their kingdoms, and made a name for themselves by their valor; those who gave counsel because they were intelligent; those who

spoke in prophetic oracles; those who led the people by their counsels and by their knowledge of the people's lore; they were wise in their words of instruction; those who composed musical tunes, or put verses in writing; rich men endowed with resources, living peacefully in their homes—all these were honored in their generations, and were the pride of their times. Some of them have left behind a name, so that others declare their praise. But of others there is no memory; they have perished as though they had never existed; they have become as though they had never been born, they and their children after them. But these also were godly men, whose righteous deeds have not been forgotten. Their offspring will continue forever, and their glory will never be blotted out. Their bodies are buried in peace, but their name lives on generation after generation. *The Word of the Lord.*

**Psalm**

*149*

1 Hallelujah!

Sing to the Lord a new song; \*  
sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.

2 Let Israel rejoice in his Maker; \*  
let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.

3 Let them praise his Name in the dance; \*  
let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.

4 For the Lord takes pleasure in his people \*  
and adorns the poor with victory.

5 Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; \*  
let them be joyful on their beds.

6 Let the praises of God be in their throat \*  
and a two-edged sword in their hand;

7 To wreak vengeance on the nations \*  
and punishment on the peoples;

8 To bind their kings in chains \*  
and their nobles with links of iron;

9 To inflict on them the judgment decreed; \*  
this is glory for all his faithful people.

Hallelujah!