

Bendersville Lutheran Parish

St. James,
Wenksville
8:25 am

Christ,
Aspers
9:45 am

Bethlehem,
Bendersville
11:00 am

3rd Sunday in Lent
March 7, 2021



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REMINDER OF PARISH RULES

The Covid-19 task force (Bettina McBeth, Chris Cuttitta, Julie Haller, and Vicar Taylor Berdahl) have approved the following guidelines for safe worship practice. Thank you for showing love to your neighbors by following these rules.

1. **Masks are required.** Please wear your own mask.
2. **Social distancing required.** Leave empty pews between people, and sit checkerboard fashion. No one should sit directly behind or in front of anyone else. There will be no greeters.
3. **No singing.** Singing causes us to expel the air in our lungs with force, it raises the risk of infection, masks or not.
4. **No passing of The Peace** Just pretend it is an extended flu season.
5. **No physical passing of anything.** Collection plates and bulletins are placed at the entrances/exits so there is no physical passing from one person to another.
6. **We will have bulletins to use for the services so hymnals will not be required.** Please touch as little as possible when in your pews.
7. **We will have communion with sealed, pre-packaged individual communion servings.** Directions for distribution will be shared at that time in the service. There will be trash receptacles at the exits for disposal.
8. **Attendance will be taken at each church each Sunday.** Should an outbreak occur, the congregation can be notified. If anyone receives a positive test for COVID, please report it to the task force immediately.
9. **Midweek usage of buildings.** When entering a building, please use posted sign in sheets. If entering with someone who isn't a member, please have them add their contact info. **Always clean frequently touched surfaces after use.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(This worship service may be recorded by audio or video for distribution online. Please contact Vicar Taylor or a member of church council ASAP if you have privacy needs that need to be protected.)

**Please stand as you are able.*

PRELUDE

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

V: In the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

V: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen

V: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

V: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

GREETING

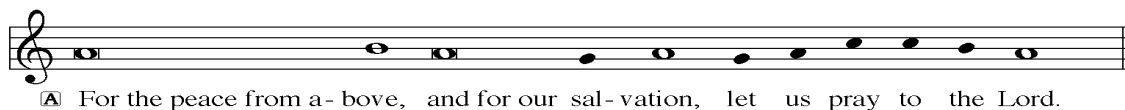
V: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

KYRIE



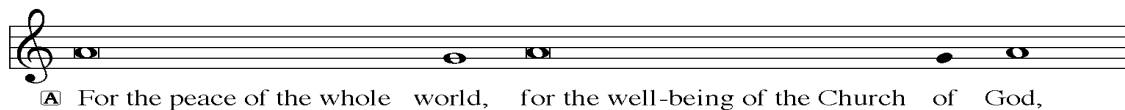
[A] In peace, let us pray to the Lord. [C] Lord, have mer - cy.



[A] For the peace from a - bove, and for our sal - vation, let us pray to the Lord.



[C] Lord, have mer - cy.



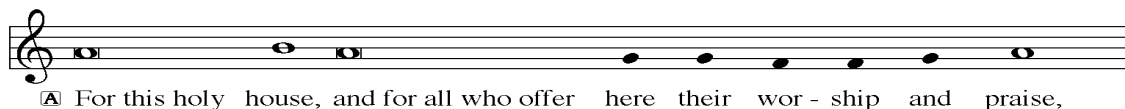
[A] For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,



and for the u - ni - ty of all, let us pray to the Lord.



[C] Lord, have mer - cy.



[A] For this holy house, and for all who offer here their wor - ship and praise,

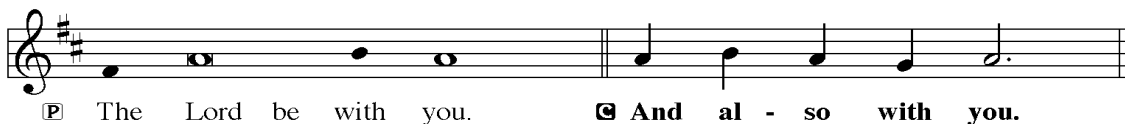


let us pray to the Lord. [C] Lord, have mer - cy.



[A] Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord. [C] A - men

PRAYER OF THE DAY



V: Let us pray. . . .

Holy God, through your Son you have called us to live faithfully and act courageously. Keep us steadfast in your covenant of grace, and teach us the wisdom that comes only through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

FIRST LESSON:

Exodus 20:1-17

The First Lesson is from Exodus chapter twenty.

¹God spoke all these words:

²I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; ³you shall have no other gods before me.

⁴You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. ⁵You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, ⁶but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments.

⁷You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not acquit anyone who misuses his name.

⁸Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. ⁹Six days you shall labor and do all your work. ¹⁰But the seventh day is a sabbath to the LORD your God; you shall not do any work—you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your livestock, or the alien resident in your towns.

¹¹For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but rested the seventh day; therefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day and consecrated it.

¹²Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

¹³You shall not murder.

¹⁴You shall not commit adultery.

¹⁵You shall not steal.

¹⁶You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

¹⁷You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM:

Psalm 19

L: The heavens declare the glory of God,
and the firmament shows his handiwork.

**C: One day tells its tale to another,
and one night imparts knowledge to another.**

L: Although they have no words or language,
and their voices are not heard,

**C: their sound has gone out into all lands,
and their message to the ends of the world.**

L: In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber; it rejoices like a champion to run its course.

C: It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens and runs about to the end of it again; nothing is hidden from its burning heat.

L: The law of the LORD is perfect and revives the soul;
the testimony of the LORD is sure and gives wisdom to the innocent.

**C: The statutes of the LORD are just and rejoice the heart;
the commandment of the LORD is clear and gives light to the eyes.**

L: The fear of the LORD is clean and endures forever;
the judgments of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.

**C: More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold,
sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb.**

L: By them also is your servant enlightened,
and in keeping them there is great reward.

C: Who can tell how often he offends?

Cleanse me from my secret faults.

L: Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins; let them not get
dominion over me; then shall I be whole and sound, and innocent
of a great offense.

**C: Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be
acceptable in your sight, O LORD, my strength and my redeemer.**

SECOND LESSON:

1 Corinthians 1:18-25

The Second Lesson is from First Corinthians chapter one.

¹⁸The message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing,
but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. ¹⁹For it is written,

“I will destroy the wisdom of the wise,

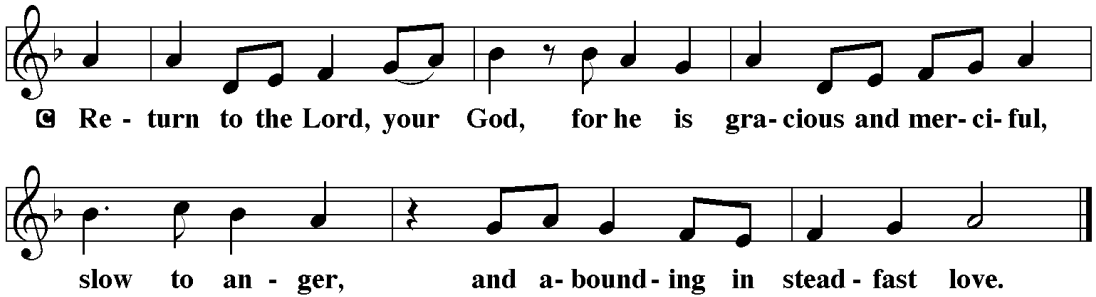
and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart.”

²⁰Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater
of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? ²¹For
since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wis-
dom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save
those who believe. ²²For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom,
²³but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolish-
ness to Gentiles, ²⁴but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks,
Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. ²⁵For God’s foolishness
is wiser than human wisdom, and God’s weakness is stronger than human
strength.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

*VERSE



*GOSPEL:

John 2:13-22

V: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the second chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

¹³The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. ¹⁴In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money changers seated at their tables. ¹⁵Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. ¹⁶He told those who were selling the doves, "Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father's house a marketplace!" ¹⁷His disciples remembered that it was written, "Zeal for your house will consume me." ¹⁸The Jews then said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?" ¹⁹Jesus answered them, "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up." ²⁰The Jews then said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?" ²¹But he was speaking of the temple of his body. ²²After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

V: The Gospel of the Lord. **C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

(Please be seated.)

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY *Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed* (LBW 98)



1 A - las! And did my Sav - ior bleed, and did my sov-'reign die?
2 Was it for sins that I had done he groaned up - on the tree?
3 Well might the sun in dark - ness hide and shut its glo - ries in
4 Thus might I hide my blush - ing face while his dear cross ap - pears,
5 But tears of grief can - not re - pay the debt of love I owe;



Would he de - vote that sa - cred head for sin - ners such as I?
A - maz - ing pit - y, grace un-known, and love be - yond de - gree!
when God, the might - y mak - er, died for his own crea - tures' sin.
dis - solve my heart in thank - ful - ness, and melt my eyes to tears.
here, Lord, I give my - self a - way: 'tis all that I can do.

CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

He descended into hell.*

On the third day he rose again.

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

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.**

Amen

THE PRAYERS

L: Relying on the promises of God, we pray boldly for the church, the world, and all in need.

There is no God before you. Purify the faith of your church, that your people place their trust in nothing beside you. Your name is holy. Guide your church, that in every situation your people's words and actions honor your name. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

L: The heavens declare your glory. Renew your creation. Provide leaders in the struggle for clean air and water; protect creatures and crops that rely on healthy ecosystems; give all people the willingness to repent when our way of life pollutes the earth and skies. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

L: Your foolishness is wiser than human wisdom. Fill leaders with the foolishness of your peace and mercy. Your law defends the vulnerable. Work through legislators, judicial systems, and systems of law enforcement to protect the well-being and freedom of all. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

L: Your weakness is stronger than human strength. Protect those who are vulnerable and give courage to all who are suffering, especially those on our prayer list, in our hearts, and whom we now name silently or aloud. Defend victims of crime and bring redemption to those who have harmed others. Give sabbath rest to all who labor. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

L: You call us to proclaim Christ crucified. Give clarity to this congregation and our leaders, so that we might follow Christ beyond our own habits and comfort. Clear out anything in our common life that would obscure the gospel or that serves our own interests. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

L: The cross of Christ is your power for all who are being saved. Thank you for (*Perpetua, Felicity, Marvin Kime, William Beamer, Boneta Fair, Adeline Rose Lang and Marilyn Ross*) and all the saints and martyrs whose witness reveals the power of the cross. Give us the same trust in life and in death. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

L: We entrust ourselves and all our prayers to you, O faithful God, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

OFFERING



Let the vine- yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of
bless- ing. Gath- er a har- vest from the seeds that were sown, that we may be
fed with the bread of life. Gath- er the hopes and dreams of all; u -
nite them with the prayers we of - fer. Grace our ta - ble with your
pres - ence, and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

V: Let us pray.

Merciful Father,

C: we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—
our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love.
Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus
Christ our Lord. Amen

DIALOGUE

P The Lord be with you. **C** And al - so with you.

P Lift up your hearts. **C** We lift them to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C It is right to give him thanks and praise.

PREFACE

P It is indeed right and sal - u - tar - y that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks and praise to you, O Lord, ho - ly Fa - ther, through Christ our Lord. You bid your people cleanse their hearts and prepare with joy for the pas - chal feast. Re - new our zeal in faith and life, and bring us to the fullness of grace that belongs to the chil - dren of God. And so, with the Church on earth and the hosts of heav - en, we praise your name and join their un - end - ing hymn:

SANCTUS



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might:
Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

THANKSGIVING

V: You are indeed holy, almighty and merciful God;
you are most holy, and great is the majesty of your glory.
You so loved the world that you gave your only Son,
that whoever believes in him may not perish but have eternal life.
Having come into the world, he fulfilled for us your holy will
and accomplished our salvation.
In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.
Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering, therefore, his salutary command,
his life-giving Passion and death,
his glorious resurrection and ascension,
and his promise to come again,
we give thanks to you, Lord God Almighty,
not as we ought, but as we are able;
and we implore you mercifully to accept our praise and
thanksgiving,
and, with your Word and Holy Spirit, to bless us, your servants,
and these your own gifts of bread and wine;
that we and all who share in the body and blood of your Son
may be filled with heavenly peace and joy,
and, receiving the forgiveness of sin, may be sanctified in soul
and body, and have our portion with all your saints.
All honor and glory are yours, O God, Father, Son, and Holy
Spirit, in your holy Church, now and forever.

C:Amen

***LORD'S PRAYER**

**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 DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Please come forward single file observing the 6 foot distancing rule. Vicar Taylor will give you the elements in pre-sealed, single servings without touching hands. Bring the elements with you back to your seat and wait. We will all partake in the meal simultaneously at the Vicar's direction:

The body of Christ given for you.

The blood of Christ shed for you.

COMMUNION HYMN



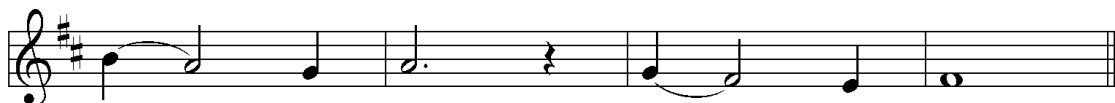
☒ Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;



grant us peace, grant us peace.

***POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

V: Let us pray.

Pour out upon us the spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of those whom you have fed with one heavenly food; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

***BLESSING**

V: The Lord bless you and keep you.

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

The Lord look upon you with favor and ☩ give you peace.

C: Amen

***DISMISSAL**

V: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

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THANKS and APPRECIATION to Sara Shank
for providing our music this morning.

Worship will be livestreamed on YouTube at 11AM on our Bendersville Lutheran Parish channel (this info can also be found on our website). You can also listen to the most recent worship service by calling (717) 200-2021. New recordings are available on Sunday afternoons and will be available all week.

Worship Assistants

Lector

J Jayne Weaver

C Cindy Baugher

B Bruce Schachle

Ushers

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Ginger & Loren Mortorff

Altar Guild

Harold & Kathy Stoner

Deb & Dave Copenhaver

Kathy Singley

Altar Flowers:

J: *To the Glory of God*

C: *To the Glory of God*

B: *To the Glory of God*

Parish Meetings:

All meetings begin at 7 p.m. via ZOOM unless otherwise stated.

Internship Committee Meeting Tues., March 9

Christ Council Tues., March 16

Worship/ Meeting Schedule for March 14

Due to **Vicar Taylor's Internship project meetings**—*developing a mission and vision statement with the parish*—we will use the following schedule for Sunday, March 14:

St. James Service 8 am

Christ Meeting at 9:00 am with Service at 9:45 am

Bethlehem Service at 11 am

In case of cancellation of services on March 14, the schedule will be :

March 21— St. James Service 8 am

Christ Meeting at 9:00 am with Service at 9:45 am

Bethlehem Service at 11 am

***After Vicar's Meetings are completed the Sunday Services
will return to our normal schedule:***

8:25am St. James, Wenksville—Worship with Holy Communion
8:30am Christ, Aspers—Sunday School
9:45am Christ, Aspers—Worship with Holy Communion
11:00am Bethlehem, Bendersville—Worship with Holy Communion

Please be aware that **Vicar Taylor's Internship project meetings—*developing a mission and vision statement with the parish***— will also be held in April. See the March Newsletter for the dates and service times.

Volunteers Needed: Conference and Synod Assembly Reps

Each congregation needs 2 representatives (6 total) to the conference and to the synod. Please prayerfully consider whether you may be called and/or equipped to serve the church this way, and contact your council president (Chris Cuttitta, Julie Haller, or Henry Taylor) with interest.

Requirements:

- Availability to attend the conference assembly on March 28th, 2021 at 1:00PM in-person outdoors at Camp Nawakwa.
- Availability to attend the Synod assembly on June 4th (evening) and June 5th (all day) via Zoom.
- Technological capability for the synod assembly: internet access, one device with a microphone and camera to participate in the meeting, and another device (such as a smartphone) to use for voting.

Strong suggestions:

- Availability to attend preparatory educational seminars online on EITHER May 8th or May 22nd online.
- Gender diversity (1 man and 1 woman from each congregation)

New Worship-From-Home Option

Bendersville Lutheran Parish has begun the use of "Sermon By Phone" services. Starting in March, you can listen to the most recent worship service on your phone by dialing one easy phone number unique to our parish (717-200-2021). New recordings will be available on Sunday afternoons.

Services will still be available through YouTube but no longer via ZOOM. For YouTube viewing go to Bendersville Lutheran Parish on YouTube or find it on our website. Services will be live at 11am and available for viewing anytime later in the day or week.

LOOKING AHEAD TO HOLY WEEK

Maundy Thursday (4/1)—Outdoor service at St. James at 5 pm,
indoor service at Christ at 7 pm

Good Friday (4/2)—Outdoor service at St. James at 5 pm,
indoor service at Bethlehem at 7 pm

(Online service will also be provided for Maundy Thursday and Good Friday.)

Easter Dawn (4/4)—Outdoor "Lessons and Songs" Service at Bethlehem at 6:45am with donuts and coffee. (This service will be cancelled if inclement weather.)

Easter Sunday Services* (4/4) - Regular service times for each congregation

***EASTER SUNDAY RSVP**

To assist with plans for proper social distancing and risk assessment for worship on Easter Sunday, please RSVP to the church office by email, phone, or some other written notice. Let us know if you plan to attend worship in-person on Easter Sunday, which service you plan to attend, and how many people will be in your "party". (i.e., will you have extra family/friends with you?)

Midweek Lenten Series: The Cross

On Wednesdays in Lent (through March 24), UACT pastoral leaders will be leading Lenten reflections on the cross via Zoom at 7PM. Congregations will be able to "break out" from the larger group during discussion times using Zoom's technology. Each week will include prayer, scripture, and a short presentation. Topics include medical aspects of the cross, the cross in the first century context, the cross and our salvation, the cross and the oppressed, and the cross in the passion narrative. Contact Vicar Taylor with interest, questions, or concerns. We'd love to have you!

Join by Phone: Dial 1 (301) 715-8592 Meeting ID: 863 0088 7213

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86300887213>

Lenten Prayer Break

On Wednesdays in Lent (through March 24), consider sharing your "lunch break" in conversation with God and community. at noon each Wednesday, Vicar Taylor will go "live" on the Bendersville Lutheran Parish Facebook page for a ~15 minute prayer break using some music from Holden Evening Prayer. Share your prayer requests live in the comments if you can, or ahead of time via email or phone. Don't have a Facebook account? No problem! The Facebook page can be viewed with internet access at <https://www.facebook.com/BendersvilleLutheranParish/>.

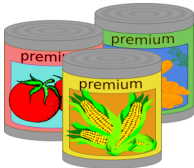
For all your pastoral needs please contact

Vicar Taylor Berdahl

at 512-773-9565 or email her at *tberdahl@uls.edu*.

In Honor or In Memory of.....

If you would like to memorialize or honor a loved one on a special birthday or anniversary please call or email Vicar Taylor ((512) 773-9565 or tberdahl@uls.edu) or the church office (717-677-9880 or 3churches@centurylink.net). They will be included by name in the Prayers of Intercession for that Sunday. If you want to share more about their story or example of faith, please send or email that information to the church office (P. O. Box 449, Bendersville, PA 17306 or 3churches@centurylink.net) to be put into the bulletin.



REMEMBER OUR BLESSING BOXES

Things we need to include:

Mac 'n cheese, soups, canned pasta meals (aka chef Boyardee), instant potatoes, canned veggies, canned meat, canned fruit/fruit cups, instant rice, pasta, spaghetti sauce, beans (dried or canned), fruit gummies, sugary cereal, peanut butter, applesauce, instant cereal/oatmeal, toiletries (TP, paper towels, feminine hygiene products, toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap, hand sanitizer)

Our Blessing Boxes are definitely filling a need in our community.

Here are a few additional ideas of things we might think about contributing:

Shelf stable milk, powdered milk, can openers, canned food with pop tops, oil (cooking, vegetable, canola, olive, etc), spices, salt, pepper, tea bags, coffee, sugar, flour, tuna packets, crackers (all kinds). bread, cake mix, frosting, dishwashing detergent, laundry detergent

Please don't buy bulk dry goods (rice, beans, pasta, etc.) and re-package at home. Due to food safety concerns, only factory sealed packaging should be put in the box.

Be aware of glass items that might freeze

THANKS TO ALL WHO HAVE DONATED!

**DON'T
FORGET:**



COVID-19 Vaccines

As we desire to be together again and as we work for the collective safety of the community around us, we'd like to collect a voluntary confidential internal list of vaccinated members of Bendersville Lutheran Parish. Vaccination will be an important factor for the COVID-19 Task Force's decision making about the life of the church in the next several months, including in-person worship, the safety of singing, opportunities for food ministry and fellowship, and much more. If you are getting vaccinated against COVID-19 and are comfortable sharing with the members of the COVID-19 Task Force (Vicar Taylor Berdahl, Chris Cuttitta, Julie Haller, and Dr. Bettina McBeth), please contact Vicar Taylor by email or phone.

NEED FOR PARISH SECRETARY

The Bendersville Lutheran Parish is seeking a part-time parish secretary (15-20 hrs/wk). Our office is located at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 126 Church St., Bendersville, PA.

For a complete job description and a job application and how to apply, please visit our website:

bendersvillelutheranparish.com under the **Employment** menu option.

Questions can also be directed to our office via phone, 717-677-9880 (please leave a message), or through our email, 3churches@centurylink.net.

Please consider this employment opportunity that could fit your schedule with very flexible work hours, determined by the hiring committee and you.

Any interested parish members can also contact a member of our hiring committee:

(Cindy Baugher, Vicki Cuttitta and Carol Rex)

PLEASE HELP US SPREAD THE WORD!

Christ, Aspers BLESSING BOX: BOOK DRIVE

We'd like to expand our Blessing Box ministry to include books as well as food! We will be collecting books (new or lightly used) for all ages and reading levels in the Sunday School room at Christ, Aspers. Please bring books that have enriched you or children in your life that you would share with your friends and family (save the books you're simply ready to get rid of for the recycling bin, please!) Thank you for your participation in expanding this ministry.





Prayer List - Parish Members

Dixie Atha c
Mike Atha c
Shawn Atha c
Ruth Bretzman b
Adam Clapsadl j
Bob Cooley c
Chris Cooley c
Lee Dugan b
Shelvey Dugan b

Joyce Eicholtz j
Harold Garretson b
Whanettah Harvey c
Diane Heller c
Fay Heller j
John Heller c
Betty Henry c
James Hollabaugh b
David McCartney j

Jim McGraw c
Paula McGraw c
Bill Slaybaugh j
Donna G. Taylor
Jayne Weaver j
Mike Wolfe c

Friends of Parish:

Jean Behney
Barbara Bosak
Bev Bretzman
Ivan Bretzman
George Carey
Nancy Cline
Jeanne Cuttitta
Helen Daniels
Sue Garretson

Mija Gibboney Serrano
Ryder & River Serrano
Jay Hall
Harold Heller
Linda Heller
Nick Heller & Family
Donna Kime
Jeannette Kime
Chris Lang Family

Chris McBeth
Pastor Bob McEllroy
Barb Mahoney
Emily Maiolo
Zach Pelc
Richard Price
Ginny Rinehart
Ken Slaybaugh
Jerry and Peggy Tyson

With Deepest Sympathy

*We extend our sympathy to the families of those who have died I
n the faith and who are now at rest with their eternal Father*

(our saints who have gone before us):

William Beamer, Boneta Fair,

Adeline Rose Lang and Marilyn Ross