



# Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

*Connecting with God; Connecting with Others; Connecting others with God*

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## WeekIE-Newsletter: May 27

### COMING UP AT ZION & WITHIN THE WIDER CHURCH

#### **Sunday, May 29**

\* *The altar flowers are sponsored by Harry and Janet Musselman in celebration of their 63<sup>rd</sup> anniversary on June 27.*

\* *The bulletins are sponsored by Bob Wildasin in memory of Cleo Wildasin's life and death, who died on May 29, 2016.*

\* *The communion elements are sponsored by Jo Stone in honor of all the men and women who have died while serving our country.*

In-Person Worship – 9:00 a.m.

Livestream/Recorded Worship – 9:00 a.m.

Link: [http://bit.ly/Zion\\_Live](http://bit.ly/Zion_Live)

Sunday Scholars Class – 10:15 a.m. (Parlor)

No Wired Word Sunday School

#### **Monday, May 30 – Memorial Day**

Memorial Day Yard Sale – All morning [*Come help hand out water!*]

Food Pantry Closed

Office Closed

#### **Tuesday, May 31**

Bible Study – 9 - 10:30 a.m. (Parlor)

#### **Wednesday, June 1**

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

#### **Thursday, June 2**

Community Meal – 5:30 p.m.

No Choir [*Will resume in September*]

#### **Friday, June 3**

Bridge – 1:00 p.m. (Cooper House)

#### **Saturday, June 4**

Meet & Greet Rev. Timothy Seitz-Brown – 6:00– 8:00 p.m.

#### **Sunday, June 5**

In-Person Worship – 9:00 a.m.

Livestream/Recorded Worship – 9:00 a.m.

Link: [http://bit.ly/Zion\\_Live](http://bit.ly/Zion_Live)

Congregational Meeting – Following the service

No Sunday Scholars Class

Wired Word Sunday School – 10:15 a.m. (Zone/Zoom)

Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, & EVENTS



Be sure to come to worship next Sunday (June 5)! Pastor Timothy Seitz-Brown, candidate to be Zion's next called pastor, will be leading worship. A congregational meeting will be held after the service to vote on whether to call him.

### **MEET & GREET: Saturday, June 4**

All are welcome to come meet and greet call candidate Pastor Timothy Seitz-Brown at a drop-in on Saturday, June 4 from 6-8 p.m.



### **JUNE 12 at 9:00 a.m.**

Mark your calendar for worship in the Cooper House yard on June 12! Feel free to dress casually...and be sure to bring your own chair (or blanket if you prefer to sit on the grass).

### **MEMORIAL DAY YARD SALE – THIS MONDAY!**

Zion will be handing out water for those passing by at the Annual Landisville Memorial Day Yard Sale on Monday, May 30! Please sign up on the bulletin board in the Narthex to help at the table.



### **PICNIC IN THE PARK**

Were you unable to come to the picnic this week? No worries! There will be another one next month on Thursday, June 30...same time (11:30 a.m.), same place (Rapho Twp. Park Pavilion).

### **2022 GRADUATES**

Please contact the church office with names of graduates this year!



### **ASSISTING MINISTER SCHEDULES**

The schedule for July-December has been emailed out to all Assisting Ministers. If you did not receive it, please let Jenn Pipkin know ([luvs2iron@comcast.net](mailto:luvs2iron@comcast.net) or 717-471-8605).

### **TRANSPORTATION**

If you are in need of transportation to medical appointments or to any of our services, please contact Judy Traup ([traup201@comcast.net](mailto:traup201@comcast.net) or 717-898-0625).



**ORGAN RECITAL: Saturday, June 18**



**Organ  
Recital**

*Featuring...*  
**John Landis**

**Saturday, June 18**  
**3:00 pm**

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**ReVITALization**



*Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. [1 Peter 4:10 NIV]*

This scripture reading speaks to the essence of Zion's **ReVITALization** initiative and echoes Zion's own Statement of Purpose: "United in Christ, we are called to love and serve." We develop a heart for service by asking God to show us how to use the gifts He's given us to benefit others. In this way, we offer our expressions of thanks

and gratitude for the abundance He's blessed us with. Through His ministry of service, Jesus introduced many to God's goodness and love. We can do the same by following His model of discipleship.

*What act of service have we done, or have we seen others doing that will help the **ReVITALization** tree on the wall of our narthex continue to grow, flourish and become even more fruitful? We're off to a great start. Let's keep it going.*

## SHARING OUR SUCCESS PROGRAM

This is a program through the Knight and Day and the Park City Diners where they will donate 10% of your total bill back to Zion! All you have to do when you pay is give Zion's name to the cashier and they will then apply the donation amount to the church. You do not need a special card anymore!

	<p><b>SHARING OUR SUCCESS</b> The Knight and Day Diner The Park City Diner sosparkcitydiner@gmail.com</p>	
<p>THE PARK CITY DINER 884 Plaza Blvd. Lancaster, PA 17601 717-435-8512 parkcitydiner.us</p>	 <p>Open 24 Hours Every Day</p>	<p>THE KNIGHT AND DAY DINER 3140 Lititz Pike Lititz, PA. 17543 717-490-6198 <a href="http://knddiner.com">knddiner.com</a></p>

## THANK YOU

...from Judie Ingersoll

*Thank you so much for the gift bag. Your thoughtfulness and generosity is deeply appreciated.*

...from Thelma Pearson

*Thank you for the Easter gift. I was so sorry I was at the doctors when Adele came. Marie enjoyed meeting her and they had a nice chat*

## OUR DAILY BREAD DEVOTIONAL BOOKLETS

The June/July/August Our Daily Bread devotionals are available for you to get on the ushers' table in the Narthex.

## WE'VE BEEN ASKED...

*I have noticed the lights in the front of the church change from week to week. What's up?*  
The Property and Worship/Music Committees have been working on the lighting. An electrician will adjust the lights in the near future to balance the light needed to brighten the altar area and then lessen the light needed to made the screen more visible.

## JOYFUL NOISE

This Sunday is the last day to give to Tenfold, the May Joyful Noise recipient. In June the collection will go to Anchor Lancaster, an organization that provides a hot breakfast, a warm shower every weekday, and aids with other essential needs for individuals in the community.

## ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES: 10:15 a.m.



### ...IN THE ZONE & ON ZOOM

*This class explores current events and other relevant topics within a biblical and Christian framework.*

*This class will not meet this Sunday. After June 12, the class will take a break for the summer. If you are interested in participating in this class via Zoom on June 5 or 12, you can sign on at:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>*



### ...IN THE PARLOR

*The Adam Hamilton video program “Unafraid” is the current focus of this class study. This program is a series of videos that help us deal with fear—personal and collective fear, false fears; anxiety; and a world that seems to be falling apart. With our nation in crisis, and as a congregation looking to revitalize its ministries, the message of this series can equip us to deal with the challenges that face us. The class can also teach us how to deal with life’s everyday problems: sickness, aging, retirement, death and loss of relationships.*

*The class will consist of Bible study with intriguing video presentations by pastor Adam Hamilton. We meet each Sunday morning at the close of worship service in the Parlor. If you have an interest in learning how to cope with change and an unknown future, this class is for you. This class will not meet on June 5 or 12.*



### TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

All are invited to come to the Tuesday morning Bible Study at 9:00 a.m. The study will follow the lectionary readings in preparation for the upcoming Sunday’s lessons. Questions? Contact Millie (717-898-2313).

### EMAIL COMMUNICATION

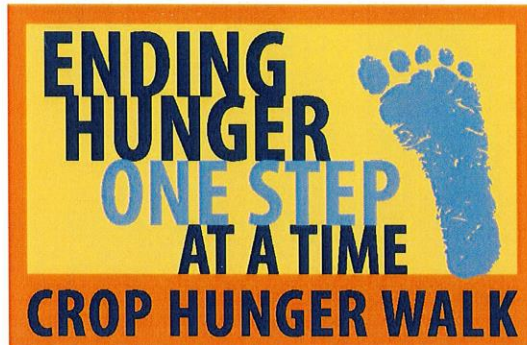
If you are not receiving communication via email (i.e. Daily Devotionals, WeekIE-Newsletter, Sunday Worship/Bulletin/Sunday School Info.) please let Anne know. Also, be sure to check your spam or junk boxes to make sure they are not going in there instead of the inbox.



### Marvin & Wenda Ruch

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# Save the Date



The 50th Anniversary of the  
Lancaster CROP Walk

**October 16, 2022**

**Time: TBA**

at the

**Annunciation Greek  
Orthodox Church**

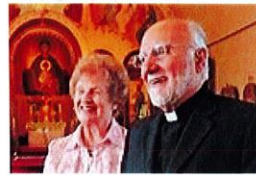
64 Hershey Ave.

Lancaster, PA

Honorary Chairpersons



*Matt Barcaro*



*Father & Mrs. Veronis*

<https://events.crophungerwalk.org/2022/event/lancasterpa>

For more information contact

Rev. Dr. Chris Rankin

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## IN CASE YOU MISSED IT...



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Adele King  
Church Council President

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To: The Congregation of Zion Lutheran Church, Landisville, PA.  
From: Adele King, President of the Congregational Council  
Date: May 15, 2022

On April 21st, Bob Wildasin, the chairperson of the Call Committee, gave me a letter stating that the committee "enthusiastically and unanimously" recommends a pastor for consideration, under the Covenant for Renewal. The committee worked over a two year period, looking over personal profiles, interviewing 7 candidates, culminating with this recommendation. We must thank the committee for their endless dedication to this endeavor: Bob Wildasin, Lisa Nelson, Brenda Stover, Lynda Sherwood, Steve Haun, and Al Ramer.

Following the call manual, a meeting was held with the assistant to the bishop to go over the specific financial forms that the synod required. John Hay worked very hard to supply the initial financial information. We then held a meeting to follow those guidelines. Afterward, we, the Council, met with the Call Committee to answer our questions and gain more information. Then the council interviewed the candidate: Pastor Timothy Seitz-Brown.

I will provide a brief summary of his background: He is a husband to Ann and father of three adult children: CJ, Marybeth, and Jeremy. An ELCA pastor since 1987, he has served congregations in Lancaster, Biglerville, Thomasville, Ephrata and Easton. From 1993-2016, he partnered with his wife, Ann, an associate in ministry, as a pastoral team. In September, 2016, he participated in a Christian Peacemaker Teams delegation to Iraqi Kurdistan. From 1999-2000, he served as an ELCA Global Mission volunteer, teaching Bible Knowledge at Manor Lutheran Jr. Seminary in Tanzania. Before becoming a pastor, Tim was a fish farming extension officer/ US Peace Corps volunteer in Jamaica from 1981-83. He is active in the synod (Towards Racial Justice team member and Konde Diocese committee member) and in the community (Poor People's Campaign). Born in Washington, DC, he is a fan of that city's sports teams. He also enjoys reading, travel, reggae music and playing the card game 313.

After our interview and discussion, we too, voted "enthusiastically and unanimously" (one member being absent) to recommend this candidate. In our minutes, it reads: "This unanimous vote on May 9, 2022 recommends Pastor Tim Seitz-Brown as the Covenant for Renewal Pastor for Zion Lutheran Church in Landisville, PA upon congregational approval." My heartfelt thanks to those who gave so much of their time to go through this process: Dave Dumeyer, Diane Ramer, Cathy Benedict, Randy Miller, Kim Paternoster, Denise Haun, Amy Thompson, John Hay, Lisa Nelson, Pastor Melody Sell, Anne Rankin, Brenda Stover, and Phil Houseal.



Our next step is to call a special congregational meeting, which we have set as Sunday, June 5, right after the Service. Our constitution states that “notice of all meetings of this congregation shall be given at the services of worship on the preceding two consecutive Sundays and by mail or electronic means, as permitted by state law, to all voting members at least 10 days in advance of the date of the meeting.” Also, ten percent of the voting members shall constitute a quorum. According to the call manual, the “congregational meeting will take place after he has led worship and preached for the congregation.” Please make every effort to be present that day to hear him preach and to vote on this candidate.

It is pertinent that you know, in advance, that the financial package has been agreed to. He will be a full-time pastor and, as such, will be granted a base salary of \$66,020. With social security, his total defined compensation comes to \$71,493. His pension, health insurance, disability, continuing education and retiree support then raises this end figure to \$90,053. He was able to help us a bit by carrying health insurance through his wife’s employer.

One day prior to this meeting, on June 4, we will be preparing a “meet and greet” to enable anyone who would like to come out and meet the pastor. This will be held at the church at 6 P.M. and will continue until 8 P.M. Hopefully, this will provide an opportunity to get to know him better, and allow those who do not like to drive at night a chance to get back home in daylight.

Please join your Council and Call Committee in presenting Pastor Timothy Seitz-Brown to as many of you as we can. And, then, on the 5th, attend the special meeting of the congregation to vote on this candidate. We hope you find him as genuine as we did, and also hope you get the feeling that he certainly “walks with Jesus!”

With Blessings to each of you,

Adele King

## **PRAYER LIST** ***FOR HEALING***

Connie Alsedek  
Dolly Overly  
Doug Grow  
Marvin Ruch  
Kate Donnan  
Barbara Williams  
Don Heartter  
Joe Adams  
Judie Ingersoll  
Bill Grove  
Kay Crawford  
Holly Hoover  
Sam King  
Mary Zimmerman  
Janet & Harry Musselman  
Family & Friends of Ken & Mary Reisig (Friend of the congregation)  
Lori Weber (Daughter of Dolly Overly)



Loma Slike (Mother of Sue Wise)  
Bobbi (Friend of a member)  
William Hartman (Father of Deb Grube)  
Meghan Frey (Friend of the congregation)  
Ashley LaFata & Mike Walker (Bill & Julia Grove's Granddaughter & Husband)  
Mike LaFata (Son-in-law of Bill & Julia Grove)

## ***FOR COMFORT, PEACE, STRENGTH, & SAFETY***

Family & friends of Floyd Jury who died on May 10.  
Thelma Pearson  
Lucy Davis  
Betty Stoner  
Arlene Miller  
Deb McCartney  
George Potts  
Richard & Marilyn Heim  
Jess, Matt, & Grant Barcaro  
Dorothy and Bill Mattern (Parents of Denise Haun)  
Ruth Burkett (Mother of Deb Long)  
Ed & Dotty Sites (Parents of Cathy Benedict)  
Arlene Wise (Sister-in-law of Dave Wise)  
Vaun Hile (Father of Lynda Sherwood)  
Jennifer Kready (Daughter of Dave & Donna Dumeyer)

## ***FOR PROTECTION***

Evan Benedict  
Christopher Wright  
Chris Andrew  
Thom Whitesel  
Ryan Stitzel  
Doug Kautter  
Justin Gorlaski  
Tyler Duke (Great Grandson of Jan Reeves)  
Jared Shiner (Grandson of Diane Gerlach)  
Corey Landis (Nephew of Jesse & Pat Landis)  
David Adams (Son-in-law of John & Kathleen Hay, and husband of Liz)

## ***IN CELEBRATION & REMEMBRANCE***

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

27 <sup>th</sup> – Kyle Brady	30 <sup>th</sup> – Jim Gundel
28 <sup>th</sup> – Richard Heim	1 <sup>st</sup> – Isaac Rhoads
29 <sup>th</sup> – John Hinkle, Zachary Barr, Ava Stream	4 <sup>th</sup> – Josh Deibler

### **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!**

3<sup>rd</sup> – John & Kathleen Hay

## **MINISTRY LEADERS**

Ministers	Members of the Congregation
Interim Pastor	Rev. Melody Sell
Music Director	John Landis
Parish Administrator	Anne Rankin
Worship Technology Assistant	David Albin
Lay Ministry Assistant	Diane Gerlach
Council President	Adele King
Council Vice President	Dave Dumeyer
Sextons	Brian Bourassa (a.m.) Tom Miller (p.m.)

## **WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFO.**

In-Person Worship	Sundays @ 9:00 a.m.
Livestream & Recorded Link for all services	<a href="http://bit.ly/Zion_Live">http://bit.ly/Zion_Live</a>
Sunday Scholars Class (Parlor)	Sundays @ 10:15 a.m. (Not meeting on 6/5 or 6/12)
Wired Word Class (Zone & Zoom)	Sundays @ 10:15 a.m. thru 6/12 <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266</a> (No Class This Sunday)
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