

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

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WeeklE-Newsletter: July 9

COMING UP AT ZION & WITHIN THE WIDER CHURCH

Sunday, July 11

- * The altar flowers are sponsored by Janet & Harry Musselman in loving memory of Pat Lohr. Janet & Pat were best friends for 70 years...and never had a single argument!
- * The yellow rose bud is in celebration of Betty Stoner's 100th birthday on Friday, July 16! Betty has been a member of Zion for 79 years!
- * The bulletins are sponsored by Bob Wildasin to the glory of God.
- * The communion elements are sponsored by Jeff & Amy Thompson in honor of Sarah & Connor's anniversary.

In-Person Worship – 9:00 a.m.

Livestream Worship – 9:00 a.m.

Link: http://bit.ly/Zion_Live

Adult Sunday School – 10:00 a.m. (Parlor, following worship)

Mt. Gretna Tabernacle – 7:00 p.m. (Darryl Strawberry, former MLB Baseball player)

Monday, July 12

Food Pantry -10 a.m. -1 p.m.

Property – 7:00 p.m. (Social Room)

Tuesday, July 13

Bible Study -9 - 10:30 a.m. (Parlor)

Finance -6:30 p.m.

Social Outreach – 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 14

Food Pantry -10 a.m. -1 p.m.

Thursday, July 15

Friday, July 16

Saturday, July 17

Betty Stoner's 100^{th} Birthday Drive-By Meet, Greet, & Eat Celebration -1-3 p.m. (80 Elizabeth St., Landisville)

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Presbyterian Church, Hershey: "Checking our Blind Spots")

ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, & EVENTS

OUTDOOR SERVICE LAST SUNDAY

If you weren't able to be at the service last Sunday, below is a picture that gives a glimpse into the morning...being outdoors in God's creation is, indeed, a wonderful way to worship. There was uplifting music and a meaningful message; sharing the Good News in fellowship with each other was what the morning was all about. The next outdoor service will be on August 1 at 9:00 a.m., again in the Cooper House yard.



ZION NIGHT AT THE BARNSTORMERS: Aug. 18

Zion Members & Friends: Tickets can be purchased now for the Zion Night at the Barnstormers game on Wednesday, August 18, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Zion has reserved a block of 30 seats along the third base line (bring your mitt for any foul balls!). The church will be recognized during the announcements and our



very own Dave Albin will sing the National Anthem to open the game! Tickets cost \$12.00/adult (12 and over) and \$9/child (ages 3-11) (no cost for under 3). *Do not let the cost of a ticket deter you*; contact the church office if you need financial help to offset the cost. Tickets will be put in your church mailbox once we have your check for the full amount made payable to "Zion Ev. Lutheran Church" (mark baseball game in memo line). *This is a great opportunity to come together, have fun, and enjoy a night out at the ballpark!*

SUMMER STEWARDSHIP OF TIME AND RESOURCES

Please remember Zion during the summer months. Your involvement, financial giving, worship attendance are blessings to the church.

JOYFUL NOISE COLLECTION

Through July, Joyful Noise contributions will go to the Hempfield Rec's "Everybody Belongs" program. This program ensures that no one is turned away due to financial insecurity. Labeled buckets to place your offering is on the table in the back and in the front of the Sanctuary.



PICNIC IN THE PARK

The next Picnic in the Park gathering will be on Thursday, July 29 at 11:30 at Rapho Township Community Park Pavilion. It is a fun time for all ages! There is always room at the tables for more...come for a while, come for a few minutes...just come and say hi! All are welcome.

Faith Formation

• ADULT IN-PERSON SUNDAY SCHOOL

This class meets each Sunday after the worship service in the parlor.

• CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BAGS

Bags are available for children during worship and to then take home. They are located at the back of the Sanctuary.

• BIBLE STUDY

The adult Bible Study group meets on Tuesdays at 9:00 a.m. in the parlor. It is lectionary-based, focusing each week on the passages or theme for the upcoming Sunday.

SUMMER PROJECT - "PERSONAL CARE KIT"

This summer project is in full force as we continue to collect personal care items for Lutheran World Relief (LWR). Items purchased can be put in the bin in the Narthex across from the mailboxes. These kits, when completed, will be sent all over the world wherever there is a need.

Include the following items in each Personal Care Kit:

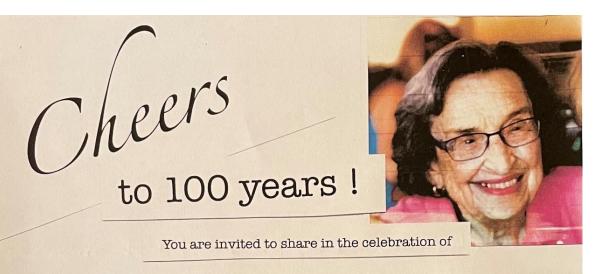
- One light-weight bath-size towel (20" X 40" to 52" X 27"), dark color recommended
- Two or three bath-size bars of soap equaling 8 to 9 oz, any brand, in original wrapping; no mini or hotel size bars
- One adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging*
- One sturdy comb (no picks or fine toothed combs); remove packaging
- One metal nail clippers (attached file optional), remove packaging
 - *Toothbrush multi-packs may be used by sealing an individual toothbrush in a business-size envelope; no plastic bags or wrap

When you have purchased every item needed for one kit, place the bagful in the collection box near the mailboxes. At the end of the summer, we will have a "kit assembly party" when we open each bag, assemble the kits as per LWR instructions, and pack them in cartons to ship. We have a goal of 50 kits! Can we do more than that?





BETTY'S 100th BIRTHDAY IS NEXT FRIDAY, JULY 16! If you haven't put a card in the mail yet, you have one more week!



BETTY W. STONER

and her momentous milestone. Here's how...

Card Shower:

Betty Stoner 80 Elizabeth St.

Landisville, PA 17538

(She LOVES getting mail and would LOVE hearing from YOU!)

Drive By Meet - Greet - and Eat:

at her home, Sat. July17 from 1-3pm.

Meet: Enter Elizabeth Street from Stony Battery Rd. Greet: Betty will welcome you at the end of her driveway. Eat: You will get a carry out lunch to take with you.







WINDOWS OF ZION

This week's featured "Window of Zion" is the window in the choir loft at the back of the Sanctuary.

The symbols in the two lancet windows behind the choir loft, are all found in Psalm 148 where everything in nature is exhorted to praise the Lord! When you read the psalm, while facing the windows, you will be able to follow the words. Begin at the top, and look at both sides. All these join together in a hymn of praise in rich jeweled colors.

Psalm 148 (NRSV)

Praise the LORD!

Praise the LORD from the heavens; praise him in the heights!

Praise him, all his <u>angels</u>; praise him, all his host!

Praise him, <u>sun</u> and <u>moon</u>; praise him, all you shining stars!

Praise him, <u>you highest heavens</u>, and you waters above the heavens!

Let them praise the name of the LORD, for he commanded and they were created.

He established them forever and ever; he fixed their bounds, which cannot be passed.

Praise the LORD from the earth, you <u>sea monsters</u> and all deeps, <u>fire</u> and <u>hail</u>, <u>snow</u> and <u>frost</u>, stormy <u>wind fulfilling</u> his command!

<u>Mountains</u> and all hills, <u>fruit trees</u> and all cedars! Wild <u>animals</u> and all cattle, <u>creeping things</u> and flying <u>birds</u>!

Kings of the earth and all <u>peoples</u>, princes and all rulers of the earth!

Young men and women alike, old and young together!

Let them praise the name of the LORD, for his name alone is exalted; his glory is above earth and heaven. He has raised up a horn for his people, praise for all his faithful, for the people of

Israel who are close to him. Praise the LORD!



COMMUNITY ADULT & CHILDREN'S VBS & FRIENDSHIP FEST





Trinity UCC
2340 State Street
East Petersburg, PA 17520
717-569-1632
www.trinityeastpete.org
No Fee
Free-will offerings benefit
Schreiber Center For

Pediatric Development.

VBS 2021

July 12-15 From 6:15 - 7:00 PM
Pre-Registration Required
Fun, Food, Crafts, Games, Music And More
For All Ages

Family and Adult programs

All the usual parts of VBS, but in a different way.

Join us as we learn together through "A Wrinkle In Time," about Our Special Gifts, How We Can Be Lights For Others To See By, How God Sees Things Differently, and The Power Of Love.

Pre-register your whole family from the website.

* Pre-registration, masks, and physical distancing are required.

Closing Program

July 16 Evening – Times TBA Magician

Friendship Fest

July 18 From 3:00 – 7:00 PM Food Trucks, Bounce House, Auscultation Brass Concert



Trinity United Church of Christ 2340 State St., East Petersburg, PA

AUSCULTATION



2021

JULY 18

3:00-7:00 PM

BRASS 5:30-6:30 PM



FOOD TRUCKS

15% OF ALL MONEY RAISED FROM FOOD TRUCKS & BOUNCE HOUSE WILL BENEFIT THE PRESCHOOL

MUSIC



BOUNCE HOUSE

FUN, FUN, FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!!!!!!

SUMMER EVENTS AT THE MOUNT GRETNA TABERNACLE

TRANQUIL SPIRITUAL 1892

Mt. Gretna Campmeeting

(All programs begin at 7:00 p.m.)

* **TONIGHT**: Darryl Strawberry, former MLB player Darryl's passion is serving the Lord Jesus Christ by speaking a message of hope & helping others transform their lives through the power of the gospel.

Music by Worship Ministry of Calvary Church (Lanc.). Music will begin at 6:30 p.m.

* Sun., July 18: Rev. Dr. Stephen McKinney Whitaker (Pastor at Derry Presbyterian Church, Hershey)

"Checking our Blind Spots", text from Mark 10:46-52

- * **Sun., July 25**: Alden Chorus; Directed by D. Darrell Woomer, Ph.D. *Voices from Alden Place Community Lebanon, PA*
- * Sun., August 1: Lancaster British Brass Band, Directed by Dr. Stephen Arthur Allen 28 instrumentalists from PA, MD, DE, and NJ play brass, winds, and percussion instruments. They are accomplished professional performers and teachers.
- * **Wed., Aug. 4** Music of the Gaithers *Hymn Sing, featuring Gaither music led by Rev. Bob Kettering and Dr. Rod Shearer.*
- * Sun., Aug. 8 National Christian Choir; Directed by Kathy Bowman Founded in 1984, the choir is called to glorify God through a unique ministry of music which draws people into a new and deeper relationship with him.
- * Sun., Aug. 15 Piercing Word to perform a Scriptural play "Stewardship".
- * Sun., Aug. 22: Susquehanna Chorale; Directed by Linda Tedford One of the premier choral groups in the nation makes its traditional late summer appearance.
- * Sun, Aug. 29 QuintEssentially Brass

A quintet with engaging personalities and sparkling instrumental performances ends another summer season.

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP AT THE TABERNACLE

* Every Sunday @ 10 a.m. in July and August, led by the Mt. Gretna United Methodist Church - Rev. Michael Remel, Pastor.

PRAYER LIST FOR HEALING

Shirley Cates

Doug Grow

Rick Long

Thelma Pearson

Marvin Ruch

Kate Donnan

Barbara Williams

Dave Wise

Don Heartter

Joe Adams

Judie Ingersoll

Bill Grove

Kay Crawford

Holly Hoover

Janet & Harry Musselman

Pastor JMe Lowden

Bobbi (Friend of a member)

William Hartman (Father of Deb Grube)

Meghan Frey (Friend of the congregation)

LaVon Harnish (Friend of Jeanette Bomberger)

Homer Dietz (Brother-in-law of Harry Musselman)

Ron Sahd (Friend of Dave Wise)

Loma Slike (Mother of Sue Wise)

Mike LaFata (Son-in-law of Bill & Julia Grove)

FOR COMFORT, PEACE, STRENGTH, & SAFETY

Lucy Davis

Nancy Smith

Betty Stoner

Arlene Miller

Deb McCartney

Bette Geibel

Richard & Marilyn Heim

George Potts

Jess, Matt, & Grant Barcaro

Family & Friends of Pat Lohr (Best friend of Janet Musselman for 70 years)

Ed & Dotty Sites (Parents of Cathy Benedict)

Brenda Alimo (Zion's Sponsored Child)

Arlene Wise (Sister-in-law of Dave Wise)

Vaun Hile (Father of Lynda Sherwood)
Jennifer Kready (Daughter of Dave & Donna Dumeyer)

FOR PROTECTION FOR MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

TODAY – Keith Anderson, Deb Long, Vicki Swade

10th – Amy Flood, Kristen Long

12th – Sue Hindes

15th – Matt Adams, Ryan Gunzenhauser, George Potts

16th – Betty Stoner (100th)

17th – Sam Myers, Barb Williams

18th – Colton Bear, Cindy Donell, Alane Klepper

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

TODAY – Brad & Lynda Sherwood

11th – Jim & Millie Gundel

12th – Rick & Diane Rainar

MINISTRY LEADERS

Ministers Members of the Congregation Rev. Melody Sell **Interim Pastor** 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 David Wise Sextons Brian Bourassa (a.m.) Tom Miller (p.m.) John Hay

July 11 Assisting Minister

Office Address

WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFORMATION

In-Person Worship Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. Livestream & Recorded Worship Link (9:00 a.m.) http://bit.ly/Zion_Live Worship will be held outdoors on Sunday, August 1 @ 9:00 a.m. (No livestream) Sunday School Class (Parlor) Sundays (except 7/4) @ 10:00 a.m. Church Office 717-898-2911 **Pastor** 570-916-8835 Parish Administrator 717-945-4585 Council President 610-247-1497 Office Email adminzelc@comcast.net prmsell2@ptd.net Pastor Email Council President Email adelel3@aol.com Music Director mail zionlandisvillemusic@gmail.com www.zionhempfield.net Website Facebook Zion Lutheran Hempfield 85 E. Brandt Blvd. Landisville, PA 17538 **Church Address**

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