



WeekE-Newsletter

COMING UP AT ZION & WITHIN THE WIDER CHURCH

Sunday, March 7

- * *The flowers are sponsored by Lisa Nelson in memory of Donald Nelson.*
- * *The bulletins are sponsored by Lisa & Horst Bernhard in celebration of Andrew's birthday!*

In-Person Worship – 9:00 a.m.

Live-stream Worship – 9:00 a.m.

Worship Link: http://bit.ly/Zion_Live

Wired Word Sunday School Class – 10:30 a.m. [Sign on any time after 10:15]

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

Monday, March 8

Food Pantry – 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 9

Bible Study – 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. (Connection Zone/Sanctuary)

Scouts – 6:00 p.m. (Classrooms)

Finance – 6:30 p.m. (Zoom)

Wednesday, March 10

Food Pantry – 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

[Listening Across Differences](#) – 10:00 a.m. – 12 Noon (Zoom; Contact the Parish Resource Center for link)

Thursday, March 11

Community Meal Drive-Thru – 5:30 – 6:15 p.m. (Hempfield Church of the Brethren)

[Prayer Labyrinth](#) – 7:00-8:00 p.m. (Zoom; Contact the Parish Resource Center for link)

[Unplugged](#) – 7:00-8:30 p.m. (Zoom; Contact the Parish Resource Center for link)

Friday, March 12

Saturday, March 13 -- Daylight Savings Time Begins (Turn your clocks ahead!)

[Lenten Day Apart](#) at The Wittel Farm – 9:00-4:00 p.m.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU NOTES

Gratefully from Clare House

Thank you for the generous donation of \$500 to Clare House in support of the 15th Annual Day of Smiles. With your support, Day of Smiles was able to raise \$2,461 for Clare House alone this year! We were blown away by the response and were humbled to receive support in honor of Erin and Max. Their legacies continue to be a gift to their community. Thank you again for your support. Your contribution helps provide the women and children of Clare House with a stable foundation from which to build a brighter future.



From Ian Flood

To my Zion Family, I'd like to thank you all for the care package you sent. I appreciate the snacks a lot! The stationary is very useful. Wishing you all blessings for Lent!

From Claire Flood

Thank you so much for the package of snack! I received it upon my return from my first match at James Madison and it was the perfect surprise to wake me up after a long bus ride home. I started classes this week and being able to grab a quick snack between them was great!

To Lisa Nelson for sharing her gift of music by providing the special music this morning.

For the Community Meal

These meals are delicious! Thank you so much.

From Thelma Pearson

It is so comforting to me to know that I am in your thoughts and prayers and to know you can offer me help if needed. Dennis and Marie and other family members have stepped up and help a lot. My health insurance paid for outside help to come here, such as occupational and physical therapy, along with nurses. I have "graduated" and I am doing much better, besides, Spring is near! Thank you for all you are doing to keep Zion going. May God bless you and help you in His care.

To Dave Dumeyer & Dave Albin

Thank you to Dave & Dave for organizing and running the Movie Night this past Wednesday evening! It was a great movie and a great group of people who came out to enjoy it!

WIRED WORD CLASS

The WW class meets via Zoom each Sunday morning at 10:30. You can sign on any time after 10:15. The link for the class is: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>



OUTDOOR TRAIL EVENT



All are invited to come take a walk or a bike ride on trail at Lancaster Junction! We will set off from the parking area around 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 21. The trail is about 2.5 miles long but you don't need to do the whole thing...join us for however long (or far!) you want and then just turn around! This is a low-key, mostly-flat trail -- it will be easy to maintain physical distancing as we enjoy time together in the fresh air. Contact Cathy Benedict with any questions (717-898-3646). Also, if you have other ideas for fellowship gatherings, please let Cathy or Millie (717-898-2313) know.

LENTEN DEVOTIONALS

The following Lenten Devotionals are available on the ushers' table in the Narthex: 1) Reflections on the Writings of C.S. Lewis: Mercy, Passion, & Joy; 2) From Suffering to Salvation (inspiration from Henri Nouwen); and 3) printouts of Pastor Sell's daily writings. You may also stop by the office to pick up copies of what you want.



OUR DAILY BREAD DEVOTIONALS

The March/April/May ODB Devotionals are available on the ushers' table in the Narthex. You may also stop by the office to pick one up. If you would like one mailed to you, please let Anne know (adminzelc@comcast.net).

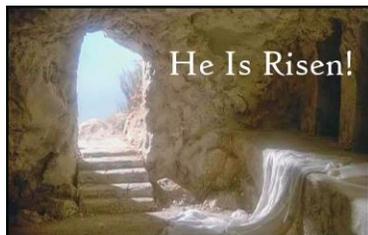


HOLY WEEK

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Mid-week Holy Week services include Maundy Thursday (April 1) and Good Friday (April 2), both at 7:00 p.m. Both of these services will also be live-streamed (http://bit.ly/Zion_Live). The same COVID safety protocols will be in place, so please let Anne know if you plan to attend either or both of those services.

PALM SUNDAY & EASTER SUNDAY SERVICES



There will be two services on both Palm Sunday (3/28) and Easter Sunday (4/4) at 9:00 & 10:30 a.m. The 9:00 service will be live-streamed on both of these Sundays (<http://bit.ly/ZionLive>). In line



with Zion's COVID safety procedures, registration is required. Please let Anne know if you plan to attend in-person.



Parish
Resource
Center

LENTEN MEDITATION SERIES

Each Thursday, the Parish Resource Center will have a new presenter sharing a meaningful Lenten meditation practice. Try out new ways to connect with God during these interactive workshops.

The Lenten Series workshops coming up include:

1. [Prayer Labyrinth](#) – Mar. 11 (**THIS THURSDAY**), 7:00-8:00 p.m.
2. [Chanting](#) – Mar. 18, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.
3. [Book Collage](#) – Mar. 25, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

OTHER WORKSHOPS AT THE PARISH RESOURCE CENTER THIS WEEK

1. [Listening Across Differences](#) -- March 10 (**THIS WEDNESDAY**); 10:00 a.m. -12 Noon
2. [Unplugged](#) [Part of the Parenting Series] – March 11 (**THIS THURSDAY**), 7:00-8:30 p.m.

All workshops will be live webinars through Zoom. A Zoom link will be included in an email sent to you after registration. You can register online on the website: (www.parishresourcecenter.org) or by calling (717-299-1113). Not able to attend on this date? Ask us how you can access a recording of the webinar. Pick and choose those that interest you most.



The Lutheran Camping Corporation
of Central Pennsylvania

Kirchenwald, Nawakwa, & The Wittel Farm

SUMMER CAMP...REGISTER ANYTIME!

The 2021 summer camp schedule is set! There are camps for all ages and interests at both Kirchenwald and Nawakwa, including ELDER CAMP! Check out what else is offered on the LCC website. There is an early-bird registration discount if you register before April 3. Also, if you attend the Open House, you can get an additional discount.

<https://www.lutherancamping.org/summer-camp/youth-summer-programs/> [[Summer Camp Early Full-Pay Registration Discount Deadline: 4/3](#)]

SUMMR STAFF RECRUITMENT -- GOING ON NOW!

Calling all high school kids, college-age young adults, and adults interested in working at camp this summer! Lutheran Camping Corporation is recruiting now for this summer's camp season. <https://www.lutherancamping.org/employment/>

SUMMER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL AGES AND INTERESTS

Camp is not just for young – or “younger” – people! There are volunteer opportunities galore at all of the LCC sites. Volunteers are critical in order to have a smooth-running program! Lutheran Camping Corporation is eager to have volunteers come forward to help out in the following areas: **Health Services, Food Services, Maintenance Services, Program Leadership, Gardeners.** More information about volunteering can be found at: <https://www.lutherancamping.org/volunteer/>

LENTEN DAY APART AT THE WITTEL FARM; NEXT SATURDAY - MARCH 13, 9-4 P.M.; \$15

Lenten Day Apart sessions will include restorative spiritual practices and restorative soil work. You will learn about the soil on the farm and how you can improve its health. You will plant seeds in our greenhouse in the afternoon.

<https://www.lutherancamping.org/event/lenten-day-apart-2021/>

SUMMER CAMP OPEN HOUSE AT KIRCHENWALD & NAWAKWA; MARCH 21 & APRIL 11; 2-4:30 P.M.

You are invited to visit Kirchenwald or Nawakwa on March 21 or April 11. Take a tour of camp with members of our summer staff and see what camp is all about. As a bonus, all new campers will receive a \$10 gift certificate to the camp store!

<https://www.lutherancamping.org/event/summer-camp-open-house-kirchenwald-0321/>

WORK DAY AT KIRCHENWALD , NAWAKWA , & WITTEL FARM; APRIL 24; 9 a.m. -5 p.m.

Help get our sites ready for the summer season by helping out at the spring Work Day! Jobs available for all skill levels. Complimentary lunch for all volunteers. Please RSVP so that enough projects & food can be prepared for the day.

<https://www.lutherancamping.org/event/work-days-kirchenwald-2021/>

<https://www.lutherancamping.org/event/work-days-nawakwa-2021/>

Earth Day Celebration at Kirchenwald; April 25; 2-6 p.m.; \$10

Enjoy an afternoon of environmental activities, games, and crafts at one of your favorite places within God's creation: CAMP! An evening meal is included in the \$10 fee. All ages welcome.

<https://www.lutherancamping.org/event/earth-day-celebration-2021/>

MEN'S RETREAT AT KIRCHENWALD; APRIL 30-MAY 1; \$85 Need a weekend with the guys? Come on out to Kirchenwald for a retreat at the end of April!

<https://www.lutherancamping.org/event/mens-retreat-2021/>

PLANTING DAY AT THE WITTEL FARM; MAY 15; BEGINNING AT 8:30 A.M.

The Wittel Farm Growing Project (WFGP) is ramping up. In 2018, five acres of farmed land yielded thousands of pounds of fresh food for local hunger programs, and in 2020, project organizers are planting up to seven acres. Volunteers are needed throughout the spring planting season, the summer, and into the harvest season!

SUMMER CAMP KICK OFF WORSHIP & PICNIC; MAY 16; WORSHIP BEGINS AT 3:30



REMINDER:

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS NEXT WEEKEND!

Don't forget to turn your clocks ahead on Saturday (3/13) before you go to bed!



ZION'S PRAYER LIST

FOR HEALING

Rick Long	Thelma Pearson	Marvin Ruch
Kate Donnan	Barbara Williams	Dave Wise
Don Heartter	Joe Adams	Judie Ingersoll
Lucy Davis	Bill Grove	Kay Crawford
Holly Hoover	Janet & Harry Musselman	
Robin Coons (Daughter-in-law of Dianne & Mark Coons)		
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)		
Lesli LaFata (Daughter of Bill & Julia Grove)		

FOR COMFORT, PEACE, STRENGTH, & SAFETY

Betty Stoner	Arlene Miller	Deb McCartney
Marlin Zimmerman	Bette Geibel	
Richard & Marilyn Heim		
Charlotte & George Potts		
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

Christopher Wright	Chris Andrew	Thom Whitesel
Ryan Stitzel	Doug Kautter	Justin Gorlaski
Corey Landis (Nephew of Jesse & Pat Landis)		
David Adams (Son-in-law of John & Kathleen Hay, and husband of Liz)		

IN CELEBRATION

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

7th -- John Hay, Jay Smith

8th - Darrell Gerke

13th -- Sofia Deibler

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	David Wise
Care Team	Judy Traup
Finance	John Hay
Parish Fellowship	Millie Gundel
Personnel	Sue Wise
Property	Open
Social Outreach	Randy Miller
Stewardship	Darrell Gerke
Worship & Music	Open
Faith Formation	Open
Sextons	Brian Bourassa (a.m.) Tom Miller (p.m.)



WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFORMATION

In-Person Worship	Sundays, 9:00 a.m. Palm Sunday (3/28): 9:00 & 10:30 a.m. Maundy Thursday (4/1), 7:00 p.m. Good Friday (4/2), 7:00 p.m. Easter Sunday (4/4): 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.
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