



Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

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

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WeeklE-Newsletter: November 11

THIS WEEK AT ZION

Sunday, November 13

* *The flowers are sponsored by the Grube family in loving memory of Gloria on what would have been her 98th birthday on Monday, November 14.*

* *The bulletins are sponsored by Diane Gerlach in loving memory of Ruth and Nelson Albright.*

* *The communion elements are sponsored by Jo Stone in honor of Nicole's birthday on Tuesday, November 15.*

In-Person Worship – 9:00 a.m.

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

Link: http://bit.ly/Zion_Live

Annual Congregational Meeting – Following Worship

No Adult Sunday School in Parlor

Wired Word – Zone & Zoom (<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>)

Monday, November 14 – *Pastor Tim out of office*

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Tuesday, November 15 – *Pastor Tim out of office*

Bible Study – 9 - 10:30 a.m. (Parlor)

Scouts – 6 p.m. (Sunday School Rooms)

Wednesday, November 16 – *Pastor Tim out of office*

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Thursday, November 17 – *Pastor Tim out of office*

Community Meal – 5:30 p.m.

Choir – 6 p.m. (Choir Room)

Friday, November 18

Saturday, November 19

Sunday, November 20 – *Christ the King Sunday*

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Adult Sunday School – 10:30 a.m.

Box Office Bible Study – Parlor

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ANNOUNCEMENTS, GOD-SIGHTINGS, UPDATES, & EVENTS

A graphic with a yellow background. In the top left, the word "sunday" is written in colorful, 3D block letters. A red arrow points from the "y" towards the center. In the center, the words "ANNUAL MEETING" are written in bold, black, sans-serif capital letters. To the right, the date "NOVEMBER 13" is underlined in bold black text, followed by "Following Worship" in a larger bold black font. Below this, it says "Votes will be taken on the proposed 2023:" followed by three bullet points: "→ Budget", "→ Council Members", and "→ Synod Representatives".

NOVEMBER 13
Following Worship
Votes will be taken on the proposed 2023:
→ Budget
→ Council Members
→ Synod Representatives

BRICK REPOINTING UPDATE



Krimmel Masonry has completed brick repointing on the old bell tower this week! Work on this total project is now about 2/3 complete. The social hall walls facing the courtyard and the interior walkway will be done next. Deteriorated bricks over the basement windows facing Cooper Ave. have been removed and will be replaced. Scott Krimmel says that the bell tower mortar joints were seriously deteriorated and the work being done was needed for both structural reasons as well as cosmetic.

This is a huge project that needed to be done ... thanks to the Property Team, and particularly Steve Haun, who has made sure that the issues were addressed and dealt with before further damage developed.

NOVEMBER EVENTS CALENDAR

If you haven't gotten a printed copy of the November Events Calendar, they can be found on the ushers' table in the Narthex.

JOYFUL NOISE OFFERING

The Joyful Noise Offering through November will go to Lutheran Disaster Relief efforts in Florida.



COVENANT FOR RENEWAL MONTHLY MESSAGE FROM ADELE

- ❖ The **Executive Team**, is beginning work to update church policies. Starting with the funeral policy, they are making appropriate updates and revisions.
- ❖ Your **Finance Team** proposed a budget for 2023. The vote to approve it will be held at the annual congregational meeting on November 13.
- ❖ Members of the **ReVitalization Team** are looking at ways to get to know one another in the congregation better. Stay tuned for more details!
- ❖ Your **Care/Fellowship Team**, is considering holding CPR training and AED training sessions.
- ❖ Your **Property Team** has contracted with Krimmel Masonry to repoint the steeple. The work is underway. In addition, the team is looking into improvements for accessibility, particularly with regard to the handicapped parking spaces.
- ❖ Your **Social Outreach Team** is collecting donations for disaster relief through the monthly Joyful Noise Collection. They also had very successful CROP walk participation and monetary contributions.
- ❖ Your **Worship and Music Team** made plans for Christmas Eve and Christmas Day worship. There will be one service at 7 P.M. on Christmas Eve. Worship on Sunday, December 25 (Christmas Day) will be a service of lessons and carols.
- ❖ Your **Personnel Team** has worked on changes to some of the job descriptions.

Thank you to everyone who has helped with these highlighted points or in other ways recently! Your efforts and dedication to the church is what makes Zion vital!

A new year is right around the corner! We pray that each of you will continue to ReVITALize Zion by using your time and talents to serve in new, different, or similar ways as you've been. Please prayerfully consider which team would benefit from what you can offer. Thank you!

BEING IN COMMUNITY WITH OTHERS

Last week in the All Saints Sunday worship service, we gathered in a circle around the Sanctuary and held hands. We were connected with and energized by those in our midst as well as with those who have died. *How can you connect in meaningful ways at Zion and in the community? How can you continue the legacy that has been carried down and left to us now by those who have come before us?*



*The pictures are a bit blurry to illustrate how connection requires movement.
Being actively engaged in the community is crucial for vitality and growth.
Keep the movement happening and the momentum going at Zion and beyond!*

MARK YOUR CALENDAR ... A SPECIAL DAY AT ZION!

PASTOR TIM'S INSTALLATION

**Sunday, December 4
~Following Worship~**

YOU ARE INVITED!

- *Brunch*
- *Service Project*
- *Brief Service of Installation*

HANDEL'S MESSIAH

All are invited to come hear a performance of Handel's Messiah on Sunday, December 11 at 4:00 p.m. at Chiques United Methodist Church (1215 E. Main St., Mount Joy)!

COME SING WITH US AT CHRISTMAS TIME!

Choir rehearses at 6 p.m. every Thursday. All are invited to join in for the holiday season without the commitment of an entire year! If you have questions contact John (johnplandis@gmail.com or 717-875-6182).



ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

The class that meets in the Parlor will not meet this Sunday. This class will begin a Box Office Bible Study series next Sunday (11/20). The Wired Word class will meet in-person and on Zoom (<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>) today beginning after the congregational meeting.



PRAYER CHAIN TEAM

You are invited to participate in Zion's Prayer Chain Team. If you are willing to pray for others during times of crisis this opportunity might be one for you – all it just requires a heart open to the power of prayer. When a prayer request comes in, you will be notified by text, phone, or email, and you will then be requested to pray for a person or situation. No meetings to go to, just a few minutes spent in prayer for someone who is in need. If you are interested, please contact Dolly Overly at 717-917-9549.



... for the cards and kindness in recognition of Pastor Appreciation Month and the work I am doing at Zion. Your notes and thoughtful gestures are very much appreciated. -From Pastor Tim

...to all who helped to make Bill Piper's 90th birthday celebration special by showering him with cards!



Bill with some of his Zion friends after worship for lunch and cake at Miss Calee's last Sunday!



WOMEN OF ZION ADVENT BREAKFAST



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December 3 at 10:00 a.m.

Centerville Diner (corner of Columbia Ave. and Centerville Rd.)

This is always a fun time for all the women of the church as we prepare for Christmas. Friends are welcome to come along too!

Please sign up on the bulletin board across from the mailboxes by Sunday, November 27.

Questions? Contact Millie (717-898-2313)

There will also be two optional activities!

★ **Gift Exchange**

- *Bring a wrapped gift (\$3 or less) to exchange with others!*

★ **Show and Tell**

- *Bring an object to show that gives you special JOY at this time of year!*

LOOKING AHEAD TO CHRISTMAS AT ZION



CHRISTMAS EVE @ ZION

In-person + on-line
7:00 p.m.

Music; Candle Lighting;
Scripture; Communion

http://bit.ly/Zion_Live



CHRISTMAS CONCERTS AT ZION



★ Liederkranz Choir
Saturday, December 3 at 5 p.m.

★ Hempfield High School
Chamber Singers
Sunday, December 18 at 2 p.m.

*Help Beautify the
Worship Space this Season!*

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS



Cost: \$10/poinsettia
Deadline: Friday, December 9
Order forms are on the ushers' table.

POINSETTIA SPONSOR FORM

Cost: \$10 per poinsettia
Deadline for Orders: Friday, December 9th

I would like to sponsor _____ poinsettia(s). Enclosed is _____.

In honor of _____

In memory of _____

Other occasion: _____

Name of Sponsor _____

Please make checks payable to: Zion Lutheran Church



Place your sponsor form and payment in the office mail basket in the Narthex on the window sill by the member mailbox wall, mail (85 E. Brandt Blvd., Landisville 17538), or hand deliver to the office.

You may take your poinsettias after Christmas Eve worship.



The Lutheran Camping Corporation of Central Pennsylvania

Kirchenwald, Nawakwa, and The Wittel Farm

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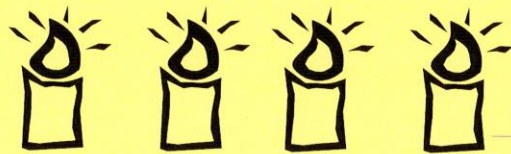
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Advent Day Apart at The Wittel Farm

Saturday, December 3, 2022
9am - 2pm

All are invited to a day of prayer and
meditation in preparation of the birth
of the Christ child.



There is a \$15 registration fee.
Lunch will be provided.

Please call 717-677-8211 or visit
www.LutheranCamping.org to register by November 18.



ADVENT/CHRISTMAS IN A BARN

December 18

7:00-8:30 p.m.

At The Wittel Farm

*Join us at the farm for our 5th
annual Advent/Christmas night.
Come gather around the outdoor
fire and have cookies and cocoa in
the barn.*

Lights and decorations!

For more information & to register, go to:
<https://www.lutherancamping.org/event/christmas-in-the-barn-2022/>

Music at Jerusalem

2022-2023

*Jerusalem Lutheran Church
36 Church Street
Rothsville, PA*

Amy Yovanovich
mezzo-soprano soloist

*Sunday, November 20, 2022
3:00 p.m.*



Next Week



*Free-will offering
will be received.*

*Church building is
handicapped
accessible.*

*For more
information,
please call the
church office at
717-626-8972.*

PRAYER LIST

FOR HEALING

Dave Wise
Steve Haun
Lisa Nelson
Jess Barcaro
Harry Musselman
Kevin Reinhart
Sam King
Connie Alsedek
Joe Adams
Mary Zimmerman
Marvin Ruch
Kate Donnan
Bill Grove
Judie Ingersoll
Barbara Williams
Joan Mays
Kay Crawford
Holly Hoover
Jeff Long (Nephew of Rick & Deb Long)
Nancy Hamilton (Sister of Dottie Wauls)
Loma Slike (Mother of Sue Wise)
Brook Ross (Friend of Barb Williams)
William Hartman (Father of Deb Grube)
Mike LaFata (Son-in-law of Bill & Julia Grove)
Ernie Johnson (Friend of Barb Williams)

FOR COMFORT, PEACE, STRENGTH, & SAFETY

Thelma Pearson
Lucy Davis
Betty Stoner
Arlene Miller
Deb McCartney
George Potts
Richard & Marilyn Heim
Sue Hinds as she grieves the death of her father
Don Wierschke as he grieves the death of Laura
Al Ramer as he grieves the death of his brother-in-law
Cameron Thompson & Claire Woodward as they grieve the death of her grandmother
Peggy & Rick Dolly (Relatives of Barb Williams)

Ruth Burkett (Mother of Deb Long)
Vaun Hile (Father of Lynda Sherwood)
Arlene Wise (Sister-in-law of Dave Wise)
Dorothy Mattern (Mother of Denise Haun)
Ed & Dotty Sites (Parents of Cathy Benedict)
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)
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!

14th – Jan Reeves
15th – Cathy Benedict, Jo Stone
20th – Cooper Stitzel

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

18th – Dave & Alane Klepper
19th – Joseph & Sue Hindes

MINISTRY LEADERS

Ministers	Members of the Congregation
Pastor	Rev. Timothy Seitz-Brown
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 services held indoors	http://bit.ly/Zion_Live
Sunday Scholars Class (Parlor)	Sundays @ 10:30 a.m. (Except 11/13)
Wired Word Class (Zone)	Sundays @ 10:30 a.m.
	https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266
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