



Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

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

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WeeklE-Newsletter: November 19

COMING UP AT ZION & WITHIN THE WIDER CHURCH

Sunday, November 21 – Christ the King Sunday

* The altar flowers are sponsored by Joan and Burnell Hostetter in honor of their anniversary and their son Brian's birthday.

* The bulletins are sponsored by Jo Stone in thanks of her friends and family during this time of thanksgiving.

* The communion elements are sponsored by Cathy and Bob Shirk to the glory of God.

In-Person Worship – 9:00 a.m.

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

Link: http://bit.ly/Zion_Live

Adult Sunday School – 10:15 a.m. (Parlor)

Wired Word Sunday School – 10:15 a.m. (Social Room)

Monday, November 22

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Tuesday, November 23

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

Scouts – 6:30 p.m. (Classrooms)

Wednesday, November 24

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Thursday, November 25 – Happy Thanksgiving!

No Community Meal

No Choir

Friday, November 26

Bridge – 1:00-4:00 p.m. (Connection Zone)

Saturday, November 27

Model Club – 5:00 p.m. (Social Room)

Sunday, November 28 – Advent 1

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ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, & EVENTS

FINANCIAL UPDATE

	OCTOBER	YEAR-TO-DATE
Income from Offering	\$27,972	\$216,280
Expenses	\$17,870	\$199,792
Budget	\$27,516	\$327,298

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Classes are held every Sunday morning at 10:15 a.m. Two classes are offered at this time.

➤ ***IN THE SOCIAL ROOM***

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

➤ ***IN THE PARLOR***

Today, this class will begin a series of Box Office Bible Studies, featuring scenes from popular movies and discussion of Christian faith topics in them. After “The Wizard of Oz” as the first film, the class will then get into a special four-part Advent presentation based on scenes from the Frank Capra classic starring Jimmy Stewart, “It’s a Wonderful Life.”

CLOCK IN THE PARLOR

The Property Team and Council, in addition to communication with others, have decided to sell the clock in the parlor. If you are interested in it and would like to purchase it, please contact Dave Dumeyer or Bob Traup. We want to give church members the first opportunity to buy it – first come, first serve. If no one expresses interest by the end of the year, it will be advertised for sale to the general public.



COMMUNITY MEAL UPDATE

The Community Meal continues to serve a free meal every Thursday to members of our local community. We continue to average 100+ meals per week. Special thanks to the Hempfield Food Pantry for purchasing 1000 take-out containers and for contributing the baked potatoes for the meal Zion sponsored in October. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped with both of the meals that Zion sponsored last month. Another special thanks to Kim and Jim Paternoster and Randy Miller for managing the meals while Mary was away in October. Zion's next meal to sponsor is on December 9th.

Looking ahead to 2022, sponsors are needed to keep this weekly ministry going! We do have faithful partners in the community who sponsor meals frequently, however there are 11 empty slots thru June that need to be filled. If you know of any organization or group that might be interested in sponsoring a meal, please have them contact Mary Hetrick (psuocn92@comcast.net). Thank you!!

***Help Beautify the
Worship Space this Season!***

**CHRISTMAS
POINSETTIAS**

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Cost: \$10/poinsettia
Deadline: Friday, December 10

Order forms are on the ushers' table.

**THE CHURCH WILL
BE DECORATED ON
SATURDAY,
DECEMBER 11, SO IT
CAN BE ENJOYED
THROUGHOUT THE
WEEKS LEADING UP
TO CHRISTMAS!**

POINSETTIA SPONSOR FORM

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

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.



HOLIDAY EVENTS



WOMEN OF ZION ADVENT BREAKFAST



December 4 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!

There will be no charge for your breakfast. It will be paid for in memory of Shirley Cates by a friend of her and her first husband, Ted King.

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!

Please sign up on the bulletin board across from the mailboxes by Sunday, November 28.

Holiday Concert at Zion Sunday, December 19

3:00 p.m.

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*Featuring the Hempfield High School
Chamber Singers*

*For more information about
the Hershey Handbell
Ensemble, go to:*
[https://www.hersheyhandbell
ensemble.org/](https://www.hersheyhandbellensemble.org/)

A poster for the Hershey Handbell Ensemble Christmas Concert. The background is dark with a yellow border. On the left, there are three red handbells with gold decorative patterns, hanging from gold chains. The text is in yellow and white. The title 'Hershey Handbell Ensemble' is in a bold, sans-serif font. 'Christmas' is in a large, elegant script font. 'Concert' is in a bold, sans-serif font. The location and date are listed below. A quote from the program is in a smaller font. At the bottom, there is a line of small text about a free-will offering.

**Hershey Handbell
Ensemble**
Christmas
Concert
AT ZION
Sunday, December 12
at 3:00 p.m.

*Come enjoy the sounds of the season!
Music will feature 7 ½ octaves of handbells
played by the 15 member ensemble!*

A free-will offering will be collected to help support the Zion Musik Concert Series.
info@hersheyhandbellensemble.org – (717) 298-7071 – hersheyhandbellensemble.org



LANCASTER LIEDERKRANZ WINTER COMMUNITY CONCERT

Saturday, December 4 at 4:00 p.m.

**This seasonal concert featuring
traditional German selections is held
annually at Zion.**

A free-will offering will be taken.



*For more information about the Lancaster
Liederkrantz, go to:*
<https://www.lancasterliederkranz.com/>



CHRISTMAS EVE @ ZION

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

Music; Candle Lighting;
Scripture; Communion

<http://bit.ly/Zion-Live>



The Lutheran Camping Corporation
of Central Pennsylvania
Kirchenwald, Nawakwa, & The Wittel Farm

*For more information about upcoming events and to register,
go to: <https://www.lutherancamping.org/upcoming-events/>*

Advent Day Apart

at The Wittel Farm

Saturday, December 4, 2021
10am - 2pm



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

For more information & to register, go to:
<https://www.lutherancamping.org/event/advent-day-apart-2021/>

ADVENT/CHRISTMAS IN A BARN

December 19

7:00-8:30 p.m.

At The Wittel Farm

*Join us at the farm for our 4th 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-2021/>

PRAYER LIST

FOR HEALING

Chase Pipkin
Dolly Overly
Doug Grow
Marvin Ruch
Kate Donnan
Barbara Williams
Dave Wise
Don Heartter
Joe Adams
Judie Ingersoll
Bill Grove
Kay Crawford
Holly Hoover
Sam King
Mary Zimmerman
Janet & Harry Musselman
JMe Lowden
Ron Carroll (Stepfather of Wilson Pipkin)
Loma Slike (Mother of Sue Wise)
Bobbi (Friend of a member)
William Hartman (Father of Deb Grube)
Ashley LaFata & Mike Walker (Bill & Julia Grove's Granddaughter & Husband)
Skipper Mann (Sister of Dolly Overly)
Meghan Frey (Friend of the congregation)
Homer Dietz (Brother-in-law of Harry Musselman)
Mike LaFata (Son-in-law of Bill & Julia Grove)

FOR COMFORT, PEACE, STRENGTH, & SAFETY

Thelma Pearson
Lucy Davis
Betty Stoner
Arlene Miller
Deb McCartney
Bette Geibel
Richard & Marilyn Heim
George Potts
Jess, Matt, & Grant Barcaro

Jim, Kim, & Cory Paternoster
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 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 & REMEMBRANCE

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

21st – Denise Haun
23rd – Stone Smeltz
27th – Janet Musselman

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

22nd – Keith & Sherri Anderson
24th – Burnell & Joan Hostetter

CONTINUED CONDOLENCES to Kay Crawford and the rest of the extended Crawford family as they continue to grieve the death of Ron earlier this month.

Kay Crawford
31 Country Ln.
Landisville, PA 17538
Kankakee, IL 60901

Ron & Michele Crawford
(Clayton & Tyler)
2325 Ashley Turn

Jeff & Tonya Crawford
(Delaney)
639 3rd Ave.
Bangor, PA 18013

Lynda & Bob Martin
(Alec, & Marissa)
1004 Fallwood Ln.
Lancaster, PA 17601

Frank Thompson (Son-in-Law; Husband of Jen)
(Kaylee)
301 Wissler Way
Landisville, PA 17538

MINISTRY LEADERS

Ministers
Interim Pastor
Music Director
Parish Administrator
Worship Technology Assistant
Lay Ministry Assistant
Council President
Council Vice President
Sextons

Sunday's Assisting Minister

Members of the Congregation
Rev. Melody Sell
John Landis
Anne Rankin
David Albin
Diane Gerlach
Adele King
David Wise
Brian Bourassa (a.m.)
Tom Miller (p.m.)
James Polinsky

WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFORMATION

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Livestream & Recorded Worship Link (9:00 a.m.)	http://bit.ly/Zion_Live
Adult Sunday School Classes (Parlor & Social Room)	Sundays @ 10:15 a.m.
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Council President Email	adelel3@aol.com
Music Director mail	zionlandisvillemusic@gmail.com
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