

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

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WeeklE-Newsletter: September 24

COMING UP AT ZION & WITHIN THE WIDER CHURCH

Sunday, September 26

- * The altar flowers are sponsored by John & Patsy Hinkle in celebration of their daughter Jill's birthday.
- * The communion elements are sponsored by Cathy & Bob Shirk in celebration of their anniversary this month. 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, September 27

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

Tuesday, September 28

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

Wednesday, September 29

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

Thursday, September 30

Picnic in the Park – 11:30 (Rapho Twp. Park Pavilion) Community Meal – 5:30-6:00 p.m. (Drive-Thru) Choir – 7:00 p.m.

Friday, October 1

Bridge – 1:00-4:00 p.m. (Zone)

Saturday, October 2

Personal Care Kit Assembly – 9:00 a.m. (Connection Zone)

Sunday, October 3 – Blessing of the Blankets & Care Kits

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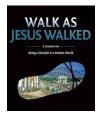
Capture the Flag – 3:00-5:30 p.m. (Camp Kirchenwald)

ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, & EVENTS

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL



The Wired Word Adult Sunday School class meets in the Social Room at 10:15 on Sundays after worship. This class explores current events and other relevant topics within a biblical and Christian framework



This class meets in the Parlor at 10:15 on Sundays after worship. Currently, the class is discussing the culture and context of Jesus' teachings to his disciples and how those teachings apply to the world today. The series that will guide the study and discussion is Ray Van der Laan's "Walk as Jesus Walked."

UPDATED CHURCH DIRECTORY

Updated directories are available on the ushers' table and on the window ledge in the back hallway. As always, please contact the church office (adminzelc@comcast.net) if any of your contact information changes throughout the year.

OCTOBER EVENTS CALENDAR

Please take the events calendar home with you as a reminder of what is coming up. Printed copies will be in bulletins on Sunday and additional copies are available on the ushers' table. [The electronic copy was also attached to the WeeklE-Newsletter email].





The final outdoor picnic at Rapho Park will be THIS THURSDAY (9/30) at 11:30. This will be the last outdoor picnic for the season. On Thursday, October 28 at 11:30, it will be held indoors in the Connection Zone. As always, you may bring a friend or children!

JOYFUL NOISE COLLECTION

This Sunday is the last day to give to Habitat for Humanity. The labeled buckets in which you can place your offering can be found on the tables in the front and back of the Sanctuary. More information about the local chapter and ways you can volunteer locally can be found at: https://lancasterlebanonhabitat.org/ Beginning next Sunday, the offering will go to Power Packs. information about that organization will be shared next week.



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CROP WALK



Have you registered for the CROP Walk yet? It will be held on Sunday, October 17 at 2 p.m. beginning at the Greek Orthodox Church (Hershey Ave., Lancaster). You can register for TEAM ZION at: https://events.crophungerwalk.org/2021/team/zion-evangelicallutheran-church-landisville. You can also donate at the team link.

FROM BRENDA ALIMO, ZION'S SPONSORED CHILD IN UGANDA

I am so happy to take this special time to communicate to you after some time. How are all your church members? My entire family and I are fine. I am currently at home for two weeks for holiday break. I am helping my family



with domestic work like washing plates, cooking, weeding, tending the beans and casava. The weather in Uganda is cold and the rain is helping our crops to grow well; we hope for a good harvest. Thank you so much for the Easter gift of \$25. With the money, I bought clothes and food. Thank you so much for your support, love, and care you show me. I pray that you live long...please send greetings to all your church members.

OUTREACH PROJECT - "PERSONAL CARE KITS"

Thank you to everyone who donated items for this summer outreach project for Lutheran World Relief! To complete the project, the kits now need to be assembled! Please come help on Saturday, October 2 at 9:00 a.m. in the Zone to assemble the kits and place them along the altar rail to then be blessed on Sunday, October 3. Everyone is invited to help! The more hands.... the sooner we get finished!



Wrap all the items in the owel and tie securely with ribbons or yarn

BLESSING OF THE CARE KITS AND BLANKETS FOR LWR

On Sunday, October 3, the personal care kits and comforters will be displayed in the church and blessed during worship. They will then be packed into boxes and delivered to the local drop-off area where they will then be taken to the LWR headquarters in Maryland. Upon their arrival at that warehouse, they will be shipped to all corners of the world, providing relief and comfort to refugees and those who have lost everything.



WANT TO HELP WITH LWR SHIPPING COSTS?

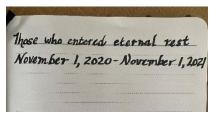


We are asking for cash contributions to help with shipping costs for the blankets and care kits. LWR's approximate cost to deliver comforters and kits overseas is \$2.65 for a comforter and \$2.65 for a care kit. If you would like to help offset these costs, please make your check to <u>Zion Lutheran Church</u> and write <u>LWR shipping</u> in the memo line.

CHOIR REHEARSAL

Choir rehearsals will be starting again! If you are interested in singing come on out on Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary and see how choir will be during this time of uncertainty and pandemic-precaution and awareness. Questions? Contact John (johnplandis@gmail.com)

ALL SAINTS REMEMBRANCE BOOK



As we do each year on All Saints Sunday, we will include a remembrance of those who have died in the last year. There is a black journal on the welcome podium in the Narthex for you to write the names of family and friends to include in the remembrance. Please note their full name and the date of their death.



FLOWER SPONSORSHIPS

There are several Sundays that are open for sponsoring the flowers and bulletins. Please either sign up on the charts in the Narthex or email Anne in the church office (adminzelc@comcast.net)



...AN UPDATE FROM MARY HETRICK

The Community Meal resumed on September 9 after a hiatus during the summer. With Hempfield Church of the Brethren and Trinity UCC providing the meals, a total of 210 meals were served in the first two weeks! The Hempfield High School baseball team provided the "leg work" last week packing and distributing the meals. Zion's opportunity to sponsor meals is fast approaching. Zion will be providing meals on October 7th and 14th, and also December 9th so mark your calendars. I will be

sending out emails to recruit volunteers to help with these meals. If you have not volunteered in the past, please contact me and I will add your name to the email list. Thankfully, the rest of the meals for 2021 are sponsored! I am working on the schedule for 2022, so if you know of any group or organization who might be interested, please let me know. Thanks again for your support of this ministry.



WE HAVE A NEW KEYBOARD!

We are very excited to share that a new keyboard has been purchased!



This instrument will enhance the worship services, providing the ability to offer a variety of different sounds to complement the other instruments and voices that we have! Thank you to all who contributed to making this purchase possible! If you haven't contributed but would still like to, simply note on your check "keyboard purchase."



....WITHIN THE WIDER CHURCH



October 14: Planning Your Funeral with Jeremy DeBord (DeBord-Snyder Funeral Home) & Michele DeRosa (Groff Funeral Home)





All seminars will begin at 7 p.m. in Isenberg Hall. Refreshments will be provided



October 21: Hospice Care with Gretchen Thomas from Hospice & Community Care

All Seminars are free! Please R.S.V. P. to 717-569-1632 or email: secretary@trinityeastpete.org October 28: Wills & Estates with the Rev. Elizabeth Hambrick-Stowe, Esq.

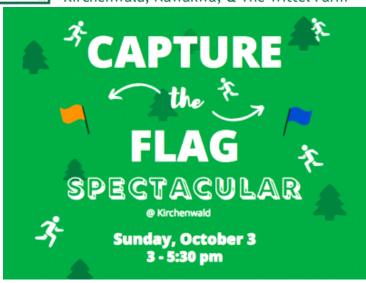


@ Trinity United Church of Christ: 2340 State St., East Petersburg All workshops are free for the community...All are welcome!



The Lutheran Camping Corporation of Central Pennsylvania

Kirchenwald, Nawakwa, & The Wittel Farm









SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2021

to be held at Camp Nawakwa 1033 Nawakwa Road, Biglerville, PA 17307



2:00 - Silent Auction of Handmade Craft Items

3:00 - Live Auction of Quilts

Dinner following Live Auction

ALL PROCEEDS FROM THE EVENT BENEFIT THE ENDOWMENT FUND, MAKING CAMP POSSIBLE FOR GENERATIONS TO COME!

Advent Day Apart

at The Wittle 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 About Upcoming

Events & To Register, Visit: https://www.lutherancamping.org/upcoming-events/

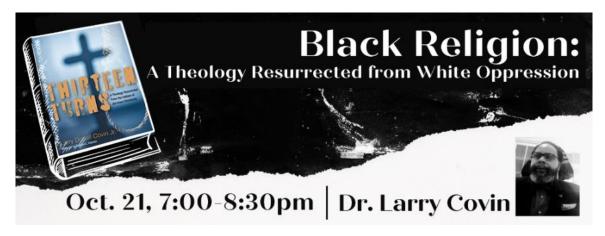


2160 E. Lincoln Hwy. Suite 18 Lanc., 17602 717-299-1113 www.parishresourcecenter.org



For more information, and to register, visit:

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For more information, and to register, visit: https://parishresourcecenter.org/events/blackreligion/



For more information, and to register, visit: https://parishresourcecenter.org/events/a-church-dismantled-a-kingdom-restored/

PRAYER LIST FOR HEALING

Chase Pipkin

Dolly Overly

Shirley Cates

Doug Grow

Marvin Ruch

Kate Donnan

Barbara Williams

Dave Wise

Don Heartter

Joe Adams

Judie Ingersoll

Bill Grove

Ron & Kay Crawford

Holly Hoover

Sam King

Pastor JMe Lowden

Janet & Harry Musselman

Mary Zimmerman

Ashley LaFata & Mike Walker (Bill & Julia Grove's Granddaughter & Husband)

Loma Slike (Mother of Sue Wise)

Ron Sahd (Friend of Dave Wise)

William Hartman (Father of Deb Grube)

Bobbi (Friend of a member)

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)

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!

26th – Kathleen Hay

28th – Judy Traup

30th – Dave Aulenbach, Robin Ginther, Jennifer Karpouzis

1st – Horst Bernhard, Al Ramer

2nd – Catherine Reider

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

1st – Ed & Cindy Blough, Jeff & Amy Thompson

<u>CONGRATULATIONS</u> to Megan Landis on her marriage to Tim Fry today, September 24, in West Chester! Congratulations also to Pat & Jesse, very proud parents of the bride!

MINISTRY LEADERS

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

Assisting Minister 9/26 Tom Miller (p.m.)

Mary Hetrick

WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFORMATION

Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. In-Person Worship 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. Church Office 717-898-2911 **Pastor** 570-916-8835 Parish Administrator 717-945-4585 Council President 610-247-1497 Office Email adminzelc@comcast.net Pastor Email prmsell2@ptd.net Council President Email adelel3@aol.com Music Director mail zionlandisvillemusic@gmail.com Website www.zionhempfield.net Zion Lutheran Hempfield Facebook 85 E. Brandt Blvd. Landisville, PA 17538 Church Address Office Address 75 E. Brandt Blvd. Landisville, PA 17538