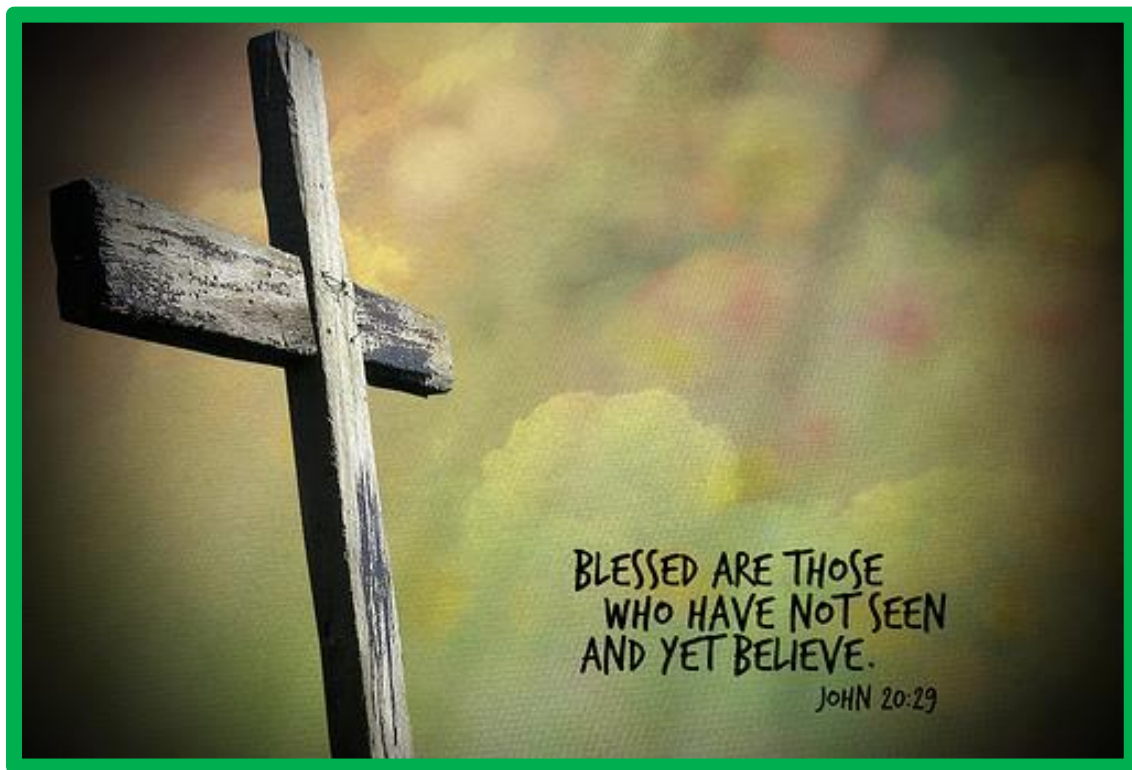


SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

A Service of Word & Sacrament

April 16, 2023



ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

**85 E. Brandt Boulevard
Landisville, PA**

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

GENERAL INFORMATION

WELCOME TO ZION! We are glad you have chosen to worship with us in-person or online today! For in-person worshippers, all words and parts of the service will be projected on the screen in the front of the sanctuary. If you prefer a printed bulletin, they are available on the table in the Narthex by the entrance to the Sanctuary. The service contains the four parts of the Lutheran liturgy (The Gathering, The Word, The Meal, and The Sending). If you have any questions concerning our service, please do not hesitate to talk with our pastor, Pastor Tim.

WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AT ZION

IN-PERSON: All are invited to join us for worship at 9:00 a.m. each Sunday morning.

ONLINE: Worship services are live-streamed on the church YouTube channel: http://bit.ly/Zion_Live. If you are unable or prefer not to watch during the live-stream, the recording is available to view any time after the service concludes.

FOR THOSE WORSHIPPING IN-PERSON

- ❖ Communion is distributed in continuous fashion or you may take one of the communion kits at the back of the Sanctuary if you prefer to commune at your seat.
- ❖ Restrooms are available by the front entrance of the church in the Narthex and in the hallway off the back door. Infant changing tables can be found in the women's and men's bathrooms in the hallway off the back door.
- ❖ Children are welcome to be active participants in the worship service. There are bags located at the back of the sanctuary with quiet worship activities and goodies to take home. Currently, nursery care is not available but you may use the Parlor as a cry room while also still being able to listen to the service.
- ❖ Ushers are located near the front and back of the worship area to direct people to seating and to the offering plates.
- ❖ Mask wearing is optional for all who attend or participate in indoor gatherings, including worship, at the church.

Second Sunday of Easter

P: Pastor A: Assisting Minister C: Congregation (bolded)

† THE GATHERING †

INTRODUCTION

In today's gospel the risen Christ appears to the disciples and offers them the gift of peace. Even amid doubts and questions, we experience the resurrection in our Sunday gathering around word and meal, and in our everyday lives. Throughout the coming Sundays of Easter the first two readings will be from the Acts of the Apostles and the first letter of Peter. Even as the early Christians proclaimed the resurrection, we rejoice in the new birth and living hope we receive in baptism.

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, & GOD-SIGHTINGS

PRELUDE

Please stand if you are able.

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, by whose hand we are given new birth, by whose speaking we are given new life.

C: **Amen.**

P: Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are welcomed, restored, and supported as citizens of the new creation. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism. Holy God, holy and merciful, holy and mighty, you are the river of life, you are the everlasting wellspring. In mercy and might you have freed us from death and raised us with Jesus, the firstborn of the dead. In baptismal waters our old life is washed away, and in them we are born anew.

Glory to you for oceans and lakes, for rivers and streams. Honor to you for waters that wash us clean, quench our thirst, and nurture both crops and creatures. Praise to you for the life-giving water of baptism, the outpouring of the Spirit of the new creation.

C: Wash away our sin and all that separates us from you. Empower our witness to your resurrection. Strengthen our resolve in seeking justice for all.

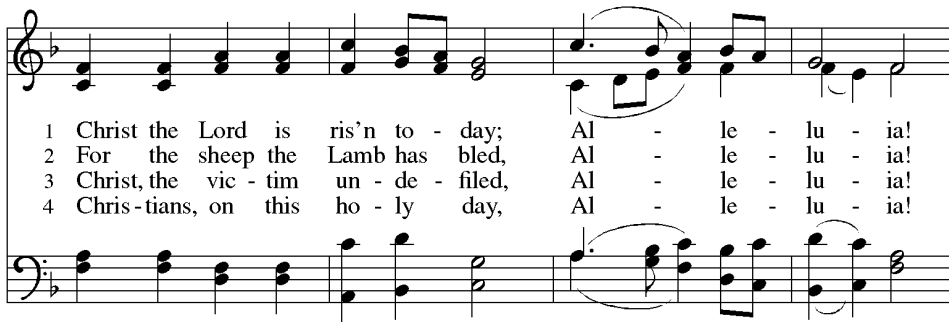
P: Satisfy the world's need through this living water. Where drought dries the earth, bring refreshment. Where despair prevails, grant hope. Where chaos reigns, bring peace. We ask this through Christ, who with you and the Spirit reigns forever.

C: Amen.

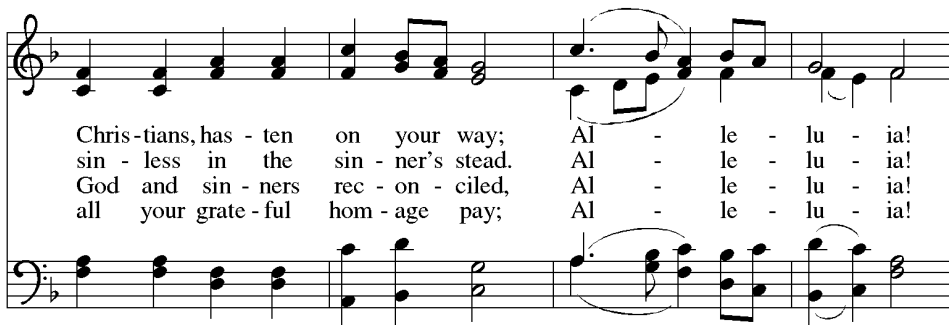
HYMN

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today; Alleluia!

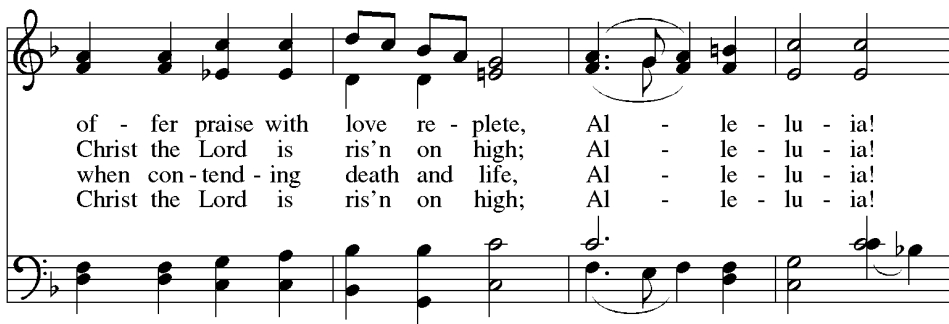
ELW 369



1 Christ the Lord is ris'n to - day; Al - le - lu - ia!
2 For the sheep the Lamb has bled, Al - le - lu - ia!
3 Christ, the vic - tim un - de - filed, Al - le - lu - ia!
4 Chris-tians, on this ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!



Chris-tians, has - ten on your way; Al - le - lu - ia!
sin - less in the sin - ner's stead. Al - le - lu - ia!
God and sin - ners rec - on - ciled, Al - le - lu - ia!
all your grate - ful hom - age pay; Al - le - lu - ia!



of - fer praise with love re - plete, Al - le - lu - ia!
Christ the Lord is ris'n on high; Al - le - lu - ia!
when con - tend - ing death and life, Al - le - lu - ia!
Christ the Lord is ris'n on high; Al - le - lu - ia!





Text: attr. Wipo of Burgundy, d. c. 1050; tr. Jane E. Leeson, 1807–1882, alt.
Music: LLANFAIR, Robert Williams, 1781–1821

GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray. Almighty and eternal God, the strength of those who believe and the hope of those who doubt, may we, who have not seen, have faith in you and receive the fullness of Christ's blessing, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

Please be seated.

† THE WORD †

ACTS 2:14a, 22-32

Christ's resurrection: the fulfillment of God's promise to David.

A: ^{14a}Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed [the crowd], ²²“You that are Israelites, listen to what I have to say: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with deeds of power, wonders, and signs that God did through him among you, as you yourselves know—²³this man, handed over to you according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of those outside the law. ²⁴But God raised him up, having freed him from death, because it was impossible for him to be held in its power. ²⁵For David says concerning him, ‘I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand so that I will not be shaken;

²⁶therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; moreover my flesh will live in hope. ²⁷For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One experience corruption. ²⁸You have made known to me the ways of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence.’ ²⁹“Fellow Israelites, I may say to you confidently of our ancestor David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. ³⁰Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would put one of his descendants on his throne. ³¹Foreseeing this, David spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, saying, ‘He was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh experience corruption.’ ³²This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses.”

The Word of God. Word of Life.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 16

Please read responsively.

A: ¹Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you; I have said to the LORD, “You are my Lord, my good above all other.”

²All my delight is in the godly that are in the land, upon those who are noble among the people.

³But those who run after other gods shall have their troubles multiplied.

⁴I will not pour out drink offerings to such gods, never take their names upon my lips.

⁵O LORD, you are my portion and my cup; it is you who uphold my lot.

⁶My boundaries enclose a pleasant land; indeed, I have a rich inheritance.

⁷I will bless the LORD who gives me counsel; my heart teaches me night after night.

⁸I have set the LORD always before me; because God is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.

⁹My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices; my body also shall rest in hope.

¹⁰For you will not abandon me to the grave, nor let your holy one see the pit.

¹¹You will show me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy, and in your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

1 PETER 1:3-9

New birth to a living hope through the resurrection.

A: ³Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, ⁵who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. ⁶In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, ⁷so that the genuineness of your faith—being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honor when Jesus Christ is revealed. ⁸Although you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, ⁹for you are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

The Word of God. Word of Life.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

CHILDREN'S CHAT

Please stand if you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *I Know that My Redeemer Lives!*

ELW 619

I know that my Redeemer lives!
What comfort this sweet sentence gives!
He lives, he lives, who once was dead;
He lives, my ever-living head!

JOHN 20:19-31

Beholding the wounds of the risen Christ.

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the 20th chapter.

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

P: ¹⁹When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.” ²⁰After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” ²²When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.”

²⁴But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵So the other disciples told him, “We have seen the Lord.” But he said to them, “Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.”

²⁶A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.” ²⁷Then he said to Thomas, “Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.” ²⁸Thomas answered him, “My Lord and my God!” ²⁹Jesus said to him, “Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.”

³⁰Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. ³¹But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

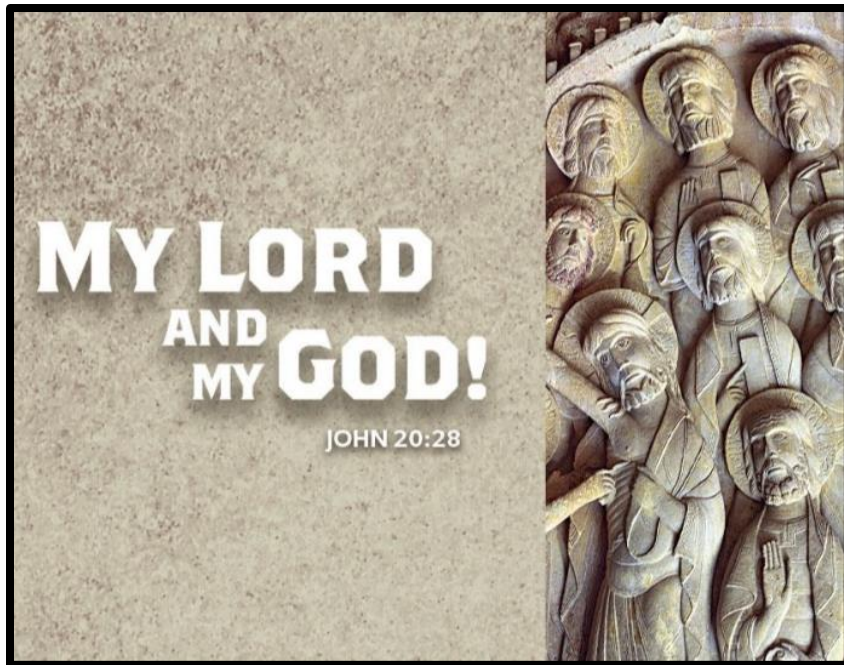
The Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Please be seated.

MESSAGE

Pastor Tim Seitz-Brown

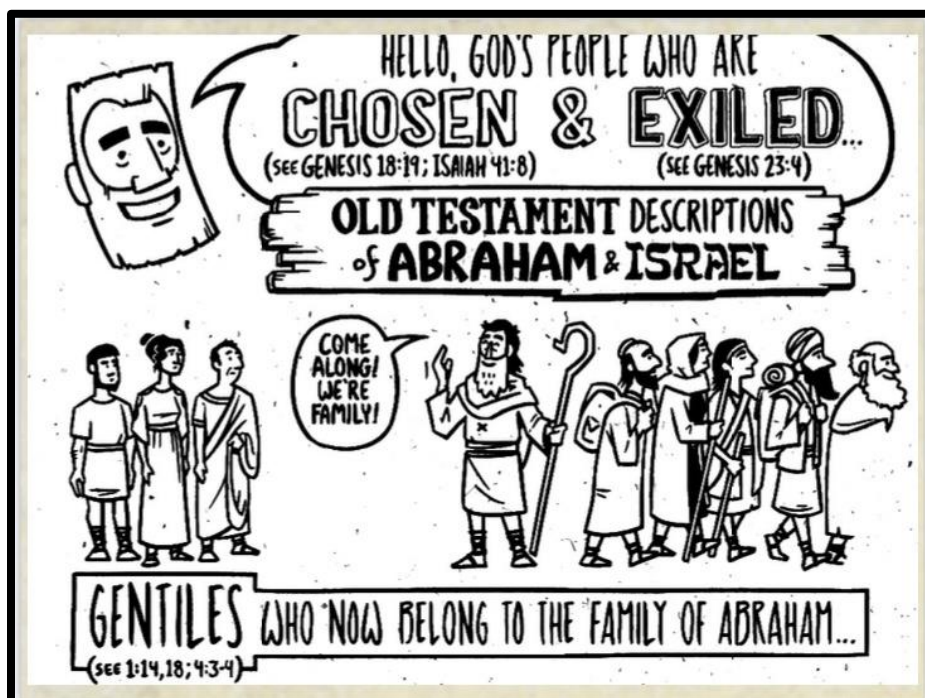
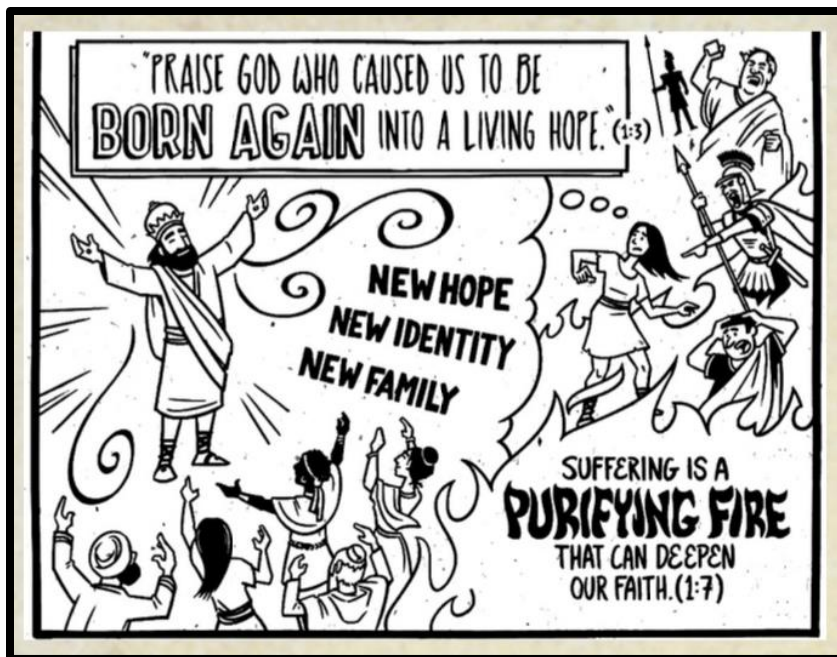


Jesus, the Forgiving Victim

Ghosts are all about
revenge
and
payback,
but...

the Risen Christ
is all about
giving us peace,
complete well-being,
and the forgiveness
that
liberates us.





Please stand if you are able.

HYMN

Christ Is Risen! Alleluia!

ELW 382

1 Christ is ris-en! Al-le-lu-ia! Ris-en our vic-to-rious head!
2 Christ is ris-en! All the sad-ness of our Lent-en fast is o'er;
3 Christ is ris-en! All the sor-row that last eve-ning round him lay
4 Christ is ris-en! Hence-forth nev-er death or hell shall us en-thrall.

Sing his prais-es! Al-le-lu-ia! Christ is ris-en from the dead!
through the o-pen gates of glad-ness he re-turns to life once more;
now has found a glo-rious mor-row in the ris-ing of to-day.
We are Christ's, in him for-ev-er we have tri-umphed o-ver all.

Grate-ful-ly our hearts a-dore him as his light once more ap-pears;
death and hell be-fore him bend-ing see him rise, the vic-tor now,
See the grave its first-fruits giv-ing, spring-ing up from ho-ly ground;
All the doubt-ing and de-jec-tion of our trem-bling hearts have ceased;

bow-ing down in joy be-fore him, ris-ing up from griefs and tears.
an-gels on his steps at-tend-ing, glo-ry round his wound-ed brow.
Christ was dead, but now is liv-ing; he was lost, but he is found.
hail the day of res-ur-rec-tion! Let us rise and keep the feast.



Refrain

Christ is ris - en! Al - le - lu - ia! Ris - en our vic - to - rious head!

Sing his prais-es! Al - le - lu - ia! Christ is ris - en from the dead!

Text: John S. B. Monsell, 1811–1875, alt.
 Music: MORGENLIED, Frederick C. Maker, 1844–1927

NICENE CREED

P: Let us profess our faith together.

C: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

A: Uplifted by the promised hope of healing and resurrection, we join the people of God in all times and places in praying for the church, the world, and all who are in need. Hear us, O God.

C: **Your mercy is great.**

Open the doors we close, O God, when we fear those who worship you in different ways. Guide us to seek the unity and well-being of the whole human community and all of creation. May we come to cherish and steward the Chesapeake Bay and Susquehanna River watersheds. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Open the paths we ignore, O God, when we prioritize financial gain and personal comfort over the groaning of all creation inspire us to care for this planet where you intend living things to thrive. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Open the doors we keep locked, O God, to those experiencing homelessness locally, in our commonwealth, and around the world. We pray for Habitat for Humanity, Off the Streets, and Safe Families for Children/Bethany Christian Services so that with them we might have the collaborative impact you desire. May everyone, especially children, be given the safe home you desire for them. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Open the hearts we close, O God, to the cries of those in pain. We pray for those isolated physically or emotionally through incarceration, addiction, mental illness, chronic suffering, and grief. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Open the ways of love, O God, and bless the work of peacemakers in Ukraine, Russia, Israel, Palestine, Taiwan, China, Iran, and all the nations of the world. Bless the efforts of missionaries, activists for abused women and children, relief workers, and all those who serve to bring healing to the frontlines of conflicts. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Open the way to eternal life, O God, we remember those who have died in the faith. Free us from our fear of death so that we might embrace the peace you promise us. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Additional prayers may be lifted up by the congregation and/or pastor.

P: With bold confidence in your love, almighty God, we place all for whom we pray into your eternal care; through Christ our Lord.

C: **Amen.**

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

† THE MEAL †

PRAYER

A: Generous God, in this meal you offer your very self. We give thanks for these gifts of the earth. In the breaking of this bread reveal to us the Risen One. In the pouring of this wine pour us out in service to the world; through Christ our Lord.

C: **Amen.**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

With this bread and cup we remember our Lord's passover from death to life as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

C: **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

P: O God of resurrection and new life: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts of bread and wine. Bless this feast. Grace our table with your presence.

C: **Come, Holy Spirit.**

P: Reveal yourself to us in the breaking of the bread. Raise us up as the body of Christ for the world. Breathe new life into us. Send us forth, burning with justice, peace, and love.

C: **Come, Holy Spirit.**

P: With your holy ones of all times and places, with the earth and all its creatures, with sun and moon and stars, we praise you, O God, blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

P: We pray together.

C: **Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P: Come and know Christ, broken and poured out for you.

C: **Amen.**

Please be seated.

PARTAKING IN THE BREAD AND CUP OF SALVATION

All baptized Christians are welcome to partake of the Holy Sacrament. You may commune in your pew with one of the individually packaged kits or you may commune by coming forward to receive the elements in continuous fashion. Those who do not or choose not to partake of the sacrament may come forward and receive a blessing. If you are unable to come forward, please let one of the ushers know and the pastor will come to you.

FOR THOSE COMMUNING WITH THE KITS

Open the wafer packet.

P: The body of Christ given for you.

C: **Amen.**

Open the cup.

P: The blood of Christ shed for you.

C: Amen.

Please place communion cups & wrappers in the trash can as you exit the Sanctuary.

FOR THOSE COMMUNING BY COMING FORWARD

For those not able to have red wine, there is grape juice in the outer circle of every tray. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. When given the bread and cup, the communion ministers will say: "The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you," to which you may respond: "Amen."

Please use this time for quiet reflection or join in singing the communion hymn until all worshippers have communed and have returned to their seats.

COMMUNION SONGS

We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight

ELW 635



1 We walk by faith and not by sight; with
2 We may not touch your hands and side, nor
3 Help then, O Lord, our un - be - lief; and
4 That, when our life of faith is done, in



gra - cious words draw near, O Christ, who spoke as
fol - low where you trod; but in your prom - ise
may our faith a - bound to call on you when
realms of clear - er light we may be - hold you



none e'er spoke: "My peace be with you here."
we re - joice, and cry, "My Lord and God!"
you are near and seek where you are found:
as you are, with full and end - less sight.

Text: Henry Alford, 1810–1871, alt.

Music: DUNLAP'S CREEK, Samuel McFarland, fl. 1816

Let Us Break Bread Together

ELW 471

1. Let us break bread together on our knees;
Let us break bread together on our knees.

Refrain

When I fall on my knees,
With my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

2. Let us drink wine together on our knees;
Let us drink wine together on our knees. *Refrain*

3. Let us praise God together on our knees;
Let us praise God together on our knees. *Refrain*

Text: African American spiritual

Please stand if you are able.

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING

- P: The body and blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, strengthen you and keep you in his grace.
- C: **Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

- A: Gracious God, in you we live and move and have our being. With your word and this meal of grace, you have nourished our life together. Strengthen us to show your love and serve the world in Jesus' name.
- C: **Amen.**

† THE SENDING †

BLESSING

- P: The God of all, who raised † Jesus from the dead, bless you by the power of the Holy Spirit to live in the new creation.
- C: **Amen.**

1 That Eas - ter day with joy was bright; the
 2 O Je - sus, king of gen - tle - ness, with
 3 O Christ, you are the Lord of all in
 4 All praise, O ris - en Lord, we give to

sun shone out with fair - er light when, to their long - ing
 con - stant love our hearts pos - sess; to you our lips will
 this our Eas - ter fes - ti - val, for you will be our
 you, once dead, but now a - live! To God the Fa - ther

eyes re - stored, the a - pos - tles saw their ris - en Lord!
 ev - er raise the trib - ute of our grate - ful praise.
 strength and shield from ev - 'ry weap - on death can wield.
 e - qual praise, and God the Spir - it, now we raise!

Text: Latin hymn, 5th cent.; tr. John Mason Neale, 1818–1866, alt.
 Music: PUER NOBIS, European tune, adapt. Michael Praetorius, 1571–1621

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Serve the Risen One.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

THIS WEEK AT ZION

Sunday, April 16

** The altar flowers are sponsored by Scott & Mary Hetrick in honor of the wedding of Katie Hetrick and Brett Ostwalt yesterday in Charleston, SC.*

** The bulletins are sponsored by Jeff & Amy Thompson in celebration of Cameron's birthday on April 13.*

** The communion elements are sponsored by Nancy and Rodger Myers in celebration of the gift of our risen Lord!*

In-Person Worship – 9:00 a.m.

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

Link: http://bit.ly/Zion_Live

Adult Sunday School – 10:30 a.m.

Box Office Bible Study Class (“God Heard Their Cry”) – Parlor

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

Lancaster Conference Meeting – 2 p.m. (Trinity Lutheran, Lanc.)

Monday, April 17

Food Pantry – 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Council – 7 p.m. (Zone)

Tuesday, April 18

Bible Study – 9-10:30 a.m. (Parlor)

Scouts – 6 p.m. (Classrooms)

Wednesday, April 19

Food Pantry – 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Thursday, April 20

Community Meal – 5:30 p.m.

Choir – 6 p.m.

Friday, April 21

Saturday, April 22

Sunday, April 23

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Adult Sunday School – 10:30 a.m.

Box Office Bible Study Class (“God Heard Their Cry”) – Parlor

Wired Word Class – Zone (No Zoom option today and 4/30)

ANNOUNCEMENTS, GOD-SIGHTINGS, UPDATES, & EVENTS

CPR/AED TRAINING: APRIL 30 AFTER WORSHIP IN THE ZONE

Do you know how to perform "Hands Only CPR" to help someone who has collapsed? Are you aware that Zion has an Automated External Defibrillator (AED)? Do you know where it is stored and how to use it? If you are interested in learning about CPR and using an AED in an emergency, come to the Zone after the church service. We will view two



short (less than 5 minutes)

videos from the American Heart Association which demonstrate "Hands Only CPR" and how to use an AED. We will also discuss some things to remember if and when an emergency occurs at Zion. We strongly encourage at least one member of each usher team to attend!



ALL CHURCH WORK DAY: SATURDAY, APRIL 29

We hope you will come out to help with some jobs around the church ... line-painting, power-washing, replacing lights, fixing the courtyard gate, and more! All skills, abilities, and interests are needed and welcome! Add the date to your calendar!

STUFFIE BLESSING

Thank you for all the donations of stuffed animals for Penn State Pediatric Clinic! What a remarkable collection of donations over the last six weeks! They will be blessed in worship next Sunday, April 23 and then delivered to the children in the hospital. *Plan to stay after worship for light refreshments to celebrate the success of this outreach project!*

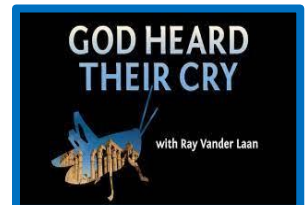


ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL: 10:30 a.m.



In the Zone and on Zoom
(<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>)
[No Zoom on 4/23 and 4/30]

BIBLE STUDY CLASS ("God Heard Their Cry"): In the Parlor



SPRING-BRING



This collection to help stop hunger with our hands continues! Bring a box and/or can of food for the Pantry! Please place food items in the bin, write your name on a hand cut-out, and place it in the designated box. The hands will be displayed on the bulletin board in the Narthex. Thanks for your participation!!



The money collected this month for the Joyful Noise offering will go to Habitat for Humanity projects in Lancaster & Lebanon Counties.



...FROM TOM GRZYBOWSKI for the Easter card!

...FROM MILAGRO HOUSE...We are grateful to Zion for donating to Milagro House in support

of the Day of Smiles in February. The gift of \$150 will directly support our mission to provide education, housing, and support to women and their children who would otherwise be experiencing homelessness ... Thank you again for your generosity and for choosing to support Day of Smiles and Milagro House.

...FROM THE FOOD PANTRY...Thank you for the 465 pounds of food contributed to the pantry in March. Last month, the pantry served: 567 children; 98 adults; 379 seniors. This was a total of 1,944 people served! In addition, we registered 21 new families in March. If you would like to donate items, the following are requested:

Cereal ... cereal is *always* needed! 😊

Canned carrots

Canned mixed vegetables

Gluten free Progresso soup



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OPEN HOUSE

SUMMER CAMP OPEN HOUSES AT KIRCHENWALD, NAWAKWA, AND THE WITTEL FARM

April 16; 2-4:30 p.m.

TODAY!

Come meet some of the summer camp staff, take a tour of the camp, and get a \$10 gift certificate to the camp store!



COME CELEBRATE EARTH DAY AT KIRCHENWALD

April 23; 2-6 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY!

Enjoy an afternoon of environmental activities, games, and crafts within God's creation. An evening meal is included in the \$15 fee. All ages welcome.



COME HELP SPRUCE UP THE CAMPS

April 29; 9 a.m.-5 p.m. (At Nawakwa)

May 6; 9 a.m.-5 p.m. (Kirchenwald)

SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION

There are camps for all ages and interests at both Kirchenwald and at Nawakwa. If camp isn't for you, maybe your grandchild, nephew, niece, cousin, neighbor would be interested! Help spread the word about the opportunities throughout the summer!



More information about these and other events at:

<https://www.lutherancamping.org/upcoming-events/>

PRAYER LIST
FOR HEALING

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| Bob Shirk | Tom Grzybowski | Jess Barcaro | Harry Musselman |
| Sam King | Connie Alsedek | Joe Adams | Mary Zimmerman |
| Marvin Ruch | Kate Donnan | Bill Grove | Judie Ingersoll |
| Joan Mays | Holly Hoover | Barb Williams | Kay Crawford |

Mary Kessler (Sister-in-Law of Pastor Tim)
Elaine Reuschlein (Friend of Barb Williams)
Jack Taylor (4-year-old son of the niece of Deb Grube)
Walter Thalgott (Brother of Thelma Pearson)
Jeff Bradley (Friend of Al Ramer)
Harmony & Family (Friends of Kim & Jim Paternoster)
Jeff Long (Nephew of Rick & Deb Long)
Loma Slike (Mother of Sue Wise)
Brook Ross (Friend of Barb Williams)
William Hartman (Father of Deb Grube)
Ernie Johnson (Friend of Barb Williams)
Mike LaFata (Son-in-law of Bill & Julia Grove)

FOR COMFORT, PEACE, STRENGTH, & SAFETY

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| Thelma Pearson | Lucy Davis | Betty Stoner | Deb McCartney |
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George Potts Ruth Burkett (Mother of Deb Long)
Peggy & Rick Dolly (Relatives of Barb Williams)
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)
Lynda Sherwood and family on the death of her father, Vaun Hile
Family and friends of Arlene Miller

FOR PROTECTION FOR MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS

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| 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!

20 – Karen Wright 22 – Amanda Grube, Madison Pipkin, Marvin Ruch

CONGRATULATIONS to Katie Hetrick on her marriage to Brett Ostwalt yesterday!

CONDOLENCES to the family of Catherine Reider who died on February 24.

MINISTRY LEADERS

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

Members of the Congregation
Rev. Timothy Seitz-Brown
John Landis
Anne Rankin
David Albin
Diane Gerlach
Kim Paternoster
Denise Haun
Brian Bourassa (a.m.)
Tom Miller (p.m.)

WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFORMATION

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| Worship | Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. |
| Livestream & Recorded Link | http://bit.ly/Zion_Live |
| Bible Study Focus Class (Parlor) | Sundays @ 10:30 a.m. |
| Wired Word Class (Zone & Zoom) | Sundays @ 10:30 a.m. |
| | https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266 (No Zoom on 4/23 and 4/30) |
| Bible Study | Tuesdays @ 9:00 a.m. |
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