

NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

An Outdoor Service of Word & Sacrament

August 7, 2022



ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

85 E. Brandt Boulevard

Landisville, PA

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

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost

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

† THE GATHERING †

INTRODUCTION

Jesus says, “It is your Father’s good pleasure to give you the kingdom.” It is God’s promise from the beginning—to Abraham, to the early church, and to the “little flock” of which we are a part in today’s assembly. Faith, God’s baptismal gift, trusts the promises of God. Have no fear.

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, & GOD-SIGHTINGS

PRELUDE

The Old Rugged Cross

George Bennard

Please stand if you are able.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

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, whose steadfast love endures forever.

C: **Amen.**

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Merciful God,

C: **we confess that we have not followed your path but have chosen our own way. Instead of putting others before ourselves, we long to take the best seats at the table. When met by those in need, we have too often passed by on the other side. Set us again on the path of life. Save us from ourselves and free us to love our neighbors. Amen.**

P: Hear the good news! God does not deal with us according to our sins but delights in granting pardon and mercy. In the name of ✠ Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. You are free to love as God loves.

C: **Amen.**

OPENING SONG

All That We Have

Refrain

All that we have and all that we offer
Comes from a heart both frightened and free.
Take what we bring now and give what we need
All done in his name.

1 Some men rely on their power;
others put trust in their gold;
Some men have only their Savior,
whose faithfulness never grows old. *Refrain*

2 Sometimes the road may be lonesome;
often we may lose our way.
Courage and always remember
love isn't just for a day. *Refrain*

3 Sometimes when troubles are many,
life can seem empty, it's true,
Look at the life of the Master,
who lovingly suffered for you. *Refrain*

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 God, you sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your church. Open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may be ready to receive you wherever you appear, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: **Amen.**

Please be seated.

† THE WORD †

Genesis 15:1-6

God promises childless and aging Abram that a child of his own will be his heir and that his descendants will number as many as the stars. Abram trusts God's promise, and through this faith he is considered righteous.

A: ¹After these things the word of the LORD came to Abram in a vision, “Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great.” ²But Abram said, “O Lord GOD, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?” ³And Abram said, “You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir.” ⁴But the word of the LORD came to him, “This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir.” ⁵He brought him outside and said, “Look toward heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them.” Then he said to him, “So shall your descendants be.” ⁶And he believed the LORD; and the LORD reckoned it to him as righteousness.

A: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalms 33:12-22

Please read responsively.

A: ¹²Happy is the nation whose God is the LORD! Happy the people chosen to be God's heritage!

C: ¹³**The LORD looks down from heaven, and sees all humankind.**

¹⁴God sits firmly enthroned and watches all who dwell on the earth.

¹⁵**God fashions all their hearts and observes all their deeds.**

¹⁶A king is not saved by the size of the army, nor are warriors rescued by their great strength.

¹⁷**The horse gives vain hope for victory; despite its great strength it cannot save.**

¹⁸Truly, your eye is upon those who fear you, O LORD, upon those who wait for your steadfast love,

¹⁹**to deliver their lives from death, and to keep them alive in time of famine.**

²⁰Our innermost being waits for you, O LORD, our helper and our shield.

²¹**Surely, our heart rejoices in you, for in your holy name we put our trust.**

²²Let your lovingkindness, O LORD, be upon us, even as we place our hope in you.

Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16

Abraham and Sarah exemplify the vision of faith that people of God enact in every age. Their hope and trust in God's promise allowed them to face an unknown future and to receive the promise of God.

A: ¹Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. ²Indeed, by faith our ancestors received approval. ³By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that what is seen was made from things that are not visible.

⁸By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to set out for a place that he was to receive as an inheritance; and he set out, not knowing where he was going. ⁹By faith he stayed for a time in the land he had been promised, as in a foreign land, living in tents, as did Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. ¹⁰For he looked forward to the city that has foundations, whose architect and builder is God. ¹¹By faith he received power of procreation, even though he was too old—and Sarah herself was barren—because he considered him faithful who had promised. ¹²Therefore from one person, and this one as good as dead, descendants were born, “as many as the stars of heaven and as the innumerable grains of sand by the seashore.”

¹³All of these died in faith without having received the promises, but from a distance they saw and greeted them. They confessed that they were strangers and foreigners on the earth, ¹⁴for people who speak in this way make it clear that they are seeking a homeland. ¹⁵If they had been thinking of the land that they had left behind, they would have had opportunity to return. ¹⁶But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God; indeed, he has prepared a city for them.

A: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S CHAT

Please stand if you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *Change My Heart, Oh God*

Change my heart, oh God.

Make it ever true.

Change my heart, oh God.

May I be like You.

You are the potter – I am the clay.

Mold me and make me – this is what I pray

Change my heart, oh God.

Make it ever true.

Change my heart, oh God.

May I be like You.

Luke 12:32-40

Jesus encourages disciples to invest their hearts and live fully into God's reign. Instead of facing life with fear, those who know God's generosity are always ready to receive from God and to give to others.

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 12th chapter.

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

[Jesus said:] ³²“Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. ³³Sell your possessions, and give alms. Make purses for yourselves that do not wear out, an unfailing treasure in heaven, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. ³⁴For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

³⁵“Be dressed for action and have your lamps lit; ³⁶be like those who are waiting for their master to return from the wedding banquet, so that they may open the door for him as soon as he comes and knocks. ³⁷Blessed are those slaves whom the master finds alert when he comes; truly I tell you, he will fasten his belt and have them sit down to eat, and he will come and serve them. ³⁸If he comes during the middle of the night, or near dawn, and finds them so, blessed are those slaves.

³⁹“But know this: if the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. ⁴⁰You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.”

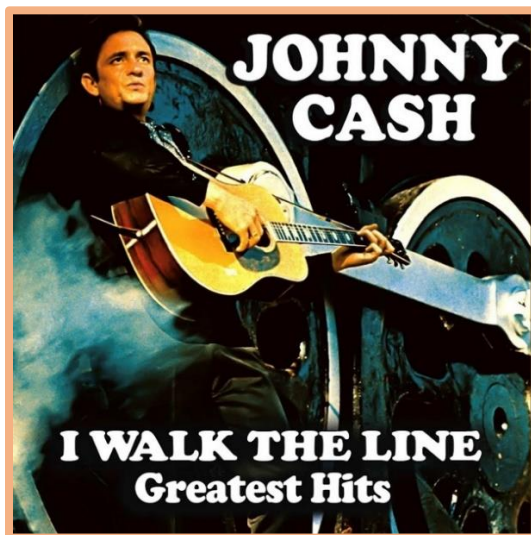
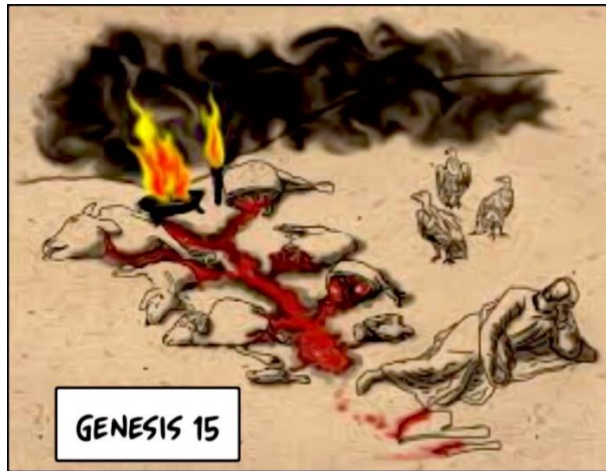
P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

SERMON

The Rev. Timothy Seitz-Brown





Father James Alison says faith is relaxing in the presence of someone you're certain is fond of you.

Lutheran idea: faith is trusting God's promises, not intellectually assenting to a set of theological propositions.

The Ace There is no way to God (period)



Love comes down
"Incarnation"

So....., God comes to us.

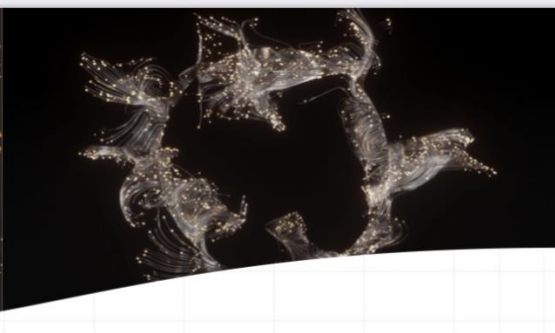
We don't preach the Bible;
we use the Bible to preach Jesus.



Essentials for Change

- Be clear about who God is and what God is up to
- Be committed to joining in with God at work (know why we are here)
- Be willing to try new ways of doing things (change takes more than meetings)
- Work together with others





When was the last time
we have sold anything
of genuine value
and given it away?

When is the last time
we have lived unafraid,
slaves to a God who serves
rather than an empire that destroys?

Jerusha Matsen Neal

Please stand if you are able.

HYMN

Blessed Assurance

1 Bless-ed as-sur-ance, Je-sus is mine! Oh, what a fore-taste of glo-ry di-vine!
2 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, per-fect de-light, vi-sions of rap-ture now burst on my sight;
3 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, all is at rest; I in my Sav-ior am hap-py and blest,

Heir of sal-va-tion, pur-chase of God, born of his Spir-it, washed in his blood.
an-gels de-scend-ing bring from a-bove ech-oes of mer-cy, whis-pers of love.
watch-ing and wait-ing, look-ing a-bove, filled with his good-ness, lost in his love.



Refrain

This is my sto - ry, this is my song, prais-ing my Sav - ior all the day long:

this is my sto - ry, this is my song, prais-ing my Sav - ior all the day long.

Text: Fanny J. Crosby, 1820–1915
 Music: ASSURANCE, Phoebe P. Knapp, 1830–1908

APOSTLES CREED

P: Let us profess our faith together.

C: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell.

On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

A: Trusting in God's extraordinary love, let us come near to the Holy One in prayer. Let your lovingkindness be upon your church. Fill all who proclaim the gospel with your Spirit. Equip your flock to speak your word of promise and hope in the midst of fear and uncertainty. Merciful God,

C: **receive our prayer.**

Let your lovingkindness be upon your creation. Dwell among us and sustain our earthly home. In places of famine, provide nourishment. In places of plenty, fashion us to be good stewards of your bounty. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Let your lovingkindness be upon your world. Be our helper and our shield in places torn by strife and violence. Raise up courageous leaders to govern with compassion and justice. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Let your lovingkindness be upon your children. Look upon all who wait for your steadfast love. Console those who grieve and embrace those who cry out to you. Help us to trust your promise and not be afraid. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Let your lovingkindness be upon this community. Fashion our hearts to strive for the way of peace. Strengthen the outreach ministries of this congregation and all who care for those in need. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

With thanksgiving we remember all who have died in faith and now rest in you. As they placed their hope in you, so strengthen us to trust in your promise of new life. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

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

P: Receive the prayers of your children, merciful God, and hold us forever in your steadfast love; through Jesus Christ, our holy Wisdom.
C: **Amen.**

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you.
C: **And also with you.**

† **THE MEAL** †

SETTING OF THE TABLE

HYMN

Where You Lead Me

Where you lead me, I will follow,
With your rod and staff to guide me;
Over mountains, through the valleys,
You will bring my heart through safely.

And I will rest in the shadow of Your wings;
My soul follows hard after Thee.
O, my God, You are my keeper
And you have everything I need;
You're my Shepherd, my soul follows hard after Thee.
Repeat.

OFFERING PRAYER

A: Let us pray. God of abundance: you have set before us a plentiful harvest. As we feast on your goodness, strengthen us to labor in your field, and equip us to bear fruit for the good of all, in the name of Jesus.

C: **Amen.**

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Dialogue

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

The Preface

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. You reveal your glory as the glory of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit: equal in majesty, undivided in splendor, one Lord, one God, ever to be adored in your eternal glory. And so with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**C: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory, Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

P: Blessed are you, O God of the universe. Your mercy is everlasting and your faithfulness endures from age to age. Praise to you for creating the heavens and the earth. Praise to you for saving the earth from the waters of the flood. Praise to you for bringing the Israelites safely through the sea. Praise to you for leading your people through the wilderness to the land of milk and honey. Praise to you for the words and deeds of Jesus, your anointed one. Praise to you for the death and resurrection of Christ. Praise to you for your Spirit poured out on all nations. 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 in the world. Breathe new life into us. Send us forth, burning with justice, peace and love.

C: Come, Lord Jesus.

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: Christ has set the table with more than enough for all. Come!

C: **Amen.**

Please be seated.

PARTAKING IN THE BREAD AND CUP OF SALVATION

The congregation opens the wafer packet.

P: The body of Christ given for you.

C: **Amen.**

The congregation opens the cup.

P: The blood of Christ shed for you.

C: **Amen.**

Please place communion cups & wrappers in the trash can by the tree at the end of the service.

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: Let us pray. Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy. Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may come to know your love. This we pray in the name of Jesus.

C: **Amen.**

† THE SENDING †

Please stand if you are able.

BLESSING

P: The God of peace, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you, comfort you, and show you the path of life this day and always.

C: Amen.

SENDING HYMN

How Great Thou Art

ELW 856

1. O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder
consider all the works thy hand hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed;

Refrain

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee,
how great thou art! How great thou art!
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how great thou art! How great thou art!

2. When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
I hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur
and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze; *Refrain*

3. But when I think that God, his Son not sparing,
sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,
that on the cross my burden gladly bearing
he bled and died to take away my sin; *Refrain*

4. When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation,
and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration
and there proclaim, "My God, how great thou art!" *Refrain*

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DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Love your neighbor.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

In the Garden

arr. Mary Ellen Kerrick

THIS WEEK AT ZION

Sunday, August 7

* *The flowers are sponsored by Brenda Stover in memory of her mother, Lillian Stover.*

* *The communion elements are sponsored by Bob & Judy Traup in honor of our new pastor, Pastor Tim, and his wife, Ann.*

In-Person Outdoor Worship – 9:00 a.m.

No Livestream

No Adult Sunday School – Will resume on 8/14

Monday, August 8

Tuesday, August 9

Bible Study – 9 - 10:30 a.m. (Parlor)

Worship & Music – 7 p.m.

Wednesday, August 10

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Thursday, August 11

Friday, August 12

Saturday, August 13

Sunday, August 14

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)



ANNOUNCEMENTS, GOD-SIGHTINGS, UPDATES, & EVENTS



NAMETAGS

Please continue to wear your nametag to help Pastor Tim and his wife Ann as they are still getting to know everyone!

JOYFUL NOISE



Beginning today, the Joyful Noise Offering will go to Landis Place, a 55+ community in the heart of the city. Landis Place will create abundant choices, foster increased community, and provide moderate income housing for adults age 55+. The diverse and flourishing downtown neighborhood of West King Street has embraced the vision for an inclusive community housing option. a community like this is another step in keeping the Central Business District vibrant and growing. For more information, visit: <https://www.landisplace.org/>.

PICNIC IN THE PARK

The Picnic in the Park this month will gather on Thursday, August 25 at 11:30 at the Rapho Twp. Park Pavilion. All are welcome to come for this time of food and fellowship!

ADULT SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL: 10:15 a.m. ...IN THE PARLOR

This class is in the middle of a series that explores Christian themes in the classic movie “Inherit the Wind” starring Frederic March and Spencer Tracy. This five-part series (running through 8/21, but not meeting today) will put “God on Trial!”



TRANSPORTATION

If you are in need of transportation to medical appointments or to any of our services, please contact Judy Traup (traup201@comcast.net or 717-898-0625).



TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

All are invited to come to the Tuesday morning Bible Study at 9:00 a.m. The study will follow the lectionary readings in preparation for the upcoming Sunday's lessons. Questions? Contact Millie (717-898-2313).

PERSONAL CARE KITS FOR LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF

We continue to collect items for the Personal Care Kits! Do you think we could reach 100 total by the end of the summer?!? There are some extra items (soap, clippers, combs and toothbrushes) in a basket which you may use to complete your kit! When you have everything needed for one kit, place the bag in the collection chest across from the mailboxes.



These kits are sent all over the world to provide necessary supplies and comfort to refugees. Please take the following list with you when you shop. Each item is specific in size, shape, or style!

Include the following items in each Personal Care Kit:

- ☐ One light-weight bath-size towel (20" X 40" to 52" X 27"), dark color recommended
- ☐ Two or three bath-size bars of soap equaling 8 to 9 oz, any brand, in original wrapping; no mini or hotel size bars
- ☐ One adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging*
- ☐ One sturdy comb. There are many different types of hair texture, so no picks or fine-toothed combs; remove packaging
- ☐ One metal nail clippers (attached file optional), remove packaging

*Toothbrush multi-packs may be used by sealing an individual toothbrush in a business-size envelope; no plastic bags or wrap.

THE GROWING PROJECT AT THE WITTEL FARM



The Wittel Farm is a community ministry of the Lutheran Camping Corporation (LCC) dedicated to growing and sharing fresh vegetables to end hunger in Lancaster County. This ministry partnership between LCC, the Lower Susquehanna Synod, and Hunger-Free Lancaster County, reclaims a portion of the acreage gifted to the LCC for its original use: farming. The crops harvested are donated to assist individuals and families in need through the partnership with Hunger-Free Lancaster County. *Please join us on the farm in the 2022 growing season throughout the summer months. Weekly volunteer hours throughout the summer are from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.*

For more information about The Growing Project and to volunteer as an individual, or a multi-generational group, youth group or family, contact project director, Pastor Matt Lenahan at pastormattl@dejazzd.com or visit: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0949a9a72ea7fb6-planting2>



AN UPDATE FROM MARY HETRICK

The Community Meal is currently on a hiatus through August. We had very busy winter and spring months with attendance consistently rising to 110-120 meals per week.

Many thanks to all the sponsoring organizations and the volunteers here at Zion who help to provide

this ministry to our local community on a weekly basis.

The question has been asked, "When will we return to a sit-down meal as we had before the pandemic?" This is not an easy question and there is a lot to consider in making this decision. One of the things that was done to help us determine what to do was survey the participants in the drive-thru line. Results indicated that about half said they would want to have it go back to a sit-down meal and half said they would not attend if it went back to that format.

What other factors need to be considered?

- Attendance at the meal may drop back to 50-60 per week from the 100+ that it has been.
- There would be the opportunity for socialization again for those who enjoyed this in the past.
- It would require more volunteer hours from Zion to set up for the meal.
- A sexton would need to be at the church to operate the chair lift.
- And, of course, the rise in COVID infections once again can't be ignored.

Based on these factors and much consideration and conversation, it has been decided that the drive-thru meal format will continue -- resuming on Thursday, September 8 -- at least until November.

In the meantime, I continue to look for sponsoring groups from the community who might be interested in sponsoring a meal. At this point, there are five open dates for the remainder of the year. If you are aware of any community organizations that might help, please have them contact me (psuocn92@comcast.net). I will be sending out emails as usual for volunteers to help with meals when it is Zion's turn to sponsor a meal. **THANK YOU!**

AUGUST EVENTS CALENDARS

Printed copies of the August Events Calendar are available on the ushers' table in the Narthex. It can also be found online at:

<https://www.zionhempfield.net/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/August-2022-Calendar.pdf>



Children's Bible Story Hour
for ages 3-7 from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.
This Wednesday -- August 10
Please RSVP to 717-569-1359:
Zion Lutheran Church, East Pete.

CONVENANT FOR RENEWAL UPDATE FROM ADELE KING

As we embark upon the “Covenant for Renewal”, we, the leadership, must report to you, the congregation, as to how we are doing with the tasks we accepted. Additionally, we must report to the synod each month, as to how the congregation is fulfilling their end of the agreement.

Please think back a few years ago when we began our Call Process....at that time we developed a congregational profile. One of the things listed there was: How will you help your new pastor? So far, he has asked three (3) tasks of each of us:

1. Wear name tags
2. Send your contact information and a picture to him via text
3. Sign up for a one-on-one with him

As we look around, most, if not all, are wearing the name tags, so kudos to you!! Please continue that for a short while so he can get to know everyone by name.

To those who have completed the task of sending picture and contact information, thank you!!! We realize that a few of you may have difficulty sending a text and picture. Please see any Council member after the Service, any upcoming Sunday, and we will take your picture and send your contact information to him.

And lastly, Pastor Tim is asking each of us to meet with him one-on-one. There will be sign-up sheets each week, if you have time that upcoming week. Plan on being with him for about an hour or less, and you can decide together where that will take place.

We challenge you this year to do your part in making our pastoral journey a positive effort of caring for him as well as each other!

God bless you each in this task!
Adele King

SIGN UP FOR A 1-ON-1 WITH PASTOR TIM

Pastor Tim is doing 1-on-1 visits with both people in the congregation and in the community. Sign-ups are available on Sunday mornings. He will also be reaching out to folks who are unable to attend on Sundays.

PEOPLE OF PEACE

Pastor Tim is looking for you to nominate "people of peace" in the community! Please give him names of people for him to visit in the community.

BELOVED PEOPLE OF GOD

The world is looking for faith communities who will see each person as a beloved person of God. Pastor Tim still has 10 copies of the short, beautiful book, "Beloved," by Henri Nouwen available to Zion members. What might it look like for Zion to be a congregation that names everyone they meet as beloved? You are encouraged to see Pastor Tim for a copy of the book!

CONGRATULATIONS to Sarah & Connor Chapman and the extended Thompson family on the baptism of Bethany on July 31. Bethany was baptized at Sarah & Connor's church in Reedsville, surrounded and supported by their friends in that congregation.



BULLETIN SPONSORSHIP OPEN DATES

Please consider signing up to sponsor the bulletins! All of the Sundays this month are open and waiting for you to sign up! There are also several Sundays in September and through the fall that are open. Cost is \$40.



...to Zach Swade & Family and to Jere Grube

Thank you to Zach (grandson of Joan O.) and his family for

getting rid of the weeks, removing the playground, and laying grass seed in the back corner space of the church property! Thank you also to Jere Grube for laying down straw to help the grass grow!



SUMMER AT THE TABERNACLE -- CONCERTS AT MT. GRETNA

TODAY: Piano Concert at 7 p.m.

Michael Faircloth – *Recording artist, Christian concert pianist and pianist/accompanist for the National Christian Choir.*

Wednesday, August 10: Concert at 7 p.m.

Brothers in Grace Gospel Quartet – *This concert will have a unique Southern Gospel style.*

Sunday, August 14 – Concert at 7 p.m.

Men in Harmony – *Directed by Nathan Minnich, this all-volunteer men's chorus of 20+ voices will perform a variety of music: sacred, classical, gospel, spirituals, hymn tunes, and patriotic songs.*

Sunday, August 21 – Concert at 7 p.m.

The Susquehanna Chorale – *Directed by Linda Tedford, this group is one of the premier choral groups in the nation,*

Sunday, August 27 – Concert at 7 p.m.

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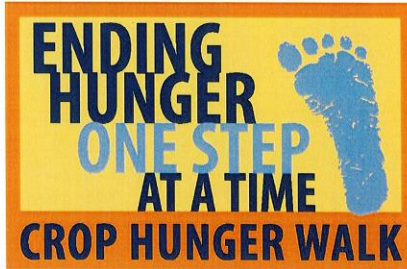
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**The 50th Anniversary of the Lancaster CROP Walk
October 16, 2022**

**Registration at 1:00 p.m.
Celebration Event at 1:30 p.m.
Walk Begins at 2:00 p.m.**

**at the
Annunciation Greek
Orthodox Church**

**64 Hershey Ave.
Lancaster, PA**

Honorary Chairpersons



Matt Barcaro



Father & Mrs. Veronis

<https://events.crophungerwalk.org/2022/event/lanasterpa>

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***Contact Randy Miller with
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CROP Walk Team!***

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Don Heartter
Joe Adams
Judie Ingersoll
Bill Grove
Kay Crawford
Holly Hoover
Sam King
Joan Mays
Chase Pipkin
Janet & Harry Musselman
Loma Slike (Mother of Sue Wise)
Steve Baker (Friend of the congregation)
Bobbi (Friend of a member)
Lori Weber (Daughter of Dolly Overly)
Meghan Frey (Friend of the congregation)
William Hartman (Father of Deb Grube)
Family & Friends of Ken & Mary Reisig (Friend of the congregation)
Ashley LaFata & Mike Walker (Bill & Julia Grove's Granddaughter & Husband)
Mike LaFata (Son-in-law of Bill & Julia Grove)

FOR COMFORT, PEACE, STRENGTH, & SAFETY

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Betty Stoner
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Vaun Hile (Father of Lynda Sherwood)
Dorothy Mattern (Mother of Denise Haun)
Ed & Dotty Sites (Parents of Cathy Benedict)
Jennifer Kready (Daughter of Dave & Donna Dumeyer)

FOR PROTECTION FOR MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS

Evan Benedict
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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!

10 – Mary Jane Unger
11th – Erica Kearon
13th – Dave Albin, Joe Hindes
14th – Ian Flood

CONDOLENCES to Denise Haun and the extended Haun/Mattern family as they grieve the death of her father, Bill.

MINISTRY LEADERS

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Tom Miller (p.m.)

WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFORMATION

Worship	Sundays @ 9:00 a.m.
Livestream & Recorded Link	http://bit.ly/Zion_Live
Sunday Scholars Class (Parlor)	Sundays @ 10:15 a.m. (except today)
Wired Word Class (Zone & Zoom)	Will Resume in September
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