

EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD

A Service of Word & Sacrament

January 9, 2022



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 this morning! 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 Pastor Sell.

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

- ❖ Mask wearing is recommended for all who attend or participate in any indoor gathering, including worship, at the church. This recommendation is for those who are vaccinated as well as for those who are not. If you are not vaccinated, we are asking you to please wear a mask to keep your fellow congregants as safe as possible. Church should be a loving, caring environment, and we would like to keep it that way.
- ❖ 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.
- ❖ 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.
- ❖ Ushers are located near the front and back of the worship area to direct people to seating and to the offering plates.

Epiphany of Our Lord

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

† THE GATHERING †

INTRODUCTION

The feast of Epiphany (“manifestation”) concludes the Christmas season with a celebration of God’s glory revealed in the person of Jesus Christ. In Isaiah and Ephesians, that glory is proclaimed for all nations and people. Like the light of the star that guided the magi to Jesus, the light of Christ reveals who we are: children of God who are claimed and washed in the waters of baptism. We are sent out to be beacons of the light of Christ, sharing the good news of God’s love to all people.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright* arr. by R. Hobby

Please stand if you are able.

OPENING HYMN *O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright* ELW 308

1 O Morning Star, how fair and bright!
You shine with God's own truth and light,
 aglow with grace and mercy!
 Of Jacob's line, King David's son,
 our Lord and Savior, you have won
 our hearts to serve you only! Lowly, holy!
Great and glorious, all victorious, rich in blessing!
 Rule and might o'er all possessing!

2 Come, precious diamond, light divine,
and deep within our hearts now shine; there light a flame undying!
In your one body let us be as living branches of a tree,
 your life our lives supplying.
Now, though daily earth's deep sadness
 may perplex us and distress us,
yet with heav'nly joy you bless us.

Text: Philipp Nicolai, 1556-1608; tr. *Lutheran Book of Worship*
Text © 1978 *Lutheran Book of Worship*, admin. Augsburg Fortress.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who sends the word with angels, who is made flesh among all peoples, and who breathes peace on all the earth.

C: **Amen.**

P: In Christ, we are bold to name our sin and cry out for peace.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Holy God,

C: **we confess our sin before you. We replace compassion with competition. We seek what is mighty while ignoring the meek. We are quick to anger but slow to forgive. We have not put on love in harmony with you. Wrap us in the grace of your powerful Word. Swaddle our hearts with your peace, that all we do, in word or deed, may reflect your love born among us. Amen.**

P: I bring you good news of great joy for all people: God has come among us in the child born of Mary, Christ the Lord. † In Christ your sins are forgiven and you are clothed in peace.

C: **Amen.**

GREETING

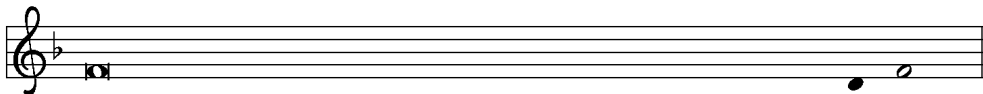
P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

KYRIE



In peace, let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mer - cy.

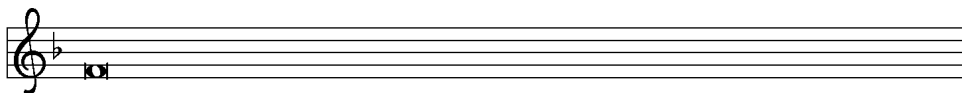


For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

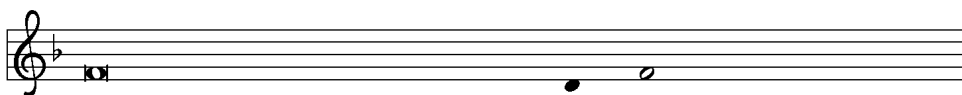




Lord, have mer - cy.



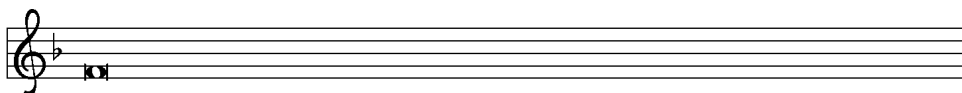
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



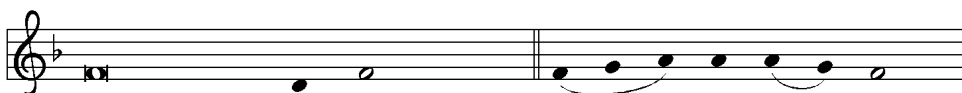
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



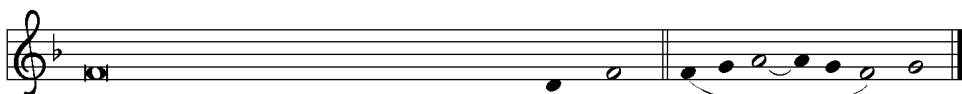
Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord. A - men.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray. O God, on this day you revealed your Son to the nations by the leading of a star. Lead us now by faith to know your presence in our lives, and bring us at last to the full vision of your glory, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

Please be seated.

† THE WORD †

Isaiah 60:1-6

A: ¹Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you. ²For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the LORD will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. ³Nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn.

⁴Lift up your eyes and look around; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from far away, and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms. ⁵Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and rejoice, because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. ⁶A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Midian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the LORD.

A: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 72:1-7; 10-14

Please read responsively

A: ¹Give the king your justice, O God, and your righteousness to the king's son;

C: ²**that he may rule your people righteously and the poor with justice;**

³that the mountains may bring prosperity to the people, and the hills, in righteousness.

⁴**Let him defend the needy among the people, rescue the poor, and crush the oppressor.**

⁵May he live as long as the sun and moon endure, from one generation to another.

⁶**Let him come down like rain upon the mown field, like showers that water the earth.**

⁷In his time may the righteous flourish; and let there be an abundance of peace till the moon shall be no more.

¹⁰**May the kings of Tarshish and of the isles pay tribute, and the kings of Sheba and Seba offer gifts.**

¹¹May all kings bow down before him, and all the nations do him service.

¹²**For the king delivers the poor who cry out in distress, the oppressed, and those who have no helper.**

¹³He has compassion on the lowly and poor, and preserves the lives of the needy.

¹⁴**From oppression and violence he redeems their lives, and precious is their blood in his sight.**

Ephesians 3:1-12

A: ¹This is the reason that I Paul am a prisoner for Christ Jesus for the sake of you Gentiles—²for surely you have already heard of the commission of God's grace that was given me for you, ³and how the mystery was made known to me by revelation, as I wrote above in a few words, ⁴a reading of which will enable you to perceive my understanding of the mystery of Christ. ⁵In former generations this mystery was not made known to humankind, as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: ⁶that is, the Gentiles have become fellow heirs, members of the same body, and sharers in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel.

⁷Of this gospel I have become a servant according to the gift of God's grace that was given me by the working of his power. ⁸Although I am the very least of all the saints, this grace was given to me to bring to the Gentiles the news of the boundless riches of Christ, ⁹and to make everyone see what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in God who created all things; ¹⁰so that through the church the wisdom of God in its rich variety might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. ¹¹This was in accordance with the eternal purpose that he has carried out in Christ Jesus our Lord, ¹²in whom we have access to God in boldness and confidence through faith in him.

A: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S CHAT

Please stand if you are able.

3 So bring him incense, gold, and myrrh;
come, peasant, king, to own him.
The King of kings salvation brings;
let loving hearts enthrone him.
Raise, raise the song on high,
the virgin sings her lullaby;
joy, joy, for Christ is born, the babe, the son of Mary!

Text: William C. Dix, 1837-1898

Matthew 2:1-12

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 2nd chapter.

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

¹In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, ²asking, “Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage.” ³When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; ⁴and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. ⁵They told him, “In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet: ⁶‘And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel.’”

⁷Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. ⁸Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, “Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage.” ⁹When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. ¹⁰When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. ¹¹On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. ¹²And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Please be seated.

MESSAGE

Rev. Melody Sell

Please stand if you are able.

HYMN

We Three Kings

1 We three kings of Orient are;
bearing gifts we traverse afar,
field and fountain, moor and mountain, following yonder star.

Refrain

Oh, star of wonder, star of night,
star with royal beauty bright;
westward leading, still proceeding,
guide us to thy perfect light!

2 Born a king on Bethlehem's plain,
gold I bring to crown him again;
king forever, ceasing never,
over us all to reign. *Refrain*

3 Frankincense to offer have I;
incense owns a deity nigh;
prayer and praising, gladly raising,
worshipping God Most High. *Refrain*

4 Myrrh is mine; its bitter perfume
breathes a life of gathering gloom;
sorrowing, sighing, bleeding, dying,
sealed in the stone-cold tomb. *Refrain*

5 Glorious now behold him arise,
King and God and Sacrifice;
Alleluia, alleluia!
.Earth to heav'n replies. *Refrain*

Text: John Henry Hopkins Jr., 1820-1891, alt.

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 worshipped 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: Let us come before the triune God in prayer.

Joining our voices with the heavenly host and Christians throughout time and space, let us pray for the church, the world, and all in need. God of wanderers, you sent the magi from afar to witness the mystery and majesty of your birth. Send us into the world with your will in our hearts and on our lips. Merciful God,

C: **receive our prayer.**

You created heaven and earth. Through your Spirit send your all-encompassing love over the cosmos. Bless the stars that guide our way and the night sky that invites the earth into slumber. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

You sent the magi to follow the star into an uncertain future. May all leaders and peoples seek your face, especially when paths are not clear, conflicts rage, tyrants oppress, and fear abounds. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

You sent your Spirit to dwell with Paul in prison. Send your Spirit to those who are imprisoned and enslaved. Give courage and wisdom for building roads that lead to justice and freedom. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

You sent the holy family to seek safety in a new land. Protect all who make similar journeys. Send your guiding Spirit to asylum seekers, refugees, and all who journey toward safety. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Your glory is shown to the saints. We give thanks for those whose earthly journey has ended and now dwell with you forever. Give us signs of your continual presence until that day when we arise in you. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Additional petitions may be inserted.

- P: Rejoicing in your Word made flesh among us, we commend these prayers to you, confident of your grace and love made known to us in Jesus Christ, our Savior.
C: **Amen.**

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

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

† THE MEAL †

HYMN

Give Thanks
Chorus

BB 63

Give thanks with a grateful heart,
Give thanks to the Holy One;
Give thanks because He's given
Jesus Christ, His Son. *Repeat*



Verse

And now let the weak say, "I am strong,"
Let the poor say, "I am rich"
Because of what the Lord has done for us. *Repeat*

Chorus

Give thanks with a grateful heart,
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Verse

And now let the weak say, "I am strong,"
Let the poor say, "I am rich"
Because of what the Lord has done for us.

Ending

Give thanks.

PRAYER

- A: Gracious God, your Word-made-flesh brings harmony to the earth. As we offer ourselves and these your gifts, prepare us to receive the grace and truth you offer at this table and renew in us the song of your salvation, in Jesus Christ our Savior.
- C: **Amen.**

GREAT THANKSGIVING

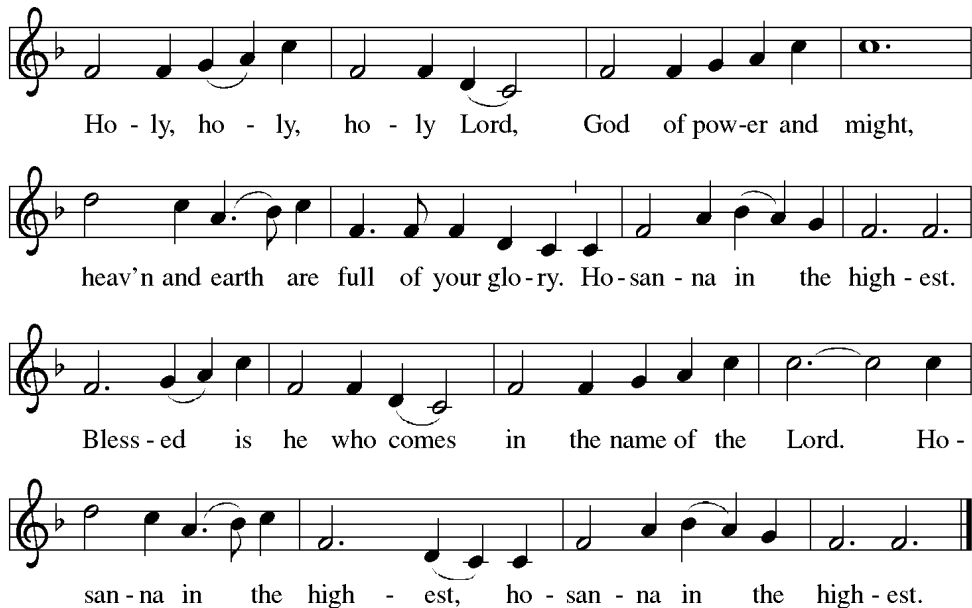
The Dialogue

- 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. By the leading of a star he was shone forth to all nations; in the waters of the Jordan you proclaimed him your beloved Son, and in the miracle of the water turned to wine he revealed your 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:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

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.*

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: In Christ's manger, at Christ's table, come, see what God makes known 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."

AFTER COMMUNING

Please use this time for quiet reflection until all worshippers have communed and have returned to their seat.

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: We thank you, wondrous God, for Jesus, God with us, in these gifts of bread and wine. As we have shared this feast of love, strengthen us to share your love with all the world. In Jesus' name we pray.

C: **Amen.**

† **THE SENDING** †

BLESSING

P: The God of hope fill us with all joy and peace in believing, so that we may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit, through Christ Jesus, the Word made flesh.

C: **Amen.**

SENDING HYMN

Brightest and Best of the Stars

ELW 303

- 1 Brightest and best of the stars of the morning,
dawn on our darkness and lend us your aid.
Star of the east, the horizon adorning,
guide where our infant redeemer is laid.
- 2 Cold on his cradle the dewdrops are shining;
low lies his head with the beasts of the stall;
angels adore him in slumber reclining,
maker and monarch and savior of all.



3 What shall we give him, in costly devotion?
Shall we bring incense and off'rings divine,
gems of the mountain and pearls of the ocean,
myrrh from the forest or gold from the mine?

4 Vainly we offer each ample oblation,
vainly with gifts would his favor secure;
richer by far is the heart's adoration,
dearer to God are the prayers of the poor.

5 Brightest and best of the stars of the morning,
dawn on our darkness and lend us your aid.
Star of the east, the horizon adorning,
guide where our infant redeemer is laid.

Text: Reginald Heber, 1783-1826, alt.

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Rejoice in Christ our Savior.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

Brightest and Best

arr. by R. Hobby



Talk about Variety!

Epiphanies don't just happen in church—a sudden insight can lead to a “Eureka!” in scientific experiments, an “Aha!” in a detective's casework, a “Checkmate!” in a fierce chess game, and even a self-satisfied “Yes!” in Sudoku, crosswords, or finding a set of lost keys. So, too, epiphanies about the true nature of Christ come in a variety of words, actions, and places in our gospel readings during the Sundays after Epiphany.

First wise men from the east, then a dove from heaven and the voice of God, and now water into wine—all pointing to the glory and wonder of God-made-flesh. Just as we have been created and blessed with varieties of gifts, services, and activities, so too has God created and blessed us with varieties of epiphanies throughout human history. In our world that so often relies on an us-versus-them mentality, can we see the rich tapestry of differences as part of God's glory? Will we be able to look past our traditions, our comfort zone, and our familiarities to see the glorious diversity of God's revelation? Are we open to an epiphany in any form so that we can in fact “do whatever he tells you” (John 2:5)?



THIS WEEK AT ZION & WITHIN THE WIDER CHURCH

Sunday, January 9 – Epiphany Sunday/Baptism of Our Lord

** The altar flowers are sponsored by Nina Laliberte in celebration of the engagement of Sarah Laliberte to Michael Kelly.*

** The bulletins and communion elements are sponsored by the Gundel families to the glory of God, along with their prayer that the love of our Savior Jesus Christ will continue to surround the precious family of Zion during the coming year.*

In-Person Worship – 9:00 a.m.

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

Link: http://bit.ly/Zion_Live

Box Office Bible Study Sunday School – 10:15 a.m. (Parlor)

Wired Word Sunday School – 10:15 a.m. (Zone/Zoom)

Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>

Monday, January 10

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Tuesday, January 11

Bible Study – 9 - 10:30 a.m. (Parlor)

Finance – 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, January 12

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Thursday, January 13

Community Meal – 5:30 p.m.

No Choir (Will resume 1/20)

Friday, January 14

Bridge – 1:00 p.m. (Parlor)

Saturday, January 15

Sunday, January 16

In-Person Worship – 9:00 a.m.

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

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Box Office Bible Study Sunday School – 10:15 a.m. (Parlor)

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Winter Fun Day – 1:00-6:00 p.m. (Kirchenwald)

Chicken & Waffles – 12-2 p.m. (Nawakwa)

ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, & EVENTS

VALENTINE'S DAY CARE PACKAGES

We are sending care packages to older members of our congregation! Items to donate include: kleenex, hand cream/hand sanitizer, books, puzzle books, pens/pencils, single serve snacks, disposable masks, etc. Please place items in the bin in the Narthex by 1/30.

JOYFUL NOISE

Throughout January, the Joyful Noise collection will go to "Off the Streets", an organization that helps individuals and families move from homelessness to permanent housing.

MINISTRY TEAMS

If you have not submitted your Annual Report to Anne, please email it to her at adminzelc@comcast.net.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Classes are typically held every Sunday morning at 10:15 a.m.

➤ ***WIRED WORD IN THE ZONE & ON ZOOM****

*This class explores current events and other relevant topics within a biblical and Christian framework. [*Note the new location through March] If you are interested in participating in this class via Zoom, you can sign on anytime after 10:15 at:*

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>

➤ ***BOX OFFICE BIBLE STUDY IN THE PARLOR***

This class explores various topics throughout the year. Currently they are using the Box Office Bible Studies series on the letters to the churches in the book of Revelation.

2022 FLOWER, BULLETIN, AND COMMUNION ELEMENTS SPONSORS

Please sign up to sponsor flowers, bulletins, and communion elements in 2022. Sign-up sheets are posted on the bulletin board in the Narthex for those who come to in-person worship. If you do not come to the church to sign up, you may still do so by emailing Anne the date you would like to sponsor, what you would like to sponsor, and the occasion that you would like to have noted in the bulletin.

CHECK YOUR LISTING

The deadline to check your listing in the directory on the ushers' table and make any changes is next Sunday, January 16. Also, if you know of someone who has moved or has a change of phone number or email address but has not been to church to note their changes, feel free to do so for them. Please do not remove the directory from the table so others can make changes!

2022 OFFERING ENVELOPES

If you have not picked up your offering envelopes from your church mailbox or if you have not arranged to pick yours up at the church office, please do so as soon as possible. Contact Anne (adminzelc@comcast.net) if you prefer to have yours mailed.

YEAR-END STATEMENTS

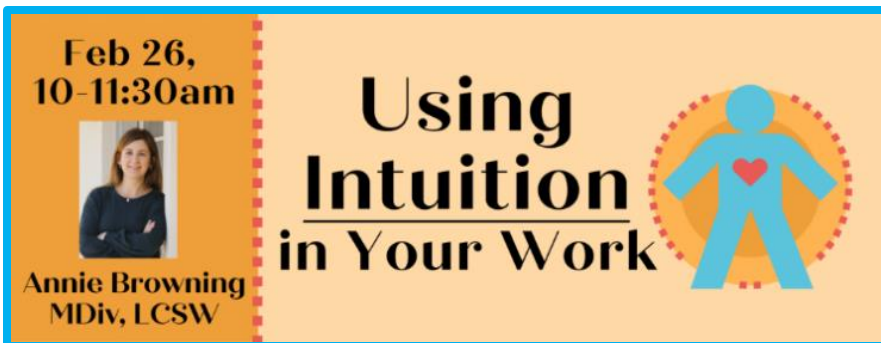
Your year-end financial statement are in your church mailbox. Please be sure to get yours; if you would prefer to have it mailed, let Anne know (adminzelc@comcast.net).

COMMUNITY MEAL

The Community Meal had a very successful year in 2021. Meals were served on 37 Thursday evenings, by 12 different churches and community groups, for a grand total of 3,947 meals. What a wonderful ministry to the community that Zion is leading!

The Community Meal is on a three-week hiatus over the holiday season. Meals will resume on January 13 and we will continue to use the drive-thru pick up until it is safe to return to a "sit down" meal. Open dates for meal sponsorship remain throughout the year, with the most immediate needs on January 20, February 17, and March 17. If these dates remain open, Zion will have to step in to provide these meals. Thanks to a generous anonymous donor, we have the funds to purchase the food needed, but volunteers will be also needed to get the meals prepared and out the door. So, stay tuned, and watch for email requests for volunteer help. If you have not volunteered in the past, now is the time to give this ministry a try -- and we have lots of fun!


UPCOMING WORKSHOP AT THE PARISH RESOURCE CENTER



**Feb 26,
10-11:30am**

**Annie Browning
MDiv, LCSW**

**Using
Intuition
in Your Work**



This workshop will be on Zoom.
For more info. & to register, visit:
<https://parishresourcecenter.org/events/using-intuition-in-your-work/>

THANK YOU FROM LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF PRESIDENT & CEO

Thank you for your recent generous gift of \$174.35 to Lutheran World Relief's Quilt and Kit Shipping Fund!...Because of your love, a family in a refugee camp can feel more at home with quilts to wrap around their shoulders. Families who have lost their homes in an earthquake can maintain their hygiene and dignity with a Personal Care Kit as they determine how to rebuild...I am so grateful that you are loving these neighbors by ensuring they'll receive these critical items just when they need them most.

ABOUT OUR SWEET SPONSORED CHILD BRENDA ALIMO



I am now 18 years old. My best moment this year has been independence! I am studying science because my goal is to become a nurse. My health is good. I have a goat and it has given birth so now I have kids. This year the support from Zion has provide me with "child protection training," "micro grants training," and learning materials. Through your support I am a healthy child attending school. Your support has made me who I am today.

WINTER EVENTS AT KIRCHENWALD & NAWAKWA

Winter Fun Day

at Kirchenwald

Sunday, January 16
Sunday, February 20
1:00pm - 6:00pm

Bring your family or youth group and enjoy an afternoon on Kirchenwald's award-winning toboggan run, ice-skating on the lake, or drinking hot chocolate in the lodge.

Free-will offering accepted.

RSVP to the Camping Office at
717-677-8211.



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Chicken & Waffles

at Nawakwa

Sunday, January 16, 2022
12:00pm - 2:00ish

Spend a Sunday at camp with a delicious home-made chicken and waffles dinner. Bring your sleds if there's snow!

Free-will offering accepted.

RSVP to the Camping Office at
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PRAYER LIST
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Joanne Grim
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Marvin Ruch
Kate Donnan
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Don Heartter
Joe Adams
Judie Ingersoll
Bill Grove
Kay Crawford
Holly Hoover
Sam King
Mary Zimmerman
Janet & Harry Musselman
Pam Alger (Sister of Pat Landis)
Loma Slike (Mother of Sue Wise)
Bobbi (Friend of a member)
William Hartman (Father of Deb Grube)
Ron Carroll (Stepfather of Wilson Pipkin)
Skipper Mann (Sister of Dolly Overly)
Meghan Frey (Friend of the congregation)
Ashley LaFata & Mike Walker (Bill & Julia Grove's Granddaughter & Husband)
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
Richard & Marilyn Heim
George Potts
Jess, Matt, & Grant Barcaro

Family & Friends of Bette Geibel
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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

11th – Dave Klepper
12th – Nathan Myers
13th – Julia Grove

UPDATED CONTACT

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Tom Miller (p.m.)
Dave Albin

Today's Assisting Minister

WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFORMATION

In-Person Worship	Sundays @ 9:00 a.m.
Livestream & Recorded Link for all services	http://bit.ly/Zion_Live
Box Office Bible Study Class (Parlor)	Sundays @ 10:15 a.m.
Wired Word Class (Zone & Zoom)	Sundays @ 10:15 a.m. https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266
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