

25th Sunday after Pentecost

A Service of Word & Sacrament

November 10, 2024



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! 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: Indoor worship services are live-streamed on the church YouTube channel: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIy_3AeK_pExuVhcUfl2cSw. 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. When the service is held outdoors, there will be no live-stream.

SUNDAY MORNING INFORMATION

- ❖ 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. Children are invited to come forward for the Children's Chat. The Puppet Theater will share a special message on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month. In addition, 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 calming 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, assist with other matters, and to answer questions.



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

† THE GATHERING †

INTRODUCTION

Widows are visible everywhere in today's readings. Jesus denounces those scribes who pray impressive prayers but devour widows' houses. He commends the poor widow who in his view gave far more than the major donors. Jesus doesn't see her simply as an object of compassion or charity. She, like the widow of Zarephath who shares her last bit of food with Elijah, does something of great importance.

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, & RECEIVING OF INTENT CARDS

VETERANS DAY RECOGNITION & BLESSING



Al Alsedek (Navy)



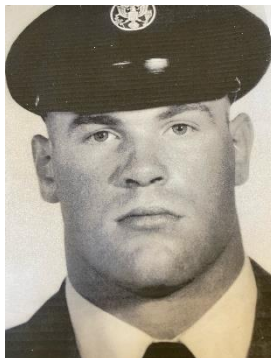
Arlie Reeves (Army)



Bill Piper (Marines)



Burnell Hostetter (Air Force)



Bob Traup (Air Force)



Deb Overly (Air Force)



Darrell Gerke (Army)



Dave Wauls (Army)



Nevin Lontz (Army)



John Hinkle (Army)



John F. Wise, Jr. (Army)
[Brother of Dave Wise]



Dave Wise (Army)



Joshua Marrs (Air Force)
[Son of John & Joanne Marrs]



Glenn Sellers (Army)
[Father of Dottie Wauls]



*James Franklin Wauls (Army)
[Father of Dave Wauls]*



Jim Gundel (Air Force)



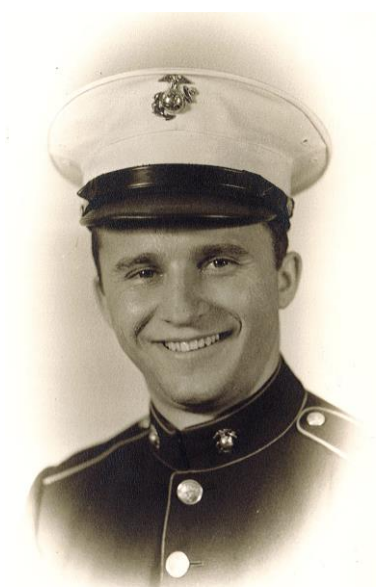
*Jason Traup (Navy)
[Son of Bob & Judy Traup]*



Sam King (Army)



*Tony & Diane Metzinger (Army)
[Daughter & Son-in-law of
Janet & Harry Musselman]*



*Stephen Dervarics (Marines)
[Father of Mary Hetrick]*



Tom Grzybowski (Coast Guard)



Eric Traup (Army)

A Blessing from the ELW Armed Forces Prayer Book

For everything there is a season.

A time for war and a time for peace.

A time for every activity under heaven.

For a season of life you gave up freedom to become a servant.

For a season of life you put the lives of others before your own.

For a season of life you sacrificed for the sake of others.

*Your season of military service is complete,
yet your life in Christ knows no end.*

*In baptism Christ claimed you as his own
and grafted you into his servant body.*

*The burdens you carried in military service
and those you carry now
are not far from Christ
but are taken by our Savior to the cross.*

*They are swallowed up in his death,
and you are raised with Christ to resurrection life.*

*We give thanks to God for your season of service
and for your life in Christ among us today.*

REMEMBRANCE ANTHEM

Hallelujah

**Leonard Cohen
arr. by Sailor Jerri**

Please stand if you are able.

OPENING SONG

*Come, Now Is the Time to Worship
Refrain*

BB 3

*Come, now is the time to worship.
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come, just as you are to worship.
Come, just as you are before your God. Come.*



1. One day every tongue will confess You are God.
One day every knee will bow.
Still, the greatest treasure remains
For those who gladly choose You now. *Refrain*

2. Willingly we choose to surrender our lives.
Willingly our knees will bow.
With all our heart, soul, mind, and strength
We gladly choose You now. *Refrain*

Ending

Come. Come. Just as you are, come. Come.

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, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

C: **Amen.**

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: **Amen.**

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

Silence for reflection.

P: Most merciful God,

C: **we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the \dagger Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

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.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray. O God, you show forth your almighty power chiefly by reaching out to us in mercy. Grant us the fullness of your grace, strengthen our trust in your promises, and bring all the world to share in the treasures that come through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: **Amen.**

Please be seated.

\dagger **THE WORD** \dagger

1 KINGS 17:8-16

God feeds Elijah and the widow at Zarephath.

A: ⁸The word of the LORD came to [Elijah,] saying, ⁹“Go now to Zarephath, which belongs to Sidon, and live there; for I have commanded a widow there to feed you.” ¹⁰So he set out and went to Zarephath. When he came to the gate of the town, a widow was there gathering sticks; he called to her and said, “Bring me a little water in a vessel, so that I may drink.” ¹¹As she was going to bring it, he called to her and said, “Bring me a morsel of bread in your hand.” ¹²But she said, “As the LORD your God lives, I have nothing baked, only a handful of meal in a jar, and a little oil in a jug; I am now gathering a couple of sticks, so that I may go home and prepare it for myself and my son, that we may eat it, and die.” ¹³Elijah said to her, “Do not be afraid; go and do as you have said; but first make me a little cake of it and bring it to me, and afterwards make something for yourself and your son. ¹⁴For thus says the LORD the God of Israel: The jar of meal will not be emptied and the jug of oil will not fail until the day that the LORD sends rain on

the earth.” ¹⁵She went and did as Elijah said, so that she as well as he and her household ate for many days. ¹⁶The jar of meal was not emptied, neither did the jug of oil fail, according to the word of the LORD that he spoke by Elijah.

The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 146

Please read responsively.

A: ¹Hallelujah! Praise the LORD, O my soul!

C: ²**I will praise the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.**

³Put not your trust in rulers, in mortals in whom there is no help.

⁴**When they breathe their last, they return to earth, and in that day their thoughts perish.**

⁵Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help, whose hope is in the LORD their God;

⁶**who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them; who keeps promises forever;**

⁷who gives justice to those who are oppressed, and food to those who hunger. The LORD sets the captive free.

⁸**The LORD opens the eyes of the blind; the LORD lifts up those who are bowed down; the LORD loves the righteous.**

⁹The LORD cares for the stranger; the LORD sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way of the wicked.

¹⁰**The LORD shall reign forever, your God, O Zion, throughout all generations. Hallelujah!**

HEBREWS 9:24-28

The once for all sacrifice of Christ.

A: ²⁴Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. ²⁵Nor was it to offer himself again and again, as the high priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; ²⁶for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is,

he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of himself. ²⁷And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgment, ²⁸so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

When Morning Gilds the Skies

John A. Behnke



All: 1. When morn - ing gilds the skies, my heart, a - wak - ing, cries,
 Treble Voices: 2. When mirth for mu - sic longs, this is my song of songs:
 Choir: 3. No love - lier an - ti - phon in all high heav'n is known
 Bass Voices: 4. Ye na - tions of man - kind, in this your con - cord find:
 All: 5. Sing, suns and stars of space, sing, ye that see his face,



"May Je - sus Christ be praised!" When eve - ning shad - ows fall,
 "May Je - sus Christ be praised!" God's ho - ly house of prayer
 than "Je - sus Christ be praised!" There to the e - ter - nal Word
 "May Je - sus Christ be praised!" Let all the earth a - round
 sing, "Je - sus Christ be praised!" God's whole cre - a - tion o'er,



this rings my cur - few call: "May Je - sus Christ be praised!"
 hath none that can com - pare with "Je - sus Christ be praised!"
 the e - ter - nal psalm is heard: "May Je - sus Christ be praised!"
 ring joy - ous with the sound: "May Je - sus Christ be praised!"
 both now and ev - er - more shall Je - sus Christ be praised!"

Text: *Katholisches Gesangbuch*, Würzburg, 1828; tr. Robert S. Bridges, 1844–1930, alt. (PD).

Tune: *LAUDES DOMINI*, Joseph Barnby, 1838–1896, and written in 1868 (PD).

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CHILDREN'S CHAT: Puppet Theater

Please stand if you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *Change My Heart, Oh God*

BB 59

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.

MARK 12:38-44

A widow's generosity reveals the hypocrisy of the scribes.

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

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

P: ³⁸ As [Jesus] taught, he said, "Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, ³⁹ and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets! ⁴⁰ They devour widows' houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation."

⁴¹ He sat down opposite the treasury, and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. ⁴² A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. ⁴³ Then he called his disciples and said to them, "Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. ⁴⁴ For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on."

The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Please be seated.



The Hebrew Scriptures' "Trinity of Vulnerability"

– the widow, the orphan, and the resident alien— represents society's most vulnerable individuals, who lacked family support, social standing, and legal protections.

Therefore, the Covenant Community was called to act with justice, compassion, and care for those at the margins.




Widow= The word “widow” appears 55 times in the Hebrew scriptures, often paired with other vulnerable groups.

Orphan/Fatherless= References to “orphan” or “fatherless” (Hebrew: *yatom*) appears 42 times.

Resident Alien/Foreigner= The term for “resident alien” or “foreigner” (Hebrew: *ger*) appears more than 90 times, though not all in conjunction with widow and orphan.

“Widow, orphan, and resident alien”= This phrase, grouping together the three groups occurs about a dozen times.



Deuteronomy 10:18= God is described as upholding the cause of the widow and orphan and loving the resident alien.

Jeremiah 7:6= Here mistreatment of widows and orphans and resident aliens is condemned.

Zechariah 7:10= This is a divine warning against oppressing these groups: the widow, the orphan, and the resident alien.

Consistent theme: Treat the marginalized well or everyone in your nation will suffer.

Please stand if you are able.

SONG

All That We Have *Refrain*

BB 1

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.
Take 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,
But look at the life of the Master,
Who lovingly suffered for you. *Refrain*

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: Rooted in God's abundant love for the world, let us pray for our neighbors, the church, and all of creation. Renew your church, O God. Make us servants to one another for the sake of the gospel. Instill a heart for service and a passion for justice in our bishops, deacons, pastors, and lay leaders. Merciful God,

C: **receive our prayer.**

Renew your creation, O God. Sustain the earth and seas and all that is in them. Kindle in us a reverent awe for all creatures great and small, and strengthen us in our pursuit of climate justice. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Renew the nations, O God. Heal our nation's veterans from the unseen wounds of war. Tend to their trauma and soothe burdened consciences. Guide leaders of the world to end conflicts and pursue peace. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Renew your people, O God. Protect those in our communities who are vulnerable or ill. Accompany persons who are unemployed or underemployed, children who are in foster care, and those who live alone. Watch over and uphold them. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Renew this congregation, O God. Give us clarity in our mission and boldness in our witness. Bless our ministries that attend to basic needs of any who lack sufficient resources, that all may live with dignity. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Renew our Lower Susquehanna Synod, O God. Wash away our uncertainty. Fill us with faith to follow the leading of your word as we seek prophetic leadership for our work—especially among children, the poor, the lonely, and the widowed, that we may respond with sensitivity and discernment. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

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

P: Happy are those whose help was in you. We give thanks for all your faithful ones who praised you as their God all their life long. As we eagerly wait for you, inspire us by their lives of service. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

We offer our prayers to you, gracious God, trusting in your boundless love for all that you have made, through 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 †

PRAYER

A: Lord Jesus, our portion and our cup, you offered yourself in love for the world, and in this meal you nourish us with your life. Fill us with your abundance, that we may feed the hungry and welcome the stranger, trusting in your name.

C: **Amen.**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: Holy God, you alone are holy, you alone are God. From the widow's oil that never ran dry, to Ruth the Moabite widow's devotion, to Naomi the Israelite widow, to the courage of the widow who gave all she had, you have shown your heart for those whom the world often forgets – the widow, the orphan, the immigrant. You uphold the vulnerable and call us to walk in their company, bearing witness to your mercy.

C: We praise you, O God.

P: Generations bless your faithfulness. You are the God who provides water in the wilderness, who leads the exiled home, who lifts up the lowly. Your love reaches across every divide, renewing hope in every heart that cries for justice.

C: We bless you, O God.

P: We give you thanks for your dear Son at the heart of human life, who loved the poor and the oppressed, who welcomed those cast aside, who himself became a stranger in need so that we might find our home in you.

C: We thank you, O God.

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."

P: Remembering his love for us on the way, at the table, and to the end, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

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

P: We pray for the gift of your Spirit in our gathering, within this meal, among your people, throughout the world. Just as you sustained the widow and the stranger, bless this bread and cup. Let it be a sign of your unending compassion, a call to serve our neighbor, and a pledge of your kingdom's arrival among us.

Blessing, praise, and thanks to you, holy God, through Christ Jesus, by your Spirit, in your church, without end.

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: Behold, God is making all things new. Take your place in the new creation.

C: **Amen.**

Please be seated.

PARTAKING IN THE BREAD AND CUP OF SALVATION

All baptized Christians are welcome to partake of the Holy Sacrament. Those who do not or choose not to partake of the sacrament may receive a blessing.

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 and to sing the communion songs until all worshippers have communed and have returned to their seats.

COMMUNION SONGS

You Are My All in All

BB 100

1. You are my strength when I am weak.
You are the treasure that I seek;
You are my all in all.

Seeking You as a precious jewel,
Lord, to give up I'd be a fool;
You are my all in all.

Refrain

Jesus, Lamb of God, worthy is your name!
Jesus, Lamb of God, worthy is your name!



2. Taking my sin, my cross, my shame,
Rising again I bless your name;
You are my all in all.

When I fall down, You pick me up;
When I am dry, You fill my cup;
You are my all in all.

Refrain

We Are the Church

BB 95

Refrain: We are the church, the body of our Lord;
We are all God's children. We have been restored.

1. The church is not a building where people go to pray;
It's not made out of sticks and stones, it's not made out of clay. *Refrain*

2. You can go to worship but you cannot go to church;
You can't find a building that's alive no matter how you search. *Refrain*

3. The church is not a business, a committee or a board;
It's not a corporation for the business of the Lord. *Refrain*

4. The church, it is the people living out their lives,
Called, enlightened, sanctified for the work of Jesus Christ. *Refrain*

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: Faithful God, you have spread before us a feast of rich food and drink in the body and blood of your Son. Now send us out to labor with you, in service to the world you have made, and among the people you have made your home, in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: **Amen.**

† THE SENDING †

BLESSING

P: The Ancient One, enthroned, the Crucified One, now risen, the Indwelling One,
poured out, † bless you now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

SENDING SONG

May You Run and Not Be Weary

BB 126

May you run and not be weary.

May your heart be filled with song.

And may the love of God continue

To give you hope and keep you strong.

And may you run and not be weary.

May your life be filled with joy.

And may the road you travel always lead you home.

Repeat

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Encourage one another in Christ.

C: **Thanks be to God. We will!**

POSTLUDE

***PLEASE REMAIN IN YOUR PEW
FOR THE ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL
MEETING!***

***Copies of the proposed 2025 budget
are available at the back of the sanctuary.***

***Please be sure to get a ballot from one of
the ushers.***

THIS WEEK AT ZION

Sunday, November 10 – *Intent Sunday #2; Veterans Day Recognition*

** The altar flowers are sponsored by Scott & Mary Hetrick in honor and memory of all veterans.*

** The communion elements are sponsored by Jo Stone in honor and memory of all veterans.*

Worship – 9:00 a.m. (In-Person & Livestreamed/Recorded)

Livestream/Recorded Link:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIy_3AeK_pExuVhcUfI2cSw

Annual Congregational Meeting – Following Worship (Sanctuary)

Gratitude Brunch – Following Meeting (Social Room)

No Sunday School (*Please attend Congregational Meeting & Gratitude Brunch!*)

Monday, November 11 – *Veterans Day*

Food Pantry Closed

Tuesday, November 12

Bible Study – 9 a.m. (Parlor)

North Lancaster Conference Meeting – 9 a.m. (Sanctuary & Social Hall)

Finance – 6:30 p.m.

Scouts – 6:30-8 p.m.

Wednesday, November 13

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Faith Sharing Team – 1 p.m.

Care Team – 3 p.m.

Thursday, November 14

Community Meal – 5 p.m.

Choir Rehearsal – 6 p.m.

Friday, November 15

Saturday, November 16

Sunday, November 17 – *Bring a Friend to Church Sunday*

Worship – 9:00 a.m. (In-Person & Livestreamed/Recorded)

Livestream/Recorded Link:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIy_3AeK_pExuVhcUfI2cSw

Adult Sunday School – 10:30 a.m.

Bible Study Class – Parlor

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

Sanctuary & Zone Reserved – Afternoon

ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, & EVENTS

BUDGET INFO SESSION, ANNUAL MEETING, & GRATITUDE BRUNCH

➤ **TODAY AFTER WORSHIP Annual Congregational Meeting**

Sun., Nov. 10 after worship (*Reminder: No Sunday School*)

➤ **TODAY AFTER THE MEETING: Gratitude Brunch**

Sunday, November 10 after the Congregational Meeting

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Classes will not meet today. Please plan to attend the Annual Congregational Meeting and Gratitude Brunch. Classes will resume next Sunday, November 17 at 10:30 a.m.

- The adult Bible class meets in the parlor. On November 17 and 24, the class will conclude its fall session focusing on “The Chosen.”
- The Wired Word class meets in the Zone and on Zoom to discuss current events and contemporary issues in the context of Scripture.

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



Through November, the Joyful Noise Offering will go to Lutheran Disaster Relief to help those impacted by the recent hurricanes in North Carolina and Florida.

OUR DAILY BREAD DEVOTIONALS

The fall devotional booklets are available on the ushers' table in the narthex and on the window ledge in the back hallway. Help yourself! Take one for you and more to share with others!



STAY UP TO DATE WITH WHAT IS HAPPENING IN THE SYNOD & ELCA

Interested in knowing what is going on in the Synod and around the world in other congregations? Subscribe to the weekly email, “WE News.” Go to the Lower Susquehanna Synod website and subscribe today! The homepage for the Synod is: <https://www.lss-elca.org/> and the direct link to subscribe is: <https://www.lss-elca.org/we-news-signup/>



If you would like to donate this month, current requests are: canned black beans, canned fruit, canned yams, canned kidney beans, canned spaghetti sauce, spaghetti sticks, dry black beans, & cereal.



**COMMUNITY MEAL
AT ZION (LANDISVILLE)**

*Come Join Us for a Free Meal
and to Meet Your Neighbors!*

**THURSDAY EVENING MEALS
WILL BE HELD AT 5 P.M. ON:**

NOV. 14 & DEC. 12

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ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
85 E. Brandt Blvd., Landisville

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2024 CHURCH EVENTS AT A GLANCE

November

10: Intent Sunday (No SS)
10: Veteran Recognition
10: Congregational Meeting &
Catered Gratitude Brunch
10: Puppet Theater (in worship)
14: Community Meal (5 p.m.)
17: Bring a Friend to Church Day
24: Puppet Theater (in worship)

December

7: Women of Zion Advent Breakfast
7: Christmas Decorating
7: Liederkrantz Christmas Concert
(4 p.m.)
8: Puppet Theater (in worship)
12: Community Meal (5 p.m.)
15: HHS Holiday Concert (2 p.m.)
22: Puppet Theater (in worship)
22: Christmas Trivia during SS hour

OFF THE STREETS

Thank you to everyone who has and continues to contribute to and volunteer for OTS! They are so appreciative of everything they are given. If you are looking to donate anytime soon, there is a high need for towels! Contact Pat Landis with questions (717-201-5356).

WOMEN OF ZION ADVENT BREAKFAST

All women of Zion and guests are invited to join us at an Advent Breakfast on Saturday, December 7 at 10:00 a.m. at the Centerville Diner 2 (the former Country Table in Mount Joy)! Come and prepare to celebrate the birth of Jesus! If you want to participate in the gift exchange, bring a wrapped gift (value not to exceed \$10). Please sign up by Sunday, December 1.

ANNUAL HOLIDAY REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

A Memorial Service, honoring family members and friends who have passed on, will be held on Saturday, November 16th, 2024

You're Invited to the
29th Annual Community Holiday
Remembrance Service
to be held at
Mount Joy Church of God
30 East Main Street
Mount Joy, PA 17552
on

Saturday, November 16, 2024

10:30 AM Special Music

11:00 AM Memorial Service

11:45 AM Reception and Social

As in previous years, this Special Community Memorial Service is open to all members of the Community wishing to pay tribute to special people during this holiday season.

Everyone is welcome to share this experience and support for one another.

Respectfully,

Jon Sheetz, Andy Dieck, Joshua Keith, Joan Rutt, Kristen Tressler and
The Sheetz Family

If you are unable to attend and wish to have a copy of the service, please call and we will provide a copy of the service.

* Kindly RSVP to Jon, Andy, Josh or Kristen at the Sheetz Funeral Home as soon as possible at 717-653-5441 with the number of people representing your family plus names of all family members to be remembered.

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

Fall 2024

FOR MORE INFO & TO REGISTER

<https://www.lutherancamping.org/>

ADVENT DAY APART

December 7, 9am-2pm

THE WITTEL FARM

In the busyness and bustle of this season, we invite you to take time for reflection, contemplation, silence, and stillness. With hope, we will spend some time enjoying the outdoors, too. Please register by November 29.
Registration Fee: \$15



ADVENT/CHRISTMAS NIGHT IN THE BARN

December 22, 7-8:30pm

THE WITTEL FARM

Join us for an intimate evening of scripture, hymns and songs, prayers and joyful music. We gather in the barn around a manger for this annual tradition, with candlelight, hot cocoa and cookies.



ZION ARTS SERIES

PLANNING AHEAD FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON!

Lancaster Liederkrantz Holiday Concert

Saturday, December 7 at 4 p.m.



Hempfield High School Chamber Singers

Holiday Concert

Sunday, December 15 at 2 p.m.



PRAYER LIST

HEALING

Pat Hinkle	Bob Shirk	Sam King	Bill Grove		
Joe Adams	Dave Wise	Deb Overly	Nancy Price		
Dave Wauls	Jess Barcaro	Marvin Ruch	Kate Donnan		
Holly Hoover	Barb Wildasin	Barb Williams	Kay Crawford		
Judie Ingersoll	Connie Alsedek	Kathryn Kochel	Tom Grzybowski		
Mary Zimmerman	Rick Nickel (Friend of Randy Miller)				
Wendy Gibbs (Friend of John Marrs)		Joanne Myers (Friend of Connie Alsedek)			
Lissa James (Niece of Connie Alsedek)		Jeff Long (Nephew of Rick & Deb Long)			
Mike Zizzamia (Grandfather of Pastor Tim & Ann's granddaughter, Kay)					
Amy Jones (Neighbor of Bob & Judy Traup)					
Dennis Barcaro (Jess Barcaro's father-in-law)					
Rev. Janyce Jorgensen (Wife of Rev. Jorgensen)					
Mike LaFata (Son-in-law of Bill & Julia Grove)					
Dolly Overly on the death of her sister, Dianne Riggi					
Randy Smith (Father-in-law of Adele King's daughter)					
Jack Taylor (4-year-old son of the niece of Deb Grube)					
Harmony & Family (Friends of Kim & Jim Paternoster)					
Rev. Pam & Ed Illick (Pastor at Zion (East Pete) & her husband)					
James Marks (Grandson of Thelma Pearson and nephew of Dennis & Marie Dezort)					

COMFORT, PEACE, STRENGTH, & SAFETY

Lucy Davis	George Potts	Thelma Pearson
Brooke Ross (Friend of Barb Williams)		Arlene Wise (Sister-in-law of Dave Wise)
Peggy & Rick Dolly (Relatives of Barb Williams)		
Jennifer Kready (Daughter of Dave & Donna Dumeyer)		

PROTECTION FOR MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS

Ryan Stitzel	Doug Kautter	Chris Andrew	Evan Benedict		
Justin Gorlaski	Thom Whitesel	Christopher Wright			
Corey Landis (Nephew of Jesse & Pat Landis)					
David Adams (Son-in-law of John & Kathleen Hay; husband of Liz)					

WIDER CHURCH

Konde Diocese	Masebe congregation
Pastor Subi Mwakitalima	James Dunlop (Bishop, LSS)
Elizabeth Eaton (Presiding Bishop, ELCA)	
Geoffrey Samuel Mwaihaba (Bishop, Konde Diocese)	

CELEBRATING

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

15th: Cathy Benedict, Jo Stone

Lucy Davis celebrated her 95th birthday on Friday! Be a part of her ongoing celebration by sending cards!

Lucy Davis

2001 Harrisburg Pike BB-215

Lancaster, PA 17601



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

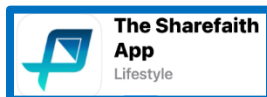
Members of the Congregation
Rev. Timothy Seitz-Brown
John Landis
Anne Rankin
David Albin
Diane Gerlach
Kim Paternoster
Denise Haun
Tom Miller

WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFORMATION

Worship Sundays @ 9:00 a.m.
Livestream Link: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIy_3AeK_pExuVhcUfI2cSw
Bible Study Class (Parlor) Sundays @ 10:30 a.m.
(No class today)
Wired Word Class (Zone & Zoom) Sundays @ 10:30 a.m.
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>
(No class today)
Morning Bible Study Tuesdays @ 9:00 a.m.
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