

All Saints Sunday
A Service of Word & Sacrament
November 2, 2025



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 this morning! The service contains the four parts of the Lutheran liturgy (The Gathering, The Word, The Meal, and The Sending). Please note that those who are remembered in the liturgical calendar are included in the Prayers of the Faithful. 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: If you are unable to worship in-person, the service is live-streamed and can be viewed on the church YouTube channel:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIy_3AeK_pExuVhcUfl2cSw

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. There are bags located at the back of the sanctuary with quiet worship activities and goodies to take home. Kids of all ages are invited to come forward for the Children's Chat. After the Children's Chat, all children are welcome to leave the service to attend Sunday School. Currently, nursery care is not available but you may use the nursery room or 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.



All Saints Sunday

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

† THE GATHERING †

INTRODUCTION

In holy baptism God makes saints out of sinners. In holy communion God forgives the sins of all the saints. In worship today we give thanks for all the saints “who from their labors rest.” In the same breath we petition our God for the strength to hear and to heed the admonitions of Jesus in today’s gospel. Sealed by the Spirit and sustained by the Savior’s body and blood, we live with joy as God gives us breath, to the praise of God’s glory.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Concerto 1, Movement 1, Allegro

J.S. Bach

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, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy 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: Faithful God,

C: you have shown us the ways of your heart, yet we stray from your paths. We are stuck in sinful systems of oppression and do not embrace the freedom of your faithful promises. We ignore our neighbors. We exploit the earth. We reject your abundance, trusting our impulses instead of your steadfast love. Repair our relationships, restore what we have broken, renew our hearts, and bring us to new life. Amen.

P: Hear the good news: God the Faithful One loves you, ✠ in Christ Jesus your sins are forgiven, and by the power of the Holy Spirit you are set free.

C: Amen.

GATHERING HYMN

For All the Saints

ELW 422



1 For all the saints who from their la - bors rest, who
2 Thou wast their rock, their for - tress, and their might; thou,
Stanzas 3-5 on facing page.
6 But then there breaks a yet more glo - rious day: the
7 From earth's wide bounds, from o - cean's far - thest coast, through



thee by faith be - fore the world con - fessed, thy
Lord, their cap - tain in the well - fought fight; . . .

saints tri - um - phant rise in bright ar - ray; the
gates of pearl streams in the count - less host, . . .



name, O Je - sus, be for - ev - er blest.
thou, in the dark - ness drear, their one true light.

King of glo - ry pass - es on his way.
sing - ing to Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost:



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!



3 Oh, blest com - mu - nion, fel - low - ship di - vine,
4 And when the strife is fierce, the war - fare long,
5 The gold - en eve - ning bright - ens in the west;



we fee - bly strug - gle, they in glo - ry shine; yet
steals on the ear the dis - distant tri - umph song, and
soon, soon to faith - ful ser - vants com - eth rest; . . .

all are one in thee, for all are thine.
hearts are the brave a - gain and arms are strong.
sweet is the calm of par - a - dise are the blest.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

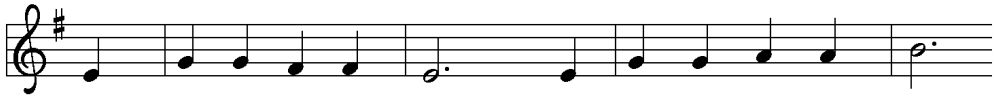
Text: William W. How, 1823–1897
 Music: SINE NOMINE, Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872–1958
 Outside USA: Music from *The English Hymnal*, © Oxford University Press 1906.

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



- 1 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, and hear our sol - emn prayer.
2 Have mer - cy on us, Christ, and wash a - way our sin.
3 Have mer - cy on us, Lord; make sin and shame de - part.



We come to hear your liv - ing word; it saves us from de - spair.
Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may be - gin.
Re - new us with your sav - ing pow'r; cre - ate in us new hearts!

HYMN OF PRAISE

Glory to God

Assisting minister



Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.

All



Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we



wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry.

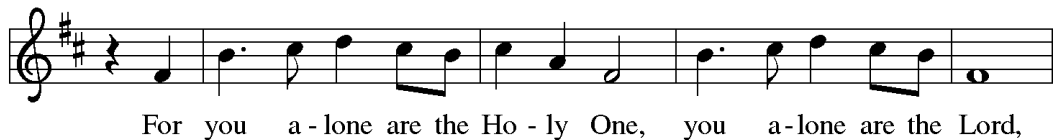


Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,



you take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;





PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

Please be seated.

† THE WORD †

DANIEL 7:1-3, 15-18

Like the book of Revelation, the book of Daniel was written to reassure God's chosen that, despite the violence of their times, their lives were in God's hands. This passage is one of several in the Old Testament which seem to imply the eternal life of the saints.

A: ¹ In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: ²I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, ³and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

¹⁵ As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. ¹⁶ I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter:

¹⁷“As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. ¹⁸ But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever—forever and ever.”

The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 149

Please read responsively.

Daniel foresaw violent persecution under certain kings; this song of praise ends with an assurance that that violence will be neither successful nor ignored.

A: ¹Hallelujah! Sing to the Lord a new song, God’s praise in the assembly of the faithful.

² **Let Israel rejoice in their maker; let the children of Zion be joyful in their ruler.**

³ Let them praise their maker’s name with dancing; let them sing praise with tambourine and harp.

⁴ **For the Lord takes pleasure in the people and adorns the poor with victory.**

⁵ Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; let them sing for joy on their beds.

⁶ **Let the praises of God be in their throat and a two-edged sword in their hand,**

⁷ to wreak vengeance on the nations and punishment on the peoples,

⁸ **to bind their kings in chains and their nobles with links of iron,**

⁹ to inflict on them the judgment decreed; this is glory for all God’s faithful ones.
Hallelujah!

EPHESIANS 1:11-23

Ephesians seems to be written in large part to remind the readers of the communion of saints which is the gift of our redemption. Neither Jew nor Gentile has priority over the other, let alone are they to be separated.

A: ¹¹ In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, ¹² so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. ¹³ In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; ¹⁴ this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

¹⁵ I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason ¹⁶ I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers, ¹⁷ that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, ¹⁸ so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may perceive what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, ¹⁹ and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. ²⁰ God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, ²¹ far above all rule and authority and power and dominion and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. ²² And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, ²³ which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

CHILDREN'S CHAT

Please stand if you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *Shall We Gather at the River*

ELW 423



1 Shall we gath - er at the riv - er, where bright an - gel feet have trod,



with its crys - tal tide for - ev - er flow - ing by the throne of God?



Yes, we'll gath - er at the riv - er, the beau - ti - ful, the beau - ti - ful riv - er;



gath - er with the saints at the riv - er that flows by the throne of God.

Text: Robert Lowry, 1826–1899

Music: HANSON PLACE, Robert Lowry

LUKE 6:17-31

Jesus has just chosen his disciples and performed miracles of healing in their presence. But now he begins to teach them. Jesus "looked up" at them because the traditional posture of a teacher was sitting.

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 6th chapter.

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

P: ¹⁷ He came down with them and stood on a level place with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. ¹⁸ They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases, and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. ¹⁹ And everyone in the crowd was trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them. ²⁰ Then [Jesus] looked up at his disciples and said: “Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. ²¹ “Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. “Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.

²² “Blessed are you when people hate you and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. ²³ Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven, for that is how their ancestors treated the prophets. ²⁴ “But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. ²⁵ “Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. “Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. ²⁶ “Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is how their ancestors treated the false prophets.

²⁷ “But I say to you who are listening: Love your enemies; do good to those who hate you; ²⁸ bless those who curse you; pray for those who mistreat you. ²⁹ If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also, and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. ³⁰ Give to everyone who asks of you, and if anyone takes away what is yours, do not ask for it back again. ³¹ Do to others as you would have them do to you.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

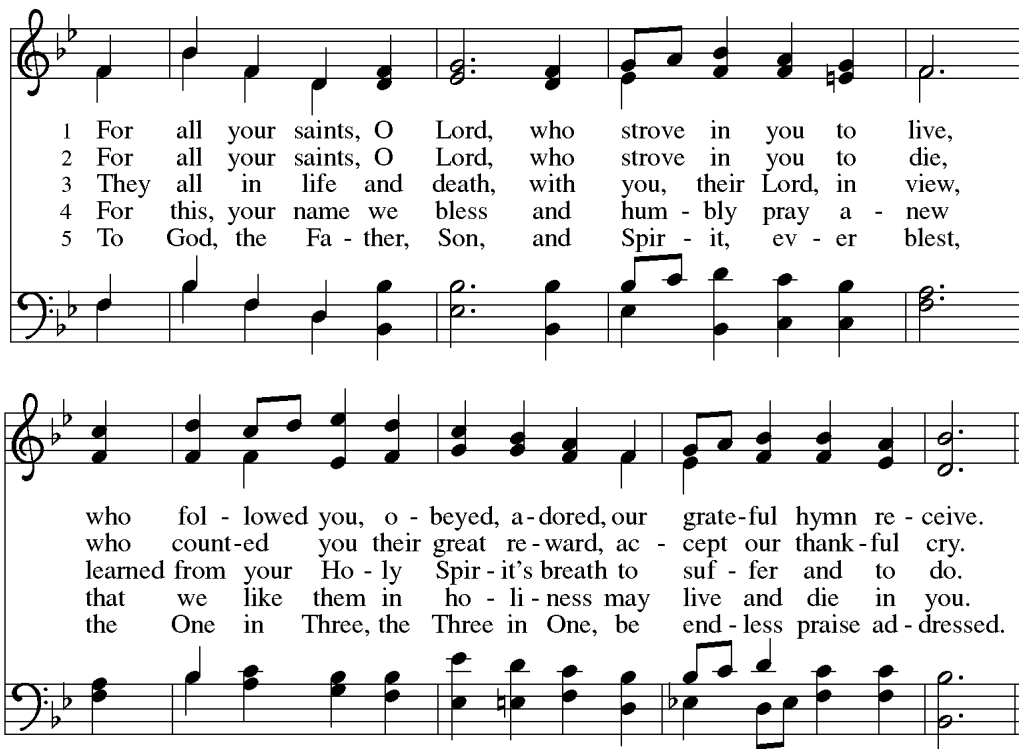
MESSAGE

Pastor Tim Seitz-Brown



Saints inherit not what God owns, but how God loves.

Please stand if you are able.



1 For all your saints, O Lord, who strove in you to live,
 2 For all your saints, O Lord, who strove in you to die,
 3 They all in life and death, with you, their Lord, in view,
 4 For this, your name we bless and hum - bly pray a - new
 5 To God, the Fa - ther, Son, and Spir - it, ev - er blest,

who fol - lowed you, o - beyed, a - dored, our grate - ful hymn re - ceive.
 who count - ed you their great re - ward, ac - cept our thank - ful cry.
 learned from your Ho - ly Spir - it's breath to suf - fer and to do.
 that we like them in ho - li - ness may live and die in you.
 the One in Three, the Three in One, be end - less praise ad - dressed.

Text: Richard Mant, 1776–1848, alt.

Music: FESTAL SONG, William H. Walter, 1825–1893

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

P: Gathered with one voice, we offer our prayers for the church, the world, and all who are in need.

A brief silence.

God of all that is, delight in the praises of your people and revive the spirit of your church. Move through us with boldness so that we proclaim the gospel of Christ throughout the world. Renew and revive the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, the Lower Susquehanna Synod, and Zion Lutheran Church. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

God of the beginning, give us courage to advocate for clean air, pure water, and sustainable land across our Pennsylvania home. Restore the rivers and valleys, the coal towns and farm fields, the forests and city blocks, so that all your creatures may thrive and future generations may find life here in abundance. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

God of all our days, guide the leaders of governments, especially the United States of America, all the nations, every municipality, and all those seeking office. Accompany election officials and volunteers. Dismantle the rhetoric of contempt and scorn wherever it is found. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

God of comfort in troubled times, we pray for those in need of protection and care especially those on our Zion prayer lists. Trusting that you are constant in mercy, protect those who seek safety and solace. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

God of what is yet to come, encourage and inspire those who give their time, talent, and treasure in service to your church, especially here at Zion. By their commitment, further the work of ministry in this place and uplift your gospel. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

God of time and space, we give thanks for the faithful departed:

- ❖ **Mike Zizzamia:** Nov. 14, 2024
(Grandfather of Pastor Tim & Ann's granddaughter, Kay)
- ❖ **Pat Hinkle:** May 20, 1934 - Dec. 5, 2024
- ❖ **John Rupp:** Nov. 22, 1939 - Jan. 2, 2025
(Brother-in-law of Nancy & Rodger Myers)
- ❖ **The Rev. Canon Doris Bray:** Nov. 21, 1929 - Jan. 10, 2025
(Sister of Diane Gerlach)
- ❖ **Ron Alsedek** – Nov. 7, 1942 - Jan. 11, 2025
(Brother of Al Alsedek)
- ❖ **George Potts:** July 30, 1930 - March 13, 2025
- ❖ **Barbara Wildasin:** March 4, 1939 - March 14, 2025
- ❖ **Nancy Heberle:** Oct. 26, 1940 - March 25, 2025
(Sister of Al Alsedek)
- ❖ **Nancy Blough:** February 1, 1930 - May 8, 2025
(Mother of Ed Blough)
- ❖ **Kathy Green:** May 25, 2025
(Mother of Jason Green)
- ❖ **Karen Alsedek** – Nov. 15, 1938 - Oct. 24, 2025
(Sister-in-law of Al Alsedek)
- ❖ **Janet Klepper**
(Wife of Pastor David Klepper)
- ❖ **Ed Illick**
(Husband of Pam Illick, pastor at Zion ELCA, East Petersburg)

Sustain us in hope of our eternal unity in Christ. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

We offer these and all our prayers to you, O God, trusting in your grace and unyielding love; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

† THE MEAL †

PRAYER

A: Let us pray. God of healing and hope, you bless those who are hungry, promising to fill them with good things. Fulfill that promise through us and these your gifts. Nourish us with the abundance of your feast and unite us into the blessed body of Jesus Christ our Savior, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

P: Blessed are you, Holy God, Creator of the farthest galaxies and the smallest mustard seeds, whose love is higher and deeper, longer and wider than we can ask or imagine.

You formed a people to bring blessing to all nations, a people to do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly. When your children cried out in bondage, you broke their chains and led them to freedom, teaching them to remember your faithfulness in every generation.

When the proud built empires, you raised up prophets to speak truth and to comfort the lowly. When grief clouded your people's hearts, you promised an inheritance among the saints in light—a home where death is no more, and every tear is wiped away.

In the fullness of time, you sent Jesus Christ, who gathered the lost and the longing, lifted the poor, and brought us to level ground at the foot of the cross.

In him we have seen your mercy face to face, and through him we are joined with all the saints—those who have gone before and those yet to come after us—in one communion of love.

On the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, 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, poured out for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

And so we proclaim the mystery of our faith:

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

P: Send your Spirit upon this bread and cup, upon us and upon all creation. Make this meal a foretaste of your great banquet, where saints and sinners, living and departed, are gathered as one in your presence. Strengthen us for the journey, comfort us in our grief, and keep us steadfast in love until every heart knows your peace.

Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor are yours, almighty God, 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: There is a place for you at the table of God. Come, receive the food that does not perish, a taste of life eternal.

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 until all worshippers have communed and have returned to their seats.

COMMUNION MUSIC

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: Let us pray. God of field and flower, wheat and grape, you have nourished us with the bread of heaven that gives life to the world. Strengthened by the body and blood of your Son, send us out to gather your good gifts for all who hunger and thirst, and embolden us to love and serve in Christ's name.

C: **Amen.**

† THE SENDING †

BLESSING

P: The love of God the Sovereign strengthen you, God the Son save you, and God the Holy Spirit anoint you for the work ahead. The holy Trinity bless you † and grant you a faithful and courageous heart now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

SENDING HYMN

Oh When the Saints Go Marching In

The musical score is written for a single melodic line on a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody consists of eight measures. The lyrics are arranged in five lines, with some words appearing in multiple lines. The lyrics are: 1 Oh, when the saints go march-ing in, oh, when the; 2 Oh, when the Lord in glo-ry comes, oh, when the; 3 Oh, when the new world is re-vealed, oh, when the; 4 Oh, when they gath-er round the throne, oh, when they; 5 And on that hal-le-lu-jah day, and on that.



saints go march - ing in, O Lord, I want to be in that
 Lord in glo - ry comes, O Lord, I want to be in that
 new world is re - vealed, O Lord, I want to be in that
 gath - er round the throne, O Lord, I want to be in that
 hal - le - lu - jah day, O Lord, I want to be in that

num - ber when the saints go march - ing in.
 num - ber when the Lord in glo - ry comes.
 num - ber when the new world is re - vealed.
 num - ber when they gath - er round the throne.
 num - ber on that hal - le - lu - jah day.

Text: African American spiritual

Music: WHEN THE SAINTS, African American spiritual; arr. hymnal version

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DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Share the harvest.

C: **Thanks be to God. We will share the harvest!**

POSTLUDE

THIS WEEK AT ZION

Sunday, November 2 – *All Saints Sunday Remembrance; Intent Sunday #1*

** The altar flowers are sponsored by Deb & Jere Grube in honor of Melissa's birthday on Monday, November 3.*

** The yellow roses are in honor of Bill Piper and Lucy Davis. Bill will be 92 years old on Friday, November 7, and Lucy will be 95 years old on Saturday, November 8!*

** The bulletins are given in remembrance of all the saints who have gone before us.*

** The communion elements are sponsored by Jo Stone with gratitude for her Zion Church family.*

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

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Children's Sunday School – Kids are excused after the Children's Chat

Adult Sunday School – 10:30 a.m.

Bible Study Class – Parlor

Wired Word Class – Zone

Monday, November 3

Food Pantry – 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Comforter Ministry – 9 a.m. (Social Room/Kitchen)

Property – 7 p.m. (Parlor)

Tuesday, November 4

Bible Study – 9 a.m. (Parlor)

Generosity Team – 10:15 a.m.

Wednesday, November 5

Food Pantry – 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Thursday, November 6

Friday, November 7

Saturday, November 8

Sunday, November 9 -- *Intent Sunday #2*

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

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Children's Sunday School – Kids are excused after the Children's Chat

Budget Info Session – After Worship

Adult Sunday School – 10:30 a.m.

Bible Study Class – Parlor

Wired Word Class – Zone

John Landis Organ Concert – 2 p.m. (Sanctuary)

ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, & EVENTS



Children's Sunday School Is Back! At the conclusion of the Children's Chat, all kids are invited to be excused from the service with their teachers to attend Sunday School. Class will be held each Sunday at this time during the service. Questions? See Denise Haun.

THANK YOU NOTES

... from Bill & Julia Grove for the altar flowers that were given to them and the visits from Pastor Tim. They appreciate all the thoughts and prayers.

...from Thelma Pearson for the lovely birthday flowers! And thank you for the continuing prayers for my grandson James Marks. He is recovering nicely.

...Cathy Shirk for purchasing some new medical equipment for our First Aid kit. We now have a new large blood pressure cuff, a new pediatric blood pressure cuff, and also a new pulse oximeter. These items will help us take even better care of our members and visitors when needs arise.

ONLINE GIVING

Interested in online giving? The link is on the homepage of the church website, or go directly: <https://secure.myvanco.com/L-ZM24/home>

JOURNEYS: A GROUP TO SUPPORT WELLNESS

The gatherings of this wellness group through the remainder of this season will be on November 18 and December 16 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parlor. Sign up or just come on over! You are welcome to bring a friend!

BIBLE STUDY

The weekly Bible Study meets on Tuesdays at 9 a.m. in the parlor and focuses on the scriptures and their related topics. Everyone is welcome – come discover the message God has for each of us!

JOYFUL NOISE OFFERING: NOVEMBER

As it did in October, this special offering will again go to Lutheran World Relief to provide support to those in need around the world.

WELCOME BACK

Tom Miller is back to work with his regular duties after his motorcycle accident and recovery. Thank you to those who helped out with sexton duties while he was on leave. It is good to have him back!

RETIREMENT HOME INFO SESSION

A presentation and discussion about types of residential retirement options available to seniors currently living in their homes will be shared by Jessica Pavelco (from Pavelco Senior Consulting) on Thursday, November 13 at 2 p.m. in the Zone. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board; you are welcome to bring your friends!

DAILY DEVOTIONALS

Devotionals can be found on the ushers' table, on the kiosk across from the mailboxes, and on the window sill ledge in the back hallway across from the choir room.

- * Our Daily Bread devotionals * Online app: <https://d365.org/>
- * Christ in Our Home devotionals (published by Augsburg Fortress)

CARD SHOWERS

Card showers are organized for members celebrating a milestone birthday and those who are no longer able to physically come to worship. *This week, Bill Piper will be celebrating his 92nd birthday on November 7 and Lucy Davis will be celebrating her 95th birthday on November 8!* Please either write a card provided on the table in the narthex or mail one of your own to help them celebrate their special days!

Bill Piper

1001 E. Oregon Rd. 26 Birch; Lititz 17543

Lucy Davis

2001 Harrisburg Pk. BB-215; Lanc. 17601

CHURCH EVENTS AT A GLANCE

November

2: All Saints Remembrance (During worship)

2: Intent Sunday #1

9: Budget Informational Session & Intent Sunday #2

9: Organ concert by John Landis (2 p.m.; Sanctuary)

13: Retirement Home Info Session (2 p.m.; Zone)

13: Community Meal (5 p.m.; Social Room)

18: Journeys (6:30 p.m.; Parlor)

23: Congregational Meeting & Voting

December

3: Liederkrantz Rehearsal (6 p.m.; Sanctuary)

6: Women of Zion Advent Breakfast (10 a.m.; Centerville Diner 2, Mount Joy)

6: Liederkrantz Holiday Concert (4 p.m.; Sanctuary)

11: Community Meal (5 p.m.; Social Room)

16: Journeys (6:30 p.m.; Parlor)

21: Hempfield H.S. Holiday Concert (2 p.m.; Sanctuary)

Generosity & Stewardship Dates

*Completed
Intent
Cards may
be placed
in the box
at the front
of the
sanctuary!*

Sunday, November 2



Generosity Intent Sunday #1

Sunday, November 9



Generosity Intent Sunday #2



2026 Budget Information Session

Sunday, November 23



Annual Congregational Meeting



Voting on:

*Council Members & Synod Delegates

*2026 Financial Budget

COMMUNITY MEAL AT ZION (LANDISVILLE)

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



**THURSDAY EVENING
MEALS HELD AT 5 P.M.
ON:
Nov. 13 * Dec. 11**

FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

In September, the pantry served 630 children, 950 adults, 427 seniors ... that's 2,007 people in our community who relied on the pantry for food! Additionally, 28 new families were registered and 49 volunteers gave 622 hours

FOOD PANTRY REQUESTED ITEMS

- * Chicken rice soup * Chunky soups * Cream of celery soup * Lentils (11b pound) *
- * Dry beans * Chick peas * Black beans * Canned chicken (small size) *
- * Canned tuna * Pancake syrup *

GUESTS FROM THE KONDE DIOCESE



The Bishop, the Bishop's wife, and the Medical Director from the Konde Diocese visited Zion and the Lower Susquehanna Synod last week to see the ministries here!



CROP HUNGER WALK 2025



TEAM
ZION

*Honoring
Father
Veronis and
his family's
long-time
involvement
and
dedication
to CROP!*





Pearl Veronis, wife of the late Father Veronis. Together they started the walk 53 years ago.



Matt Barcaro, a familiar face to us here at Zion and WGAL News 8 emcee of the pre-walk program.



Rev. Chris Rankin (CROP Walk Chairperson) and Manny Gerovasilis, this year's recipient of the Veronis Award.



Paige McFarling, Director of the Lancaster Food Hub,



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Paul Askey, in assisting with work
around Nawakwa **THIS TUESDAY,**
November 4, beginning at 9 a.m.

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maintaining the trails to hanging
pictures/plaques. Nawakwa is a large
property – your help will not only help
us maintain our property and buildings
but make them better! There will be
coffee and donuts! Come and work as



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WOMEN'S CRAFT RETREAT

November 7-9, 2025
at Nawakwa

Projects are provided AND you
may bring your own to work on!

Registration fee: \$185

*(Arrive a day early for an
additional \$45, lodging only)*

To register, call 717-677-8211
Meals, lodging, and most
supplies provided.

PRAYER LIST

HEALING

Janet Musselman	Al Alsedek	Bill Piper	Kevin Ramer
Deb Overly	John Gerlach	Dave Wauls	Connie Alsedek
Bob Shirk	Kathryn Kochel	Dave Wise	Joe Adams
Tom Grzybowski	Jess Barcaro	Kay Crawford	Judie Ingersoll
Bill Grove	Barb Williams	Sam King	Julia Grove
Holly Hoover	Kate Donnan	Tina Weigner (Friend of Adele King)	
Arabelle Page (Student of Amy Thompson)		Sandy Marrs (Mother of John Marrs)	
Pam (Friend of the congregation)		Lissa James (Niece of Connie Alsedek)	
Fred Boyle (Friend of Bob & Judy Traup)		Jack Taylor (Son of Deb Grube's niece)	
Deb Hobaugh (Friend of Deb & Rick Long)		Joanne Myers (Friend of Connie Alsedek)	
Dennis Barcaro (Jess Barcaro's father-in-law)			
Rev. Janyce Jorgensen (Wife of Rev. Jorgensen)			
Mike LaFata (Son-in-law of Bill & Julia Grove)			
Zac & Cindy Zibura (Neighbor of John & Joanne Marrs)			
Randy Smith (Father-in-law of Adele King's daughter)			
Harmony & Family (Friends of Kim & Jim Paternoster)			
Kara Escalante (Godddaughter of Barb & Tom Williams)			
James Marks (Grandson of Thelma Pearson and nephew of Dennis & Marie Dezort)			

COMFORT, PEACE, STRENGTH, & SAFETY

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

PROTECTION FOR MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS

Doug Kautter	Chris Andrew	Evan Benedict	Justin Gorlaski
Christopher Wright	Thom Whitesel	Corey Landis (Nephew of Jesse & Pat Landis)	
Benjamin Hansen (Grandson of Al & Connie Alsedek and son of Holly)			
David Adams (Son-in-law of John & Kathleen Hay; husband of Liz)			

WIDER CHURCH

Konde Diocese	Stephen Herr (Bishop, LSS)	Masebe congregation
Pastor Subi Mwakitalima	Geoffrey Samuel Mwaihaba (Bishop, Konde Diocese)	
Yehiel Curry (Presiding Bishop, ELCA)		
Pastor Lucille ("CeCee") Mills (Secretary, ELCA)		

CELEBRATING

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

3rd: Joe Adams, Melissa Grube, Rae Miller, Kevin Smeltz

4th: Pat Brady, Megan (Landis) Fry

7th: Bill Piper

5th: Cindy Blough

8th: Lucy Davis

MINISTRY LEADERS

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

Members of the Congregation
Rev. Timothy Seitz-Brown
John Landis
Anne Rankin
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.
Wired Word Class (Zoom)	Sundays @ 10:30 a.m.
Morning Bible Study	Tuesdays @ 9:00 a.m.
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