

15th Sunday after Pentecost
An Outdoor Service of Word & Sacrament
September 1, 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 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.

FOR THOSE WORSHIPPING IN-PERSON

- ❖ 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. Beginning on September 22, the Children are invited to come forward for the Children's Chat to the Puppet Theater to enjoy a special message and to receive a snack. In addition, there are bags available in the narthex with quiet worship activities and goodies to take home. Currently, nursery care is not available.
- ❖ Ushers are available 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

Jesus protests against human customs being given the weight of divine law, while the essence of God's law is ignored. True uncleanness comes not from external things, but from the intentions of the human heart. Last week Jesus told us "the words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life" (John 6:63). Now James says God has given us birth by the word of truth. We who were washed in the word when we were born in the font return to it every Sunday to ask God to create in us clean hearts.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)

Mark Hayes

Please stand if you are able.

OPENING HYMN

Amazing Grace

ELW 779

1 A - maz - ing grace!— how sweet the sound— that
2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and
3 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares I
4 The Lord has prom - ised good to me; his
5 When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright

saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but
grace my fears re - lieved; how pre - cious did that
have al - read - y come; 'tis grace has brought me
word my hope se - cures; he will my shield and
shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days to





Text: John Newton, 1725–1807, alt., sts. 1–4; anonymous, st. 5
 Music: NEW BRITAIN, W. Walker, *Southern Harmony*, 1835; arr. Edwin O. Excell, 1851–1921, alt.

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 and come to God for healing.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Gracious God,

C: **have mercy on us. We confess that we have honored you with our lips, but have harmed our neighbors with our tongues. The cravings at war within us cause conflicts and disputes. In our desire to be first we make distinctions among ourselves. We place the needs of the poor and the suffering last. In your great mercy, forgive us our sins. Draw near to us with grace in time of need, and turn us to follow in the way of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

P: God promises to forgive our iniquity and to remember our sin no more. By grace you have been saved. In the name of ☩ Jesus Christ, the source of eternal healing, your sins are forgiven.

C: **Amen.**

HYMN OF PRAISE

Praise the Lord! O Heavens

1 Praise the Lord! O heav'ns, a - dore him; praise him, an - gels, in the height;
2 Praise the Lord, for he is gra - cious; nev - er shall his prom - ise fail.

sun and moon, re - joice be - fore him; praise him, gleam - ing stars and light.
God has made his saints vic - to - rious; sin and death shall not pre - vail.

Praise the Lord, for he has spo - ken; worlds his might - y voice o - beyed;
Praise the God of our sal - va - tion; hosts on high, his pow'r pro - claim;

laws which nev - er shall be bro - ken for their guid - ance he has made.
heav'n and earth, and all cre - a - tion, laud and mag - ni - fy his name!

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 our strength, without you we are weak and wayward creatures. Protect us from all dangers that attack us from the outside, and cleanse us from all evil that arises from within ourselves, that we may be preserved through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: **Amen.**

Please be seated.

† THE WORD †

DEUTERONOMY 4:1-2, 6-9

God's law: a sign of a great nation.

A: ¹So now, Israel, give heed to the statutes and ordinances that I am teaching you to observe, so that you may live to enter and occupy the land that the LORD, the God of your ancestors, is giving you. ²You must neither add anything to what I command you nor take away anything from it, but keep the commandments of the LORD your God with which I am charging you.

⁶You must observe them diligently, for this will show your wisdom and discernment to the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, "Surely this great nation is a wise and discerning people!" ⁷For what other great nation has a god so near to it as the LORD our God is whenever we call to him? ⁸And what other great nation has statutes and ordinances as just as this entire law that I am setting before you today?

⁹But take care and watch yourselves closely, so as neither to forget the things that your eyes have seen nor to let them slip from your mind all the days of your life; make them known to your children and your children's children.

The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 15

Please read responsively.

A: ¹LORD, who may dwell in your ¹tabernacle? Who may abide upon your holy hill?

C: ²**Those who lead a blameless life and do what is right, who speak the truth from their heart;**

³they do not slander with the tongue, they do no evil to their friends; they do not cast discredit upon a neighbor.

⁴**In their sight the wicked are rejected, but they honor those who fear the LORD. They have sworn upon their health and do not take back their word.**

⁵They do not give their money in hope of gain, nor do they take bribes against the innocent. Those who do these things shall never be overthrown.

JAMES 1:17-27

Be doers of the word, not hearers only.

A: ¹⁷Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change. ¹⁸In fulfillment of his own purpose he gave us birth by the word of truth, so that we would become a kind of first fruits of his creatures.

¹⁹You must understand this, my beloved: let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, slow to anger; ²⁰for your anger does not produce God's righteousness.

²¹Therefore rid yourselves of all sordidness and rank growth of wickedness, and welcome with meekness the implanted word that has the power to save your souls.

²²But be doers of the word, and not merely hearers who deceive themselves. ²³For if any are hearers of the word and not doers, they are like those who look at themselves in a mirror; ²⁴for they look at themselves and, on going away, immediately forget what they were like. ²⁵But those who look into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and persevere, being not hearers who forget but doers who act—they will be blessed in their doing.

²⁶If any think they are religious, and do not bridle their tongues but deceive their hearts, their religion is worthless. ²⁷Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to care for orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world.

The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S CHAT

Please stand if you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Purify My Heart

BB 73

Purify my heart.

Touch me with Your cleansing fire.

Take me to the cross; Your holiness is my desire.

Breathe Your life in me.

Kindle a love that flows from Your throne.

Oh, purify my heart, purify my heart.

MARK 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Authentic religion.

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 7th chapter.

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

P: ¹Now when the Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around [Jesus], ²they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with defiled hands, that is, without washing them. ³(For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, do not eat unless they thoroughly wash their hands, thus observing the tradition of the elders; ⁴and they do not eat anything from the market unless they wash it; and there are also many other traditions that they observe, the washing of cups, pots, and bronze kettles.) ⁵So the Pharisees and the scribes asked him, "Why do your disciples not live according to the tradition of the elders, but eat with defiled hands?" ⁶He said to them, "Isaiah prophesied rightly about you hypocrites, as it is written, 'This people honors me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me; ⁷in vain do they worship me, teaching human precepts as doctrines.' ⁸You abandon the commandment of God and hold to human tradition." ¹⁴Then he called the crowd again and said to them, "Listen to me, all of you, and understand: ¹⁵there is nothing outside a person that by going in can defile, but the things that come out are what defile. ²¹"For it is from within, from the human heart, that evil intentions come: fornication, theft, murder, ²²adultery, avarice, wickedness, deceit, licentiousness, envy, slander, pride, folly. ²³All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person."

The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Please be seated.

MESSAGE

Pastor Tim Seitz-Brown

***Keep the Main Thing,
the Main Thing!***

Love has a special meaning
in the Bible.

Love is God's unwavering
and never-ending desire,
work, and suffering for the
good of all humans
and all creation.

Love is God's action to
bring us into abundant life—
reconciled to God, to each
other, and all creation... and
we are invited to love all
things as God does.

— Pastor Daniel Erlander



Focusing on small
details, like
washing hands,

while ignoring big
responsibilities,
like taking care of
the elderly,

is an “adventure in
missing the point.”

*Again and again,
Jesus invites us to
“keep the Main
Thing, the Main
Thing.”*





Please stand if you are able.

HYMN

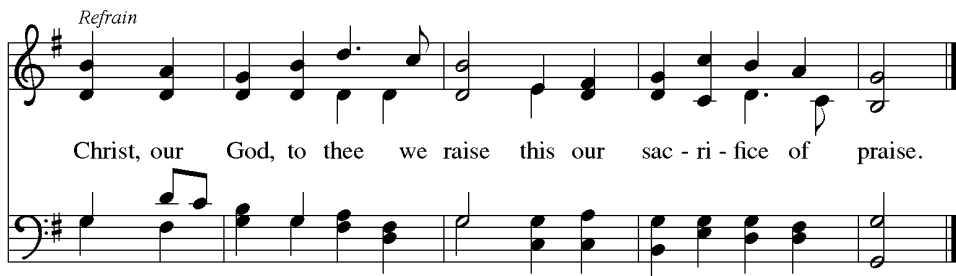
For the Beauty of the Earth

BB 132

1 For the beau - ty of the earth, for the beau - ty of the skies,
 2 For the won - der of each hour of the day and of the night,
 3 For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and mind's de - light,
 4 For the joy of hu - man love, broth - er, sis - ter, par - ent, child,
 5 For each per - fect gift of thine, peace on earth and joy in heav'n;

for the love which from our birth o - ver and a - round us lies:
 hill and vale and tree and flow'r, sun and moon and stars of light:
 for the mys - tic har - mo - ny link - ing sense to sound and sight:
 friends on earth and friends a - bove; for all gen - tle thoughts and mild:
 for thy - self, best gift di - vine, to our world so free - ly giv'n:





Text: Folliott S. Pierpoint, 1835–1917, alt.
 Music: DIX, Conrad Kocher, 1786–1872

APOSTLES' CREED

P: Let us profess our faith together.

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

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

On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

A: Drawn together in the power of the Holy Spirit, we pray with confidence for the church, God's good creation, and all who are in need. God of every generation, give the church a sense of purpose and belonging. Sustain and build up leaders and lay people as we accompany one another in our life with Christ. Merciful God,

C: **receive our prayer.**

God of creation, you named humans as co-creators with you. Where the earth cries out in pain, bring wholeness. Guide governments and industry, that environmental laws and practices seek to heal and not harm. Bring relief and justice to people and places suffering from climate catastrophe. Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

Sovereign God, we pray for local communities of every kind: rural and urban; established and new. Lead those in authority to seek the good of all through their words and actions and to mentor others in honest and generous ways. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Healing God, you draw near to all who are hurting. Be with all who desire relief from chronic and acute illness, cancer, and post-traumatic stress disorder. Strengthen health care workers, therapists, and caregivers. Tend to those who are close to our hearts. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

On this Labor Day weekend we remember and give thanks for all who have fought for workers' rights around the world. Continue to improve working conditions and establish fair wages so that all people may thrive. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Comforting God, console us as we mourn our departed. We hold fast to the promise that death has been defeated by our Savior Jesus Christ. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Renewing God, as clay takes shape under the hands of the potter, may your hands shape the construction of Mbeya Hospital of the Konde Diocese in Tanzania. May the construction of this hospital remain rooted in your guidance. Like the potter who spins, pushes, and pulls the clay, may the builders and engineers be led by your wisdom. Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

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

P: We entrust these and all our prayers to you, holy God, in the name of your beloved child, 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: Blessed are you, O God, source of every gift of your creation. By these gifts and with our lives, help us to serve one another and all in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord

C: **Amen.**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: Holy God, you alone are holy, you alone are God. The universe declares your praise beyond the stars, beneath the sea, within each cell, with every breath.

C: **We praise you, O God.**

P: Generations bless your faithfulness through the water, by night and day, across the wilderness, out of exile, into the future.

C: **We bless you, O God.**

P: We give you thanks for your dear Son at the heart of human life, near to those who suffer, beside the sinner, among the poor, with us now.

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."

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

C: **Amen.**

Please be seated.

PARTAKING IN THE BREAD AND CUP OF SALVATION

All baptized Christians are welcome to partake of the Holy Sacrament by receiving the elements. 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 giving 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.

COMMUNION MUSIC *Let Us Break Bread Together*

Mark Hayes

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: Holy God, you have welcomed us to this meal and fed us with dignity at your table. Send us now to welcome others and to be at peace with one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: **Amen.**

† THE SENDING †

BLESSING

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.
 The Lord look upon you with favor and † give you peace.
 C: Amen.

SENDING HYMN

Soli Deo Gloria

ELW 878



1 O God of bless - ings, all praise to you! Your love sur -
 2 All praise for proph - ets, through grace in - spired to preach and
 3 All praise for mu - sic, deep gift pro - found, through hands and
 4 All praise for Je - sus, best gift di - vine through word and
 5 A bil - lion voic - es in one great song, now soft and

rounds us our whole life through. You are the
 wit - ness with hearts on fire. Your Spir - it
 voic - es in ho - ly sound; the psalms of
 wit - ness, in bread and wine; in - car - nate
 gen - tle, now deep and strong, in ev - 'ry

free - dom of those op - pressed; you are the com - fort of all dis -
 choos - es the weak and small to sing the new reign where might - y
 Da - vid, and Mar - y's praise, in word - less splen - dor and lyr - ic
 love song of bound - less grace, priest, teach - er, proph - et in time and
 cul - ture and style and key, from hill and val - ley, with sky and

pressed. Come now, O ho - ly and wel - come guest:
 fall; with them may we live your gos - pel call:
 phrase, with all cre - a - tion one song we raise:
 space, your stead - fast kind - ness with hu - man face:
 sea, with Christ we praise you e - ter - nal - ly:

So - li De - o glo - ri - a! So - li De - o glo - ri - a!

Text: Marty Haugen, b. 1950

Music: SOLI DEO GLORIA, Marty Haugen

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DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Follow Jesus.

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

POSTLUDE



THIS WEEK AT ZION

Sunday, September 1 – *Outdoor Worship*

** The altar flowers are sponsored by Rich Kautter in honor of his two grandsons, Zach and Rowen.*

** The bulletins are sponsored by Rick & Deb Long in honor of their daughter Alison's birthday.*

** The communion elements are sponsored by Bob & Cathy Shirk in celebration of their 51st anniversary today!*

Worship – 9:00 a.m.

[No Livestream Today]

Parking Instructions:

1. Leave spaces in front of church for people with walking difficulties.

2. To park at the rear of the church, turn on Chestnut St. and turn down the alley. Go straight and you will end up behind the church.

Monday, September 2 – *Labor Day*

Office Closed

Food Pantry Closed

Tuesday, September 3

W&M – 6 p.m.

Scouts – 6:30-8 p.m.

Wednesday, September 4

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Thursday, September 5

Choir Rehearsal – 6 p.m.

Friday, September 6

Saturday, September 7

Sunday, September 8 – *Rally Day*

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

Livestream/Recorded Link:

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

Following Worship:

- LWR Kit Assembly
- Cookout in the backyard (Bring a dessert or a side to share if you would like!)

ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, & EVENTS

2024 ZION RALLY DAY

NEXT SUNDAY: September 8

Worship at 9:00 a.m

Followed by:

- *Lutheran World Relief Care Kit Assembly*
- *BBQ cookout lunch in the Cooper House yard
(Hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided.)*
- *Bring a dessert or a side to share if you would like!*

A free-will offering will be taken to support Four Diamonds.

***We hope you will plan to stay for the activities and
fellowship through the morning.***

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF CARE KIT PROJECT

Next Sunday we will assemble the care kits that we have been collecting supplies for all summer! Right now, we have supplies for about 72 kits! Last year, we assembled 92. It would be great if we could exceed that number this year! You can bring supplies to the church this week or to church next Sunday. Kits will then be shipped wherever they are needed in the world. Please help!

Shopping List

Bath towel (lightweight, dark color)

Bath soap (2 or 3 bars totaling 8 to 9 ounces, in packaging)

Toothbrush (in packaging or envelope)

Comb (sturdy, remove packaging)

Nail clippers (remove packaging)



JOYFUL NOISE

This social outreach offering will go to Four Diamonds, an organization that helps to conquer pediatric cancer. For more information, visit <https://www.fourdiamonds.org/>.

OUR DAILY BREAD DEVOTIONALS

The September/October/November 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!

FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

Thank you for the 138 pounds of food contributed last month! In July, the Pantry served 671 children, 1,140 adults, 509 seniors—a total of 2,320 people served. In addition, 47 volunteers contributed 725 hours throughout the month! *If you want to donate items to the Pantry, current requests include cereal, canned chicken noodle soup, canned chicken rice soup, canned cream soups, canned corn, and mac & cheese.*

SEPTEMBER EVENTS CALENDAR

Copies are available on the ushers' table.



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

- **DINNER CHURCH AT THE WITTEL FARM**
September 8 @ 5 p.m.

Dinner Church is a community gathered around a shared meal to listen, connect, sing, pray, eat, drink, and be with God, all in His creation. Bring some food to share.



<https://www.lutherancamping.org/event/dinner-church-0924/>



COMFORTER MINISTRY

The Comforter Ministry will resume Monday, September 9 at 9 a.m. in the kitchen. Please join us as we tie knots in comforters for Lutheran World Relief.

ZION ARTS

WHAT? Rizzetta's Tones

WHEN? September 29 at 3:00 p.m.

WHERE? Zion ☺

FOR WHOM? Everyone! This is a concert for church members and those in the community! Anyone interested in the arts, and Celtic Music in particular will not want to miss this concert!

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday Morning Bible Study will resume September 10 at 9 a.m. in the parlor. Bring your favorite Bible (or use one of ours) and discover what is in the Scripture readings for the coming Sunday.

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:

**Sept. 12 & 26 • Oct. 10 & 24
Nov. 14 • Dec. 12**

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zionhempfield.net**

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HELP GET THE
WORD OUT! If you
would like a copy of
this flyer to hang up
or distribute,
contact Anne in the
office.



SAVE THE DATE! We hope you will join us for the all-church picnic at Lake Grubb on October 3 at 4:30 p.m. More details will follow, but for now, put a star next to this not-to-be-missed annual gathering on your calendar!

PUPPET THEATER

In case you or your kiddos are wondering when the Puppet Theater will be returning to worship during the Children's Chat time, wonder no more! Skits will resume on Sunday, September 22! Cheer, Ozzie, and Duh-sciple are excited and ready to see you all again!



SPECIAL PRAYERS AND CARD REQUEST



Deb Overly recently suffered a stroke and is receiving care at Lancaster Rehab. She has limited ability to communicate verbally or through writing and is experiencing difficulty with movement. Fortunately, she is otherwise alert. Let's help brighten Deb's spirit with cards as she navigates this extremely challenging time. Cards would also be greatly appreciated for her daughter

Emma (grade 9) as she deals with this while also starting a new school year. Deb's mother, Dolly, is collecting their mail and will make sure they get what is sent:
619 Walnut St., Columbia, PA 17512

WALK. GIVE. CHANGE THE WORLD.

2024
CROP HUNGER WALKS

ENDING HUNGER ONE STEP AT A TIME

**TEAM ZION'S REGISTRATION &
DONATION PAGE IS OPEN!**

October 20 at 1:30 p.m.

<https://events.crophungerwalk.org/cropwalks/team/zion-evangelical-lutheran-church-landisville-2>

Contact Randy with questions!



We continue to collect items for Off the Streets! A list of some of the requested items is provided by the bin in the narthex near the office mailbox. Contact Pat Landis (717-201-5356). If you have questions about furniture donations, contact OTS (717-723-8084).

2024 CHURCH EVENTS AT A GLANCE

September

- 1: Outdoor Service
- 8: Rally Day (LWR Kit Assembly & BBQ lunch)
- 9: Comforter Ministry Resumes (9 a.m.)
- 10: Tuesday Bible Study Resumes (9 a.m.)
- 12: Community Meal (5 p.m.)
- 15: Sunday School Resumes (10:30 a.m.)
- 22: Bring A Grandchild to Church Day
- 26: Community Meal (5 p.m.)
- 29: Rizzetta's Tones (3 p.m.)

October

- 3: Picnic at Lake Grubb (4:30 p.m.)
- 6: Blessing of the Animals (5 p.m.)
- 10: Community Meal (5 p.m.)
- 19: Andy Beningo (comedian) (8 p.m.)
- 20: Crop Walk (1:30 p.m.)
- 24: Community Meal (5 p.m.)

November

- 3: Budget Meeting
- 3 & 10: Intent Sunday
- 10: Congregational Meeting & Catered Gratitude Lunch
- 14: Community Meal (5 p.m.)
- 17: Bring A Friend to Church Day

December

- 7: Women of Zion Advent Breakfast
- 7: Liederkrantz Christmas Concert (4 p.m.)
- 12: Community Meal (5 p.m.)
- 22: Christmas Trivia during SS hour



PRAYER LIST FOR HEALING

Bob Shirk
Sam King
Bill Grove
Joe Adams
Dave Wise
Deb Overly
Nancy Price
Dave Wauls
Jess Barcaro
Dolly Overly
Marvin Ruch
Kate Donnan
Bob Wildasin
Holly Hoover
Barb Williams
Kay Crawford
Judie Ingersoll
Connie Alsedek
Tom Grzybowski
Mary Zimmerman
Wendy Gibbs (Friend of John Marrs)
Rick Nickel (Friend of Randy Miller)
Lissa James (Niece of Connie Alsedek)
Pat Herman (Mother of Amy Thompson)
Jeff Long (Nephew of Rick & Deb Long)
Joanne Myers (Friend of Connie Alsedek)
Amy Jones (Neighbor of Bob & Judy Traup)
Mike LaFata (Son-in-law of Bill & Julia Grove)
Jack Taylor (4-year-old son of the niece of Deb Grube)
Harmony & Family (Friends of Kim & Jim Paternoster)
James Marks (Grandson of Thelma Pearson and nephew of Dennis & Marie Dezort)

FOR 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)

FOR PROTECTION FOR MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS

Ryan Stitzel
Doug Kautter
Chris Andrew
Evan Benedict
Justin Gorlaski
Thom Whitesel
Christopher Wright
Tyler Duke (Great-Grandson of Jan Reeves)
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)

IN CELEBRATION

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

1st: Jason Green
3rd: Adele King, Kim Symonds
6th: Daniel Rainar
7th: Isaac Langseth, Justin Propst

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

1st: Bob & Cathy Shirk
5 – Todd & Cathy Benedict

MINISTRY LEADERS

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

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

WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFORMATION

Worship	Sundays @ 9:00 a.m.
Livestream Link:	https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIy_3AeK_pExuVhcUfI2cSw (No livestream today)
Bible Study Class (Parlor)	Sundays @ 10:30 a.m. (Will resume on 9/15)
Wired Word Class (Zone & Zoom)	Sundays @ 10:30 a.m. (Will resume on 9/15) https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266
Morning Bible Study	Tuesdays @ 9:00 a.m. (Will resume on 9/10)
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