



Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

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

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DAILY DEVOTIONAL FROM PASTOR SELL

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The other day I was crossing the Wrightsville bridge. The gulls were flying buffeted by the wind. Then I noticed the gulls resting on the cement sides of the bridge. They were curled up, heads tucked beneath a wing to shelter from the cold. There were maybe twenty just sitting there, not disturbed by the noise and rumble of the passing vehicles.

Many people are like the gulls just sitting by the side of the bridge. The world passes them by, and they don't mind. Some people travel in a purposeful direction and others take advantage of the wind and fly about with joy. Jesus challenges us to be engaged with the world. We are challenged to be involved in ministry and know the joy of relating to and sharing in the ministry in Jesus' name.