

# THE HERALD

## OCTOBER 2022



**Zion Lutheran Church**  
**zionyork.org**  
**(717) 767-4673**



### **Zion's Mission Statement**

“Reaching up, Reaching out, Reaching in,  
with faith and love.”

### **Services**

- Saturday 5:30 PM
- Sunday 8:00 AM
- Sunday 10:00 AM
- Sunday 10:00 AM - Online (YouTube and Facebook)
  - Monday 7:30 PM - Online Prayer Service

# Zion Lutheran Church

**Reaching Up, Reaching Out, Reaching In, with Faith and Love**

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## Office Hours

**Monday through Thursday: 9:00 a.m. — 3:00 p.m.**

**Closed Friday**

# *A Message from our Pastor*



As I write this final note to you, the weather is turning cooler. We have finally had some rain and nature is looking a little better with the nourishment. The fall season will soon be upon us bringing changes in temperature, landscape, and activity. I appreciate the changing seasons, even if they can become harsh. It is the reality of life that change is all around us and in us. And in faith, we know that change is what God desires in us—transformation—so that we live out the great gift of Jesus by a God who loves beyond measure.

But that doesn't mean it's easy or that we understand what God is doing in us and in others. That is why prayer is so important to me; it is a time of reflection, listening, and quiet contemplation. And yes, there are times where I lean into it more than others. Like when life is challenging—illness, loss of loved ones, learning to live into new realities, like children growing older, or having difficulties, changes in vocation, going back to school, wondering what is next in life. For me and for those around me, prayer is an integral part of a relationship with the Triune God. Prayer binds us personally and in community. It is an acknowledgement of what is on our hearts, minds, and spirits, and a reminder that God is near to us; hearing, seeing, and responding.

But God is not the only one who sees; our eyes are opened too, in faith so that we can see where, how, and in whom God is working. I have seen much faith being lived out here at Zion. And I know there's much more than what I see, because it's just for a brief time I've been here. And so, if in those few moments, I can see God's work in you all, imagine how much more is going on outside of this place in God's name! It is easy to get discouraged and wish for things that were, but often when we do that, we miss what is going on right now.

To be sure, the church is in flux—but it always has been and will continue to be. Because life is change. As you come to worship and hear the Word this month, Jesus teaches what faith looks like, and how it manifests itself. Humility, thankfulness, hope, relentless belief, trust, and crying out for help to the one whom we belong to, are just some of the teachings from Jesus. Just imagine how much *more* we are provided with by the Eternal One so that we may live a free and full life!



I pray that you all continue moving forward to where God is calling you as a community, listening and responding in faith. It has been a true blessing to be with you—thank you for your generous spirits, friendship, and hospitality. May you all see and use what you have been provided, to live out God's mission in faith, to the glory of the one whose name is above all names, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Peace and blessings,  
*Pastor Martha Boyd*



**Fall Women's Retreat:** "Connect: Build Strong Relationships" - Life has been extra hard, not just the past 2 ½ yrs., but over the past several years. It has become more challenging to maintain relationships when points of view are different from our own. How do we deal with this struggle? How do we maintain, or find friendship?

**Who:** *All women aged 18 to 99 are welcome.*

**When:** Fri., Oct. 7- Sun., Oct. 9, 2022

**Where:** Camp Kirchenwald, 1 Cut-off Rd, Lebanon, PA,  
SchreiberHaus Lodge (*Private bathroom with each bedroom*)

**Cost:** 2 nights - \$125, 1 night \$70, day - \$25 (*Payment due at retreat. Includes all Sat. meals.*)

**How to sign-up/Questions?** Contact Deb Anderson by email, text or phone call: [dba456@live.com](mailto:dba456@live.com); 717-891-8433.

*Theme verse: I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you.  
John 15:15*

# *Lectionary Scriptures for October*



## **October 2, 2022**

The gospel on this coming Sunday speaks of how surprising it would be if a master served his slaves their evening meal. Yet this is exactly what happens each Sunday when Christ serves us at his table of mercy. Come to worship, and strengthen your faith in the power of this surprising food.

### **Readings and Psalm**

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

Psalm 37:1-9

*Commit your way to the Lord; put your trust in the Lord. (Ps. 37:5)*

2 Timothy 1:1-14

Luke 17:5-10

## **October 9, 2022**

This coming Sunday the gospel reading is Jesus healing ten people of leprosy. Come to worship; join with these ancient people to pray for God's mercy; and in Christ join with the community of faith to be healed.

### **Readings and Psalm**

2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c

Psalm 111

*I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart. (Ps. 111:1)*

2 Timothy 2:8-15

Luke 17:11-19

## **October 16, 2022**

In the gospel for this coming Sunday, a widow so pesters an unjust judge that finally she gets the justice she seeks. We know in our world people like this widow who must plead and beg for justice. Come to worship, and join the assembly to pray to God for justice in the world.

### **Readings and Psalm**

Genesis 32:22-31

Psalm 121

*My help comes from the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth. (Ps. 121:2)*

2 Timothy 3:14-4:5

Luke 18:1-8

## October 23, 2022

The gospel reading for this coming Sunday is the parable of the Pharisee and the tax collector. Come to worship, to see which one of these characters is more like you, and join the assembly in the meal of forgiveness.

### Readings and Psalm

Jeremiah 14:7-10, 19-22

Psalm 84:1-7

*Happy are the people whose strength is in you. (Ps. 84:5)*

2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Luke 18:9-14

## October 30, 2022

At some time in your life, you will feel as if you are up a tree. Come to worship this coming Sunday: join with Zacchaeus, first up in his tree, and then meeting and eating with the Lord.

### Readings and Psalm

Isaiah 1:10-18

Psalm 32:1-7

*All the faithful will make their prayers to you in time of trouble. (Ps. 32:6)*

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

Luke 19:1-10



### Sandwich Sale

Pretzel Roll Ham & Cheese \$5.50 and 12" Subs \$6.50.

**Order by Oct.17** with pick up on Oct. 26.

Benefits the Spiritrust Lutheran Home by the auxiliary.

Order forms on Church Bulletin Board.

More info, call Lee Wagner at 717-764-4605.



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YouTube: [ZionYork2215](#) ~ Instagram: [zionyork2215](#)

# Children, Youth & Family Ministry



Hello and happy October to everyone! September saw us successfully kick off Faith Formation/Sunday School on the 11<sup>th</sup>. We also had a successful Club 456 meeting with some fantastic kids that made it extremely fun. The Jr/Sr high kickoff scavenger hunt was another huge success as well. Alive happened the 23<sup>rd</sup> -25<sup>th</sup> of September and our crew had a great weekend exploring the theme of Created for... This opportunity to come into this middle school aged community of faith is such a blessing on this congregation.

As we move into the fall, we have a lot of great things happening. The Trunk or Treat Event will be happening on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of October. Mark your calendars for that. If you want to decorate a vehicle and hand out candy please make sure you let me know. I will have official details out soon. The first weekend in November is the Sr High retreat at Camp Nawakwa that includes six other youth groups from the Central PA area. I am looking to do some kind of Thanksgiving themed activity as well around the holiday. December brings Christmas along with the Cookie Walk, the Christmas play from our Faith Formation kids and the December lock-in for the Jr and Sr high youth. I will be working on other activities as they are in the planning stages. Overall, it is shaping up to be a great year!! Please email, call or text me with any questions you may have.

~ Chuck

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## ZYG 2022 EVENT CALENDAR

Club 456 is for youth in 4-6 grades

Jr High Youth Group for youth in 7-8 grades

Sr High Youth Group is for youth in 9-12 grades

### OCTOBER

- 9 Jr/Sr High Youth Group 6:00 - 8:30pm
- 16 Club 456 3:00 - 4:30pm
- 23 Trunk or Treat 6pm - 8pm

### NOVEMBER

- 4-6 Sr High Fall Retreat @ Camp Nawakwa
- 13 Jr/Sr High Youth Group 6:00 - 8:30pm
- 20 Club 456 3:00 - 4:30pm

### DECEMBER

- 10 Zion LC Cookie Walk Fundrasier 2pm – 4pm
- 11 Club 456 3:00 - 4:30pm
- 11 Jr/Sr High Youth Group 6:00 - 8:30pm
- 16-17 Jr/Sr High Lock-in begins Friday @ 6PM—Saturday @ 9AM

**Sunday, October 23  
6-8:00pm**

Bring your decorated car  
and hand out treats to the  
children in our community!

Sign your car up at

[www.signupgenius.com/  
go/9040c45a5af2baaf85-  
2022](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040c45a5af2baaf85-2022)



Or bring your dressed up  
children to trick or treat and enjoy hot chocolate by the fire pit!

***Candy donations are needed! Please bring your candy donations to the church by October 23nd and place in the marked box in the Narthex.***

**York Conference of Lutherans  
Working Together to Support the Mission of Christ's Church**

## **NEEDED: TUTORS FOR CHILDREN IN GRADES 1-6**

The York Conference of Lutherans Tutoring Program is seeking volunteer tutors to work one-on-one with students on Monday or Tuesday evenings during the upcoming school year! Tutors need not be teachers, or even have a degree. We need people who are willing to assist elementary grade students with homework, read with them, help them learn spelling, math facts, etc. We welcome tutors of ages 15 and up! If you like young people and want to make a difference in the life of a young person, then this is for you!!! Tutors over 18 must apply for clearances, but there is no charge to you as a volunteer. Can't commit every week? We always need substitutes!

**Note:** One of our primary goals is to maintain the health and safety of our tutors and students. We will be following the guidance of the PA Dept. of Education and the PA Health Dept. regarding safety protocols.

Contact Shari Young at [ycltutoring@gmail.com](mailto:ycltutoring@gmail.com) or 717-586-9310 for more information.



# Zion's 175th Anniversary Celebration October 23rd



Zion Lutheran Church is turning 175!! We hope you can join us to celebrate our amazing history! On October 23rd we will be having **one special service at 10AM followed by a celebratory lunch catered by Mission BBQ.**

Please RSVP by October 16th, so we can plan an appropriate amount of food, sign up sheet is in the narthex.

**PLEASE NOTE - SERVICE SCHEDULE CHANGE**  
**There will be NO 8AM service on Sunday, Oct 23rd.**

Saturday, October 22nd  
Sunday, October 23rd

5:30PM Service  
9AM Faith Formation  
10AM Service  
Lunch

## Time Travel

As the 175th Anniversary Celebration of Zion approaches, we have **some exciting news**. We will have the actual time capsule that was recovered from the annex that was added to the old Zion site in 1941 in our possession! There are items not just from 1941, but also dating back to the early 1900's. To view these items in addition to items from our very own history closet, **stop by Zion on October 22 from 4PM to 7PM and on October 23 from 9:00AM to 1:00PM.** *Please note that there will be guidelines in place to help preserve the artifacts and we ask for your cooperation and patience when you view the items.* Any questions, please contact Kim Alloway at [kaa68@yahoo.com](mailto:kaa68@yahoo.com).



# **What to give Zion for an Anniversary Gift...**

***Support our causes giving back to the  
community and world!***

## **Do you like to build and create things?**

Then I have just the place for you! We're looking for seven to ten volunteers to build and create a new Habitat for Humanity project starting in the Dover area October 1st. It will be a single-story ranch home for a Habitat for Humanity client who has been waiting for an affordable home for her and her son for three years. This is a Habitat for Humanity Faith Build project, meaning it will be built totally with donated materials, proficiently donated services, and volunteer labor.



That's where we come in. If you have the need to be the hands and feet of Christ, this one is for you. There is no experience needed, I can teach you what you'll need to accomplish the task at hand. (Tools and education provided).

Our Church has a Saturday date (Saturday October 29th) reserved for our group to do our best to move this project along. Also, if you're free on any Wednesday starting on October 5th and continuing on until the project is complete, I'll be there to lead you.

Shifts start at 8 AM and through 2:30 PM, or until you're out of steam. All volunteer hours are acceptable. All Volunteers must be between the ages of 16 and 116.

If interested please sign up on the sign-up sheet in the narthex and include your phone number and email address.

Questions and for more information speak with Barry Anderson at church or contact me by email ([barryaic@live.com](mailto:barryaic@live.com)) or phone (717-586-4005)

Thanks for your consideration ~ Barry



# October 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue
<b>2      17th Sunday after Pentecost</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Worship Times In-person: 8 am and 10 am</li> <li>• Worship Times Online Livestream *Facebook/YouTube-10:00 am</li> </ul>	<b>3</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LOF Rehearsal – 6:30pm</li> <li>• Troop 150 –7pm</li> </ul>	<b>4</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Girl Scout Troop 20018 6 to 8pm</li> </ul>
<b>9      18th Sunday after Pentecost</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Worship Times In-person: 8 am and 10 am</li> <li>• Faith Formation-9am</li> <li>• Social Justice Learning Group—9 am</li> <li>• Worship Times Online Livestream *Facebook/YouTube-10:00 am</li> <li>• Jr/Sr High Youth Group - 6pm</li> </ul>	<b>10</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LOF Rehearsal – 6:30pm</li> <li>• Troop 150 –7pm</li> </ul>	<b>11</b>
<b>16      19th Sunday after Pentecost</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Worship Times In-person: 8 am and 10 am</li> <li>• Faith Formation-9am</li> <li>• Worship Times Online Livestream *Facebook/YouTube-10:00 am</li> <li>• Club 456 Youth Group - 3pm</li> </ul>	<b>17</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LOF Rehearsal – 6:30pm</li> <li>• Troop 150 –7pm</li> </ul>	<b>18</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Council Meeting-7pm</li> </ul>
<b>23      20th Sunday after Pentecost</b>  <b>Celebrate Zion's 175 Anniversary</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Worship Times In-person: 10 am followed with dinner</li> <li>• Faith Formation-9am</li> <li>• Worship Times Online Livestream *Facebook/YouTube-10:00 am</li> <li>• Trunk or Treat — 6 to 8 pm</li> </ul>	<b>24</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gather &amp; Grow-6pm</li> <li>• LOF Rehearsal – 6:30pm</li> <li>• Troop 150 –7pm</li> </ul>	<b>25</b>
<b>30      Reformation Sunday</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Worship Times In-person: 8 am and 10 am</li> <li>• Faith Formation-9am</li> <li>• Worship Times Online Livestream *Facebook/YouTube-10:00 am</li> </ul>	<b>31</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LOF Rehearsal – 6:30pm</li> <li>• Troop 150 –7pm</li> </ul>	



Deadline to submit items  
for the  
November Herald is  
October 14.

	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 • Worship- 5:30pm
-	5 • 4 Pages of the Sermon – 6:30pm • Girl Scouts-7pm	6	7	8 • Worship- 5:30pm
	12 • 4 Pages of the Sermon – 6:30pm • Girl Scouts-7pm	13	14	15 • Worship- 5:30pm
	19 • Lunch Bunch—Lyndon Diner –12noon • 4 Pages of the Sermon – 6:30pm • Girl Scouts-7pm	20	21	22 • Worship- 5:30pm
	26 • 4 Pages of the Sermon – 6:30pm • Girl Scouts-7pm	27	28	29 • Worship- 5:30pm

# Joyful Noise News

## OCTOBER EVENTS

- 10/7 Four-Year Old Field Trip Flinchbaugh's
- 10/10 & 10/11 PICTURE DAY! 😊
- 10/17 & 10/18 Music with Ms. Laine
- 10/24 to 10/31 Classroom Halloween Parties!

**SATURDAY, 10/22**  
**1st Annual Fall Fun Fest**  
**10AM—Noon**

*\*tickets available by contacting  
Joyfulnoise@zionyork.org*



# Joyful Noise News

Our 1st Annual Fall Fun Fest is being held on Saturday, October 22nd. We'd like to take this opportunity to thank the amazing people that were instrumental in helping this event be such a huge success!

Robyn Randall; The Joyful Noise Preschool Board of Directors; & all of our JNP Families & Friends who volunteered their time, or signed up to participate in the event.

And to our wonderful & generous sponsors and donors— a HUGE THANK YOU!!!

Thank you for your support of Early Childhood Education!





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|----|----------------------|----|-----------------------|
| 1  | Kate Anderson        | 16 | Michelle Sine         |
|    | Sherri Ierley        | 17 | Bruce Hayward         |
|    | Charlie Scott        |    | David Walker          |
| 3  | Taryn Stein          | 18 | David Nelson          |
| 4  | Katherine Arnold     | 19 | David Bare            |
|    | Sheryl Pickerill     |    | Alexander Forry       |
|    | Susan Renz           |    | Sharon Kershaw        |
|    | Heather Saullo       |    | Angela Pickerill      |
| 5  | Dylan Bricker        |    | Danielle Schmidt      |
|    | Greg Leib            | 21 | Ronald Reinecker      |
|    | Sophie Schneider     |    | Kelly Townsley        |
| 6  | Ronald Kline         | 22 | Elinor Achaj          |
|    | Zachary E. Lau       |    | Katelynn Strittmatter |
|    | Boden Pease          | 23 | Nicholas Bare         |
| 7  | Kenneth Gardner      |    | Julie Ketrick         |
|    | Cheryl Kirby         |    | Max Rishel            |
|    | Erik Peckmann        |    | Joe Sierotowicz       |
| 8  | Conner Ream          |    | Lori Wise             |
|    | Brenda Swaltek       | 24 | Sarah Altland         |
|    | Ryan Troup           |    | Connor Bucks          |
| 9  | Judy Anderson        |    | Rhonda Gardner        |
|    | Cameron Kessler      |    | Julia Walter          |
|    | Bruce Ketrick        | 25 | Reese McKinley        |
|    | Joshua Sowers        |    | Cameron Speed         |
| 11 | Rodney Brandstedter  |    | Richard Ziegler       |
|    | Lance Fisher         | 26 | Robert Brown          |
|    | Jeremy Harris        | 27 | Julie Aguirre         |
|    | Brad LaFollette      |    | John Moyer            |
|    | Amy Wannemacher      |    | Keith Plowman         |
|    | Shanna Wise          | 29 | Linnea Bradford       |
| 12 | Tara Brosend         |    | Zachary N. Smith      |
|    | Austin Mohn          |    | Joan Weaver           |
|    | Brandon Mohn         | 30 | Blake Collingsworth   |
|    | William Robinson     |    | Doreen Meeker         |
|    | Dan Wise             |    | Clare Seifert         |
| 13 | Reed Mook Jr.        |    | Erin Villarose        |
|    | Stella Unger Szostak | 31 | Elijah Lutz           |
| 15 | Jasmine Barclift     |    |                       |
|    | Aurora Hanna         |    |                       |
|    | Nathaniel Young      |    |                       |

# Anniversaries

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|---|----------------------------|----|------------------------------|
| 1 | Dallas & Tammy Barclift    | 10 | Rick & Kim Gruver            |
|   | Matt and Karen Engleman    | 12 | Chad and Jill Bohannon       |
|   | Scott and Sherri Ierley    |    | Bruce & Lori Brown           |
| 2 | Mark and Kristen Evans     | 14 | David & Jennifer Nelson      |
|   | Scott & Nicole Nadzom      | 16 | David and Erin Ream          |
| 4 | Nathan and Christine Bucks | 17 | Dan & Lori Heathcote         |
|   | Kevin and Tammy Holtzapple | 20 | Don & Jennifer Dreisbach     |
|   | Tim and Leslie Rojhan      |    | Barry and Theresa Troup      |
|   | William and Patti Vollmer  | 25 | Donald and Kathleen Lloyd    |
| 6 | Kurt and Jessica Ream      |    | Michael and Jessica Rader    |
|   | Charlie & Christine Scott  | 30 | Jason and Whitney Barshinger |
| 9 | Kevin and Lisa Drawbaugh   |    |                              |

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# Faith FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES

## **4 Pages of the Sermon** **Wednesdays** **6:30 PM**

The online Bible Study, “The Four Pages of the Sermon” will continue to meet weekly on Wednesdays, please join this study of the upcoming weekend’s texts. The study begins at 6:30 pm, and the Zoom link is posted on Zion’s Facebook Page.



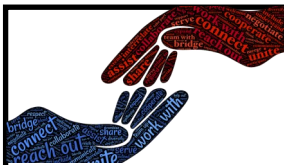
## **Adult Bible Study** **Sundays**

**9:00 AM—9:45AM**

This group is reading through the Bible. Join them in Zion’s Parlor!

## **Lunch Bunch** **Wednesday, October 19** **12:00 PM**

Join Zion’s Lunch Bunch at the Lyndon Diner for a time of food, fellowship and fun—  
You are Welcome!



## **Social Justice** **Sunday, October 9** **9:00 AM**

Join us to discuss topics ranging from racism, mental health, gender equality (and more) from a biblical perspective. We are an informal, supportive group that looks to share in learning how the Bible guides us to tackle tough issues.



# Stewardship

*a way of life*

## Cultivating our life's harvest

*Jesus said, "I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly."*

**--John 10:10**

Fall harvest provides a wonderful analogy for how, as stewards of our lives, we are responsible for making the most of our time on earth.

Farmers plant, water, fertilize and harvest, but they do not actually *create* the life that produces crops. Life comes only from God. Farmers only *manage and optimize* the properties and processes of life that God engineered into their plants.

Smart farmers know what soil is best, what fertilizer, and how much water to give each particular plant. By nurturing their plants with care and attention, farmers generate the best and most productive harvests.

So it is with us! God created and engineered us to thrive! Our task is to manage and optimize our lives so that we can experience the abundant life that Jesus talks about in John 10:10. We have the rich soil of family, friends and church community relationships. We have the water of God's Word, love, forgiveness, salvation and grace. We have the fertilizer of wholesome, nourishing food.

How can we cultivate our lives? We can:

- Water our faith through prayer, worship, scripture, generosity, love and service.
- Tend the soil of relationships by loving our families, neighbors and church community.
- Optimize our physical health by eating right, exercising and getting enough sleep.
- Nourish our intelligence and wisdom through education, reading, exploring and continually learning.

Farmers reap plentiful harvests by caring for plants in ways that God ordained would provide the best growth. By caring for ourselves in ways that God designed for us, we can enjoy that life abundant that Jesus promises.

**Rob Blezard**

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## **Zion Lutheran Church Council Meeting Minutes**

**DATE: August 16, 2022**

**Present:** Al Abruzzese, Kim Alloway, Pastor Martha Boyd, Andrew Doerr, Trevor Hoffman, Wade Markel, Krista Meluzio-Zellers, Denise Moyer, Regina Peckmann, Jim Rowlands Amy Schanbacher.

**Excused:** Pastor Janyce Jorgensen, Jill Lordan, Tim Smith

**Devotions:** The meeting opened with devotions on Luke 13 & 14 by Wade Markel. He provided a synopsis of the two chapters and shared his personal meanings of the passages. Next month's devotion will be by Krista Meluzio-Zellers on Luke 15 & 16.

**Thank You Cards:** Thank you cards to be sent to Keith Plowman and Terry Turko for installing the security cameras and to Annie Connolly for serving as youth representative to Council. Regina to write the cards.

**Minutes:** The minutes from the July 19, 2022 meeting were submitted by Jim Rowlands. The minutes were approved with one typo corrected on motion by Trevor Hoffman, seconded by Al Abruzzese.

**Treasurer's Report:** Wade Markel presented the July, 2022 treasurer report. We are 58% into the year. Income year to date stands at 62% of budget (50% without tax refund) and expenses stand at 59%. We have a year to date deficit of \$25,515 versus a year to date budgeted deficit of \$32,924. The Treasurer's report was approved as submitted on motion by Regina Peckmann, seconded by Andrew Doerr.

**Investment Treasurer Report:** Trevor Hoffman submitted the July, 2022 report. There were no transactions this month. Jim Rowlands made a motion that the "music groups" designated fund to be re-designated as the "Falkenstein Vocal Scholarship Designated Fund" and fund up to \$500 in vocal scholarships for the next year. Motion seconded and approved.

**Membership Report:** Denise presented the attendance report. There were no membership actions requiring approval.



**Pastor Martha Boyd's Report:** Pastor Boyd submitted a written report detailing her activities in the month of July.

**CYFM Report:** Chuck Bissell submitted a written report. Chuck to be asked to recommend potential Youth Representatives to Council.

**Parish Administrator's Report:** Denise Moyer submitted a written report. The new refrigerator has arrived, was installed and is cold! A new AV computer has been purchased. She is investigating changing the light bulbs in the front of the sanctuary to improve lighting for live streaming. There were suggestions to try to increase the zoom during the sermon.

On motion by Jim Rowlands, up to \$500 from council benevolence designated fund be allocated as a congregational match to the Habitat for Humanity Faith Build. Motion seconded by Wade Markel and passed.

## **Old Business**

- Return Task Force - No actions necessary this month

## **New Business**

- Council Retreat - The council retreat with Dr Albert has been finalized for October 16th.
- Racism Awareness Group - Kim Alloway reported the Racism Awareness Group is working on planning fall activities.
- VBS - VBS was held the week of July 11th. It went well. Less attendance than pre-covid. More of the children were from outside the congregation than normal.
- 175th Anniversary - The committee is meeting bi-weekly. Coming together. Start to advertise to congregation.
- Visioning - Council continued the brainstorming session. A synopsis to be generated by Jim Rowlands for comment and eventual distribution to Dr. Albert for use in the October retreat.

Meeting adjourned with the Lord's Prayer at 8:15 on motion by Trevor Hoffman, seconded by Al Abruzzese.

Respectfully submitted by Jim Rowlands.

## THE WELCOME TABLE

*Then people will come from east and west, from north and south, and will eat in the kingdom of God.*

*Luke 13:29*

All are welcome, friend and stranger at the banquet of the Savior All are welcome, all are welcome here

*"All are Welcome" by Dakota Road*



Imagine a long, expansive, banquet table, with a place for everyone at the table. No one is turned away; everyone will enjoy the feast. This is a powerful image of life as people of God. All are welcome- there is always room at the table.

Guiding Principle #1 for our congregation is: As the Body of Christ, we welcome, accept and embrace everyone. With that in mind, we rejoice to be together at the table of our Lord.

We give thanks to God that the expanse of God's table is without end. We trust in the promise of eternal for those who have died:

Lucille Demyanovich as we pray for comfort for her family.



In memory of Lucille Demyanovich Zion will be contributing to the York County CROP Walk. If you would like to contribute to CROP in memory of Lucille, you may do so by using the Love envelopes or give online to designated and mark as- "CROP/Lucille" by **October 9th**.

## **CONGREGATION COUNCIL**

Pastor Janyce C. Jorgensen

**Amy Schanbacher - President\***

**Jill Lordan - Vice President\***

**James Rowlands - Secretary\***

**Tim Smith - Assistant Secretary**

**Andrew Doerr - Parliamentarian**

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**Trevor Hoffman - Investment Treasurer**

Al Abruzzese

Kim Alloway

Regina Peckmann

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\*Executive Team

## **Team Chairs**

Children, Youth and Family	<i>seeking chair</i>
Christian Fellowship	Erin Ream
Discipleship	<i>seeking chair</i>
Finance	<i>seeking chair</i>
Mutual Ministry	Executive Team
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Preschool	Lindsay Zimlik
Personnel	Mario Saullo
Property	<i>seeking chair</i>
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