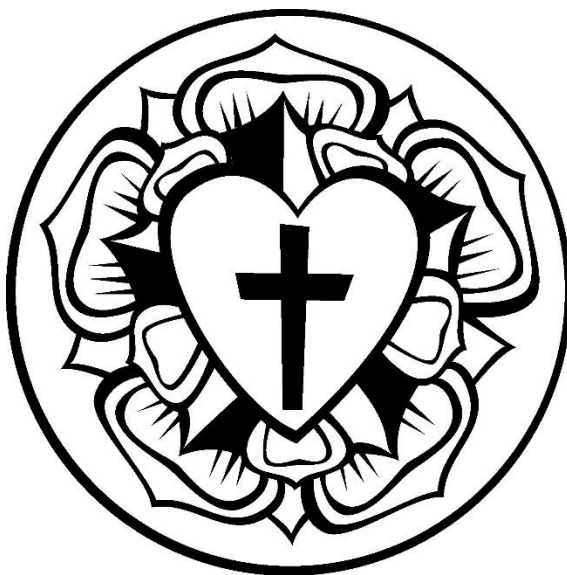


*Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church*  
*June 22, 2025*  
*Second Sunday After Pentecost*



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# Welcome to Zion Lutheran Church

If you are visiting with us for the first time, we invite you to sign our guest book at the Entrance to our Sanctuary. Our ushers are happy to assist you in any way. Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church is a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA).

**Holy Communion:** Participation in Holy Communion is open to all baptized Christians that believe Christ is truly present in this sacrament. We now offer gluten free wafers for those requesting them. Let the Pastor know your preference if so.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO SIGN THE ATTENDANCE PADS AT THE END OF EACH PEW. This is very helpful as it keeps us up to date on attendance numbers.

Circle of Prayer:           Margaret Long  
                                      David Loy

The Altar Flowers are dedicated to the Glory of God and in loving memory of my husband, Kenneith Thomas, Jr., and my daughter, Diane Stuver. Given by Bonnie Thomas.

The Bulletin today is dedicated to the Glory of God and in honor of Barbara Knode's 87<sup>th</sup> birthday today. Given by Harry Knode, and Donna, Chris and Amanda Nave.

The Sanctuary Light is dedicated to the Glory of God.

Lunches this month are dedicated to the Glory of God and in loving memory of my husband, Danny Merrell. Given by Sandy Merrell.

Please keep in prayer: Loretta Bassler, Patsy Boward, Bob Bowers, Nell Britner, Rocky Burger, Lloyd Carbaugh, Sarah Crawford, Cindy Dawson, Cindy Dean, Margie Dilworth, Terry and Ellie Doub, Frank Downey, Phillip and Karen Douglas, Ryan Downey, Sally Drury, Mike Dzbyski, Cheryl Grove, Kay and Mary Guessford, Mary Henderson, Bill Keller, Samantha Kerrs, Wayne Kline, Tom Knode, Rachel Knox, Teresa Koons, Sandra and Frank Largent, Charles Matlack, Hailey and Andy Manuel, Lilly Merrell, Connie Michael, Sue Moser, Pat Myers, Penny and Daniel Nigh, Rev. Thomas Perry, Betty Snook, Driver Spade, Kaiden St. Peter, Brian Thomas, Ray Thomas, Dolly Trumpower, Dave Vaughn, David Warner, John Warden, Mary Whetzel, Marlin Witfield.

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**GATHERING**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE “Sheep May Safely Graze” arr. Jack Schrader**

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

*All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.*

In the name of the Father,  
and of the Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

Baptized into Christ, let us confess our sin.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

Merciful God,  
**you free us to love others,**  
**but we neglect our neighbors and follow our own way.**  
**You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace,**  
**but we turn away from the abundant life you offer.**  
**You surround us with patience, kindness,**  
**and generosity,**  
**but we grow weary in doing what is right.**  
**In your mercy, forgive us.**  
**Do not give up on us.**  
**Heal us, break our bonds,**  
**and show us the path of life.**

**Amen.**

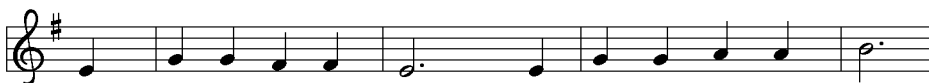
You belong to Christ Jesus  
and you are God's children through faith.  
In the cross of Christ,  
and through the power of the Holy Spirit,  
your sins are forgiven.  
Clothed with Christ, you are a new creation. **Amen.**

## Gathering Hymn: #456 Baptized in Water

### GREETING

The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Love of God and the Communion of the Holy Spirit be  
with you all.  
**And also with you**

### KYRIE (page 203 – Red Hymnal)



- 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 (page 204 – Red Hymnal)



- 1 Glo-ry be to God in heav-en; peace, good-will to all the earth.  
2 Glo-ry be to Christ for - ev - er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.  
3 Ho - ly One we now ac-claim you; Lord a - lone, to you we call;



Might-y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth:  
Son of God and gra-cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove;  
Ho - ly One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise.  
on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand.  
Je - sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa - ther's splen - dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise.  
Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand.  
For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

## PRAYER OF THE DAY (on insert)

### WORD

First Reading

Isaiah 65:1-9

Psalms

Psalms 22:19-28 (spoken)

Second Reading

Galatians 3:23-29

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (stand)



Al - le-lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav-ing word.



Let it burn like fire with-in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le-lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

**Gospel**

**Luke 8:26-39**

**After announcement: Glory to You, O Lord**

**Response after reading: Praise to You, O Christ**

**(Please be seated)**

**8:15 am service – The Sacrament of Holy Baptism (Red Hymnal – page 227)**

**Allison Cecilia Shurnitski**

**Faith Belle Shurnitski**

**Baptismal Hymn #781 Children of the Heavenly Father (8:15 only)**

**PREACHING OF THE WORD**

**Rev. Kimberly Nunberg-Wadel**

**Hymn of the Day #759 My Faith Looks Up to Thee**

## **THE APOSTLE’S CREED (10:45 am service only)**

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

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead. \*  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come 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 INTERCESSION**

**P/            God of Grace,            C/    Hear our prayer.**

## **PASSING OF THE PEACE**

### **Musical Offering**

**“Morning Has Broken”  
arr. Nicholas Palmer  
David Loy, Piano**

## MEAL

### OFFERTORY

#### Create in Me a Clean Heart *Offering Song*



Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re - new a right  
spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence, and take  
not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re - store to me the joy of  
your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me with your free Spir - it.

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### OFFERING PRAYER (in unison)

Creator God,  
in your wisdom you bring forth all that is good  
and the harvest is plentiful.  
Strengthen us at your table with these gifts of the earth  
and our labor,  
that we may work for the good of all;  
through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

Amen.



## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## SANCTUS

### Holy, Holy, Holy *Great Thanksgiving*

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,

ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,

heav-en and earth are full, full of your glo - ry.

Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

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## **EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER**

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER (spoken)**

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**

The kingdom of God is set before you.  
Eat and rejoice.

## Jesus, Lamb of God

Je - sus, Lamb of God, have mer - cy on us.

The first line of music is in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The lyrics are: 'Je - sus, Lamb of God, have mer - cy on us.'

Je - sus, bear - er of our sins, have mer - cy on us.

The second line of music continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are: 'Je - sus, bear - er of our sins, have mer - cy on us.'

Je - sus, re - deem - er, re - deem - er of the world,

The third line of music continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are: 'Je - sus, re - deem - er, re - deem - er of the world,'

grant us peace, grant us peace.

The fourth line of music concludes the hymn. The lyrics are: 'grant us peace, grant us peace.'

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**DISTRIBUTION:** Salvation and new life come to us through the bread and wine at Christ's command as he says, "This is my body given for you and this is my blood shed for you." Communion is being served either at stations or in your pew. Follow the directions given by the Pastor & the Ushers.

## **MUSIC DURING COMMUNION**

**Hymn #612 Healer of Our Every Ill**

**Hymn #650 In Christ There Is No East or West**

***Please stand***

## **POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

### **Prayer after Communion**

Holy God,

**you gathered us to your table**

**and we drank deeply of your grace.**

**Send us out by your Spirit**

**to love our neighbors as ourselves**

**and proclaim your love in Jesus' name.**

**Amen.**

### **Blessing**

The triune God,

who was, who is, and who is to come,

Sovereign, Savior, and Spirit,

light your way with resurrection dawn,

now and always.

**Amen.**

## **SENDING HYMN #769 If You But Trust in God to Guide You**

### **Dismissal**

The love of God abound in you;

the grace of our Savior Jesus Christ fill your hearts;

and the life of the Spirit

bless you and give you peace

**Amen.**

## **Postlude “If Thou But Suffer God to Guide You” J.S. Bach**

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## THE WEEK AHEAD

June 22, 2025

8:15 am                      Worship Service

10:45 am                    Worship Service

June 24, 2025

7:00 pm                      Jazz Band

June 25, 2025

11:00 am                    Bible Study

June 26, 2025

6:30 pm                      AA

## WORSHIP SERVERS FOR JUNE 22, 2025

### Ushers

8:15 am                      Ray Thomas

10:45 am                    Vaughn Miller

### Greeters

8:15 am                      David and Shirley Knode

10:45 am                    Joy & Jamie Neikirk

### Lay Readers

8:15 am                      Ray Thomas

10:45 am                    Joy Neikirk

### Communion Assistants

8:15 am                      Joe Moser and David Knode

10:45 am                    Lesa Mason and Charles Crown

8:15 am                      Acolyte: Dawson Miller

10:45 am                    Acolyte: Jordyn Miles

Crucifer:

Crucifer: Erin Downey

**Altar Care**

8:15 am	Brent & Jackie Taylor
10:45 am	Jamie & Joy Neikirk

**Film Schedule:**

8:15 am	Bob Budnicki
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**WORSHIP SERVERS FOR JUNE 29, 2025****Ushers**

8:15 am	Dave Knode
10:45 am	Kershner Wyatt

**Greeters**

8:15 am	Darlene Teach
10:45 am	Marjorie Dilworth

**Lay Readers**

8:15 am	Sherri Taylor
10:45 am	Ed Shaw

**Communion Assistants**

8:15 am	Darlene Teach and Sali Recchia
10:45 am	Ed Shaw and Charles Crown

8:15 am	Acolyte: Ian Baran	Crucifer: Loren Baran
10:45 am	Acolyte: Brandon Stiles	Crucifer: Andrew Snook

**Altar Care**

8:15 am	Brent & Jackie Taylor
10:45 am	Paula Wyatt

**Film Schedule:**

10:45 am	Brandon Stiles
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

This morning, at the 8:15 service, we celebrate the Baptisms of Allison Cecilia Shurnitski and Faith Belle Shurnitski. Allison and Faith's parents are Adam and Kelly Shurnitski. The Godparents for both are Kerry and Noah King. Today, as Allison and Faith are welcomed into the family of God through Holy Baptism, I give special thanks for **Tracy and John Doub**, whose faithful presence, love, and witness have shaped my life and now the life of my family. Your guidance brought me to this church, to my own baptism, and to the grace that now surrounds my daughters. With gratitude and love, Kelly.

Please pray for our Homebound & Shut Ins – Barbara & Jim Burger, Jean Brechbill, Terry Conrad, Ruth Conway, Bob Gordon, Dorothea Heavner, Kathleen Knode, Demeta Matlack, Roger Nicodemus, Tom and Linda Perry, Marilyn Schoenian, Ien & Heng Ya Srun, Kitty Smalts, Bonnie Thomas, James Thomas & Melvin Wigfield.

Reserve your tickets for the Williamsport Jazz Band concert on June 28, 2025, at 6:00 pm. The concert will be in the sanctuary. For more information, please see Michael Harp.

The office will be closed on June 25, 2025, and July 3 and July 4, 2025.

There will be one service on July 6, 2025, at 9:30 am.

### SAVE THE DATE:

June 28, 2025, 6:00 pm – Williamsport Community Jazz Band, Zion Lutheran Church

July 6, 2025 – One service at 9:30 am.

July 7 – 11, 2025 – VBS – Come join us in the "True North". VBS will be from 5:15 pm – 8:00 pm.

All are welcome. A meal is included.

September 4, 2025 – Sight and Sound Trip to see Noah.

September 14, 2025 – Church Picnic

## **Martin Luther's Prayer for the Remembrance of Baptism**

Lord God, heavenly Father,  
we give you thanks for the wonderful gift of baptism  
and the many gifts that come with it:  
forgiveness of sins, the Holy Spirit, and eternal life  
through your Son Jesus Christ.

In your grace and mercy, preserve us in faith that we may  
never doubt your promise, but find our comfort in you in all temptations.  
Send us your Holy Spirit that we may renounce sin and always  
continue in the righteousness given us in baptism,  
until we receive eternal salvation by your grace.

Source: Martin Luther, translated for *A Collection of Prayers* from *Gebetbuch, enthaltend die sämtlichen Gebete und Seufzer Martin Luther's* ....Evangelischer Bücher-Verein, 1866