

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR AUGUST 17, 2025

Sunday, August 17 – Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

10:30am Worship Service (also livestreamed on Facebook)
Coffee Hour

Monday, August 18

3:00pm Walking Group at Quickel's Cemetery

Tuesday, August 19

6:00pm Staying in Step – Basement

Sunday, August 24 – Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

10:30am Worship Service (also livestreamed on Facebook)
Coffee Hour

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK: Monday through Thursday 8am-12pm

AUGUST 24 LECTIONARY TEXTS: Isaiah 58:9b-14 * Psalm 103:1-8 * Hebrews 12:18-29 * Luke 13:10-17

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR AUGUST 24 are due at 8:00am, Wednesday, August 20th.

PERSONAL CARE KITS We will be collecting items for our personal care kits from July 15th to August 30th. We are collecting individually wrapped toothbrushes, nail clippers, wide tooth combs, dark color bath towels, and soap bars (2 per kit). Our goal is to make 75 personal care kits. We will be assembling the kits on September 28th after worship.

NOTES FROM THE OUTREACH COMMITTEE MEETING ON AUGUST 12TH We reflected on VBS and other activities in 2025, and we discussed potential ideas for the coming year. Please keep the committee in your prayers for direction, guidance, and strength to be witnesses to God's love in our community. Our next meeting is on Tuesday, September 9th at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

COMMUNITY AID is currently looking for soft items, like clothing and shoes. The organization is also now able to accept items with padding and cushions, as they are able to sterilize them. Donations of pillows, quilts, sleeping bags, furniture, and other items with cushioning and padding are welcome. Other examples of soft items include curtains, sheets, towels, rugs, fabric, and blankets. All donations should be clean and gently used.

A REQUEST FROM THE SUNSHINE LADY I am in need of card fronts to continue making cards. Most of the cards you receive for various occasions are hand-made. Get Well, Birthday, Thinking of You, Sympathy, Holiday. etc. are welcomed. Thank you for all your contributions over the years, Margie Moore.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS August 17, 2025 – Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

Luke 12:51 – “Do you think that I have come to give peace on earth? No, I tell you, but rather division.”

Jesus has come to divide us out of the world — to carve out a people for Himself, redeemed by His blood and trusting His Word. The world hates this Word, but for us it is life and salvation. We seek to follow Jesus' Word in all things because we know Him who gave us the Word: we know He always seeks to bless us.



Want some help reading & understanding music?

Laine Knaub, Music Director at Zion Lutheran and Hayshire UCC will be offering a **FREE** 5-class course on the basics of reading music and music theory. Laine has 25+ years of teaching experience with private lessons and music theory – she’s eager to help!

Whether you are an aspiring or budding musician, curious congregation member, current church musician looking to level up your skills, or someone who has read this far – *THIS* class is for you!!

There will be a heavy focus learning and improving everyone’s understanding of rhythm and note-reading. Music is indeed a language where fluency and literacy matters! Time allowing, we may also learn: articulation, dynamics, tempos, accidentals, whole & half steps, and enharmonic notes.

A book (\$15-20) is highly recommended for these classes: Alfred’s Essentials of Music Theory, Complete (without the CDs!) An Amazon.com link to purchase the book will be made available upon registration.

Pre-registration is required. There is a maximum enrollment for 40 people in the class. We encourage you to register as early as possible to help guarantee your attendance.

Classes will be held at Zion Lutheran Church (2215 Brandywine Lane York, PA 17404) from 7-8pm on: September 2, 4, 9, 11, and 16 2025.

To register, please call, text, or email Laine Knaub at: Lbeachley@gmail.com (717) 781-5602 and you will be sent a link to register online.