

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

July 28-29, 2018

**If you need assistance, please see one of the ushers in the back of the church; Large Print Bulletins are available. Grape juice is available in the tray for those who wish not to partake of the wine. Please Silence your cell phones during service. A Family Room is available for use during or after services. It is located across from the office. A changing station is available for your convenience in the restroom across the hall from the Family Room. We respectfully ask that you refrain from taking photos during the service. Opportunities are always available after the service. Welcome visitors please sign our guest book. Thank you.*

Assisting with Worship

LCA Mary Ruth Taylor
Cantor John Eckert
Greeters Deb Davies
Acolytes Jake Rudy & Katelyn Rudy

Assisting with Worship 8/5/18

LCA Dave Fetterman
Cantor Hailey Williams
Lector Deb Davies
Acolytes

GIFTS GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

THE ALTAR CANDLES are given to the Glory of God and

In loving memory of Clarissa Derr by Ralph Derr and family

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the Glory of God and

In honor of the 5th birthday of Gabrielle Goho by granny, Bonnie Painter

THE BULLETINS are given to the Glory of God and

In honor of Glenn Davis and Michael Clark for the gift of their beautiful music and in honor of their August birthdays. Love, Mom and Dad

Please remember the following in your prayers: Claude Turton, Paul Pecha, Ralph Derr, Sam Caley, Cary Bates, Joseph Harvilla, Eva (Mitzi) Koomar, Bronson Strouse, Ida Piccin, Michael Springer, Eileen Kelkis, Louise Schock, Matt Hope, Marsha Bynon, Janet Plasha, Danny Whitenight, Hub Becker, Steve Budzinski, Mary Koch, John Lattanzi; and all of our members who are homebound.

We ask you to please note our Congregational Care Card, This week's care card is for Kim Snyder, please sign your name on the care card sheet posted by the bulletin board.

Welcome!!

- ✓ Parish office phone and fax is 570-668-2180.
- ✓ Parish office email address is zionlcof@verizon.net
- ✓ Parish website is www.ziontamaqua.com
- ✓ The Parish Office Hours- Monday & Wednesday: 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Tuesday & Thursday: 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

Zion's 2018 Church Council officers: Frank Rudy, President, Bob Maue, Vice-President, Darlene Fetterman, Secretary, Dave Gensure, Treasurer, and Ann Marie Hadesty, Financial Secretary. Other members of Council include: Sam Caley, Andrew Deitrich, Paul Fegley, Nathan Gerace, Bonnie Painter, Tiffany Warden and Gerry Zeigler; if you have suggestions or concerns, please seek out a member of Council so that we can promptly address the needs of the congregation.

This Week in Our Church

SUNDAY, July 29, 2018

9:00 The Service of Word & Sacrament

TUESDAY

9:30 Work Session

THURSDAY

9:30 Work Session

FRIDAY

Prep for Yard Sale

SATURDAY

9:00 Indoor Yard Sale

5:30 Saturday Evening Worship

NEXT SUNDAY, August 5, 2018

9:00 The Service of Word & Sacrament

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 28 – Christmas in July Service

August 4 – Indoor Yard Sale

August 19 – Vendor Fair/ Library Fundraiser

August 22 – Peach Social

August 25 – Church Picnic

September 16 – Back to Church Sunday

Please Note: Melody will be on vacation, July 23rd through July 27th. She will be returning on Monday, July 30th. If you are in need of assistance, please call Pastor Cindy at 610-674-2072. Thank you for your cooperation.

Please remember to use your Boyer's swipe card every time you make a purchase every penny counts! Also, keep saving your REDNER's receipts!

Please Note: Pastor Cindy will be on vacation July 30th and returning August 4th. If you have a pastoral emergency please contact Melody Gensure at 570-449-3024. Thank you for your cooperation.

CHRISTMAS IN JULY - A time of food and fellowship will follow the Saturday service. All are welcome.

An indoor yard sale will be held here at Zion from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, August 4, as part of the community yard sale organized by the Tamaqua Chamber of Commerce. Tables are \$10 each. The kitchen will be open. If you would like to reserve a table or tables, put \$10 per table in an envelope with your name and phone number on it and mark it YARD SALE and place that envelope in an offering plate or return it to the parish office by July 30.

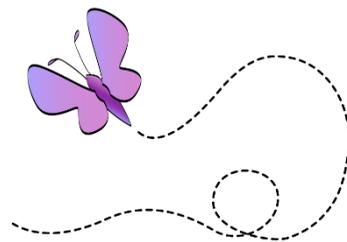
CONGREGATIONAL PICNIC



The annual congregational picnic is on Saturday, August 25 at West Penn Park. Families are encouraged to come as early as 1 p.m. and enjoy the park setting. Food will be served from 3 to 5 p.m. A worship service will begin at 5:30. Sign-up

sheets will be available in early August. We encourage Zion members to bring along friends for this time of food and fellowship.

A butterfly release is planned as part of the worship service at our congregational family picnic, Saturday, August 25 at West Penn Township Park. Sixty butterflies have been ordered. You may sponsor one of the butterflies by picking up a BUTTERFLY RELEASE numbered envelope on the back table at Saturday's service or in the Gathering Room Sundays and returning that envelope with \$5. Each butterfly sponsorship must be in a separate envelope. If you wish to sponsor two butterflies, you must return two of the numbered envelopes. Place your numbered envelope(s) in the offering plate or return it (them) to the parish office. Sponsorship deadline is Monday, August 13.



The Culinary team's ice cream social this week raised just a little over \$1,400 for Citizen's Fire Co. Citizen's cannot have its block party this year due to the downtown construction project. We will be giving Citizen's a check for more than the \$1,400 so if you were unable to attend but would like to contribute to this important community outreach project, please put your donation in an envelope and mark it CITIZEN'S and place it in the plate this weekend or drop it off at the church office.

Tamaqua Public Library Vendor Event/ Bake Sale will be here at Zion Sunday, August 19th Noon to 4 pm. Featuring Scentsy, Young Living, Usborne and Many More. All proceeds benefit the Tamaqua Public Library.

DEADLINE: All information for the **September 2018 issue of the "Herald"** is due at the church office no later than **Monday, August 20, 2018**. You may e-mail your information to zionlcof@verizon.net or stop in during regular office hours. Thank you for your co-operation!

Would you like to make a gift to our Capital Campaign today? Do you need an envelope for your gift? Blank envelopes can be found in the rear of the church on either side. Please just write your name and Capital Campaign on the envelope so we can give you credit; and place the envelope in the boxes found on the wall on either side at the back on the sanctuary. For information on our Capital Campaign, please visit our website at <http://www.ziontamaqua.com/capital-campaign/>

The Altar Flower and Bulletin Sponsor list for 2018 is on the bulletin board. The costs of the flowers are \$26.50 and individuals will be billed from the florist. The cost of the bulletin sponsorship is \$16.00 and monies are due when you place your name on the list. You can also sponsor the Candles for the month at \$40. Please remember to fill out a card with your honorarium or memorial this information is needed for the bulletin. Please do not sign up without filling out a form. These sponsorships are on a first come first serve basis; this is to ensure that everyone has equal opportunity to sponsor these memorials. Please contact the church office if you have questions. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

