

# Zion Lutheran Church



October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018  
Twenty-Second Sunday after  
Pentecost



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## **Welcome to Zion Lutheran Church & Preschool!**

Thank you for joining us in worship of the Lord. We would love to get to know you, and for you to learn more about our church family at Zion. We cordially invite you to talk with Pastor Grimenstein, our Elders, or any of our church members to learn more about our fellowship. At our website -- **zlcb.org** – you can find out more about the many worship, Christian education, and fellowship opportunities at Zion.

## **Communion Statement**

We believe that in the Lord's Supper, Christ's physical body and blood are present in the bread and wine (1Cor. 11:23-25). We also believe receiving the Lord's Supper is an act of church fellowship. Scripture cautions that those who receive without recognizing Christ's body and blood will bring judgement upon themselves (1 Cor. 11:27-29). Therefore, out of love to our guests, we invite to our altar those who are baptized, confirmed, repentant members of Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod congregations or sister congregations. Visitors desiring to commune are asked to please announce their intentions to an elder or pastor. Everyone is welcome to sing the hymns during communion as we contemplate Christ's mercy to us.

In preparation to receive the Lord's Supper in a worthy manner please consider reading "Christian Questions with their Answers" on Page 329-330.

We invite you to learn more about our church family at Zion and what we believe as Lutherans. If you are interested in exploring membership, please talk with Pastor Grimenstein after the service, or call the church office at 412-221-4776.

**P** In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C Amen.**

**P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C who made heaven and earth.**

**P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

**C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

**P** O almighty God, merciful Father,

**C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

**P** Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C Amen.**

### Service of the Word

#### Introit



**P** The LORD is near to the broken- | hearted\*  
and saves the crushed in | spirit.

**C I will bless the LORD at | all times;\*  
his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.**

**My soul makes its boast | in the LORD;\*  
let the humble hear | and be glad.**

**Oh, magnify the | LORD with me,\*  
and let us exalt his name to- | gether!**

I sought the LORD, and he | answered me\*  
 and delivered me from | all my fears.  
 When the righteous cry for help, the | LORD hears\*  
 and delivers them out of all their | troubles.  
 Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\*  
 and to the Holy | Spirit;  
 as it was in the be- | ginning,\*  
 is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

**P** The LORD is near to the broken- | hearted\*  
 and saves the crushed in | spirit.

### Kyrie



**C** Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

### Gloria in Excelsis



**P** Glory be to God on high: **C** and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.




O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



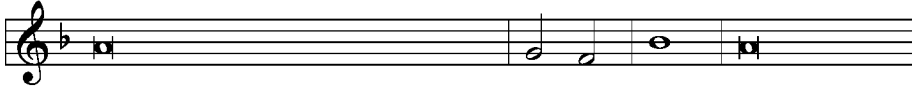
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,



that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.



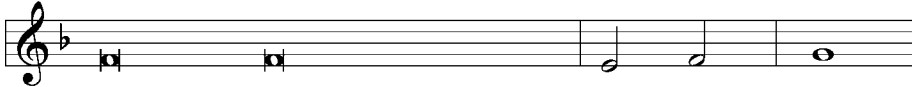
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.



Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-



on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord.



Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,



art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

### Salutation and Collect of the Day



☐ The Lord be with you.



☑ And with thy spir - it.

**C** Let us pray.

**P** O God, Your divine wisdom sets in order all things in heaven and on earth. Put away from us all things hurtful and give us those things that are beneficial for us; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



**Old Testament Reading – Ecclesiastes 5:10-20**

He who loves money will not be satisfied with money, nor he who loves wealth with his income; this also is vanity. When goods increase, they increase who eat them, and what advantage has their owner but to see them with his eyes? Sweet is the sleep of a laborer, whether he eats little or much, but the full stomach of the rich will not let him sleep.

There is a grievous evil that I have seen under the sun: riches were kept by their owner to his hurt, and those riches were lost in a bad venture. And he is father of a son, but he has nothing in his hand. As he came from his mother's womb he shall go again, naked as he came, and shall take nothing for his toil that he may carry away in his hand. This also is a grievous evil: just as he came, so shall he go, and what gain is there to him who toils for the wind? Moreover, all his days he eats in darkness in much vexation and sickness and anger.

Behold, what I have seen to be good and fitting is to eat and drink and find enjoyment in all the toil with which one toils under the sun the few days of his life that God has given him, for this is his lot. Everyone also to whom God has given wealth and possessions and power to enjoy them, and to accept his lot and rejoice in his toil—this is the gift of God. For he will not much remember the days of his life because God keeps him occupied with joy in his heart.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**Men's Choir (8:00am)**

## Epistle – Hebrews 4:1-13

Therefore, while the promise of entering his rest still stands, let us fear lest any of you should seem to have failed to reach it. For good news came to us just as to them, but the message they heard did not benefit them, because they were not united by faith with those who listened. For we who have believed enter that rest, as he has said,

“As I swore in my wrath,  
‘They shall not enter my rest,’”

although his works were finished from the foundation of the world. For he has somewhere spoken of the seventh day in this way: “And God rested on the seventh day from all his works.” And again in this passage he said,

“They shall not enter my rest.”

Since therefore it remains for some to enter it, and those who formerly received the good news failed to enter because of disobedience, again he appoints a certain day, “Today,” saying through David so long afterward, in the words already quoted,

“Today, if you hear his voice,  
do not harden your hearts.”

For if Joshua had given them rest, God would not have spoken of another day later on. So then, there remains a Sabbath rest for the people of God, for whoever has entered God’s rest has also rested from his works as God did from his.

Let us therefore strive to enter that rest, so that no one may fall by the same sort of disobedience. For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. And no creature is hidden from his sight, but all are naked and exposed to the eyes of him to whom we must give account.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

### Alleluia



**C** Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

## Holy Gospel

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the tenth chapter.



**C** Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How difficult it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" And the disciples were amazed at his words. But Jesus said to them again, "Children, how difficult it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich person to enter the kingdom of God." And they were exceedingly astonished, and said to him, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "With man it is impossible, but not with God. For all things are possible with God." Peter began to say to him, "See, we have left everything and followed you." Jesus said, "Truly, I say to you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or lands, for my sake and for the gospel, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this time, houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions, and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last first."

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

## Nicene Creed

**C** I believe in one God,  
the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth  
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of His Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light,



very God of very God,  
 begotten, not made,  
 being of one substance with the Father,  
 by whom all things were made;  
 who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven  
 and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary  
 and was made man;  
 and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.  
 He suffered and was buried.  
 And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures  
 and ascended into heaven  
 and sits at the right hand of the Father.  
 And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,  
 whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
 the Lord and giver of life,  
 who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
 who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,  
 who spoke by the prophets.  
 And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,  
 I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,  
 and I look for the resurrection of the dead  
 and the life ✠ of the world to come. Amen.

**Sermon Hymn – Hope of the World, Thou Christ of Great Compassion**

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**Sermon**

**Offertory**

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 Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho-ly Spir-it  
 from me. Re-store un-to me the joy of Thy sal-va-  
 tion, and up-hold me with Thy free spir-it. A-men.

**Offering**

**Prayer of the Church**

**P** ...Lord in your mercy.

**C** ...Hear our prayer.

**Service of the Sacrament**

**Preface**



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.



**P** Lift up your hearts.



**C** We lift them up un - to the Lord.



**P** Let us give thanks un - to the Lord, our God.



**C** It is meet and right so to do.

**P** It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

### Sanctus



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,



bles - ed is He, bles - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.



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

## Lord's Prayer

- C** 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.

## The Words of Our Lord

- P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My  $\text{✠}$  body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My  $\text{✠}$  blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

## Pax Domini




- P** The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.



- C** A - men.

## Agnus Dei



☐ O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the  
world, have mer-cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that  
tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up - on us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the  
world, grant us Thy peace. A - - men.

## Sharing of Peace

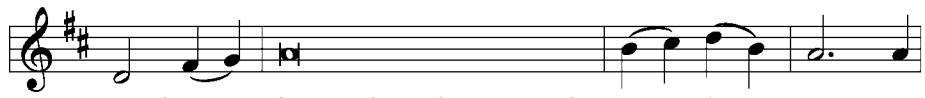
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#### Distribution Hymns

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name	#940
O Lord, We Praise Thee	#617
Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence	#621



## Nunc Dimittis



Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac-



cord-ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,



which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,



a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy



peo-ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and

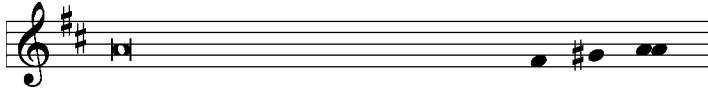


to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,

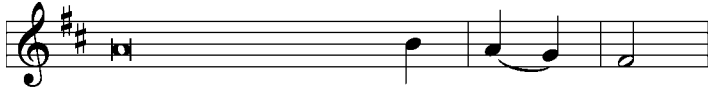


is now, and ev - er shall be, world without end. A - men.

## Thanksgiving



**A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,



**C** and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

**P** Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



**C** A - men.



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.

## Benedicamus

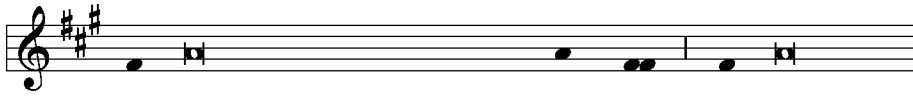


**A** Bless we the Lord.

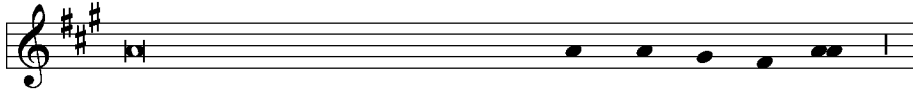


**C** Thanks be to God.

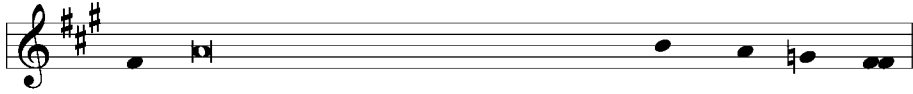
## Benediction



**P** The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and  $\text{†}$  give you peace.



**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

## Closing Hymn – Great is Thy Faithfulness

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## Prayer Requests for Family & Friends

### ***The Church:***

-**For our homebound members:** Tom Bicusky, Florence Boehme, Lois Dittmer, Norm and Helen Erbrecht, and Irene Bourg.

-**Healing for:** Janet Hickey, Florence Boehme, Gloria Godfrey, Marian Siek, Sarah & Michael Erbrecht, Gladys Cimarolli, Joyce Wood, Nancy Spotti, Aly Mance, Deana Thielet, Bill Koester, Nancy Koester, Dave Hutula, Roxanne Burgh, Mary Lou Neill, Matt and Chris Back, Sara Jones, Ron Valentino, Norma Dyson, Mabel Granke and Shannon Mance.

- For our missionaries, especially Pastor Wokoma.
- For all who care for loved ones with illnesses.
- For the ministry of Zion Lutheran Preschool.

### ***The World:***

- For an end to abortion and human trafficking.
- For the youth in our community.

### ***Our Nation:***

- For our leaders and government officials.
- For those in foster care and those looking to adopt.
- For the disabled, unborn and aged.
- For those whose work it is to protect us.
- For those affected by the recent hurricanes.
- For godly care of the earth.

## Last Week in Worship

Sunday Worship Attendance (10/14) - 177

Wednesday Attendance (10/17) - 13

Sunday Offering (10/7) - \$4,888.00

Online Offering (10/8-10/12) - \$687.00

~Online giving is now available by going to the Zion web site: [www.zlcb.org](http://www.zlcb.org)~

### † *Service Participants* †

Pastor:	Rev. Dr. Edward Grimenstein
Music Director:	Mark Killinger
The Organist:	Sandra Quinlan
The Elders:	John Gielarowski & Mike Kroeger
The Acolyte:	John Garrubba (8:00) Bella Bonacci (10:30)
The Greeters:	Peter & Barbara Fisher (8:00) Ken & Carol Wuerthele (10:30)
The Ushers:	Bill & Melanie Becker & Dale Miller & Bob Schmidt (8:00) Ross Chilcott, Bob Bonacci Bill Koester & Chuck LaJeunesse (10:30)
Altar Guild:	Judy Meier, Marianne Miller Millie Thielet
Nursery:	Carrie Lemonovich & Stephanie Eckels

## October 21<sup>st</sup> – October 28<sup>th</sup>

<b>SUNDAY</b> <b>10/21</b>	8:00 AM – Worship w/ Communion 9:15 AM – Bible Class & Sunday School 10:30 AM – Worship w/ Communion ~Directory Photos taken after both services~
<b>MONDAY</b> <b>10/22</b>	
<b>TUESDAY</b> <b>10/23</b>	6:15 PM - Grace Ringers 7:15 PM – Adult Choir 8:15 PM – Faith Ringers
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> <b>10/24</b>	7:00 PM – Midweek Service & Bible Study
<b>THURSDAY</b> <b>10/25</b>	10:00 AM – Bible Study 7:00 PM – Women’s Bible Study
<b>FRIDAY</b> <b>10/26</b>	
<b>SATURDAY</b> <b>10/27</b>	8:00 AM – Men’s Bible Breakfast
<b>SUNDAY</b> <b>10/28</b>	8:00 AM – Worship w/ Communion 9:15 AM – Guest Speaker Dr. Al Collver w/Brunch & Sunday School 10:30 AM – Worship w/ Communion 11:45 AM – Youth Group Meeting ~Directory Photos taken after both services~

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WELCOME TABLE!** Are you a guest or visitor looking for information about Zion? Hello and welcome to Zion! Please stop by the table in the foyer after the service.

**ALTAR FLOWERS** are given by Wayne & Kathleen Conn in Memory of Norma & Jim Lynch and Paul & Terry Hayes in Memory of Bea Johnson.

**ETERNAL LIGHT** is given by Wayne & Kathleen Conn in Memory of Norma & Jim Lynch.

**JUST A FRIENDLY REMINDER** to please silence or turn off your cell phones during service.

**JOB OPENING...**Zion is looking for a Daytime Custodian to provide cleaning and routine maintenance services. This is a part-time position, approximately 20-25 hours per week from Sept.-June, and 10 hours per week during the middle of the summer. Please contact Congregational Chairman Bob Schmidt (412-608-4600) or Board of Trustees Chairman John Lemonovich (412-319-7267) if you are interested in learning more about the position.

**CHURCH DIRECTORY...** We are encouraging everyone to sign up for a time slot to have their picture taken for the new church directory we are putting together. If you cannot make one of the time slots please submit a photo to the secretaries at [secretary@zlc.org](mailto:secretary@zlc.org). Sign up sheets are in the back of the church!!

**YOUTH GROUP FUNDRAISER 100 ENVELOPE CHALLENGE...** How can you help support our 5 kids going to the LCMS Youth Gathering in 2019?? They are running a fundraiser to help offset the cost of the trip. In the back corner of the church you will see a board FULL of envelopes. Each envelope has a number. Grab an envelope and put the amount of money that matches that number inside! For every \$1000 raised the youth will host an event for the congregation! Please consider donating!!

**CHURCH NURSERY:** Is available for kids age 0-2 during the 10:30 Service! The Nursery is located in the lower level of the building. (If you need help locating the nursery, please ask an Usher or Greeter for assistance)

# OUR CHURCH COOKBOOK



We are excited to be creating another Zion Cook-Book. This will be a fundraiser to raise money for the Kitchen Repair Fund. The first step is we need you all to submit recipes. There are two ways to do this.

- You can submit a copy of your recipe to the church office or basket in the back of church, OR
- You can submit your recipe online. (directions are below)

### Online Submission directions:

- Go to: <https://www.simplycookbooks.com/html-app/#/login>
- Log in: username: secretary@zlc.org  
Password: pudding031
- Add Recipe
- Click Save after you input the recipe!

### Submission deadline: October 28th

We are hoping to have the cookbook available in November! These will make great Christmas gifts!!



We will be developing a new **Zion Member Directory** complete with photos and contact information for all members of our church family!

Photos of our member families will be taken Sunday October 21<sup>st</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> and November 4<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> between services. Sign up sheets are in the back of the church.

Or

You can submit a photo to [secretary@zlcb.org](mailto:secretary@zlcb.org)

The new directory can be printed in early 2019.

# Youth Group Fundraiser!

How can I help the Youth Group get to the LCMS Youth Convention??

It's easy...

1. Pick an Envelope from the board
2. Donate the same amount of money as the number on the envelope
3. Return the envelope by October 28th
4. For every \$1000 raised the Youth Group will host an event for the congregation
5. Pray for our Youth!





**2018 Pittsburgh Area Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod  
Reformation Day Service**

**Sunday, October 28, 2018, 3:00 PM**

**First Trinity Evangelical-Lutheran Church  
531 N Neville Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15213**



Special Guest Preacher:

The Reverend Dr. Gregory P. Seltz

Former Speaker of "The Lutheran Hour" and Executive Director of  
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