



Worship Service
8th Sunday after Pentecost
July 23, 2023 10 am

“To build a body of committed Christ-followers who demonstrate His love daily.”

Opening Song w/ Worship Team
Eye of the Storm

Welcome

*** Call To Worship (screen) (Romans 5:1-5)**

One: Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,

All: Through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we boast in the hope of the glory of God.

One: Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope.

All: And hope does not put us to shame, because God’s love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.

*** Praise Songs (screen)**

Open the Eyes of My Heart
All Hail the Power of Jesus Name

*** Unison Opening Prayer (screen)**

O God, your never-failing providence sets in order all things both in heaven and earth: Put away from us, we entreat you, all hurtful things, and give us those things which are profitable for us; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Announcements

Sung Prayer for Illumination (screen)

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto to my path. (2xs)

Scripture Lesson (screen) w/ Dean Zimmerman

Proverbs 17:3
Psalms 42-43 (Responsive)

The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.

Sharing of Joys and Concerns and Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer (screen)

Our Tithes and Offerings

Special Music w/ Kelly Shuey & Bernie Rollman

My Jesus

Children’s Message

(Children 3rd Grade and younger may leave for Jr. Church in Fellowship Hall.)

Message w/ Pastor Brian Rhea (Luke 9:21-24)

Boasting in the Crucible

The Apostles’ Creed (screen)

*** Closing Song (screen)**

Give Thanks

*** Dismissal with Blessing**

*** Response (screen)**

Give Thanks

** Those who are able, please stand*

This Week’s Calendar: July 23 to 30

Sunday

9 am Sunday School for all ages
 10 am Worship Service

Tuesday

7 pm United Women in Faith Meeting (UMW)
 7 pm Trustee Meeting

Wednesday

6:30 pm Worship Team Practice

Sunday

9 am Sunday School for all ages
 10 am Worship Service

TODAY’S HELPERS IN MINISTRY AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor - Brian Rhea

Music Director -

Worship Band Leader - Bernie Rollman

Secretary - Deb Shuey

Treasurer - Kevin Dreibelbis

Jr. Church - Gay Kreiser

Worship Team - Paul Kern, Jill Leidhecker, Amy Miller, Kevin Reichert, Tammy Reichert, Bernie Rollman, Deb Shuey, Kelly Shuey, Judy Warner & Dean Zimmerman

Ushering Team - Jeff & Sue Werner

Head Usher - Jeff Werner

Email Prayer Chain Contact - trinitylickdale@gmail.com

(If you have a joy or concern that you would like prayer for contact the church office at 717-865-4361 or Pastor Brian at 908-499-7097 or send an email to trinitylickdale@gmail.com.)

Birthdays and Anniversaries This Week

Riley Werner - July 24

Jennie Boltz - July 25

John Barna - July 28

Elizabeth Voight - July 29



We are extending the special collection for the Yordy family through today. A basket is on the table in the back of the Sanctuary if you would like to give. Questions or concerns, see Meredith Rinehart or Pastor Brian.



LEBANON AREA FAIR - Started yesterday and goes through July 29th. If you visit the fair this week, remember to look for some of Trinity's youth/kids and families who will be exhibiting animals and other items at the fair.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - Monday, August 7th at 7 pm (enjoy the month of July with your family). Women meet the first Monday of the month. We will be studying the Book of James, Chapter 5. Bring your Bible and join us for fellowship, discussion and prayer. Questions see Deb Shuey or Judy Warner.

NL UMC FOOD DISTRIBUTION - Saturday, August 12th at 1 pm (while supplies last) in the parking lot at Jonestown UMC.



MINISTRY SIGN-UP - Sign-up sheets for Greeters, Scripture Readers and Jr. Church Teachers are located on the table in the lobby. *Sign up for a week or so.*

SUMMER CHURCH CAMP - Start picking your Summer Church Camp Adventure. Brochures for Gretna Glen Camp are available in the lobby. The church will pay half the fee for one camp for any child/youth from Trinity who attends. Need help selecting a camp for your child, see Sheila Seaman.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD - It is time to start planning how you're going to fill your shoe box with gifts. Summer clothing, toys and school supplies will soon be on sale. God has blessed us that we will have a successful year in providing boxes to needy children and to spread the good news of our Lord Jesus Christ. Nurture will have a box in the lobby for extra supplies you purchase. Plastic shoeboxes will be available or use a shoebox from home and have fun filling it with goodies! Monetary donations can be given to a member of the Nurture Team.



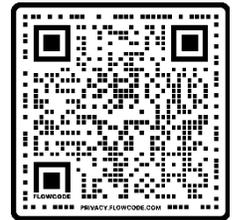
Did you know that many families in our school district struggle to outfit their children at the beginning of a new school year?

The Northern Lebanon Social Worker has identified 257 students who need help with clothing, shoes, and school supplies, and the newly formed Northern Lebanon Ministerium is committed to helping equip these students for the fall.

In August, a Back to School Blessings Event will be held at Zion's Lutheran Church in Jonestown; invited students will receive, at no charge, new shoes, new jeans, a new outfit, new socks, underwear, and school supplies so they can begin the school year with everything they need, right alongside their peers.

We need your financial and volunteer support to make this happen! It costs about \$100 to provide all of these items for an elementary student, and about \$125 to prepare a middle or high school student. However, **financial gifts of any amount are greatly appreciated.**

Contributions can be made online at www.zionsjonestown.org/btsb/ or by using this QR code. Checks can also be marked "Back to School", made payable to Zion's Lutheran Church and mailed to Zion's Lutheran Church, PO Box 658, Jonestown, PA 17038.



If you have any questions, or would like to volunteer for the event, please contact Deb Reiner at adreiner74@gmail.com or 717.304.8826

Thank you for your generosity. Like when Jesus multiplied the young boy's gift of loaves and fish, when every person shares what they can, God works miracles among us. *By equipping students, physically, with what they need for the school year, we help empower them, mentally, to begin a new year with confidence.* Your sponsorship is truly an investment in children's lives and futures, and we are very grateful for your help.

In Christ's service, The Northern Lebanon Ministerium

Welcome to:



Trinity United Methodist Church - Lickdale

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Trinity United Methodist Church - Lickdale

Church office hours: Monday thru Thursday 9 am to 1 pm
Pastor drop-in office hours: Tuesday thru Thursday 11 am to 1 pm

Eastern PA Conference ~ The United Methodist Church West District
Rev. John Schol, Bishop
Rev. Jennifer Freymoyer, District Superintendent

Before Worship ~ Speak to God
During Worship ~ Let God Speak to You
After Worship ~ Speak to Others

Vision Statement ~

We believe we have been called to reveal that God is real and relevant in people's lives and in our community. We strive to do this by...

- Identifying and reaching the unsaved with the Gospel and the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.
- Offering ministries to support and strengthen the family.
- Becoming a seven day a week church that is committed to Spiritual growth through: worship, Christian education, Bible study, prayer, support, accountability, small groups and Christian fellowship.
- Continuing our caring outreach with diversity that touches our church, community, nation and world.
- Providing dynamic worship that is God-centered, Spirit-filled and Biblically based.
- Identifying the spiritual gifts of each person and employing them in ministries that match their gifts.

Purpose Statement ~

To build a body of committed Christ-followers who demonstrate His love daily.



Put your hope in God,

**FOR I WILL YET PRAISE HIM,
MY SAVIOR AND MY GOD.**

PSALM 43:5, NIV

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