



September 2020

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The Herald

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**Hospital Visitation:**

If you have been hospitalized, the only way to be certain that the Pastor knows is for a family member or friend to notify the office. Thank you for your assistance.

A printed copy of the Herald Newsletter will be distributed monthly with the bulletin on the first Sunday of the month. Additional copies will be in the church entrance area.

Deadline to submit articles for the monthly edition is 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.

**Welcome to Zion!** What a wonderful day to serve our Lord! We are so thankful for all in attendance today. If you are members just coming home for a visit or visitors looking for a church home, we welcome you and hope you will enjoy being a part of our church family today! Visitor attendance form and welcome packets are available at the greeters' stations.

**This week as you pray, remember:**

Dennis Hockenberry, Kristine Stevick, Pam Stambaugh, Ashley Bailey, Galen Baker, Gene Leo, Dan Dorty, Naomi Helman, Nate Diehl, Lisa Smith, Ray Lehman, Jean Mooney, Ricky Piper, Dakota Foose, Donna Lapano, Alice Lehman, Frank Yost, Fred Shriner, Danielle & Barry George, Will Richardson, Dorothy Railing, Bekka Gerace, Sharron Blezard, Mary Elizabeth Gruver, Wanda Black, Troy Wiser, Doug Heishman, Dan Bolze, Gordon Ocker, Becky Harne, Nate Gutshall, Pastor Jeff & Robin Kettering, Chris Thatcher, Jennifer Riordan, Mark Petrunak, Cindy Kanc, Austin Kleine, Ed Shearer, Jenni Short, Joanne Smith

*\*Please remember to inform the church office if someone should be removed/added to the list.*

## ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

**SEPTEMBER 2020 READINGS****9/6/2020 14th Sunday after Pentecost****Romans 13:8-14****Psalm 119:33-40****Matthew 18:15-20****9/13/2020 15th Sunday after Pentecost****Romans 14:1-12****Psalm 103:[1-7] 8-13****Matthew 18:21-35****9/20/2020 16th Sunday after Pentecost****Philippians 1:21-30****Psalm 145:1-8****Matthew 20:1-16****9/27/2020 17th Sunday after Pentecost****John 11:1-6****Psalm 61****Luke 19:1-10****Exodus 1:8-17**


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**Big Spring Area Food Bank.** Zion's designated offering is Jell-O and Pudding. The Food Distribution at Big Spring United Lutheran Church, located at corner of Carlisle and Crossroads School Road, will be held on **Monday September 28th from 9-11 am as a drive up delivery.** No volunteers will be needed for the distribution as we are following CDC guidelines. People will be receiving non-perishable items. The Big Spring Inter Church Council feels this is an essential ministry to the community with the necessary precautions.

**Monetary donations may be sent to:**  
**Big Spring Area Food Bank, P O Box 82, Newville, PA 17241.**

Thank you for considering a donation to the Food Bank. It is much needed.  
 We are all in this together.

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**NEW MEALS ON WHEELS ROUTE ADDED TO THE AREA: DRIVERS NEEDED**

The Big Spring Inter Church Council would like to add a meals on wheels route in the Center-ville area. 10 drivers are needed to deliver to the doorsteps of people in need. There is no personal contact, just delivering the meal, ringing the bell and leaving with a smile and a wave. Meals are delivered each weekday. Please contact Rhonda Willis if you are able to help out on this important ministry: [rkwillis@embarqmail.com](mailto:rkwillis@embarqmail.com) 717-422-3627

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WELCOME  
TO WORSHIP

**WORSHIP UPDATES!**

**Weekly Sunday Worship**

Beginning Sunday, September 13, we will worship in-person!

8:45 am Zion Lutheran Church in sanctuary  
online at [zionnewville.org](http://zionnewville.org)

10:30 am BSULC in Family Life Center  
online at [bsulc.org](http://bsulc.org)

**Weekly Wednesday Worship**

Beginning Wednesday, September 16<sup>th</sup>  
we will have a contemporary Parking Lot Service with communion

6:00 pm at BSULC Parking Lot, 101 Crossroad School Road, Newville

**No ZOOM service, please join us online**

## ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH



**September 13, 2020** The altar flowers are presented to the glory of God and in loving memory of James Holder, by Bev Holder and family.

**September 20, 2020** The altar flowers are presented to the glory of God and in honor and memory of our Grandparents, with love, from Rick, Coletta and Hannah Railing. A donation will be given to Food Bank or Paw Packs.

**September 27, 2020** The altar flowers are presented to the glory of God and how grateful we are to be back in our building. Observe the guidelines and everyone stay healthy, by Joseph Rockwell.



School kits will not be packed at our normal time this year but we will be doing them at a later date. All of these items are on sale at really good prices now so if you purchase any you can keep them at home and when church opens up the blue barrel will be ready to collect them.

We have 35 bags to fill as of now so lots of supplies will be needed. Thank you ahead of time. I know Zion members are always so generous.

Items needed are:

70-80 sheet notebooks, 8x10". (No loose-leaf paper)

Rulers, standard size with centimeters

Pencil sharpeners

Blunt scissors

Unsharpened #2 pencils

Black or blue ballpoint pens (no gel ink)

Crayons, 16 or 24 per box



## ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

ZION'S THANK YOU TO..... **BIG SPRING KIWANIS CLUB**

Big Spring Kiwanis has been faithfully serving the children within the community of Newville for 10 years. Big Spring Kiwanis meets the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays at Kane's Korner in back room at 6 p.m. Anyone interested in joining is WELCOME.

Officers for 2019-2020 are Bob Kanc, President; Jeff Cohick, Vice-President; Pam Jones, Treasurer; Becky Heberlig, Secretary.

**BLUEBERRY SALE.** This annual sale is the LARGEST fundraiser of revenue to support our donations and yearly programs. Blueberries are available for pick-up on July 2<sup>nd</sup>. \$32 for a 10 lb. box, freshly picked the day before.

National Night Out – give out 300 school supply packs

Christmas parade and stocking giveaway – give out over 250 stockings and picture with Santa

Scholarships for Big Spring Seniors – give minimum of two \$500 scholarships to one Big

Spring Cumberland Perry Vo-Tech senior and one Big Spring High School senior

Bike Rodeo – in conjunction with American Trauma Society

Held Touch-A-Truck and gave free books to area children

Donated defibrillator to Newville Police

Donated bicycle to Newville Police

Donated fence to Newville Little League

Donated \$ to Diller Mennonite for softball field

Donation to University of Shippensburg Head Start Program of 108 books

We have done and continue to do many other service and support items to support our mission of helping the children. We thank our community for helping us to help the kids.

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**NEIGHBORS IN CHRIST** is a ministry to relieve sudden financial crisis to Big Spring area residents. Volunteer board members screen clients thoroughly before authorizing checks to service providers. This group meets each Saturday from 8:30 – 10:00 AM at First United Presbyterian Church. Our clients are your neighbors, family members and friends who depend upon the community's generosity and support. Spiritual encouragement and church referrals are part of every interview. Local churches, businesses and individuals provide all funding. Please consider a donation to this ministry in memory of a loved one or to honor someone special. Our thank you note will acknowledge your gift for tax purposes.

**Monetary donations may be sent to: Neighbors in Christ, P O Box 71, Newville, PA 17241**

## Z I O N L U T H E R A N C H U R C H

**September**  
**Birthdays & Anniversaries**

2 Caden Morda  
 3 Rick Railing  
 9 Ruby Baker  
 9 Hattie Jaymes Davidson  
 12 Garrett Christlieb  
 13 Abigail Sweger  
 13 Ryder Carpenter  
 22 Zora Beecher  
 22 Max Bevan  
 23 Brian Garman, Jr.  
 24 Mackenzie Neal (Baker)  
 24 Daniel Fry  
 25 Alyson Stambaugh  
 25 Stephanie Nelson  
 26 Kathy Bevan  
 27 Darbie Miller  
 28 Meghan Short

3 Ronald & Pat Mowers  
 8 Ben & Shannon Reid  
 15 Wayne & Danylu Hoover  
 18 Wyatt & Natasha Goodhart  
 19 Curt & Diane Wiser (Covalt)  
 29 Nathaniel & Gretchen Barrick

**October**  
**Birthdays & Anniversaries**

2 Lily Bechtold  
 6 Michael Kleine  
 8 Peyton Bechtold  
 9 Dylan Kleine  
 10 Scott Bechtold  
 14 Zachary Wiser  
 14 Mila Kai Morda  
 17 Douglas Nelson  
 20 Mary Jane Finkey  
 21 JoEllen Wiser  
 23 Natasha Goodhart (Foose)  
 26 Cheryl Markey  
 28 John Christlieb  
 28 Lisa Washinger  
 29 Chase Fry  
 29 Izabella Fry  
 29 William Bechtold

3 Thomas & Danielle Botlock  
 4 Fred & Love Baker  
 5 Rick & Coletta Railing  
 13 Cory & Amy Davison  
 14 Steve & Debby Zeigler  
 19 Chester & Deb Lebo  
 20 Dale & Nancy Hoover  
 25 Irvin & Barbara Nelson

**Stay in touch-**Have you seen us on Facebook? Like us on Facebook @ZionNewville. Also check out our website at [www.zionnewville.org](http://www.zionnewville.org) or email us with questions, comments or suggestions at [zionlutheranpa@embarqmail.com](mailto:zionlutheranpa@embarqmail.com). Our worship will be streamed on Facebook starting March 1st.

ZION BLOOD DONOR NO. – 0985

Please use this number and the name of the church when giving or receiving blood.  
 AED equipment on entry level beside Men's room door.

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**Schedule of Church Activities**

**Sunday, September 13, 20, 27**  
8:45 a.m. Worship Service with Holy Communion  
online at zionnewville.org  
NO ZOOM services

**Tues. 9/8/20**

10:00 a.m. W/ELCA meeting in Ingram Hall

**Sun. 9/13/2020**

Noisy Offering designation: Domestic Violence Services

**Mon. 9/14/2020**

6:30 p.m. Council meeting

**Mon. 9/28/2020**

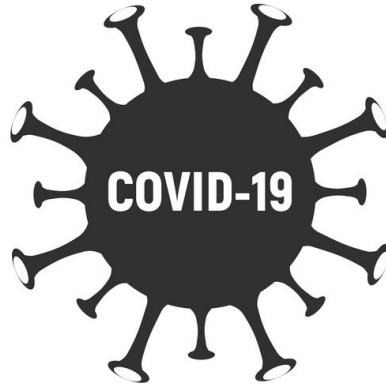
9–11 a.m. Food Bank distribution at BSULC

**Be sure to check the website for any changes  
in this evolving pandemic environment!**

**SPECIAL NOTE:** Our service on Sunday, September 27, 2020 is being prepared and led by our very own Women of the ELCA. The theme for this service is **Just Love** and is based on a 3-month Bible Study from Gather magazine. They have worked really hard so be sure to let them know how blessed and thankful we are to have them in our church family.



## ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

**COVID-19 PROTOCOLS:**

The COVID Task Force and Councils have met throughout the summer to plan for our safety protocols. These are the steps that have been taken for your safety.

- The church has been cleaned thoroughly and will continue to be cleaned each week.
- Plexiglass has been placed on the lectern and pulpit as a barrier.
- Hymns have been pre-recorded with cantors to avoid spray. We ask that people hum, not sing, while in person for the same reason.
- The worship spaces have been marked for social distancing.
- Each church can hold up to 54 people in the worship space using social distancing.
- Hand sanitizers have been placed at the entrances of each church as well as the worship spaces.
- Please bring and wear your masks. If you do not have one, one will be provided by an usher.
- If you or a family member are sick or not feeling well, please stay home and worship on line. We want you well!
- Offerings will be placed in a collection plate as you enter the worship space.
- Pre-packaged communion will be at the entrance of the worship space. People will commune from their seats. Please bring your waste with you.
- There will be no passing of the peace or shaking of hands to assist in eliminating the spread of germs.
- The ushers will dismiss you as you leave to ensure social distancing.
- Only one household in the elevator at a time.
- If a COVID-19 case is reported in our congregation, every member will be notified and the following Sunday will be online only.

Thank you for helping us make in-person worship as safe as possible. We are glad you are able to worship with us in person, at home or in the parking lot!