

# Zion Lutheran Church, Indiana PA Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost August 20 & 21, 2022

Prelude Substitute Organist - Beth Grafton

Confession and Forgiveness: Page 94

Entrance Hymn: ELW #533 "Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty"

Unser Herrscher

**Apostolic Greeting: Page 203** 

Glory be to God in Heaven: Page 204

#### Prayer of the Day

O God, mighty and immortal, you know that as fragile creatures surrounded by great dangers, we cannot by ourselves stand upright. Give us strength of mind and body, so that even when we suffer because of human sin, we may rise victorious through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

## First Reading: Isaiah 58:9b-14

<sup>9b</sup>If you remove the yoke from among you, the pointing of the finger, the speaking of evil, <sup>10</sup>if you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted, then your light shall rise in the darkness and your gloom be like the noonday. <sup>11</sup>The LORD will guide you continually, and satisfy your needs in parched places, and make your bones strong; and you shall be like a watered garden, like a spring of water, whose waters never fail. <sup>12</sup>Your ancient ruins shall be rebuilt; you shall raise up the foundations of many generations; you shall be called the repairer of the breach, the restorer of streets to live in. <sup>13</sup>If you refrain from trampling the sabbath, from pursuing your own interests on my holy day;

if you call the sabbath a delight and the holy day of the LORD honorable; if you honor it, not going your own ways, serving your own interests, or pursuing your own affairs; <sup>14</sup>then you shall take delight in the LORD, and I will make you ride upon the heights of the earth; I will feed you with the heritage of your ancestor Jacob, for the mouth of the LORD has spoken.

#### **Psalm: Psalm 103:1-8**

<sup>1</sup>Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless God's holy name. <sup>2</sup>Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not | all God's benefits— <sup>3</sup>who forgives | all your sins and heals all | your diseases; <sup>4</sup>who redeems your life | from the grave and crowns you with steadfast | love and mercy: R <sup>5</sup>who satisfies your desires | with good things so that your youth is renewed | like an eagle's. <sup>6</sup>O LORD, you provide | vindication and justice for all who | are oppressed. <sup>7</sup>You made known your ways to Moses and your works to the chil- dren of Israel. <sup>8</sup>LORD, you are full of compas- | sion and mercy, slow to anger and abounding in | steadfast love. R

# Second Reading: Hebrews 12:18-29

<sup>18</sup>You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, <sup>19</sup>and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. <sup>20</sup>(For they could not endure the order that was given, "If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death." <sup>21</sup>Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, "I tremble with fear.") <sup>22</sup>But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, <sup>23</sup>and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, <sup>24</sup>and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

<sup>25</sup>See that you do not refuse the one who is speaking; for if they did not escape when they refused the one who warned them on earth, how much less will we escape if we reject the one who warns from heaven! <sup>26</sup>At that time his voice shook the earth; but now he has promised, "Yet once more I will shake not only the earth but also the heaven." <sup>27</sup>This phrase, "Yet once more," indicates the removal of what is shaken—that is, created things—so that what cannot be shaken may remain. <sup>28</sup>Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give

thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe; <sup>29</sup>for indeed our God is a consuming fire.

**Gospel Acclamation: Page 205** 

Glory to You O Lord: (Spoken)

**Gospel: Luke 13:10-17** 

<sup>10</sup>Now [Jesus] was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. <sup>11</sup>And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. <sup>12</sup>When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, "Woman, you are set free from your ailment." <sup>13</sup>When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. <sup>14</sup>But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, "There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day." <sup>15</sup>But the Lord answered him and said, "You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? <sup>16</sup>And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?" <sup>17</sup>When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

Praise to You O Christ: (Spoken)

**Homily: Pastor Tedd Cogar** 

**Hymn of the Day: ELW #521** "O Day of Rest and Gladness" Ellacombe

Apostle's Creed: Page 105

**Prayers of Intercession** 

Peace: Page 206

**Offertory Music** 

Offertory Canticle: ELW #186 "Create in Me a Clean Heart"

**Offertory Payer:** 

**A:** Let us pray,

C: God of abundance: You have set before us a plentiful harvest. As we feast on your goodness, strengthen us to labor in your field, and equip us to bear fruit for the good of all, in the name of Jesus. Amen.

Great Thanksgiving: Page 206 "Holy, Holy, Holy": Page 207

**Eucharistic Prayer: Altar Book** 

Lord's Prayer: Page 208

Lamb of God: Page 208

**Invitation to Communion:** 

**P**: In Christ's presence there is fullness of joy. Come to the banquet.

Communion Hymn: ELW #471 "Let Us Break Bread Together"

Break Bread Together

**Communion Blessing:** 

**Post Communion Prayer:** 

**A:** Let us pray.

C: Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy. Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may come to know your love. This we pray in the name of Jesus. Amen.

**Hymn for Peace:** ELW #749 "O God of Love, O King of Peace"

**Prayer for Peace** 

**A:** Let us pray

C: Oh Divine, most mighty, most merciful, our sacred stories tell us that you help and save your people. You are the fortress: may there be no more war. You are the harvest: may there be no more hunger. You are the light: may no one die alone or in despair. Oh Divine, most majestic, most motherly, grant us your life. Amen

#### **Blessing:**

**P**: The God of Peace, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you, comfort you, and show you the path of life this day and always.

C: Amen.

Recessional Hymn: ELW #796 "How Firm a Foundation"

Foundation

**Dismissal:** AM: Go in Peace. Love your Neighbor

C: Thanks Be to God!

Postlude

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# MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

5:30 PM - LECTOR: Dante Adamson; ALTAR GUILD: Sat AM & PM Sharon O'Keiff; ASSISTING MINISTER: Rik Wissinger; USHERS: Shirley Horner, Chuck Rodnicki. 9:30 AM – LECTOR: Sue Dickson; ALTAR GUILD: Sue Dickson; ASSISTING MINISTER: Jenn Rising; USHER: Jim Slade.

#### THIS WEEK AT ZION - AUGUST 22

Friday Zion Office Closed

7:00 - Square Dancers

Saturday 5:30 - Liturgy

Sunday 8:30 - Choir Practice

9:30 – Liturgy

10:40 - Choir Practice

Narcotics Anonymous Meeting

Church Attendance Last Week (August 13 & 14)
Saturday 14 -- Sunday 18 -- Online 39

Giving - August (First 2 weeks) \$13,817.60

#### **PRAYER LIST**

Remember all those requesting prayer: Katrina Albright, Leo Ambrisco, Ron Anderson, Liesl Andrie, Carrie Ankenny, Jessica Badowski, Noelle Battick, Leonard Black, Tamie Blank, Becky Bono, Abby Bowser, Peter Broad, Tom Brown, Tom Bush, Susan & Bob Butchkoski, Rochelle Calvetti, Jim Chapman, Alexis Chapman, Adam Chilenski, Lonnie Cogar, Deb Cosgrove, Jacqueline Davis, Jeff Davis, Karen Davis, Paul Davis, Donald Dustin, Dale Ebner, Akou Ester, Beth Ford, Harry Ford, Scott Giuffre, Heidi Good, the Guella family, Gene Hartzell, Annah Hill, Tom Holleron, Shirley Horner, Chris Howard, Dan Howard, Diana Howard, Bill Bruce Jenkins, Bill Johnston, Linda Kanyan, Michael Kowchuck, Tom Krapsho, Billie Kurtz-King, Pam Laney & family, Ronda Leasure, Bishop Michael Lozano, Prisca Maier, Karl & Dorrinna Martini, Judy Matsko, Marvin McClure, Tracey McEldowney, Paula Miller, Jim Muller, Betty Nicolette, Dave Nycum, Janice & Rick Olsen, Shawn Otto, Elaine Davis, the Petras family, Loretta Piper, Scott Potterask, Bob Reifsteck, Jason Roney, Rylan Rummel, Quinn Santini, Christian Santos, Paolo Schianchi, George Schulze, Coleen Seagren, Sande & Gene Shotts, Denny Swason, Jr, B. Tamski, Bob Tierney, Dennis Turner, Brett Tyger, Lisa Vavro, Kristine Volpatti, Kim Walls, Tom & Jane Williams, Dominic Yensi, Carl, Cliff, Jeannine, Nancy & Ruth, Deborah.

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Our Sexton/Custodian, Jerry Ruffner, is retiring at the end of the year. If anyone is interested in being our sexton, starting 2023, please contact Rik Wissinger at 724-840-2335.

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