



**ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Defiance, Ohio

*Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost*

Sunday, October 6, 2024 — 9:45 a.m.

[www.zionslutheranchurch.com](http://www.zionslutheranchurch.com)

— *We Gather To Hear God's Word* —

— **The Ministers are the People** —

October 6, 2024 9:45 A.M. WORSHIP

Preaching	Rev. Tom Zulick	Ushers	John Diehl
Musician	Neal Deniston	Offering Collectors	Marsha Leaders &
Deacon	Doug Eis		Angela Gutman
Altar Care	Karen Graf	Fellowship Hour	Angela & Stormy Gutman

AV Team: Doug Eis, Sandy Eis, Stormy Gutman, Angela Gutman, and Shaun Holley

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

GATHERING HYMN                      "All Things Bright and Beautiful"                      Blue Book #767

GREETING

HYMN OF PRAISE                      "Glory to God..."                      Red Book Setting 4, pg. 148

PRAYER OF THE DAY

*We sit*

FIRST READING: **Genesis 2:18-24**

PSALM: **Psalms 8**

SECOND READING: **Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12**

*We stand*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION                      "Alleluia"                      Red Book Setting 4, pg. 151

GOSPEL: **Mark 10:2-16**

*We sit*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HOMILY                      "When Relationships Fail"                      Rev. Tom Zulick

*We stand*

HYMN OF THE DAY                      "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"                      Red Book #656

— *We Respond to God's Word* —

APOSTLES' CREED                      Red Book pg. 105

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

SHARING OF THE PEACE

*We sit*

OFFERTORY HYMN	"Let the Vineyards"	Blue Book Setting 5, pg. 35
<i>We stand</i>		
OFFERTORY PRAYER		
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING		
SANCTUS	"Holy, Holy, Holy"	Red Book Page 153
EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER V		
THE LORD'S PRAYER		
<i>We sit</i>		
AGNUS DEI	"Lamb of God"	Red Book Setting 4, pg. 154
DISTRIBUTION	"When Love Is Found"	Blue Book #749
	"O Jesus, I Have Promised"	Red Book #810
<i>We Stand</i>		
POST COMMUNION CANTICLE	"Thankful Hearts"	Blue Book Setting 5, pg. 40
POST COMMUNION PRAYER		
BLESSING		

*— We Go To Live God's Word —*

SENDING HYMN	"All Creatures, Worship God Most High!"	Red Book #835
DISMISSAL		

To be added to the prayer chains, please contact:

ePrayers: [office@zionslutheranchurch.com](mailto:office@zionslutheranchurch.com) –or– Phone Prayers: Barb Vogel 419-393-2544

**WE PRAY...For:** Amy Donahue, Sandy Hupp, David Shafer, John Lieswyn, Lynn Wolfe, Karen Bowling, Tate Schwiebert, Phil Rickard, John Nawarskas, Linda Street, Shelley Anderson, Norma Barber Hurst, Robin Reames, Mike Batt, Joan Schey, Myrt Brownson, Becky Mohr, and the Beindorf family.

**For the men and women of our military both here and abroad:** Especially, Dan Bostelman, Scott Clippinger, Jeremy Horstman, Eric Doctor, Andrew Mullett, Zachary Price, Benjamin Mullett, Evan Barrett, Tyler Rogers, Erika Rogers, and Matthew Rogers.

**September 22, 2024 Attendance & Collection**

Sunday Attendance	61	Ministry Fund	\$2,247.00
Live Streaming Devices	22	Building Improvements	\$40.00

In order to meet our weekly budget guidelines, the Ministry Fund needs \$2,908.23 each week.

— *This Week at Zion's* —

Sunday, Oct 6	8:45 am	Bible Study w/ Pastor Tom
	9:00 am	Sunday School
	9:45 am	Sunday Worship Service
	7:30 pm	AA
Monday, Oct 7	7:00 pm	Barbershop Practice
Tuesday, Oct 8	7:00 pm	Worship & Music Meeting
Wednesday, Oct 9	12:00 pm	AA
	4:30 pm	Meal & Pantry Distribution
	4:30 pm	Mutual Ministry Meeting
Thursday, Oct 10	9:00 am	Bulletin Announcement Deadline
	9:00 am	Men's Fellowship
	5:00 pm	TOPS 1811
Sunday, Oct 13	8:45 am	Bible Study w/ Pastor Tom
	9:00 am	Sunday School
	9:45 am	Sunday Worship Service
	7:30 pm	AA

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— *Announcements* —

**GROWING IN FAITH DIAKONIA**—The NW Ohio and NE Ohio Synods are partnering to offer classes for lay members longing to grow in their faith and service. For more info, please go to [www.growinginfaithohio.org](http://www.growinginfaithohio.org) or check out the flyer on the bulletin board.

**JR. HIGH/HIGHSCHOOL BREAKFAST CLUB**—The Breakfast Club will meet for the first time on Sunday, October 13th at 9:00am in Luther Hall. Breakfast will be served followed with discussion and design planning for a painted wall mural in Luther Hall.

**419 YOUTH**—a group for Lutheran Youth from NW Ohio. The group meets the 1st Wednesday of the month at St. Paul ELCA, 671 Clinton St. (see bulletin board for info).

**HURRICANE HELENE DISASTER RELIEF**—Please consider donating to the Lutheran Disaster Response Team to help with Hurricane Helene Relief (see bulletin insert for more info). Your gift will help clean up the extreme devastation left by this tragedy. **Please make checks payable to Zion's Lutheran Church, write "Hurricane Helene Disaster Relief" in the memo line and place in the offering.**

**OFFERING ENVELOPES**—New boxes of offering envelopes will be ordered soon. If you did not receive a box last year and would like to have one, please call the church office or email [office@zionslutheranchurch.com](mailto:office@zionslutheranchurch.com). Also, if you no longer want a box of envelopes, please let the church office know.

**COATS FOR CHRISTMAS**—Zion's will be participating in collecting coats for the First Presbyterian Church's "Coats for Christmas" ministry. This outreach event of collecting gently used coats for women, men and children is a long time Defiance ministry. All styles and sizes welcome! There will be a collection barrel in Zion's Narthex in early October.

**PANTRY NEEDS**—Needs for the October 9th distribution are Kleenex, shaving cream, liquid hand soap, and baby wipes. We are also in need of grocery bags.