



ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
Defiance, Ohio

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, June 28, 2026 — 9:45 a.m.

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THE MINISTERS ARE THE PEOPLE

June 28, 2026 9:45 A.M. WORSHIP

Preaching
Musician
Lector
Altar Care

Pastor Tom Zulick
Neal Deniston
Linda Hardy
Karen Graf

Ushers

Fellowship Hour
Offering Collectors

Colleen Holley &
Angela Gutman
Linda Hardy
Marsha Leaders &
Sue McKibben

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

— We Gather To Hear God's Word —

"Be still, and know that I am God." (Psalm 46::10)

***We invite everyone to enter the sanctuary with a spirit of prayerful silence.
Let us prepare our hearts to hear God's Word without distractions.***

WELCOME

GATHERING SONG

"This is the Day"

W&P Book #141

ENDOWMENT GRANTS

Dan Meffley

INVOCATION

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Red Book Setting 1, pg. 95

OPENING HYMN

"Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service"

Red Book #712

GREETING

HYMN OF PRAISE

"Glory to God"

Red Book Setting 4, pg. 148

PRAYER OF THE DAY

We sit

FIRST READING: **Jeremiah 28:5-9**

RESPONSIVE READING: **Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18**

SECOND READING: **Romans 6:12-23**

We stand

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

"Be Not Afraid"

Red Book #388

GOSPEL: **Matthew 10:40-42**

We sit

HOMILY

"Welcome!"

Pastor Tom Zulick

We stand

HYMN OF THE DAY

"Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life"

Red Book #719

APOSTLES CREED

Red Book Setting 1, pg. 105

— We Respond to God's Word —

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

SHARING OF THE PEACE

We sit

OFFERTORY HYMN

We stand

"Let the Vineyards"

Blue Book Setting 5, pg. 35

OFFERTORY PRAYER

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Red Book Setting 4, pg. 152

SANCTUS

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

Red Book Setting 4, pg. 153

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER V

THE LORD'S PRAYER

We sit

Red Book Setting 4, pg. 154

AGNUS DEI

"Lamb of God"

Red Book Setting 4, pg. 154

DISTRIBUTION

"Bread of Life from Heaven"

Red Book #474

"Here is Bread"

Red Book #483

We stand

POST COMMUNION CANTICLE

"Thankful Hearts"

Blue Book Setting 5, pg. 40

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BLESSING

— We Go To Live God's Word —

SENDING HYMN

"Give to Our God Immortal Praise!"

Red Book #848

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

"Go in Peace and Serve the Lord"

W&P Book #46

June 21, 2026 Attendance & Collection

Sunday Attendance 57

Youtube Views 0 (outdoor service)

Ministry Fund \$ 6,980.00

Building Fund \$ 0.00

In order to meet our weekly budget guidelines, the Ministry Fund needs \$3,041.75 each week.

TODAY WE CELEBRATE the Eucharist, the meal of the baptized children of God. All who have been baptized in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are invited at the table. White grape juice is available for those who prefer it. Indicate so by placing your right hand across your chest. Gluten-free wafers are also available.

—This Week at Zion's —

Sunday, June 28	8:45 am	Adult Forum
	9:45 am	Worship Service
	7:30 pm	AA Group
Monday, June 29	7:00 pm	Barbershoppers
Wednesday, July 1	10:30 am	Dulcimers
	12:00 pm	AA Group
Thursday, July 2	9:00 am	Men's Fellowship
	5:00 pm	TOPS 1811
Sunday, July 12	9:45 am	Worship Service-Barbershoppers to Perform
	7:30 pm	AA Group

Lutheran History

Peter and Paul, Apostles—the odd couple of biblical witnesses to be brought together in one commemoration. One of the things that unites Peter and Paul is the tradition that says they were martyred together on June 29 in 67 or 68. What unites them more closely is their common confession of Jesus Christ. Together Peter and Paul lay a foundation and build the framework for our lives of faith through their proclamation of Jesus Christ.

To be added to the prayer chains, please contact:
ePrayers: office@zionslutheranchurch.com

WE PRAY...For:

Members: John Lieswyn, Marsha Leaders, Gary Smith, Marty Frank, and the family of Ray Gottschling.

Non-Members: Amy Donahue, Sandy Hupp, David Shafer, Linda Street, John Nawarskas, Shelley Anderson, Curtis Shafer, Mary Keel, Julie Logan, Becky Mohr, Clara Zimmer, Ellen Perry, and Brent Rosebrock.

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