

WELCOME TO
Old Zionsville United Church of Christ
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Pastor

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Organist

June 12, 2022

10:15 a.m.

**those who are able may stand*

Trinity Sunday

“All Truth”

Trinity Sunday is the first Sunday after Pentecost.
We acknowledge the Triune God and reflect on the
Divine Community of Three in One.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Lighting of the Altar Candles

Call to Worship

One: Wisdom calls and understanding speaks.

All: Majestic God, we recognize your voice.

One: Creation declares your glory and humanity marvels
at your care.

All: Merciful God, we rejoice at your works.

One: Peace, endurance, character, and hope are gifts.

**All: Mysterious God, we receive your love in
thanksgiving.**

Prayer of Invocation

God our Potter, God who shapes us in the fire, we are made
new in your presence. We come seeking your wisdom, crying
out our concerns, needing your peace. Use this time to form
us as community, connected through your breath, life, and
hope that propels us as your body in the world. Amen.

*Opening Hymn: “Change My Heart, O God”

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Prayer for Transformation and New Life

One: Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer, we confess that we do not always heed the wisdom you impart.

All: We turn toward other marks and means of validation rather than toward you. We remain in awe of our own creation while devouring and decimating yours.

One: Continue to call us, we pray, and to surprise and delight us at your magnificence and majesty.

All: May we always be at awe at your glory and humbled by your nearness. Let our character be shaped toward hope and reflect your peace.

Words of Grace

Receive the peace extended to us from the God of Grace who joined our embodied experience and who invites us to shared glory of the resurrected life in which we are made new and whole.

Sunday School Children will sing

Scripture Reading: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

8 Does not wisdom call and understanding raise her voice?
2 On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand; **3** beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: **4** "To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all who live.

22 "The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago. **23** Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth. **24** When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. **25** Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth, **26** when he had not yet made earth and fields or the world's first bits of soil. **27** When he established the heavens, I was there; when he drew a circle on the face of the deep, **28** when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, **29** when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, **30** then I was beside him, like a master worker, and I was daily his delight, playing before him always, **31** playing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race.

Reflection

Choir Anthem

Recognition of New Members (see insert)

*Presentation of our Offerings and Gifts

*The Doxology

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*Prayer of Dedication and Thanksgiving

Generous, Abundant, and Precious God, bless our offerings of presence, ability, and resources as we participate as your co-creators.

*The Pastoral Prayer...The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

*Closing Hymn: "Father, I Adore You" (all verses) p.191

*Benediction

May the God of Peace assure you. May the God of Life invigorate you. May the God of Wind direct you. Go, in peace and hope, to transform your community and the world to the glory of God.

*Extinguishing of the Candles

*Postlude

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**All Truth:** Service Prayers for Trinity Sunday were written by Rev. Dr. Cheryl A. Lindsay, Minister for Worship and Theology, United Church of Christ.

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**TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS** are sponsored by Donald and Phyllis Ritter in honor of their 22<sup>nd</sup> Wedding Anniversary.

**TODAY'S BULLETINS** are sponsored by Cyrus and Dorothy Mohr in memory of loved ones.

**TODAY'S LITURGIST** is Jan Strobel.

**TODAY'S GREETERS** are Marvin and Barbara Kerchner.

RESTROOMS ARE AVAILABLE on the main floor of the Church and downstairs.

We have Bulletin Magnifier Sheets if needed. They can be found on the sound system.

**Mask Wearing** - Consistory has agreed that individuals can make their own decision as to the wearing of masks during church services. If you find yourself testing positive for COVID, **please contact the church office** so we can alert others who may have been in contact with you during time spent at church. Thank you.

We are asking our members and friends to not park their car by the garage/cemetery, in the side parking lot, this area is for our tenants use only. Thank you.

The **Zionsville Area Food Pantry** is in need of volunteers on distribution days which are the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday and following Saturday each month. Hours are Monday 9:40am-12pm, Saturday 3:45pm-5:50pm. If you can help, please call or text Dave at 484-602-3173. Thank you!

Each week after worship someone needs to remove the **Altar Flowers** from the altar. Would you be willing to do this for us on a Sunday every now and then to help in this ministry? Thanks in advance for your help in BEING THE CHURCH.

**Iron Pigs Game!! This Saturday! Game begins at 6:35 p.m.**

**Lunch Bunch** will be held on Friday, June 24, 2022. Meet at 12 noon at The New Pennsburg Diner, 321 Pottstown Avenue, Pennsburg. Please let Linda or Mark Weaver know if you can make it by Monday, June 20<sup>th</sup>.



**Celebration at Dillingersville!** Join us for the Annual Dillingersville Worship Celebration combined Worship Service with the UCCs, the Lutherans, and the Mennonites. Sunday,

**June 26, 2022 at 10:30 a.m.** at the School House under the big tent. There will be a community choir to help lead worship that day, if you are interested in singing on the joint choir please let us know. After Worship lunch will be served for a donation. There will be a bake sale too. At 12:30 p.m. there will be a fun presentation by Mr. Donald Heminitz, portraying an early 1770s traveling Schoolmaster who will stop to visit. Bring your own lawn chair if you wish. Come and join us as we worship with our neighbors. Dillingersville School is located at **7226 School House Lane, Zionsville**. Flyers are hanging on bulletin boards around the church.

**Calling All Bakers!!! The Bake Sale is BACK!!!** There will be a bake sale as part of the events at the 76<sup>th</sup> Annual Pilgrimage to the Dillingersville Schoolhouse on June 26<sup>th</sup>. If you love to bake, please consider donating one of your delicious desserts to support this beautiful and historical schoolhouse. Bring your dessert(s) to the schoolhouse with you that morning. Please keep in mind that there is no refrigeration available, so you may want to consider not using icing on your dessert. For more information, please contact Teresa Marks at 610-509-1488 (cell number). Thank you!

All welcome to join the combined Dillingersville Choir to share music at the Dillingersville worship service on Sunday June 26 at 10:30 a.m. **NO SERVICE AT OZUCC that day**. The next Dillingersville Combined choir practice will be Thursday, June 23 at 7:30pm at Zion's Evangelical Lutheran Church. Lift your voice and sing! Questions? Contact Carolyn Rhoads 610-737-0904.

Want to share a **gift or talent** during worship this summer while our choir gets a break? Please speak with Pastor Lori 610-393-3522 or Carolyn Rhoads 610-737-0904. Sing, play an instrument, dance, read poetry, tell a story...Know a child who might like to share their talent in front of our congregation? - anything that gives thanks to God!

### **Week of June 12-18, 2022:**

Pastor Lori will have office hours on Wednesday from 10am-3pm.

Other times by appointment

Church Secretary: Brenda Seitz, hours Mon-Thurs 10am-3pm  
(please call before coming)

Sexton: Richard Shoemaker (with Thanks to his wife, Brenda)

Boy Scouts – Monday @ 6pm

Property – Monday @ 7pm

Cub Scouts – Tuesday @ 7pm

FUN Group – Tuesday @ 7pm

Finance – Wednesday @ 7pm

Iron Pigs Game – Saturday @ 6:35pm

The Scouts have access to our building throughout the summer but may be meeting off site. We leave their meeting time on our schedule to hold the place for them. If you want more information on Scouting, speak with Robin Yoder at 610-428-1884 or Pastor Lori.

**Next Sunday** – 9:00am No Sunday School  
10:15am Worship, Last 10:15 Service till the Fall,  
Loose money goes to Pastor’ Discretionary Fund

**Summer Worship begins July 3 at 9:30 a.m.**

**Total Offerings from June 5:**

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| General Offerings: \$2,093.00    | Mission: \$10.00      |
| Kindness Project: \$208.86       | Window Fund: \$160.00 |
| Lancaster Seminary: \$20.00      | Communion: \$68.00    |
| Parking Lot Maintenance: \$25.00 | Cemetery: \$62.00     |
| Attendance: 48                   |                       |