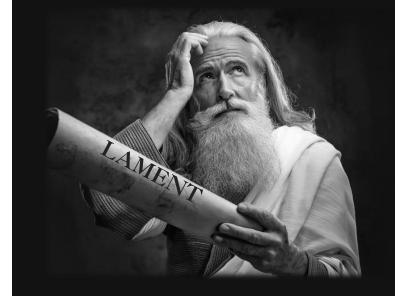


## **PSALMS** THE TORTURED POETS' BOOK



# JANUARY 19, 2025



# Visiting today? Welcome!

January 19, 2025 Notes for Today's Service

#### We hope that you will be able to join with us in worship in person or through the livestream on the website templelutheran.org.

Because this is a livestreamed service, your likeness may be shown on Temple's YouTube channel and website.

HOLY COMMUNION - We welcome <u>ALL</u> to share in the meal of God's forgiveness, receiving the real presence of Christ in the sacrament. Children are welcome to fully participate in Holy Communion or to come forward and receive a blessing. Please return to your seat by the side aisle. If you are unable to come forward, please notify an usher and communion will be brought to you.

**OFFERING** - During today's service, an offering will be gathered for the mission of the church, including the care of those in need. At Temple Lutheran Church, we acknowledge financial stewardship to be an act of discipleship, done in response to the Good News of God's love. As you hear God's Word today and consider the ways God has blessed you, we invite you to share only what God is calling you to share. We thank you for your generous gifts and assure you that your donations will help to change lives as we transform church, our neighborhood, and God's world in the name of Jesus.

Please consider e-giving as a way to continue meeting your pledge to Temple. Please contact our Financial Secretary for information or the form to do this at finsecretary@templelutheran.org.

For more information about Temple Lutheran, visit our website or use this QR Code.



#### PSALM 130 (Chanted)

<sup>1</sup> Out | of the depths I cry to | you, O Lord.

<sup>2</sup> O Lord, | hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my | supplication.

<sup>3</sup> If you were to keep watch | over sins, O Lord, | who could stand?

#### <sup>4</sup> Yet with you | is forgiveness,

in order that you | may be feared.

- <sup>5</sup> I wait for you, O Lord; | my soul waits; in your word | is my hope.
- <sup>6</sup> My soul waits for the Lord more than those who keep watch | for the morning,

#### more than those who keep watch | for the morning.

<sup>7</sup>O Israel, wait for the Lord, for with the Lord there is | steadfast love;

with the Lord there is plen- | teous redemption.

#### <sup>8</sup> For the Lord shall | redeem Israel from |all their sins.

#### **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

For Healing and Encouragement: Paul Arata, Margaret Barger, Brendan Bell, Jack Bvers, Mike Carr, Joan Clarke, Jane Corso, Ami Cuskelly, Mark Davis, Bobbie Delaney, Gordon Dershimer, Declan Devlin. Julie Diehl, Diane Donnely, Jeanne Donofrio, Chase Dovle and Adam, Christie Ennis, R.E. Faulkner, Bill Faust, Shane Faust, Kristine Ferguson-Franklin, Michelle Filler, Lois Ann Forgess-Oler, Todd Gasper, Evin Gerofsky, Thomas Gibson (Gibby), Greg Hallquist, Roy Hallowell, Florence Homer, Craig Jamgochian, Boyce Johnson, Gina Kapusniak, Robert Keaveney, Kailyn Kilfoyle, Kim Komar, Louis F. Lamoreux, Jean Long, Madison Lynn, Kevin Mack, Jim M., Susie Margarite and family, Salvino Marra, Janet Marinari, Wayne Meider, Lino Mescia, Michelle, Helen Neiser, Betty Pagan, Carmen Palacios, David Parker, Tonya Parker, family and friends of Bob Quillen, Melissa Rhodes, Beth Rossi, Larry Rossi, Toni Rossi, Jeanne Santarsiero, Chris Smith, Clark Smith, Merry Snyder, Patricia Snyder, Karen Spangler, Derick Spence, Gaetan Termini, Dick Torti, Diana Valvardi, Steve and Sue Voccola, Lily Walker, Barbara Ward, Philip White, and Linda Wilke.



# UNCONDITIONALLY

#### Welcome to Temple Lutheran Church of Havertown. ALL are welcome here.

We are a Reconciling in Christ Congregation which extends hospitality, support, encouragement, and full participation to all children of God who seek to join us in doing God's work.

#### **ADULT EDUCATION AT CAFÉ** Sundays at 9 am

Come enjoy coffee, tea and delicious treats while having wonderful discussions on Sunday mornings at 9 am in the Café.





### SUNDAY SCHOOL

#### Sundays during worship

Children ages 4-11 will be dismissed to Sunday School after the Sermon on the Steps and return to worship at communion.

#### **TL4C Youth Group** Next meetup is February 2 **Temple Lutheran Church**

Youth in grades 6-12 are invited to TL4C.

This is an opportunity for our youth to grow in faith with one another and work together on service projects.

#### MUSIC MINISTRIES

Do you like to sing, play handbells, or play instruments? We would love for you to share your talents with Temple

Lutheran Church! Please contact our Director of Music Ministries. Florrie Marks, at music@templelutheran.org.





#### SCOUT SUNDAY February 2

All Scouts, families and friends are welcome to join TLC in a special worship celebrating the good news of scouting. Scouts attending will receive a special Scout Sunday patch! Join us in the courtyard after church for firepits and smores!





#### SOUPER BOWL SUNDAY February 9 Worship and Luncheon

Worship with soup luncheon to follow. During the service the congregation is invited to put money into the pot of whichever NFL team they think will win the Super Bowl.

TLC will "predict" the winner (team with the most money) at the Soup Luncheon.

The true winner will be Mama-Tee Community Fridge Project which will be the beneficiary of all money in the pots! Check it out at <u>mamateefridge.com</u>. Signup on the sheet in the back of church to make/bring food and/or help with set up or clean up.



ANNUAL MEETING AND POTLUCK January 26, 2025

Join us in Fellowship Hall as we break bread together at the Annual Meeting and Potluck! Let's celebrate all the ministries of Temple Lutheran and vote on the budget for 2024. The signup sheet for Potluck is in the back of church!





RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE Wednesday, January 22 2:00 – 7:00 p.m. Fellowship Hall at TLC Urgent Call for Blood Donations! Sign up to give blood today by scanning or clicking the QR code!





Scan to schedule an appointment.

#### BLANKET AND COAT DRIVE The month of January



There is a need with this extreme cold in our area for coats and blankets. If you have any extra blankets or coats that you are looking to get rid of, please wash and bring them to church on Sundays in January. Please share our request with friends act Greg Swindells with any questions.

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#### **GIVING TO TEMPLE**

TLC is dedicated to transforming our church, our neighborhood, and God's world. Your contributions drastically affect the impact we can have on our community and beyond. It's because of your generosity that this is a growing, thriving, multi-generational community of people dedicated to living out our values of Inclusion, Service, and Community.

There are now many ways you can financially contribute regularly to TLC's Mission:

- Mail a check to the church office 501 Brookline Blvd, Havertown, PA 19083
- Authorize payment through your bank
- Sign up for electronic giving with Celia Engman Questions? Contact <u>Celia</u> <u>Engman</u>
- Use this <u>PayPal link</u> or QR Code





#### TLC FOOD PANTRY 1-2:30 pm



TLC Food Pantry is open for in-person shopping every 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month from 1-2:30 pm. **Needs:** Laundry detergent, Peanut butter, Toilet

paper, Tomato products, Fruit, Cereal **\*No glass or expired items** Contact **Bridget McCormack** if interested in this ministry.

#### VALENTINE'S COLLEGE CARE PACKAGES

Saturday, January 25th



Help us send some love from TLC to our College Students! There are 17 students this year attending schools nearby and a far. We are collecting snacks (think lightweight and small sizes) and monetary

donations (we will purchase snacks/gift cards). Contributions due Sunday, February 2.



#### TEMPLE'S TASTE OF ITALY February 22, 5–8 PM

Saturday, February 22 is set for TLC's A Taste of Italy. Save the date and spread the word for Temple's annual spaghetti dinner! All hands-on deck for this

wonderful night of delicious food for TLC and the community. Get on board to help with prep work, raffles, decorating, setting up, cooking, serving, or cleanup!

#### Need to contact the Pastor?

The Rev. Timothy Johansen, by calling (610) 446-3270 or by emailing pastor@templelutheran.org Emergency Phone Number (516)592-0412

#### **CALENDAR OF REGULAR MEETINGS**

Tuesdays	8:30 p.m.	The Oakmont Group [AA Meeting]
	7:15 p.m.	Handbell Choir
Fridays	7:30 p.m.	I Am Responsible [AA meeting]
Saturdays	9:30 a.m.	Bryn Mawr Early Birds [AA meeting]
Sundays	9:00 a.m.	Adult Café
	10:00 a.m.	Worship
	11:15 a.m.	Chancel Choir

12-Step meetings are held regularly at the church, but not all of them are posted at the request of each group's leadership.

Please contact Pastor Tim if you have an addiction and need help.

#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- January12Psalms Sermon Series Begins
  - 20 MLK Day of Service
  - 22 Red Cross Blood Drive 2-7 pm
  - 25 TLC Food Pantry 1-2:30 pm
  - 26 Annual Meeting and Potluck

#### February

- 2 Scout Sunday
- 2 TL4C Youth Group 6 pm @ Temple
- 9 Souper Bowl Sunday
- 22 TLC Food Pantry 1-2:30 pm
- 22 A Taste of Italy Spaghetti Dinner

#### **Partners in Ministry**

Ministers Pastor Congregation Council President Director of Music Ministries Director of Discipleship Parish Administrator Director of Sunday School Youth Minister Sexton

People of Temple Lutheran Church The Rev. Timothy B. Johansen David Nichols Florrie Marks Rob Mannix Darcy Mannion Jeanne Daniels Jennifer Pruski Calvin Lawler Sr.





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