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Visiting today? Welcome!

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Notes for Today's Services

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.



FIRST READING: Numbers 13:1-3, 25-33

¹The LORD said to Moses, ²Send men to spy out the land of Canaan, which I am giving to the Israelites; from each of their ancestral tribes you shall send a man, every one a leader among them. ³So Moses sent them from the wilderness of Paran, according to the command of the LORD, all of them leading men among the Israelites. ²⁵At the end of forty days they returned from spying out the land. ²⁶And they came to Moses and Aaron and to all the congregation of the Israelites in the wilderness of Paran, at Kadesh; they brought back word to them and to all the congregation, and showed them the fruit of the land. ²⁷And they told him, "We came to the land to which you sent us; it flows with milk and honey, and this is its fruit. ²⁸Yet the people who live in the land are strong, and the towns are fortified and very large; and besides, we saw the descendants of Anak there. ²⁹The Amalekites live in the land of the Negeb; the Hittites, the Jebusites, and the Amorites live in the hill country; and the Canaanites live by the sea, and along the Jordan." ³⁰But Caleb quieted the people before Moses, and said, "Let us go up at once and occupy it, for we are well able to overcome it." ³¹Then the men who had gone up with him said, "We are not able to go up against this people, for they are stronger than we." ³²So they brought to the Israelites an unfavorable report of the land that they had spied out, saying, "The land that we have gone through as spies is a land that devours its inhabitants; and all the people that we saw in it are of great size. ³³There we saw the Nephilim (the Anakites come from the Nephilim); and to ourselves we seemed like grasshoppers, and so we seemed to them."

> 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



Welcome to Temple Lutheran Church of Havertown. You are not alone.

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.

VBS 2024 CAMP FIRELIGHT





Camp Firelight! August 5-9 9 am – Noon Registration is open!

Campers ages 4-10 Youth Helpers 11+

Adult Volunteers are needed to make this year's VBS a success! Clearance information is available

online. Registration forms are in the back of church or online at **templelutheran.org/vbs**.

KIDS' SUNDAY May 19, 10 AM

Join us for an extra fun Kids' Sunday: Wilderness Escape fille with Crafts, Songs, and Worship!





MUSIC MINISTRIES

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



talents with Temple Lutheran Church! We especially would like to feature soloists/duets/etc. during the summer months (Memorial Day to Labor Day). Please contact our Director of Music Ministries, Florrie Marks, at music@templelutheran.org.

ADULT EDUCATION AT CAFÉ



Sundays at 9 AM

Come enjoy coffee, tea, and delicious treats with meaningful discussions. Every Sunday at 9 am. All are welcome!

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

For Healing and Encouragement: Paul Arata, Susan Bang, Dwin Barger, Brendan Bell, Jack Byers, Mike Carr, Linda Clack, Joan Clarke, Joan Clements, Jane Corso, Mark Davis, Bobbie Delaney, Gordon Dershimer, Declan Devlin, Julie Diehl, Diane Donnely, Jeanne Donofrio, Chase Doyle and Adam, Christie Ennis, Bill Faust, Shane Faust, Kristine Ferguson-Franklin, Michelle Filler, Lois Ann Forgess-Oler, Todd Gasper, Tom Gasper, Evin Gerofsky, Thomas Gibson (Gibby), Greg Hallquist, Roy Hallowell, Florence Homer, Nancy Huxhold, Clay Isakson, Craig Jamgochian, Boyce Johnson, Sylvia Johnson, Gina Kapusniak, Kailyn Kilfoyle, Kim Komar, Louis F. Lamoreux, Calvin Lawler, Jean Long, Madison Lynn, Kevin Mack, Janet Marinari, Wayne Meider, Lino Mescia, Helen Neiser, Betty Pagan, Carmen Palacios, Melissa Rhodes, Jeanne Santarsiero, Chris Smith, Clark Smith, Marty Smith, Merry Snyder, Patricia Snyder, Karen Spangler, Steve Stebleton, Steve, Gaetan Termini, Dick Torti, Diana Valvardi, Steve and Sue Voccola, Lily Walker, Barbara Ward, Philip White, Linda Wilke.





LIFE CENTER MEAL Tuesday, May 14

Sign up today to help this ministry provide a meal to those in need at the Life Center in Upper Darby.

Check out the Signup genius for more information or reach out to Ingrid Burd, ifburd410@gmail.com.

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 Engman</u>
- Use this <u>PayPal link</u> or QR Code







TLC FOOD PANTRY Saturday, May 25, 1-2:30 pm

TLC Food Pantry is open for in-person shopping every 4^{th} Saturday of the month from 1-2:30 pm.

Needs: Peanut Butter, Jelly, tomato products, cereal, snacks, toilet paper, and paper towels

*no glass or expired items

Please reach out to **Bridget McCormack** if interested in being part of this ministry.

SUNDAY SCHOOL



Sunday school for children ages 4-12 is held every Sunday morning at 9 am. Children's music is at 9:40 am with our Director of Music Ministries, Florrie Marks.

TL4C YOUTH GROUP



Teens Living 4 Christ Youth Group meets at 6 pm the first Sunday of the month in the Temple Lutheran Youth Room. All youth in grades 6-12 are welcome!

Next meeting June 2!

Check the bulletin insert for information on a Vacation Raffle! A TLC Mission Partner has generously donated a week's lodging to help with costs for our youth to attend the ELCA 2024 Youth Gathering in New Orleans! Please reach out to Lisa Finley, Pastor Tim, or Darcy Mannion in the office for more information or to pay by check.

ELCA 2024 YOUTH GATHERING FUNDRAISER!

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Vacation Raffle

To support the youth at Temple and Trinity Lutheran Churches and send them to The National Youth Gathering in New Orleans.

You could win a fabulous 7 night vacation package to your choice of one of these amazing destinations.



BRANSON MISSOURI

Stormy Point Village 2 bedroom 2 bath cottage located in a resort styled after a Cape Cod fishing village September through November

NORTH MRYTLE BEACH, NC

Seaside Resort -2 bedroom, 2 bath suite - living room, dining area, kitchen October through November

ORLANDO FLORIDA Silver Lake Resort -

2 bedroom, 2 bath villa - fully equipped kitchen, living room, dining area. July through November.

To Enter, Venmo \$25 to Lisa @Pathways2Potential

Include Raffle, Your Name, and Phone number in the Memo Drawing will be Live Streamed on May 19 at 6:15



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CALENDAR OF REGULAR MEETINGS

Tuesdays	8:30 p.m.	The Oakmont Group [AA Meeting]
	7:15 p.m.	Handbell Choir
Friday	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.	Sunday School / Adult Café
-	9:40 a.m.	Children's Music
	10:00 a.m.	Worship
	11:30 a.m.	Chancel Choir
	6:00 p.m.	Confirmation Class (May 12, 19, 26)
	•	Youth Group (June 2)

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

May

- 5 Wandering Worship Series Begins
- 14 Life Center Meal
- 19 Kids' Sunday
- 25 TLC Food Pantry 1-2:30 pm
- 26 Life After Death Worship Series Begins

Partners in Ministry

Ministers Pe-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 Lisa Finley Calvin Lawler Sr.





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