



# TEMPLE LUTHERAN CHURCH

INCLUSION, SERVICE, COMMUNITY



SEPTEMBER 22, 2024



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**Visiting today?  
Welcome!**

**September 22, 2024**

## **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](http://templelutheran.org).**

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

**HOLY COMMUNION** - We welcome **ALL** 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](mailto:finsecretary@templelutheran.org).

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



## **READING: Ephesians 2:13-22**

<sup>13</sup>But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. <sup>14</sup>For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us. <sup>15</sup>He has abolished the law with its commandments and ordinances, that he might create in himself one new humanity in place of the two, thus making peace, <sup>16</sup>and might reconcile both groups to God in one body through the cross, thus putting to death that hostility through it. <sup>17</sup>So he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near; <sup>18</sup>for through him both of us have access in one Spirit to the Father. <sup>19</sup>So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, <sup>20</sup>built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. <sup>21</sup>In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; <sup>22</sup>in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling place for God.

### **Need to contact the Pastor?**

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



# WELCOME UNCONDITIONALLY



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501 Brookline Blvd, Havertown  
presents

## WURSTFEST

Bratwurst,  Chorizo   
Chicken-Cheese-Parsley

Saturday, September 28, 2024  
2-7 PM

**Order Here**

Cooked or Uncooked  
Dine in or Take out



### WURSTFEST 2024

Saturday, September 28 from 2-7 pm

Bratwurst with sauerkraut, Chorizo tacos, and Chicken-Cheese-Parsley sausage with peppers and onions as well as hotdogs for kids.

Pre Order today at [www.templelutheran.org/wurstfest](http://www.templelutheran.org/wurstfest)

Reach out to **Rob Mannix** if you are an adult looking to help with food prep or day of help.

Youth reach out to TL4C Leader **Jenn Pruski** if you are interested in working this event!



# WORSHIP FULLY

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School this year will take place during worship. Families will begin worship together. After the Sermon on the Steps, children will be dismissed to the Sunday School room. They will return to the sanctuary at communion. If

you are interested in teaching or helping some or all Sundays, please contact Lisa Finley or the office. Older youth are also encouraged to help!



## 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, Dwin Barger, Brendan Bell, Bruce Burchell, Jack Byers, Mike Carr, Joan Clarke, Jane Corso, Mark Davis, Dawn, 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 Forgett-Oler, Todd Gasper, Tom Gasper, Evin Gerofsky, Thomas Gibson (Gibby), Greg Hallquist, Roy Hollowell, Florence Homer, Clay Isakson, Cari Isakson, Craig Jamgochian, Boyce Johnson, Sylvia Johnson, Gina Kapusniak, Kailyn Kilfoyle, Kim Komar, Louis F. Lamoreux, Jean Long, Madison Lynn, Kevin Mack, Bob M., Helen M., Salvino Marra, 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, Gaetan Termini, Dick Torti, Diana Valvardi, Steve and Sue Voccola, Lily Walker, Barbara Ward, Philip White, and Linda Wilke.



# LIVE GENEROUSLY

## RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

**Monday, November 11**

**2:00 – 7:00 p.m.**

**Fellowship Hall at TLC**

Urgent Call for Blood

Donations! We've added an extra date—sign up to give blood today by scanning or clicking the QR code!



Scan to schedule an appointment.

## 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 [Celia Engman](#)
- Use this [PayPal link](#) or QR Code

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# CELEBRATE GROWTH

## TL4C YOUTH GROUP



Calling all 6-12<sup>th</sup> Graders! Youth Group activities and service projects are in the works! Next Youth Group meeting will be held at Trinity Lutheran on October 6 @ 6 pm.

**10/6** – TL4C at Trinity Lutheran - 6 pm.

**10/18** – Bates Motel Night

Join us for a spooky night on October 18th in Glen Mills at 7pm. We will do the haunted hayride and 2 other attractions. The cost is \$45 and all are welcome! To RSVP, email Jenn Pruski

**10/26** – Halloween Pancake Breakfast at Trinity

**10/27** – Temple Lutheran Confirmation Sunday  
(Wear Red for Reformation)

**11/3** – Youth Group

**12/1** - Eagles/Ravens Watch Party (4:25 at Trinity)

- Upcoming events to sign up for are Tuscarora (April 4-6), and ASP Appalachia Service Project (June 22-28)

<https://asphome.org>

Contact Youth Leader Jennifer Pruski at [jennerpruski@gmail.com](mailto:jennerpruski@gmail.com) for more information on TL4C or any of the events listed above.

## TLC FOOD PANTRY



**Saturday, September 28, 1-2:30 pm**

TLC Food Pantry is open for in-person shopping every 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month from 1-2:30 pm.

**Needs:** Applesauce, Coffee, Cereal, Pudding and Jello Cups, Dish Soap, and Laundry Detergent

**\*no glass or expired items\***

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

## CALENDAR OF REGULAR MEETINGS

Tuesdays	8:30 p.m.	The Oakmont Group [AA Meeting]
	7:15 p.m.	Handbell Choir (Resumes Sept. 17 <sup>th</sup> !)
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.	Adult Café
	10:00 a.m.	Worship
	11:15 a.m.	Chancel Choir
	6:00 p.m.	TL4C Youth Group (Oct. 6, Nov. 3, Dec. 1)

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

<b>September</b>	<b>28</b>	TLC Food Pantry 1-2:30 pm
	<b>28</b>	WURSTFEST 2-7 pm
<b>October</b>	<b>6</b>	Blessing of the Animals
	<b>6</b>	TL4C Youth Group 6 pm @ Trinity Lutheran
	<b>13</b>	30 Year Handbell Re-Dedication
	<b>26</b>	TLC Food Pantry
	<b>27</b>	Reformation Sunday

## Partners in Ministry

Ministers	People of Temple Lutheran Church
Pastor	The Rev. Timothy B. Johansen
Congregation Council President	David Nichols
Director of Music Ministries	Florrie Marks
Director of Discipleship	Rob Mannix
Parish Administrator	Darcy Mannion
Director of Sunday School	Jeanne Daniels
Youth Minister	Lisa Finley
Sexton	Calvin Lawler Sr.



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