

JUNE 23, 2024
"POWER OF PRAYER"



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CELEBRATE GROWTH

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Havertown, PA 19083 —
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**Visiting today?
Welcome!**

June 23, 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.

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.

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



FIRST READING: James 5:13-18

¹³Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. ¹⁴Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. ¹⁵The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven. ¹⁶Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. ¹⁷Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. ¹⁸Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest.

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 6:5-8

⁵"And whenever you pray, do not be like the hypocrites; for they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, so that they may be seen by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward. ⁶But whenever you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you. ⁷"When you are praying, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do; for they think that they will be heard because of their many words. ⁸Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

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 UNCONDITIONALLY

**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

**August 5-9
9 am - Noon**

Registration is open!
Campers ages 4-10
Youth Helpers 11+



Vacation Bible School 2024



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.

ADULT EDUCATION AT CAFÉ



Sundays at 9 AM

Café continues through the summer!

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

All are welcome!

TLC FOOD PANTRY



Saturday, July 27, 1-2:30 pm

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

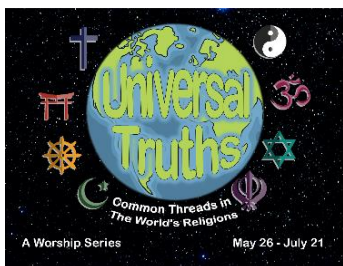
Needs: Peanut Butter, Jelly, tomato products, cereal, snacks, toilet paper, and paper towels

no glass or expired items

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



WORSHIP FULLY



NEW WORSHIP SERIES

May 26 – July 21

Join us Sundays at 10 a.m. for a new worship series **Universal Truths: Common threads in the World's Religions**. Inspired by Rainn Wilson's book *Soul Boom* this series will celebrate the 10 common beliefs that exist across all world religions.

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.



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

For Healing and Encouragement: Paul Arata, Susan Bang, Dwin Barger, Brendan Bell, Jack Byers, Mike Carr, Linda Clack, Joan Clarke, Jane Corso, Mark Davis, Bobbie Delaney, Gordon Dershimer, Declan Devlin, Julie Diehl, Diane Donnely, Jeanne Donofrio, Chase Doyle and Adam, Christie Ennis, Korinne Faulkner, Bill Faust, Shane Faust, Kristine Ferguson-Franklin, Michelle Filler, Lois Ann Forges-Oler, Todd Gasper, Tom Gasper, Evin Gerofsky, Thomas Gibson (Gibby), Greg Hallquist, Matt H., Roy Hallowell, Florence Homer, Clay Isakson, Cari Isakson, Dana Isakson, Craig Jamgochian, Boyce Johnson, Sylvia Johnson, Gina Kapusniak, Kailyn Kilfoyle, Kim Komar, Louis F. Lamoreux, Calvin Lawler, Jean Long, Madison Lynn, Kevin Mack, 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, Steve Stebleton, Steve, Gaetan Termini, Dick Torti, Diana Valvardi, Steve and Sue Voccola, Lily Walker, Barbara Ward, Philip White, and Linda Wilke.



LIVE GENEROUSLY



LIFE CENTER MEAL

Tuesday, July 9

Sign up today to help this ministry provide a meal to those at the Life Center in Upper Darby. More items have been added for this summer date! Check out the Signup genius for more information or reach out to Ingrid Burd, ifburd410@gmail.com.



DID YOU KNOW that **thrivent**, a financial services organization, provides fraternal benefits to members that can financially directly impact the missions of Temple Lutheran Church as well as other nonprofit organizations?

Please contact **Maureen O’Ryan** or **Pastor Tim** if you have any questions about **THRIVENT, THRIVENT ACTION TEAMS** and **THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS**, and you are also welcome to contact **Michael Ghelardi**, the Thrivent Financial representative assigned to Temple.

CHRISTMAS IN JULY July 28 @ 10 AM



Bring in supplies needed by **Fostering Hope** to make Bags of Hope or order off the amazon link found below.

Fostering Hope is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit that offers wrap around services to foster families and

children in Southeastern PA. The items gifted will fill the Bags of Hope that are distributed to foster families when they receive a new placement.

<https://www.amazon.com/registries/gl/guest-view/1PX0OYZ1SZHA1>



CELEBRATE GROWTH



PRIDE WORSHIP

June 23, 2024
4 p.m.

Schaeffer-Ashmead
Memorial Chapel
7301 Germantown Ave
Philadelphia, PA 19119

**A service of Holy
Communion including a
time of sharing brief
stories, individual
prayer, and anointing.**



**Fellowship will
follow worship.**

WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEAD OR
HELP PLAN THE SERVICE, PLEASE
EMAIL DELCODEANS@GMAIL.COM

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Communion including a time of
sharing brief stories, individual
prayer, and anointing.
Fellowship after.

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

Give Through PayPal



CALENDAR OF REGULAR MEETINGS

Tuesdays	8:30 p.m.	The Oakmont Group [AA Meeting]
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

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	26	Universal Truths Worship Series Begins
July	9	Life Center Meal
	27	TLC Food Pantry
	28	Christmas in July
August	5-9	Camp Firelight VBS Week
	11	VBS Sunday
	18	New Worship Series
	24	TLC Food Pantry
September	15	Rally Day!

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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