



TEMPLE
LUTHERAN
CHURCH



JUNE 14, 2026
3RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



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WELCOME UNCONDITIONALLY	WORSHIP FULLY
LIVE GENEROUSLY	CELEBRATE GROWTH

**Visiting today?
Welcome!**

June 14, 2026 Notes for Today's Service

We hope that you will be able to join 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.



OLD TESTAMENT READING: GENESIS 45:1-15

¹ Then Joseph could no longer control himself before all those who stood by him, and he cried out, "Send everyone away from me." So no one stayed with him when Joseph made himself known to his brothers. ² And he wept so loudly that the Egyptians heard it, and the household of Pharaoh heard it. ³ Joseph said to his brothers, "I am Joseph. Is my father still alive?" But his brothers could not answer him, so dismayed were they at his presence. ⁴ Then Joseph said to his brothers, "Come closer to me." And they came closer. He said, "I am your brother, Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. ⁵ And now do not be distressed or angry with yourselves because you sold me here, for God sent me before you to preserve life. ⁶ For the famine has been in the land these two years, and there are five more years in which there will be neither plowing nor harvest. ⁷ God sent me before you to preserve for you a remnant on earth and to keep alive for you many survivors. ⁸ So it was not you who sent me here but God; he has made me a father to Pharaoh and lord of all his house and ruler over all the land of Egypt. ⁹ Hurry and go up to my father and say to him, 'Thus says your son Joseph, God has made me lord of all Egypt; come down to me; do not delay. ¹⁰ You shall settle in the land of Goshen, and you shall be near me, you and your children and your children's children, as well as your flocks, your herds, and all that you have. ¹¹ I will provide for you there, since there are five more years of famine to come, so that you and your household and all that you have will not come to poverty.' ¹² And now your eyes and the eyes of my brother Benjamin see that it is my own mouth that speaks to you. ¹³ You must tell my father how greatly I am honored in Egypt and all that you have seen. Hurry and bring my father down here." ¹⁴ Then he fell upon his brother Benjamin's neck and wept, while Benjamin wept upon his neck. ¹⁵ And he kissed all his brothers and wept upon them, and after that his brothers talked with him.



WELCOME UNCONDITIONALLY

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



A special welcome to Violet Marilyn Van Batavia who will be baptized today! Her parents are Jason and Andrea Van Batavia. Violet's siblings are Oliver, Carter, Hudson, and Lincoln. Her sponsors are Scott and Nicole Jackson.

Each of us is a child of God, made in the image of God. Together, we create a diverse community of people who strive to share the love of Christ and to do God's work in the world.

Temple Lutheran Church commits to anti-racism, anti-sexism, anti-genderism, anti-classism, and anti-ableism because of our love of Jesus Christ and his work in our world.

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.



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



WORSHIP FULLY



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.



BIBLE STUDY

Every other Monday, 6/15, 6/29, 7/13, etc.

7:00 – 8:30 pm, Conference Room

Come as you are and grow in faith with friends. Each week, we explore scripture together, ask questions, and discover how God's Word connects with our daily lives. Whether you're new to Bible study or have been part of many, there's a place for you at the table!



SPIRITUAL DIRECTION GROUP

Meets every other Monday 6/22, 7/6, etc.

7 pm, Youth Room

TLC's Spiritual Direction Group offers a welcoming space to listen, share, and grow in faith. Questions? Rob Mannix @ robmannix@gmail.com.



TL4C YOUTH GROUP

Youth in grades 6-12

MIDDLE & HIGH Schoolers

Regular monthly meetings will resume in September. Continue to read your TL4C emails! More information? Contact Jennifer Pruski, TLC's Youth Minister at TL4Cyouthleader@gmail.com.

MUSIC MINISTRIES



Do you like to sing or play an instrument? 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.



LIVE GENEROUSLY



TLC FOOD PANTRY

Saturday, June 27 1-2:30 pm

Open every 4th Saturday of the month from 1-2:30 pm.

Donations needed for the June 27th Service Day:

Canned Chicken	Canned Salmon
Rice	Cereal
Dish Soap	Laundry Detergent

Please remember the Food Pantry when you go food shopping and pick up something you can drop in our bins.

We do not accept glass or expired items for the safety of our patrons and volunteers.

HELP NEEDED - INVENTORY

Help is needed to bring in donations from the bins and label.

For more information, contact Joe Mittleman at jjmittleman@gmail.com.

TL4C PITTSBURGH SERVANT TRIP



August 12-16

TL4C will be going to Pittsburgh in August! Together with PLUM (Pittsburgh Lutheran United Ministries) the youth and leaders, Pastor Tim and Jenn Pruski, will partake in a different service project

each morning and have time to explore the city each afternoon. Please pray for our youth and their leaders, and consider contributing to help send the youth on this amazing and faith filled opportunity!

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

September 23, 1-6 pm

Fellowship Hall

Sign up to give blood on September 23rd in Fellowship Hall. Contact Kristy Burko at kmburko@gmail.com or Larry Passmore, LarryPassmore@gmail.com, for more information.



Scan to schedule an appointment.



CELEBRATE GROWTH



TLAC WOODER ICE WEDNESDAYS

July 1, 15, 29 & August 19

6:30 – 7:30 PM

Come join us at Pop's in Havertown! We'll treat you to water ice with conversation and a craft! All generations welcome!



ROB KLIMCZAK RETIREMENT CELEBRATION

July 5, 2026, 10 AM

Worship with BBQ to follow.

LIFE CENTER MEAL

Tuesday, July 14, 2026

Sign up to make meatloaf, donate items needed, prep the food, or serve at the Life Center in Upper Darby on July 14, 2026. For more information on this ministry, reach out to Ingrid at ifurd410@gmail.com.



TLC'S VBS 2026: EMERALD CROSSING An Irish Adventure Through Psalm 23

August 3-7, 9am-Noon

August 9 – VBS SUNDAY

Campers ages 4-10 yrs

Youth Helpers 11-17 yrs

Adult Helpers 18+

Registration is open! Email the church with any questions. More information at TempleLutheran.org/vbs.

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



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

For Healing and Encouragement: Lexi Amici, Paula Andrade, Spiros Angelos, Susan Best, Jack Byers, Joan Clarke, Linda Cohen, Pat Colflesh, Coralisha and family, Jane Corso, Bobbie Delaney, Julie Diehl, Diane Donnelly, Jeanne Donofrio, Michelle Filler, Lois Ann Forgress-Oler, Margie Gallagher, Kelly Gallagher, Michael Gallagher, Susan Gallagher and family, Gary, Roger Gasper, Todd Gasper, Evin Gerofsky, Thomas Gibson (Gibby), Roy Hallowell, Greg Hallquist, Elizabeth Haslam, Florence Homer, Nicholas Hughes, Boyce Johnson, Cheryl Johnson, Melissa Johnson, Em Johnston, Cindy Jones, Chris Keislar, Kailyn Kilfoyle, Calvin Lawler, Jean Long, Bernadette Luciani and TJ, Lori Lutz, Lisa McCullen, Marty Mannion, Susie Margarite and family, Janet Marinari, Tricia McGee, Wayne Meider, Lino Mescia, Justin Messina, Cadence Monroe, Jane Mooney, Helen Neiser, Eliana Nicholson, Kate Osborn, Carmen Palacios, Tonya Parker, Toni Rossi, Gary Routzahn, Mel Shralow, Brian Sinclair, Chris Smith, Merry Snyder, Patricia Snyder, Karen Spangler, Phil Strybuc, Chaplain Dr. Eileen Teel, Dick Torti, Steve and Sue Voccola, Lily Walker, Barbara Ward, Betsy West, Philip White, Leah Wilhjelm, Linda Wilke, and Chloe Gorby Zarko.

CALENDAR OF REGULAR MEETINGS

Mondays	7:00 p.m.	Spiritual Direction Group (6/22, 7/6, etc.)
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Tuesdays	8:30 p.m.	The Oakmont Group [AA Meeting]
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
	8:15 a.m. & 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

June	15	Bible Study
	22	Spiritual Direction Group
	27	TLC Food Pantry
	29	Bible Study
July	1	Wooder Ice Wednesday
	5	Rob Klimczak's Retirement Celebration
	14	Life Center Meal
	15	Wooder Ice Wednesdays
	24	TLC Food Pantry
	26	Christmas in July
August	3-7	VBS Week – Emerald Crossing
	9	VBS Sunday
	12-16	TL4C Pittsburgh Service Trip

Partners in Ministry

Ministers	People of Temple Lutheran Church
Pastor	The Rev. Timothy B. Johansen
Congregation Council President	Amy Mensch
Director of Music Ministries	Florrie Marks
Director of Discipleship	Rob Mannix
Office Administrator	Darcy Mannion
Director of Sunday School	Jeanne Daniels
Youth Minister	Jennifer Pruski
Custodian	Delaney Mannion



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