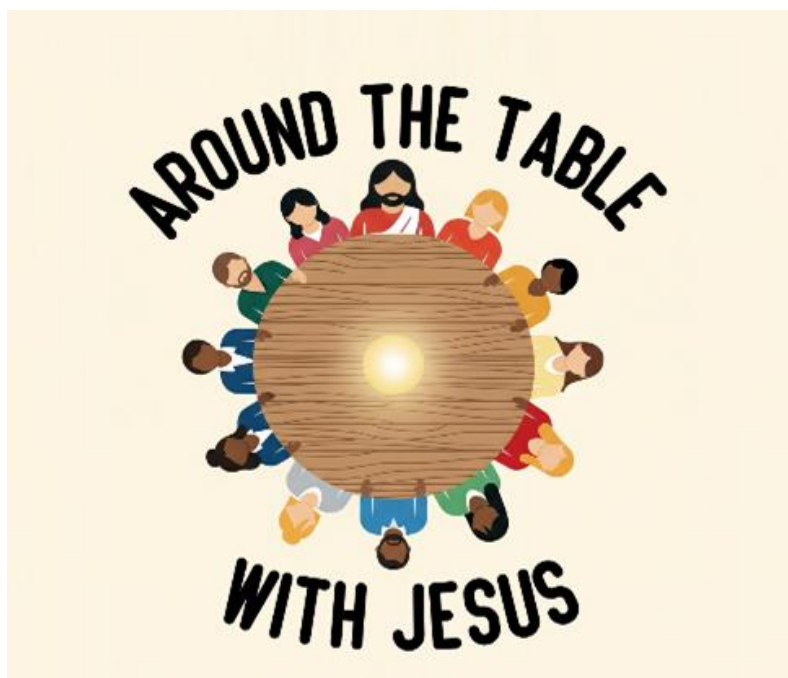




TEMPLE LUTHERAN CHURCH

INCLUSION, SERVICE, COMMUNITY



SEPTEMBER 7, 2025

13TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



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CELEBRATE GROWTH

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

September 7, 2025

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.



GOSPEL READING: John 13:1-17

¹ Now before the festival of the Passover, Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart from this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. ² The devil had already decided that Judas son of Simon Iscariot would betray Jesus. And during supper ³ Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands and that he had come from God and was going to God, ⁴ got up from supper, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. ⁵ Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was tied around him. ⁶ He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, are you going to wash my feet?" ⁷ Jesus answered, "You do not know now what I am doing, but later you will understand." ⁸ Peter said to him, "You will never wash my feet." Jesus answered, "Unless I wash you, you have no share with me." ⁹ Simon Peter said to him, "Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!" ¹⁰ Jesus said to him, "One who has bathed does not need to wash, except for the feet, but is entirely clean. And you are clean, though not all of you." ¹¹ For he knew who was to betray him; for this reason he said, "Not all of you are clean." ¹² After he had washed their feet, had put on his robe, and had reclined again, he said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you? ¹³ You call me Teacher and Lord, and you are right, for that is what I am. ¹⁴ So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. ¹⁵ For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you. ¹⁶ Very truly, I tell you, slaves are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them. ¹⁷ If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them.



WELCOME UNCONDITIONALLY



RALLY DAY

September 14

Carnival @ 9 AM, Worship @ 10 AM

Celebrate the end of summer break for our Music and Sunday School Ministries with a carnival and worship!

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

For Healing and Encouragement: Paula Andrade, Paul Arata, Margaret Barger, Jack Byers, Mike Carr, Joan Clarke, Linda Cohen, Jane Corso, 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 Forgeess-Oler, Kelly Gallagher, Michael Gallagher Jr., Roger Gasper, Todd Gasper, Evin Gerofsky, Thomas Gibson (Gibby), Roy Hallowell, Greg Hallquist, Florence Homer, Clay Isakson, Craig Jamgochian, Boyce Johnson, Em Johnston, Gina Kapusniak, Kailyn Kilfoyle, Kim Komar, Louis F. Lamoreux, Calvin Lawler, Jean Long, Lori Lutz, Madison Lynn, Susie Margarite and family, Salvino Marra, Janet Marinari, Wayne Meider, Lino Mescia, Cadence Monroe, Helen Neiser, Betty Pagan, Carmen Palacios, Tonya Parker, Pat Rhodes, Jeanne Santarsiero, Chris Smith, Clark Smith, Merry Snyder, Patricia Snyder, Karen Spangler, Derick Spence, Phil Strybuc, Gaetan Termini, Dick Torti, Steve and Sue Voccola, Lily Walker, Barbara Ward, Philip White, Linda Wilke, and Chloe Gorby Zarko.



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MUSIC MINISTRIES



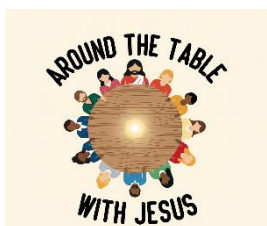
If you sing or play an instrument, we would love for you to share your talents with Temple Lutheran Church! Handbells and Chancel Choir start up soon!

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

AROUND THE TABLE WITH JESUS

New Sermon Series

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| 9/7 | Footwashing |
| 9/14 | Dining with Sinners |
| 9/21 | Woman Anoints Jesus' Head |



SUNDAY SCHOOL RESUMES SEPTEMBER 14th!



Sunday School will resume September 14th! That is Rally Day, so come early for the carnival at 9 am! Children attending Sunday School will be dismissed from church after the Sermon on the Steps and return for communion.

ADULT EDUCATION AT CAFÉ



Sundays at 9 AM

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



LIVE GENEROUSLY

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Thursday, September 25

2-7 pm

Fellowship Hall

Reach out to Kristy Burko

kmburko@gmail.com or

Larry Passmore

LarryPassmore@gmail.com

for more information.



Scan to schedule
an appointment.

LIFE CENTER MEAL



Life Center March 2024



September 9

Sign up to donate food, items,
or your time. Click on or scan
the QR code for the sign-up
genius.

GIVING TO TEMPLE

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





CELEBRATE GROWTH

TLC FOOD PANTRY

Saturday, September 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: Laundry Detergent, Dishwashing Liquid, Paper Towels, Toilet Paper, Peanut Butter, Coffee, and

snacks

no glass or expired items

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

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION GROUP

Meets every other Monday

9/15, 9/29, etc. @ 7 pm

**September meetings will be at Mike and Lisa Schneller's Home
120 Wilson Ave., Havertown**



TLC's Spiritual Direction Group offers a welcoming space to listen, share, and grow in faith together. New faces welcome anytime!

Questions? Rob Mannix @ robmannix@gmail.com.



TL4C YOUTH GROUP

September 7th

5:30 pm @ Temple

Dinner provided at the meeting!

Youth in grades 6-12 are welcome to participate in TL4C. Led by Temple's

Youth Minister Jenn Pruski, youth get together to build faith through service projects, games, dinners, and fun! Meetings are first Sunday of the month!

Email Jenn Pruski @ TL4CYouthLeader@gmail.com for more info!

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

Mondays	7:00 p.m.	Spiritual Direction Group (9/15, 9/29, etc.)
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
	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

September	7	God's Work. Our Hands. Sunday
	7	Tl4C Youth Group 5:30 pm (dinner included)
	9	Life Center Meal
	14	Rally Day! 9 am Carnival, 10 am Worship
	15	Spiritual Direction Group
	27	TLC Food Pantry
	29	Spiritual Direction Group
October	5	Blessing of the Animals
	13	Spiritual Direction Group

Partners in Ministry

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



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