

Parish Post for the Week of June 30th – July 6th, 2024

Greetings everyone!

Thankful for 281 Years!

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost – Worship Service at 10:00 am
Service led by: St Peter's Lutheran Church – Chester Springs

Upcoming:

Joint Service at St. Peters – **June 30th – 10am**

Independence Day! – **July 4th**

ELCA Youth Trip – **July 14th – 21st**

Pastor Taylor's Ordination! – **July 27th**

Spring City Pantry

The Pantry is now open on **Wednesdays 5:00-6:30pm & Thursdays 10:30am-Noon**

Thank you to all who continue to fill the shopping cart.

Please be mindful that we cannot distribute outdated, previously opened or unlabeled products.

Don't forget to add shelf-stable milk for cereal; pasta sauce for noodles; bread for pb & j!

Worship Assistants

The sign-up for Assistant Minister + Lay Reader is on the table in the Narthex – dates are open until August.

**On June 30th, Morning Service will be at 10am
at St. Peter's in Chester Springs!** (1239 Clover Mill Rd, Chester Springs, 19425)

There will be fellowship, worship and a picnic!

**Zion will NOT be hosting services that day –
please attend the joint service instead!**

Greetings from the Music Director:

There's a Hymn Request form on the table in the Narthex – if you'd like to have one of your favorites played during service, let us know!

For July & August, we'll have some SPECIAL Sundays!

The Themes of some of the Time After Pentecost will be:

July 14th – Prayer Sunday

July 28th – River Sunday

August 11th – Amazing Grace Sunday

August 25th – Hymn Request

Sunday If you have any hymns that you'd like to contribute to any of the above dates, please feel free to let Erin or Lori know, so they can be included!

Bible Readings for the Week – 6th Sunday after Pentecost

Monday	Leviticus 21:1-15	Dead bodies are unclean
Tuesday	Leviticus 15:19-31	Bleeding women are unclean
Wednesday	Mark 9:14-29	Jesus heals a child
Thursday	2 Kings 20:1-11	God heals Hezekiah
Friday	2 Corinthians 7:2-16	Grief leads to repentance
Saturday	Psalms 88	Prayer for restoration

 Friends of Bill W. meet in our Fellowship Hall every **Monday** evening at **7pm**.

Christ in our Home for August, September and October are now available.
Your book will also include an envelope for payment for the next year.
Please submit payment, \$6.00 per copy, as soon as possible.

Redners Tapes/Receipts

Just a reminder, we're accepting Redners Receipts (we get a percent of total submitted!) – you can put them in the white drawer box under the Office window.

 In order to get Pastor Taylor oriented to the community, she needs to know how to reach you! Please send Erin your current contact information (name, phone number + email; and birthday/anniversary if you'd like it to be mentioned) so we have it at the church. This information will be kept private and confidential.

White Water Rafting!

On July 28th, members will be braving the wild waters of the Poconos! If you're into adventuring + fun fellowship – there's a signup in the Narthex.

- Please sign up by July 2nd, any questions, let Shawn know.

 You are invited to Pastor Taylor's ordination at **11 am** on **Saturday, July 27th**, right here at Zion! Ordination is a once-in-a-lifetime event for a minister, in which they are welcomed into the ministry of the global church and allowed to wear a stole as a sign of God's calling. In this service we'll be led by the Bishop and joined by other faith leaders from across our synod and the broader church. Afterwards there will be a celebratory reception. We hope to see you there! – Please sign up in the Narthex if you expect to attend.