

Harrold Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

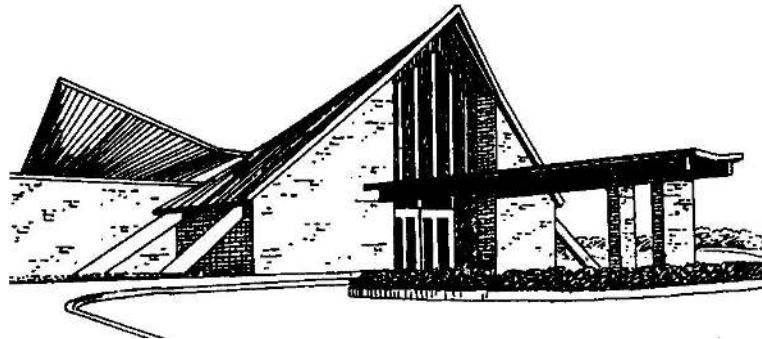
Pentecost 4

Sunday, July 3, 2022 – 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Harrold Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

724-837-7327

www.harroldzion.org



WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP!

- **It is a joy to welcome our visitors!** Please sign the guest book in the Communication Center at the rear of the church, to the right as you exit, and take a Welcome Packet which is filled with information about Harrold Zion. Please introduce yourself to the pastors as you leave worship. We hope you return soon!
- **Children's bulletins** are available in the Narthex.
- **There is a prayer request book** on a podium in the Welcome Center. Please write name(s) in the book prior to the service to have names included in the prayers.
- **Large print bulletins** are available from any usher for those needing them.
- **Hearing devices** are available from any usher for those needing them.
- **Receiving Holy Communion** - We believe the body and blood of Christ to be present in the bread and wine. All who are baptized are invited to share in this meal. Please come forward at the usher's direction. Non-communing children may come forward for a blessing. If you desire communion in the pew, please inform one of the ushers so that you may receive communion there.

Pentecost 4

Sunday, July 3, 2022 – 8:00 & 10:30 AM

**Indicates standing, as able*

WELCOME

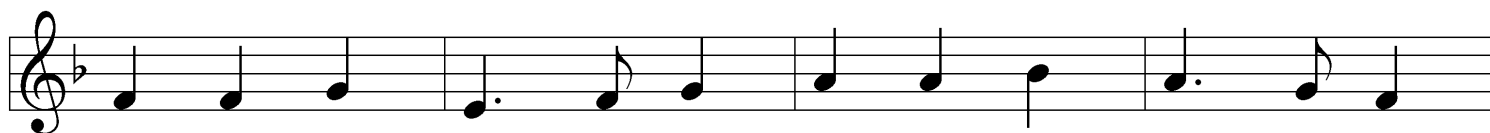
PRELUDE

God and The Nation

Scriveyner

*The Gathering Hymn

My Country 'Tis of Thee



1 My coun - try, 'tis of thee, sweet land of lib - er - ty,
2 My na - tive coun - try, thee, land of the no - ble free,
3 Let mu - sic swell the breeze, and ring from all the trees
4 Our fa - thers' God, to thee, au - thor of lib - er - ty,



of thee I sing: land where my fa - thers died, land of the
thy name I love; I love thy rocks and rills, thy woods and
sweet free - dom's song; let mor - tal tongues a - wake; let all that
to thee we sing: long may our land be bright with free - dom's



pil - grims' pride, from ev - 'ry moun - tain - side let free - dom ring.
tem - pled hills; my heart with rap - ture thrills like that a - bove.
breathe par - take; let rocks their si - lence break, the sound pro - long.
ho - ly light. Pro - tect us by thy might, great God, our king.

Text: Samuel F. Smith, 1808–1895

Music: NATIONAL ANTHEM, *Thesaurus Musicus*, London, 1744

*The Greeting

P. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C. And also with you.

P. You are the treasured people of the Lord,

C. a people holy to the Lord our God.

P. Keep the words of the Lord in your heart; teach them to your children.

C. Talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise.

P. One does not live by bread alone,

C. but by every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord.



*The Scripture Song



☐ Sal-va-tion be-longs to our God and to Christ the Lamb for-ev-er and ev - er.



☐ Great and won-der-ful are your deeds, O God of the u-ni-verse;



just and true are your ways, O Rul - er of all the na-tions.



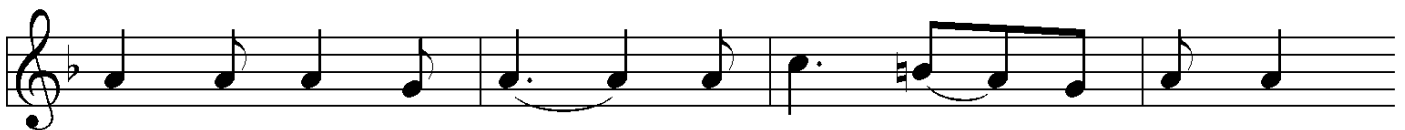
Who can fail to hon-or you, Lord, and sing the glo-ry of your name?



☐ Sal-va-tion be-longs to our God and to Christ the Lamb for-ev-er and ev - er.



☐ For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One. All



na - tions will draw near and wor - ship be - fore you,



for your just and ho - ly works have been re - vealed.



☐ Sal-va-tion be-longs to our God and to Christ the Lamb for-ev-er and ev - er.

*The Salutation and Prayer of the Day

P. Let us pray. O God, the Father of our Lord Jesus, you are the city that shelters us, the mother who comforts us. With your Spirit accompany us on our life's journey, that we may spread your peace in all the world, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **C. Amen.**

Children's Message

The First Lesson: Isaiah 66:10-14

Those who returned from the exile found that the hopes for the glorious restoration of Judah were not completely fulfilled. For these disappointed people, the prophet envisions salvation in the image of a nursing woman. Mother Jerusalem and a mothering God remind the community how they are sustained and supported.

¹⁰Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her—¹¹that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast; that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious bosom.

¹²For thus says the LORD: I will extend prosperity to her like a river, and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream; and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm, and dandled on her knees. ¹³As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem.

¹⁴You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice; your bodies shall flourish like the grass; and it shall be known that the hand of the LORD is with his servants, and his indignation is against his enemies.

The word of the Lord. **C. Thanks be to God.**

The Psalm: Psalm 66:1-9

¹Be joyful in God, all you lands; be joyful, all the earth.

²**Sing the glory of God's name; sing the glory of God's praise.**

³Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!

Because of your great strength your enemies cringe before you.

⁴**All the earth bows down before you,
sings to you, sings out your name."**

⁵Come now and see the works of God,
how awesome are God's deeds toward all people.

⁶**God turned the sea into dry land, so that they went through the
water on foot, and there we rejoiced in God.**

⁷Ruling forever in might, God keeps watch over the nations;
let no rebels exalt themselves.

⁸Bless our God, you peoples; let the sound of praise be heard.

⁹Our God has kept us among the living
and has not allowed our feet to slip.

The Second Lesson: Galatians 6:[1-6] 7-16

In the close of his letter to the Galatians, Paul encourages them to live as people made right with God through faith in Jesus Christ. Here Paul offers practical advice about how believers exercise common concern for one other in “the family of faith.”

[¹My friends, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. ²Bear one another’s burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. ³For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. ⁴All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbor’s work, will become a cause for pride. ⁵For all must carry their own loads.

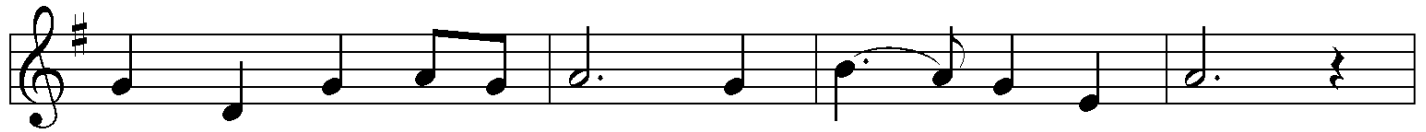
⁶Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher.]

⁷Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. ⁸If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. ⁹So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. ¹⁰So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.

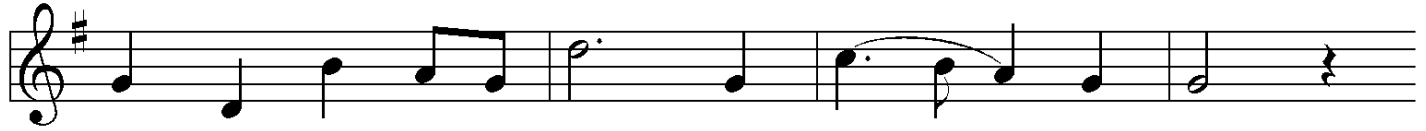
¹¹See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! ¹²It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that try to compel you to be circumcised—only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. ¹³Even the circumcised do not themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. ¹⁴May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. ¹⁵For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything; but a new creation is everything! ¹⁶As for those who will follow this rule—peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God. The word of the Lord.

C. Thanks be to God.

*The Gospel Acclamation



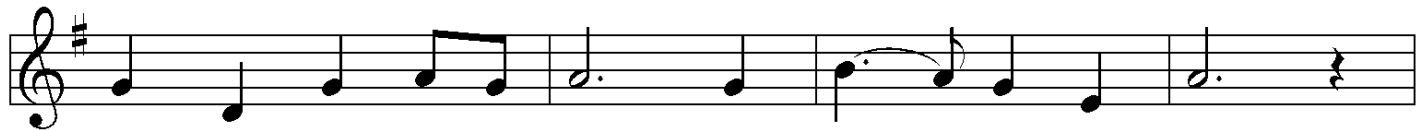
☐ Word of life, Je- sus Christ, all glo - ry to you!



Word of life, Je- sus Christ, all praise to you!



Our hearts burn with - in us while you o - pen to us the Scrip - tures.



Word of life, Je- sus Christ, all glo - ry to you!



Word of life, Je- sus Christ, all praise to you!

*The Holy Gospel: Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

Jesus commissions harvesters and laborers to go where he would go and do what he would do. Risking hardship and danger in exchange for the experience of great joy, they offer peace and healing as signs that the reign of God is near.

P. The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the tenth chapter.

C. Glory to you, O Lord.

¹After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. ²He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. ³Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves.

⁴Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road.

⁵Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' ⁶And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not,

it will return to you. ⁷Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. ⁸Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; ⁹cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' ¹⁰But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, ¹¹'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.'

¹⁶"Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me."

¹⁷The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" ¹⁸He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. ¹⁹See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. ²⁰Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven." The Gospel of the Lord.

C. Praise to you, O Christ.

The Sermon

*The Hymn of the Day #663 *Spread, Oh, Spread, Almighty Word*

*The Response to the Word

P. In Christ, you have heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation.

C. We believe in him and are marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit.

P. Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

C. I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

P. Build yourselves up on your most holy faith;

C. pray in the Holy Spirit.

P. Keep yourselves in the love of God;

C. look forward to the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ.

P. If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation:

C. Everything old has passed away; behold, everything has become new!

P. God has given us the ministry of reconciliation. Therefore, let us be reconciled to God and to one another.

Please kneel, as able

P. Gracious God,

C. have mercy on us. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by your Spirit so that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

P. Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **C. Amen.**

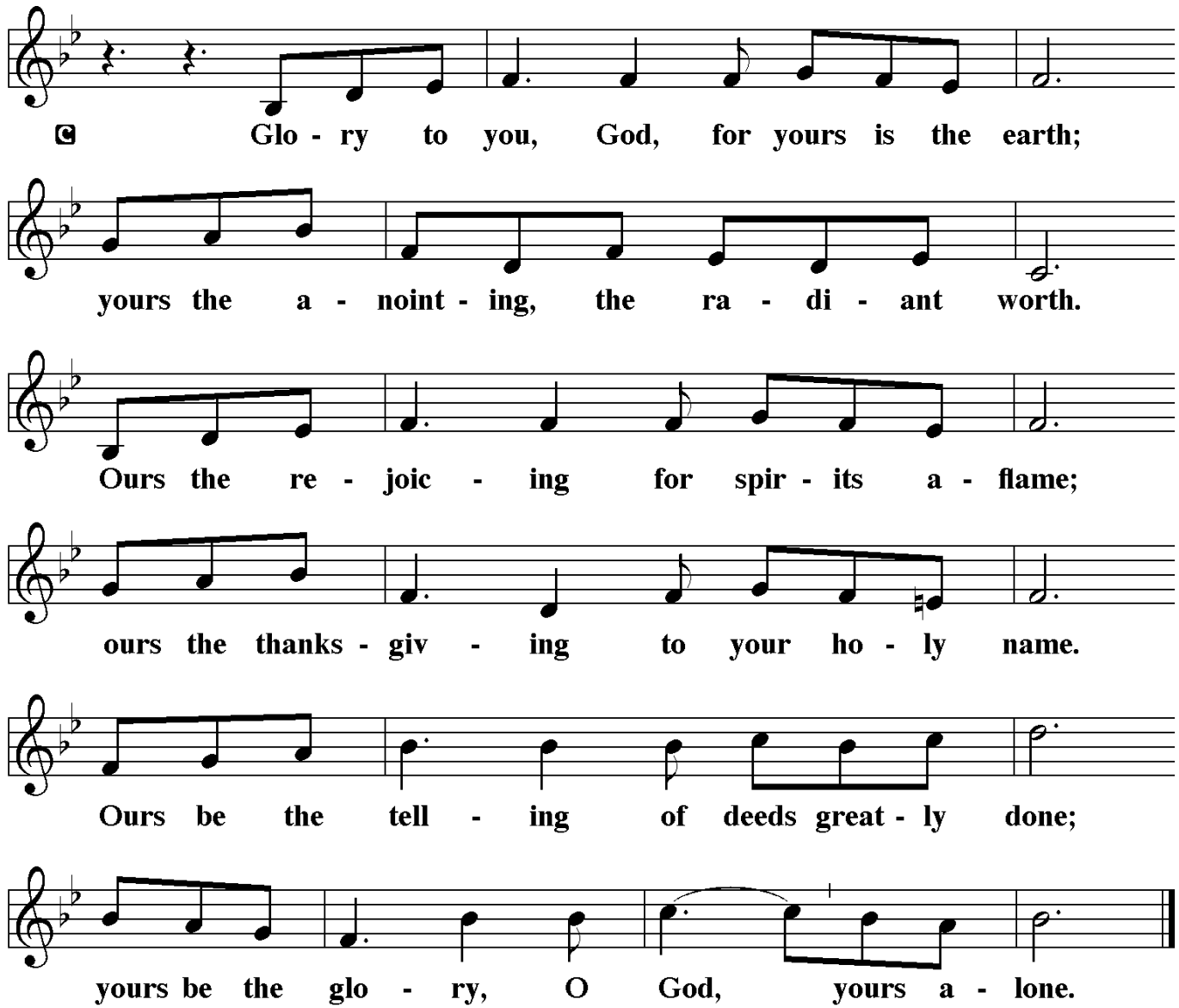
Please rise

*The Sharing of the Peace - Joys & Concerns

*The Offering



*The Offertory



Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;
yours the a - noint - ing, the ra - di - ant worth.
Ours the re - joic - ing for spir - its a - flame;
ours the thanks - giv - ing to your ho - ly name.
Ours be the tell - ing of deeds great - ly done;
yours be the glo - ry, O God, yours a - lone.

*The Offertory Prayer

P. Let us pray. God of abundance: you have set before us a plentiful harvest. As we feast on your goodness, strengthen us to labor in your field, and equip us to bear fruit for the good of all, in the name of Jesus.

C. Amen.

*The Prayers of the Faithful

*The Great Thanksgiving, Proper Preface, and Sanctus

P. The Lord be with you.

C. And also with you.

P. Lift up your hearts.

C. We lift them to the Lord.

P. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C. It is right to give him thanks and praise.

P. It is indeed right and salutary....we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

C. Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might; heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

*The Eucharistic Prayer

*The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

*The Agnus Dei

P. Lamb of God,

C. you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us peace.

Please be seated

The Distribution of the Sacrament

(8:00 & 10:30 AM) Communion Hymns: 462, 574

*The Communion Blessing and Post-Communion Prayer

P. Let us pray. Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy. Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may come to know your love. This we pray in the name of Jesus. **C. Amen.**

*The Announcements

*The Benediction

*The Sending Hymn #890 *Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory*

*Silent Meditation

*The Dismissal

P. Go in peace. Love your neighbor. **C. Thanks be to God.**

Copyright © 2022 Augsburg Fortress. All rights reserved. Reprinted by permission under Augsburg Fortress Liturgies Annual License #SAS006821. New Revised Standard Version Bible, Copyright © 1989, Division of Christian Education of the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the United States of America. Used by permission. All rights reserved. Revised Common Lectionary, Copyright © 1992 Consultation on Common Texts, admin Augsburg Fortress. Used by permission. God and The Nation, One license #1031376. God of Our Fathers, One License #210825. Spread, Oh, Spread, Almighty Word, One License #04089.

Service Participants

Acolytes: 8:00 AM Katelyn Holsopple; 10:30 AM Ella Kanouff

Lectors: 8:00 AM Linda Boyer; 10:30 AM Kelly Perry

Communion Assistants: 8:00 AM Tom Kubenic, Barb Appleby

10:30 AM Missy Houston, Ann Wineman

Ushers: 8:00 AM Bob Eicher, Bill Holtzer

10:30 AM Kirk Heasley, Susan Carolan, Shawn Carolan

Altar Guild: Ann Wineman, Lori Farrell

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR are dedicated to the glory of God and in gratitude for the freedom to worship; in honor of the men and women who died for this country.

THE CONGREGATION EXPRESSES OUR SYMPATHY TO Marge Yates and family on the death of her husband, Dale. May the hope of the resurrection give them peace.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR THE CALL COMMITTEE, Harrold Zion and potential pastoral candidates.

CAN YOU BUY THE CHURCH A CUP OF COFFEE? A cup of coffee? What an odd request! Stay with me...a cup of coffee from a barista averages \$5. If all contributing members donate an extra \$5 each month, the giving will increase more than \$20,000 for the year. Please think about "buying a cup of coffee" for the church.

There are no more trivia questions. The Committee hopes everyone had fun answering them, patiently waited for the answers as they appeared in the Newsletters and are more educated about Harrold Zion. The entire list of questions and answers will be in the 250th Anniversary Celebration booklet. The booklet will be available on July 30th and 31st.

LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR THE 250TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION. If you are able to help on Saturday and/or Sunday the weekend of the celebration, please sign up in the Communication Center.

250th Anniversary

SATURDAY, JULY 30TH

1:00 PM Historical tours of the old churches and other prevalent parts of Harrold Zion's history. Tours will continue until 4:00 PM.

4:30 PM Picnic catered by Conforti's. Donations will be accepted.

Please sign up in the Communication Center if you plan to attend.

5:30 PM Musical entertainment

8:00 PM Outdoor Vesper Service

**Regular 5:00 PM Saturday worship service will continue in the Sanctuary.*

SUNDAY, JULY 31ST

10:00 AM One worship service

12:00 PM Sit-down dinner catered by Elegant Catering. Pre-paid reservations are required by July 17 for the Sunday dinner.

Cost: \$18 per person, payment can be placed in offering plate. Register online at www.harroldzion.org, call the church office or sign up in the Communication Center. A menu for the dinner can be found on the bulletin board above the sign-up sheets.

CELEBRATE IN STYLE WITH THESE 250TH COMMEMORATIVE ITEMS

Golf/polo shirt: Navy with white stitching, adult sizes only. \$32 per shirt.

Tshirt: Gray or Red, available in youth and adult sizes. \$15 per adult shirt and \$10 per youth shirt.

Suncatcher: "Let your light shine" with this beautiful display. \$18 each.

Forms for the above items can be found in the Communication Center. Please place completed form(s) with payment in an envelope and put it in the offering plate or the red box in the Communication Center.

Orders for all items are due July 31.

All fundraisers will help offset the costs of the celebration.

THIS WEEK....

JUNE OFFICE HOURS M-F 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

SUNDAY

9:15 AM Galatians Study
12:00 PM S.H. & Pavilion reserved

MONDAY

Happy Independence Day!
Office Closed
7:00 AM Worship – Holy Communion, St. Thomas, Apostle

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

7:00 AM Communion Service
9:30 AM Staff Meeting

7:00 PM Photography Class

THURSDAY

6:30 PM Council Meeting

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

9:00 AM Men's Breakfast

SUNDAY

9:15 AM Galatians Study
11:45 AM Fellowship Committee
12:00 PM S.H. & Pavilion Reserved

BIBLE STUDY ON GALATIANS - Pastor James will be leading a study on Galatians between the Sunday services the first seven Sundays of summer (June 12-July 24). The reason for Galatians, aside from having six chapters, is that it will be the second lesson for most of those Sundays.

JOIN US FOR A BOOK STUDY! This year, we are planning to gather for a book study, Wednesday, July 13th, 2022, at 6:30-7:30. The book is, "What is the Gospel," by Bishop Kurt F. Kusserow (our synod bishop). We are planning to meet at the Daily Grind. The book is relatively brief, and is meant to get us to think about the Gospel and how our own stories, as well as others, relate to the Gospel. Please contact Pr. Caroline at pastor-carolinehzlc@gmail.com if you plan to attend and if you are interested in more information. The church will provide the book, or if you want to purchase it for an electronic device, it is not expensive. And if you think this could turn into something more, let's discuss it! Note: the July newsletter article is incorrect.

THE LILY PROJECT provides "going home" clothing for patients undergoing forensic examination at Excelsa Hospitals in Latrobe, Mount Pleasant and Greensburg. In order to continue this project, your help is needed to keep inventory levels filled and available for patients. This will be an ongoing collection. Please see the list of items needed, in the Communication Center. Donations can be placed in the bins.

THE QUILTING MINISTRY has been working hard to complete quilts for an upcoming shipment to New Windsor, MD. The quilts will be dedicated during the worship services on July 24 & 25.

THE COLLECTION for “goats” will continue through July 2022 in honor of our 250th anniversary. We have currently raised \$12,158.62 which purchases 243 goats. We still need 7 goats to reach our goal of 250 goats (\$50 per goat), or \$350. To donate toward the purchase of goats for a third-world country, please put your donation in a pew envelope, mark it “goats” and place it in the offering plate. Please make checks payable to Harrold Zion.

LESSONS FOR NEXT WEEKEND: July 9 & 10

First lesson: Deuteronomy 30:9-14

Psalmody: Psalm 25:1-10

Second Lesson: Colossians 1:1-14

Gospel: Luke 10:25-37

LOOKING AHEAD:

- Movie Night – August 19
- Rally Day – September 11
- Game Night – October 14

ITEMS AVAILABLE FOR SPONSORSHIP:

Altar Flowers – July 10,17 (1 vase), July 24 (2 vases)

Bulletin – July 17, 24, 31; Eternal candle – July 17, 24, 31

Reminder: Rose = \$5, Bulletin = \$10, Candle = \$5, Altar Flowers = \$25/vase

To sponsor items, please sign up in the Communication Center.

Church Staff and Office – 724-837-7327

Rev. James West, Interim Senior Pastor PastorJWesthzlc@gmail.com

Rev. Caroline Clifford, PhD, Asst. Pastor pastorcarolinehzlc@gmail.com

Tammy Hilland, Secretary tammyhzlc@gmail.com

Sheri Anderson, Coordinator of Family Ministries hzlc youth@gmail.com

Laurie Racculia, Director of Music Ministries lracculia@yahoo.com

Debby Schlegel, Custodian

Joanne Gebhardt, Sunday Organist

Melanie Altman, Saturday Organist

Website – www.harroldzion.org

Visit us on Facebook