



UNITED PROCLAMATION OF THE GOSPEL:

Light of Christ
St. John's Windish
St. Peter's

'Till We Meet Again!

Week of October 23 & 24, 2021

weekend worship

Worship on **Saturday, October 23 at 5:00 PM** will be held at **St. Peter's**. Worship on **Sunday, October 24 at 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM** will be held at **St. John's Windish**, with Sunday School at **9:15 AM**. Facemasks are required!

WORSHIP MINISTERS FOR THIS WEEK

Presiding Minister: Pastor Mike

October 23:

Assisting Minister: Michel Lloyd

October 24:

Assisting Minister: TBD

8:00 AM

Communion Assistant: Sharon Litner

Lector: Gina Brockway

Greeter: Sandra Butch

Usher: Ron Leposa

Acolyte: Sandra Butch

10:30 AM

Communion Assistant: Joe Bleier

Lector: Matthew Bleier

Greeter: Stephanie Gergar

Usher: Rosalie Adducie

Acolyte: Matthew Bleier

This Week

JOIN OUR SATURDAY EVENING WORSHIP!

Our Saturday worship at St. Peter's (5 PM) is now open for all congregants! Our new livestream equipment allows us to worship both with our siblings online and our siblings in the pews. We'd love to see you there!

God's Work. Our Hands/Stewards, Angels in Ministry Day of Service

We will celebrate our annual Day of Service on October 31st at St John's Windish by **painting rocks** with words of encouragement to decorate walking trails and **signing cards** with friendly messages to send to homebound members. Projects will be available after the 8 am service (plus coffee and nibbles) and after the 10:30 am service (with a luncheon of sandwiches, sides, desserts, beverages). You will also be able to see the beautiful little girls dresses that have been sewn for "**Dress a Girl Around the World.**" Kits with all the materials needed will be available to take home and sew. Our goal is to make 50 dresses (or more). **Please mark your calendar and plan to attend this yearly service event as our three congregations gather to do ministry together.**



CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

Confirmation Sunday will be **November 14th** during the **10:30 worship at St. Peter's**. A congratulatory dinner will be hosted **Saturday Evening, November 13th** following the 5 PM worship at **6:30 PM**. We are looking forward to celebrating all your hard work and devotion.

NECC FOOD PANTRY

We will be collecting food for the Northeast Community Center Food Pantry on November

14th. They have requested the following items to be included in the collection:

- Oatmeal
- Pancake Syrup
- Granola and/or snack bars
- Pop-tarts, mini-muffins, or other kid-friendly breakfast items
- Snack items such as crackers, cookies, fruit snacks (or other individually packaged snacks)
- Ground Coffee
- Powdered creamer

from the mailroom

Charlie and I would like to thank everyone for all the prayers, cards, visits, calls and meals we received over the months of illness. We are happy to report that both of us are doing well. We greatly appreciate your prayers and concerns.

God bless,

Charlie and Mary Mann

Thank You from the Lions Club

Dearest Congregations of Light of Christ, St. Peter's and St. John's Windish Lutheran Churches,

The Bethlehem Township Lions Club is very grateful for the 95 pairs of eyeglasses, 29 pairs of sunglasses and 7 pairs of hearing aids that you collected and donated to our club. Lions recycle the glasses and they are distributed to the less fortunate in underprivileged countries. The hearing aids are recalibrated and distributed right here in the Lehigh Valley for those in need. Thank you for this wonderful service!

Lions Clubs International is the largest service organization in the world and we serve people everywhere. Your service proves that

you would all make wonderful Lions members, if you are so inclined and would want to join our club. Please reach out to me with any questions and I'll be happy to give you more information.

Gratefully,

Kathy Duellely

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Synod Center: The Synod Center is asking our help with two projects on their property: replace tile in small sacristy and remove 3 bushes. Contact Linda Maule (610-258-5006; maule@ptd.net) if you can help.

Lay Eucharistic Visitor Training - Lutheran Congregational Services is offering a visitor training session for Eucharistic ministers on October 23 at Christ Lutheran Church, 69 Main Street, Hellertown from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. Cost is \$30 per person (which could be subsidized by your congregation). Please prayerfully consider whether you could assist with this vital ministry. We are in need of additional Eucharistic ministers to visit our homebound members. Contact Linda Maule (610-258-5006; maule@ptd.net) if you are interested in attending visitor training.

Safe Trick of Treat— St. Mark's Lutheran Church in Bethlehem will be hosting a Safe Trick or Treat event on October 24th from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm. This event will support the efforts of Lutheran Disaster Response.

Sacred Ground: Join us for a time of learning with our Episcopal brothers and sis-

ters. SACRED GROUND: A Film-based Dialogue on Race and Faith Every other Monday, 7:00-8:30 p.m. on Zoom until November 22; continuing January 10-February 21.

Sacred Ground is a 10-session, film and readings-based dialogue series on race, grounded in faith.

The Bethlehem Interfaith Group (BIG) will hold an interfaith thanksgiving service on Sunday, November 14th at 4 pm at Central Moravian Church with in person and streaming available. More details to follow as they become available.

Clean Up at Ft. Hill Cemetery - Ed Vogrins, Ft. Hill Cemetery, is asking for workers to help with leaf clean up on Saturday, November 20th, from 9-12. Rakes will be provided. This project is a postponed activity from our September Day of Service. Please lend a hand and please respond to Linda Maule (maule@ptd.net or 610-258-5006) if you are able.

WEEKLY MAILINGS

If you have returned to in-person Worship and are no longer in need of the weekly mailing packet, please contact the church office.

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THIS WEEK IN THE UPG: OCTOBER 23—31

Saturday October 23

5:00 PM Worship at St. Peter's with Live Stream

Sunday October 24

Worship available on YouTube and the UPG website (upgbethlehem.org)

8:00 AM Worship at St. John's Windish

9:15 AM Sunday School at St. John's Windish

10:30 AM Worship at St. John's Windish

1:00 PM Sunday Evening Fellowship

Monday October 25

7:00 PM Dart Baseball (Light of Christ at Dryland)

7:00 PM Sacred Ground Meeting on Zoom

Tuesday October 26

8:00 AM Men's Breakfast at The Palace Restaurant

Wednesday October 27

7:00 AM Fellowship Group

9:00 AM Christian Service

Saturday October 30

5:00 PM Worship at St. Peter's with Live Stream

Sunday October 31

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8:00 AM Worship at St. John's Windish

9:15 AM Sunday School at St. John's Windish

10:30 AM Worship at St. John's Windish

11:45 AM GWOH Day of Service at St. John's