

If you are willing to provide **Sunday Snacks** please sign up on the sign-up sheet on the podium in the back.

The Lebanon County Christian Ministries **noon meal sign-up sheets** for Thursday, September 28, Wednesday, October 4 and Thursday, October 26 are on the podium in the back.

Pastor Jason Arnold can be reached at 717-781-4056 or revja-sonarnold@gmail.com.

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## A GLORIOUS CHURCH

1. Do you hear them coming, brother  
Thronging up the steeps of light,  
Clad in glorious shining garments —  
Bloodwashed garments pure and white?

### Refrain

'Tis a glorious Church without spot or wrinkle,  
Washed in the blood of the Lamb.  
'Tis a glorious Church, without spot or wrinkle,  
Washed in the blood of the Lamb.

2. Do you hear the stirring anthems  
Filling all the earth and sky?  
'Tis a grand, victorious army.  
Lift its banner up on high! *Refrain*

3. Never fear the clouds of sorrow;  
Never fear the storms of sin.  
We shall triumph on the morrow'  
Even now our joys begin. *Refrain*

4. Wave the banner, shout His praises,  
For our victory is nigh!  
We shall join our conqu'ring Saviour;  
We shall reign with Him on high! *Refrain*

### Serving Christ and our Congregation

Jason Arnold, Pastor	Dave Shenk, Organist
Valery Light, Treasurer	Jeff Steckbeck, Staff Parish
John Schlegel, Council Chair	Dennis Nelson, Trustees
Sharon Curtier, Custodian	Bonnie Hoffman, Secretary

## Zion United Methodist Church of Iona

1920 South Fifth Avenue, Lebanon, PA 17042

September 24, 2023 ~ 10:30 AM



Today's Message:

**"Marked Out: HOLY"**

Scriptures:

Colossians 3:1-11, Ephesians 5:21-33,  
Matthew 5:14-16

## Order of Worship

PRELUDE: All Creatures of Our God and King (Hustad)

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*HYMN #207: We Have Come to Join in Worship

### PASTORAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE PROCLAMATION: Colossians 3:1-11

HYMN #399: We Are God's People

SCRIPTURE PROCLAMATION: Ephesians 5:21-33

HYMN (see back): A Glorious Church

### DISMISSAL TO CHILDREN'S CHURCH

### INVOCATION:

Foundation of the Kingdom of All Life, we praise and glorify you. As we, your people, go forth in your name and proclaim the gospel good news, may your love and light be seen in every corner, every shadow, every dark night in this earth. No longer are our lives about merely survival, acquisition, power struggles, or selfishness. We have been sanctified, cleansed, repaired, renewed, and refreshed. We have been set aside and declared holy, wholly devoted to do good works in the name of Jesus, and for the glory of Christ. All this we declare together, Amen.

SCRIPTURE PROCLAMATION: Matthew 5:14-16

MESSAGE: "Marked Out: HOLY"

HYMN #400: Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

### TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\*Offertory: Pastorale (Guilmant)

\*Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*HYMN #433: Rise Up, O Church of God

\*BENEDICTION and SENDING FORTH

\*POSTLUDE: A Joyous Organ Verse (Batiste)

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**Today's flowers** are presented to the Glory of God by George & Maryellen Martin in honor of their 34th Wedding Anniversary.

Units for the hearing impaired are available. Please speak with someone at the sound booth in the rear of the sanctuary.

**Laity Sunday** will be celebrated on October 15. If you would like to be part of that service by reading scripture, singing a solo or duet, playing an instrument, offering prayer or briefly sharing your testimony as a lay servant of Zion UMC of Iona, please talk to Trudy Gass. You can contact Trudy at 717-805-3011, or at [tlg\\_supermom@yahoo.com](mailto:tlg_supermom@yahoo.com).

We are planning our next **Bus Trip** for those more adventurous to PA Grand Canyon Covered Wagon Adventure on Wednesday, November 1st. There will be a covered wagon tour through the Grand Canyon, a Cowboy Cookout lunch and a stop at the Overlook and Visitor Center. Cost per person is \$181 with registration and payment due by October 8th. Forms are on back table with all the information. Any questions, contact Ginny Maat 717-866-8701.

### SPECIAL DAYS THIS WEEK:

Birthdays: 27 Angela Arnold  
28 Glenn Weyand  
Anniversaries: 28 Dennis & Janet Nelson

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Tuesday: 1:15 Tuesday Bible Study / Library  
Thursday: 9:00 LCCM Noon Meal  
6:30 SPRC Meeting / Library

If anyone is currently not on our Prayer Chain and wishes to join, please email us at [zionionanews@gmail.com](mailto:zionionanews@gmail.com). Give us your name and tell us you want to join the prayer chain. If you have any questions, please contact Marilyn Dengler, Rob Dengler or Linda Hower

To activate the prayer chain please contact Sharon Curtier at 717-507-6244 or [cocoabean29@verizon.net](mailto:cocoabean29@verizon.net).

Please include the following in your **prayers** this week:  
Maryellen Martin, Pat Kehler, Frank Gass,