# MANBECK'S ZION EVANGELICAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

*Worshiping the Lord in Spirit and Truth*

November 15, 2026

Prelude

Welcome and Greeting One Another

*Call to Worship: Psalm 103 & 104 (Responsive)

**Opening Praise:* *#104 "O Worship the King"*

**Opening Prayer*

Offering of Tithes & Gifts to the Lord/Ushers: Chris & Cathy
Offertory
** #815 "Doxology"*

** Time of Praise ("God Moments") & Prayer

*Praise Hymn:* *#705 "It Is Well With My Soul"*

Children dismissed for Kids Church & nursery: Ardella

Scripture Reading: 1 Chronicles 21

MESSAGE: "From Shameful to Worshipful"

** Closing Praise:* *"Give Thanks"*

*Benediction

**Recessional Hymn:* *#663 "I Offer My Life"*

*Leave to Serve*

**Please Stand* *** Please Kneel if able*


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**Welcome guests!**

We're so glad you're with us. Please fill out an info card so we can serve you better and stay connected. You're welcome to join us for light refreshments downstairs after the service.

We love kids – Activity packs are available for them to use during the service; PreK & elementary ages can go to Jr. Church during the 2nd half of our service and our nursery is available downstairs at any time it you need space (or changing table) for little ones.

## CHURCH CALENDAR

**TODAY:**
- Sunday school for all ages 10:45 A.M.
- Operation Christmas Child collection due
- Youth "Fall Blitz" 6:30 – 8:00 P.M.

**TUESDAY:**
Official Board Meeting 7:00 P.M.

**WEDNESDAY:**
- Prayer Gathering 6:00 P.M.
- Bible Study 7:00 P.M.

**FRIDAY:**
Friday Praise Night 7:00 P.M.

**SATURDAY:**
- Food Pantry Distribution 8:00 – 11:00 A.M.
- Christmas Musical Rehearsals 2:00 – 4:00 P.M.

**NEXT SUNDAY:**
- Sunday school for all ages 10:45 A.M.

**LOOKING AHEAD:**
Nov. 29 – Chrismon Sunday
– Special Offering (CEF)
Dec. 13 – Building Fund Offering

**Statistics: November 8, 2026**
Attendance: 52
Church Offering - $1,138.00
Benevolent Offering - $130.00

## PRAYER REQUESTS

- **Isaiah 61: heal the broken hearted and set the captives free**
- Rob (Rob, Jr., Lisa and friend in Norristown to get better)
- Lois (keep Amy in prayer)
- May (Dee/more cancer treatments/waiting on testing)
- Harold (not much change/Carol has covid)
- Jason (Mike/Dec. 18 knee operation/sleeping better)
- Kelly (liver biopsy/Alicia & girls, new season of life)
- Donna (Lindsay/chemo on Tuesday and long week for kids)
- Alicia (Willow/EEG/must be off seizure meds during procedure)
- Ernie (Nation in general/Christians to go out and witness more)
- Laura (unspoken request)
- Betty (Neighbor, Ivan/deployed to Persian Gulf)
- Deb L. (Girl in school/leukemia/first round went well)
- Willis (Shawn and dad, Joel/home issues/intervention)
- Louise (Daughter Laurie)
- Sandy (Arlene Prizoli/health concerns)
- Jeff (Strouphauer family/Lindsay and Hailey)
- Lois (Neighbor, Mark is in prison)
- Louise (Kelly, can't figure out what triggers the tumors)
- Laura (Zach needs prayer/he's getting bullied)
- Betsy (Our emergency responders)
- Those battling cancer: Joe Roth; Lindsay; Brenda; Linda; Kristin; Everlee Fessler; Deneen Sonon; Bob Kramer; Ellie; Mike; Tony; Stacey; Ed; Bob W.'s brother; Wade;
- Military: Keith Gillespie; Lois's grandson; Betsy's 1 grandson
- Nursing home: Nancy Wildsmith Sue Stump
- Assisted living: Sue Reiter

## PRAISE

- Sandy (Jordan passed driver's test/and prayer)
- Betty (Carey is cancer free)
- Pastor Kyle (brother Joe's mass is non-cancerous)
- Lisa (Dec. 4 court date for marital assets)
- Larue (mom's house sold/found PO Box key)
- Laura (Zach doing good in swim lessons)

## MISSONARIES

- Joe Toy (Street ministry in North Carolina)
- Jamie and Anita Farr (Wycliffe in Florida)
- Robert and Bettina Schaeffer (L.I.F.E. Ministries in NY)
- Wagner's & Stoltzfus's (Rift Valley Academy in Africa)

RESPONSIVE READING

## "Praise His Name"

Psalm 103 & 104 *(selected verses)*

Praise the LORD, my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name!

***Praise the LORD, my soul, and forget not all his benefits— who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases,***

Who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

***The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. He will not always accuse, nor will he harbor his anger forever; he does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities.***

For as high as the heavens are above the earth,
so great is his love for those who fear him;

***As far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.***

As a father has compassion on his children, so the LORD has compassion on those who fear him;

***The LORD established his throne in heaven; His kingdom rules over all.***

Let all that I am praise the LORD. O LORD my God, how great you are! You are robed with honor and majesty.

***O LORD, what a variety of things you have made! In wisdom you have made them all. The earth is full of your creatures.***

***You open your hand to feed them, and they are richly satisfied.***

The earth trembles at his glance; the mountains smoke at his touch.

***I will sing to the LORD as long as I live, praising to my last breath!***

***<u>ALL</u>: May all our thoughts be pleasing to him for I rejoice in the LORD.***

Manbecks Zion Church
NOVEMBER 15, 2026

ENCOUNTERS WITH JESUS THAT CHANGE HISTORY

HOPE before BETHLEHEM

"From Shameful to Worshipful" 1 Chronicles 21

- **Bad ideas have _____.**

- **God doesn't define us by our _____ ,**

  **but He does respond to our _____.**

*Receiving correction reveals our heart*

*True worship comes at a cost outweighed by blessing*

- **God sovereignly uses every situation, even our**

  **_____ , to accomplish His purposes.**

<u>Next Sunday</u>: *"From Condemned to Celebrated"* *Daniel 3:13-20*