Use Me Lord

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Use my life, Lord, to serve Your people,
And follow You wherever You may lead.
Let everything I do reveal my trust in You.
Your faithful witness I will be.

Use my hands, Lord, to help Your people,
And share the many blessings I receive.
Let ev'ry warm embrace reflect Your love and grace,
So all may know You and believe.

Use me, Lord, to be a true disciple,
Use me, Lord, to comfort and forgive.
Guide my way as I follow You in faith,
And serve You every day I live.

Take my life and let it be used to serve you faithfully.
Show me, Lord, what You have planned.
Help me live as You command, help me live as You command.

Use my voice, Lord, to teach your people,
And tell the hope and promise of Your Word.
Let ev'ry song I raise resound in grateful praise
To share my joy with all the world.

Use me, Lord, to be a true disciple,
Use me, Lord, to comfort and forgive.
Guide my way as I follow You in faith,
And serve You every day I live.
Take my life and use me, Lord!

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SALEM EVANGELICAL REFORMED CHURCH, HELLERS

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Welcome

Salem Hellers

Lancaster, Pennsylvania—Founded 1725

Scatter the Seed

Mark 4

September 13, 2026

Salem Evangelical Reformed Church, Hellers

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"The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life,
and whoever captures souls is wise."
Proverbs 11:30

Welcome and Announcements

Ringing of the Bell

We Gather to Glorify God

Prelude

***Call to Worship** Isaiah 55:6-9

Leader: Seek the Lord while he may be found;

People: Call on him while he is near.

Leader: Let the wicked forsake their ways

People: And the unrighteous their thoughts.

Leader: Let them turn to the Lord, and he will have mercy on them,

People: And to our God, for he will freely pardon.

Leader: "For my thoughts are not your thoughts,

People: Neither are your ways my ways," declares the Lord.

Leader: "As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways

People: And my thoughts than your thoughts."

***Opening Hymn** *Jesus Shall Reign* (#120)

***Opening Prayer**

We Gather to Grow in the Spirit

Scripture Reading Isaiah 12 (pew Bible page 684)

***Hymn of the Month** *My Soul Finds Rest* (#359)

*Worshippers, please stand if physically able.

Pastoral Prayer / The Lord's Prayer

***Confession of Sin**

Leader: We live in a world filled with darkness and sin. But as John wrote, Jesus came into the world but the world did not recognize him. Let us thank him for the light he brought into our lives and confess that we have failed to reflect his light to others.

People: You are the light of the world. You have also said that *we* are the light of the world. But we have failed to let our lights shine as they should. Too often we have looked more like the darkness of the world than the reflection of your glory. Please forgive us and fill us with your Spirit so that others will be drawn to you. Amen.

***Hymn of Response** *Light of God* (#317)

Musical Meditation *Use Me, Lord* - Sanctuary Choir

Sermon Scatter the Seed - Dr. Tim Witmer
Mark 4:26-29 (pew Bible page 998)

We Go Into the World with the Gospel of Jesus Christ

***Hymn of Response** *Facing a Task Unfinished* (#348)

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

Worship Leader—Bill McLain
Director of Music—Carolyn McLain | Organist—David Andrews

If you're new today, welcome! Please fill out a visitor's card (in the pew rack) and drop it in the offering box.
Offerings may be placed in the offering boxes by the doors.
You can also text SH to 717-807-5656 or scan this QR code.

Sunday School at 11:15 AM—all welcome!

Upstairs	Age 3—7	Obeying God
Library	Age 8—12	God's Grace in the Law
Upstairs	Age 13—18	Digging Deeper (Westminster Catechism)
Berean Room	Adults	Sermon Discussion