

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Events

March 18 & 19, 2023

Faith Formation

Sundays ~ 9AM

Youth 3 years to 12th grade

Adult Bible Study ~ Reading thru the Bible

Sundays ~ 9AM

Will Robinson is leading a group that is reading through the Bible. It's never too late to join!

Adult Study ~ Life with Jesus

Sundays ~ 9AM

In the middle of the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus talks about prayer and teaches us how to pray (Matt. 6:5-13). This will be our discussion from Advent until Easter. Yes, it will take that long as we study these 9 scripture verses one at a time! Join us in the choir room when you can! (First door on the left past the restrooms.)

Nursery Available

Sundays ~ 10AM

Nursery is now available at the 10AM service. If you would be interested in joining our Nursery Attendant Team, contact Denise at dmoyer@zionyork.org.

Ukraine Family Resettlement

Zion is partnering with Christ Lutheran to resettle a Ukrainian family of 5. We are looking for monetary, Weis, Giant, Aldi and Visa gift card donations. Place gift card donations in the marked box on the information desk. Monetary donations can be placed in the offering plate in a Love envelope marked resettlement. Volunteers are also needed for transportation, finance coaching and Russian interpreters. If interested in volunteering time fill out a form located at the information booth and place in the box. Watch for tags weekly with requests as needs arise. Questions? Contact Lori Wise at lsab1960@yahoo.com.

Prayer List

Members:

Elaine & Ed Mann ^Lois Jordan ^Jeremy Arnold

Family & Friends of Members

Finnegan Shields Michigan State University

Donna Watkins ^Scott Wisner

Grieving:

*Family & Friends of Kenneth E. Markel

Family & Friends of Betty Ruppert

Prayer requests will remain on the list for four (4) weeks. A new prayer request card may be submitted thereafter.

* New Request and ^ Long Term

Stewardship Snippet

John 9:38 - *He said, "Lord, I believe." And he worshiped him.*

Stewarding your soul may mean responding as the blind man in this week's gospel lesson. Simply open your eyes to the experience of Jesus and his amazing love and mercy.

\$3 A DAY CHALLENGE

In the January newsletter, Pastor Janyce challenged the congregation to increase their giving by three dollars per day. This invitation and response will serve to support our shared ministry throughout this year, as we live into how God is calling us to serve today. Lent is the perfect time to get started on the \$3 a day challenge! Consider it for the year or for the season.

Zion Has Heart

February 18—April 2

Donate to help provide support to those in immediate need and people who fall through the system's cracks. You can donate online at www.zionyork.org by selecting the give online button (select Zion Has Heart fund and mark it Zion has Heart). Or select a heart from the Narthex and put it with the donation in a marked Zion has Heart Love Envelope. Our goal this year is to raise \$3,500 for Zion has Heart. Thank you for prayerfully considering making a monetary donation to replenish this fund.

First Holy Communion Classes

Sundays April 16-30

11:00 AM following service

Zion will be offering instruction for children in 1st or 2nd grade. If you have any questions if your child is ready, speak with Pastor Janyce. Their First Holy Communion will be on May 7th. Interested participants or those with questions should email Chuck at cbissell@zionyork.org.

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Easter Flowers

Orders Due This Weekend

Order Lilies (\$12) and Tulips (\$11) for Easter. Order forms with details are on the information booth. Payment must accompany order. Flowers are available for pick up following Easter services. Help us decorate the sanctuary for Easter!

Wednesdays

March 1—29

6:00PM—7:30PM



Join us for "Dinner Church", where we will have a time of singing, a meal, and scriptures around the topic of community service. Each week we will focus on a local community group and how they are helping in the community, what the Bible has to say about it and how can we become part of the solution. A speaker from the focus community service organization will join us.

- March 22 - Bell Socialization Services
- March 29 - Harvest of Blessings (Food Distribution)

Soup and bread will be provided. Feel free to bring a side or dessert to share but not required. To volunteer for set up and tear down, **sign ups on the bulletin board**. Please contact Denise with any questions dmoyer@zionnyork.org.

Easter Egg Hunt Registration Open

Saturday, April 8th—10:00 AM

We would love for you to join us for our Annual Easter Egg Hunt. This is for children 0-10 years of age. Be sure to bring your own basket/bag to collect eggs. Register for the egg hunt at <https://forms.gle/jAnpEZxrf6cxFCTVA> or call the office.

Easter Egg Hunt Donations

Due April 2

We are looking for people to take a bag (or more) of plastic eggs located in the Narthex and fill them up with Easter candy and return for Zion's annual easter egg hunt. Instructions are included in the bags.

Women's Retreat: "God In Us"

April 22, 2023

Have you wondered how it is possible that God is really with us? It is true! The Bible is packed with scripture telling us so. He is with us through the Holy Spirit. Sometimes, the idea of the Holy Spirit can seem mysterious and confusing. So, let's clear the air! Attend the women's retreat to learn, and breathe free!

Main event: Sat., April 22nd, 2023 (starting at 9:00am)
Day/Overnight: choice of day (Sat, Apr. 22); or 1, 2, or 3 nights, Thurs., Apr. 20 - Sun., Apr. 23.

Location: Camp Nawakwa, Zinn-Tozer Lodge, Arendtsville, PA

Cost: main day-\$25; one night-\$55; two nights-\$90; three nights-\$125

Food: provided for Sat. and Sun. morning. (Thurs/Fri. on own: eat out or prepare at camp.)

Sign-up: Contact Deb Anderson, dba456@live.com; 717-891-8433; or on sign-up in narthex.

Theme verse: And I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Comforter and Helper to be with you forever, the Spirit of Truth. . . . You know this Spirit, for it abides with you and will be in you. —John 14:16–17

Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday April 1 & 2

Saturday 5:30 PM

Sunday 8 & 10 AM

Maunder Thursday April 6

11:00 AM & 6:30PM

Good Friday April 7

6:30 PM

Easter Egg Hunt April 8

10:00 AM

Easter Worship April 8 & 9

Saturday 5:30 PM

Sunday 6:30 AM ~ Sunrise

9 AM ~ Continental Breakfast

8 & 10 AM ~ Worship

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