ANNOUNCEMENTS Upraming Countr

April 12 & 13, 2025

SATURDAY EVENING SCHEDULE

5:30 – Gathering, Come As You Are

SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

8:00 a.m. - Traditional: Words, Hymns, Liturgy

9:00 a.m. – Faith Formation

10:00 a.m. – Community Service with Communion

Palm Sunday

Attendance for last week's services				
Weekend Worship	181			
Faith Formation	27			

Zion Financial Report: Feb 2025

* council approved				
	Monthly Operations	Monthly Budget	YTD Operations	YTD Budget
Receipts				
(Giving)	\$48,022.37	\$41,814.81	\$97,610.16	\$87,579.98
Expenses	\$43,390.52	\$51,172.44	\$93,510.02	\$99,459.32
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Deficit	\$4,631.85	-\$9,357.63	\$4,100.14	-\$11,879.34
*NOTE - Church Only				

Herald newsletter is available via hard copy in the Narthex on the table by the office. Digital copies are posted on our website at http://www.zionyork.org/herald/



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SUNDAY FAITH FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES Sundays ~ 9:00AM

Adult Bible Study Devotion & Dialogue

Each week, we will read and discuss the Gospel from the week's lectionary. Join us as we delve into the scriptures!

Youth Faith Formation

Youth ages 3 years to 12th grade join us for a full year of fun and learning with your friends.

Adult Study Life with Jesus

The 'Life with Jesus' adult Faith Formation is discussing the book of Colossians which explains the supremacy of Christ, the fullness of life found in Him, and provides practical wisdom for living the Christian life. Come to learn, and to share your journey. (Find us in the choir room - down the hall past the restrooms, on the left.)

Nursery Available Sundays ~ 10AM

Story time is also available in the nursery following the children's sermon.

WEEKDAY OPPORTUNITIES

Lunch Bunch April 16 ~ noon

Connect with like-minded individuals, share your thoughts, and deepen your understanding in a welcoming and supportive environment at Friendly's located at 423 Loucks Rd.

Gather & Grow April 21 6:00PM

The Gather & Grow group will be joining the Lenten Bible Study. We will reconvene on Monday evening, April 21.

Men's Huddle May 15 ~ 7:00 PM

Men, join us at Zion for a time of fellowship and faith as iron sharpens iron. Bring a sandwich and beverage to enjoy.

Pastor Kevin will be leading us in a bible study.

Questions contact Matt Engleman or Walt Marriott.

We are... Wednesdays

1st Wednesday of the Month — Prayer Group — May 7 3rd Wednesday of the Month — Discipleship—May 14 4th Wednesday of the Month — Book Club—April 23

GriefShare Wednesdays | April 23 - July 2 6:30 - 8:00 PM

When a loved one dies, it can feel like you're alone. Few people understand how painful and isolating your grief can be. But that doesn't mean you have to suffer by yourself. At GriefShare, you'll find a safe, comforting place where you can talk with others about your grief. You'll find support, direction, and guidance on how to make it through. Register at www.griefshare.org/groups/261594. Flyers are on the info booth with more details. Questions? contact Chris Owens, pcowens.123@gmail.com.

Book Club Wednesday | April 23 6:30 PM

Join us to discuss The Book of Lost Friends by Lisa Wingate, a dual-timeline novel exploring the post-Civil War South, following three women's journey to find family, and a modern-day teacher who discovers their story and its connection to her students' lives.

Confirmation & Service Project Stuff the Bus | Panther Pantry

During the months of March and April, we will be collecting the following items:

Laundry DetergentHand SoapToothbrushesToilet PaperSpray CleanerPaper TowelsDish SoapDeodorant

Toothpaste Feminine Products
Place your donations in the marked bin in the Narthex.

Auxiliary to SpiriTrust Lutheran Sandwich Sale Orders Due April 13

Support SpiriTrust by ordering a sandwich. The sign up sheets and further details are on the bulletin board in the Narthex. Subs are \$8 and pretzel sandwiches are \$7. Delivery date is Wednesday, April 30th. Contact member, Lee Wagner at 717-764-4605 with any questions.

SpiriTrust Lutheran Geranium Sale

Brighten up your garden and support a great cause! Geraniums are \$5 each and available in red, salmon, or white. Order by May 11. Pick up at Zion Lutheran Church on May 24 from 11 AM — Noon. Payment is due with your order. Make checks payable to Zion Lutheran Church. Order forms are in the Narthex. Thank you for your support!



Camp Day Lutheran Camping Corporation Sunday Services | April 27

Learn about the opportunities available at Nawakwa and Kirchenwald from Camp Director Mike Youse! Flyers with information on summer camps for both youth and adults are available in the Narthex. Visit www.lutherancamping.org for details and registration. Join us on the 27th for the latest updates!

Joyful Noise Preschool Registration Now Open 25/26 School Year

Registration for the 2025-2026 school year is now open! We are excited to offer classes for children ages 2 1/2 to 4 years old. Forms are available at the information desk. Don't miss out—register today!

First Holy Communion Instruction Sundays April 27 & May 4, 18, 25 11:30 AM following service

Zion will be offering instruction for communion on four Sundays. The class is geared towards children in 1st or 2nd grade. If you have any questions about whether your child is ready, speak with Pastor Kevin. Their First Holy Communion will be on June 1st. Interested participants or those with questions should email Chuck at cbissell@zionyork.org.

Compassion Weekend May 3 & 4

Compassion weekend is coming! If you currently sponsor a child through Compassion International and would be willing to share a short testimony about your experience as a sponsor, please contact Lauren Dreisbach.

We can all agree that the world can be a harsh place. It can be difficult to discern how to help. If the welfare of children burdens your heart, Compassion International offers you a way to take action. They are dedicated to releasing children from poverty in Jesus' name. Learn more May 3/4th.

Lenten Soup & Bible Study Announcement "Entering the Passion of Jesus"

This Lent, join us for a special Soup & Bible Study series on *Entering the Passion of Jesus* by Amy-Jill Levine. We'll dive deep into the events of Jesus' final days, exploring their historical and theological significance.

Dates: Wednesdays, March 12 – April 16 **Time:** 11:00 AM (bible study only)

6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (6:30 PM for bible study only)

Each evening will begin with a warm soup meal, followed by the Bible study session. One copy of the book will be available at each table for use during the study, and you can purchase your own copy for approximately \$10 at Amazon and other various outlets. Come grow in faith and community as we journey through Lent together. We look forward to seeing you there!

Movie Night April 13 6PM

Join us for a viewing of The Passion of the Christ, a 2004 epic biblical drama film. It depicts the Passion of Jesus largely according to the gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John. It begins with the Agony in the Garden of Gethsemane, continues with the betrayal of Judas Iscariot, the brutal Scourging at the Pillar, the suffering of Mary, the crucifixion and death of Jesus, and ends with a brief depiction of his resurrection.

*This film is rated R and contains graphic content.



Thank You

Your generosity Made a difference

- A big shout out to everyone who donated to the Zion Has Heart Fund! Thanks to your overwhelming generosity, we've not only met our goal of \$6,000 but surpassed it, with current donations totaling \$7,112.22! These donations are making a real difference in our community, helping those who are struggling. So far this year, we've been able to assist with motel stays, utility bills, car payments, appliance purchases, HOA fees, and food. And we're only one-third of the way through 2025! Rest assured, your contributions are truly making a positive impact.
- Rose Hartzell would like to thank her Zion family for all the cards and calls she received while she was ill.

Making Jesus Known in Our Community!



HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Palm-Passion Weekend

Saturday, April 12 5:30 pm Gathering, Come As You Are

Sunday, April 13 8:00 am Traditional

9:00 am Faith Formation

10:00 am Community Service

Sunday, April 13 6:00 pm Movie Night

Passion of The Christ

Maundy Thursday Services with Holy Communion

Thursday, April 17 12:00 Noon 7:00 pm

Good Friday Services

Friday, April 18 12:00 Noon Jesus on the Cross

7:00 pm Tenebrae Service

Easter Weekend

Saturday , April 19 10:00 am Easter Egg Hunt

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Sunday, April 20 6:30 am Sunrise Service

7:00 am Easter Breakfast 8:00 am Traditional

10:00 am Community Service

Zion's Annual Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 19 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. Sign up at https://forms.gle/w6AbrMdQ6hfsYcjG6.

Thank you to all those who took eggs to fill. Please return the filled Easter Egg Bags by **April 13th**.