

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Events

July 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

Summer Series

| Attendance for last week’s services |     |
|-------------------------------------|-----|
| Weekend Worship                     | 140 |
| Faith Formation                     | 15  |

| Zion Financial Report: May 2025 |                 |                |              |              |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| * council approved              |                 |                |              |              |
|                                 | Monthly Actuals | Monthly Budget | YTD Actuals  | YTD Budget   |
| Receipts (Giving)               | \$46,444.13     | \$38,366.77    | \$242,274.19 | \$219,826.73 |
| Expenses                        | \$44,254.92     | \$44,853.40    | \$240,646.30 | \$240,853.05 |
| Surplus/ Deficit                | \$2,189.21      | -\$6,486.63    | \$1,627.89   | -\$21,026.32 |
| *NOTE - Church Only             |                 |                |              |              |

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SUNDAY FAITH FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES

Sundays ~ 9:00AM

Adult Study Summer Session

Sundays ~ 9:00 AM

June 15—Aug 31

Join in any Sunday at 9:00 (or whatever time you arrive) through Aug. 31st. Grab a cup of coffee or tea and find us in the second section (F4) on the right-hand side of the fellowship hall, behind the curtain. See you then!

Summer Faith Formation

One combined class for children in Pre-K through 6th grade will be held in the fellowship hall in the last classroom on the right. (If you find the foosball table, you will find the room!) Older youth are welcome to join in to lend a helping hand.

Nursery Available

Sundays ~ 10AM

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

WEEKDAY OPPORTUNITIES

Lunch Bunch

July 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.

Men’s Huddle

August 21 ~ 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

6:30 PM

1st Wednesday of the Month — Prayer Group — August 6

4th Wednesday of the Month — Book Club—July 23

This month’s book club pick is *Listen for the Lie*—a twisty thriller about Lucy, once the golden girl of her Texas town, now the prime suspect in her best friend Savvy’s unsolved murder. Years later, a hit true crime podcast reopens the case, forcing Lucy to confront the past she can’t remember... and uncover the truth, even if it points to herself.

Share Your Talents at Zion This Summer!

Do you have a special talent to share—artwork, poetry, spoken word, liturgical dance, or an instrument like the accordion or banjo? We’d love for you to share your gift during worship this summer! You’re welcome to sign up for more than one week and/or more than one service. Multiple people can sign up for the same weekend as long as they are at different services. Sign up on the bulletin board in the lobby!

Check Out the Fellowship Hall Bulletin Board!

We’ve added a new interactive bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall designed to spark reflection and sharing. The current prompt asks: “How do you show love for your neighbors? What missions, charities, or organizations do you support—and why?” We’d love to hear from you! You can write your responses on the paper provided—look in the little bag to the right or grab a sheet from the board itself. Your thoughts and experiences help inspire others!

Thank You for Supporting the Longaberger Basket Sale!

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who participated in the recent Longaberger Basket Sale—your generosity helped raise \$658 for Zion Has Heart, a ministry that provides support to those in need right here in our local community. Your kindness makes a real difference!

If you missed the sale but would still like to purchase a basket and contribute to the fundraiser, it's not too late! Please contact Juliann at 717-880-1277 to arrange a time to visit and browse the baskets at her home. Thank you for being a blessing to others!

Prayer Requests

Do you or someone you know need prayer? Submit your prayer request by emailing [zionprays4you@gmail.com](mailto:zionprays4you@gmail.com) or use the prayer request cards found in the pews—your request will be added to the prayer chain and our church prayer list.

Interested in becoming a Zion Prayer Warrior? Join the prayer chain by emailing your name and email to [zionprays4you@gmail.com](mailto:zionprays4you@gmail.com). You're also invited to attend "We Are Wednesdays...Prayer Group"—gathering the first Wednesday of each month at 6:30 PM to pray for our church, community, and world.

Crush Your Financial Goals!!

This culture is designed to take you down. Credit cards, car loans, student loans . . . they’ll keep you paying way too much money for way too long. But there’s one way out of the mess of debt, and it starts right here with you. You can change your future today by taking a Financial Peace University class. You’ll learn to pay off debt fast, save more money, and build lasting wealth. Class will be on Sundays, September 7 to November 2, 3:00—4:30 PM. Cost is \$45 per family. Sign up information coming soon!






Calling all kids, Pre-K (3 yrs and potty-trained) thru grade 5, join us for the ultimate Alaskan adventure where the northern lights shine over majestic mountains, racing rivers, and sparkling glaciers. As they trek the tundra, they'll know that Jesus is a faithful friend we can always trust.



**July 14 — 17**  
**6:00 — 8:00 PM**

Register today or walk-in tomorrow. Remember to invite your friends and family!

| DAY 1   | DAY 2   | DAY 3  | DAY 4   |
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| <p><b>BIBLE POINT</b><br/>When we wonder, we can trust Jesus.</p> <p><b>BIBLE STORY</b><br/>John prepares the way and baptizes Jesus (Matthew 3; 11:1-16)</p> <p><b>KEY VERSE</b><br/>Matthew 7:24</p>  <p><i>Ponder</i></p> | <p><b>BIBLE POINT</b><br/>When we feel alone, we can trust Jesus.</p> <p><b>BIBLE STORY</b><br/>Jesus teaches about God's love for us (Matthew 6:25-33; 18:12-14)</p> <p><b>KEY VERSE</b><br/>Matthew 11:28</p>  <p><i>Clawdia</i></p> | <p><b>BIBLE POINT</b><br/>When we feel powerless, we can trust Jesus.</p> <p><b>BIBLE STORY</b><br/>A Roman officer trusts Jesus (Matthew 8:5-13)</p> <p><b>KEY VERSE</b><br/>Matthew 14:27</p>  <p><i>Kody</i></p> | <p><b>BIBLE POINT</b><br/>When we need help, we can trust Jesus.</p> <p><b>BIBLE STORY</b><br/>Jesus gives the Great Commission, and the Holy Spirit comes. (Matt. 28:16-20; Acts 2:1-12)</p> <p><b>KEY VERSE</b><br/>Matthew 28:20</p>  <p><i>Bruce</i></p> |

**School Kit Sneak Peek — Start Shopping Now!**

While our Lutheran World Relief School Kit Drive officially starts next month, now is the perfect time to start collecting supplies! Back-to-school sales are already popping up in stores, and we especially need spiral notebooks, which tend to sell out quickly.



Help us reach our 2025 goal by taking advantage of the deals now! A full list of needed items will be posted soon, but early shoppers can focus on spiral notebooks, unsharpened pencils, crayons, pens, and other classroom basics.

Watch for our official collection kickoff in late July—and thank you in advance for helping children around the world start school ready to learn!

**Stuff the Bus — July Mission Project**



In July we will be supporting our neighbors in need. We're gathering essential items to create Blessing Bags—small care packages that you can pick up at the church to keep in your car and hand out to anyone in need. We're also collecting supplies to support the ongoing work of LifePath Christian Ministries, which provides meals, shelter, and life-transforming services to men, women, and children in our community.

Donations can be dropped off at the designated "Stuff the Bus" area in the church throughout July.

- ~ Toilet Paper ~Paper Towels ~16 oz bottled water
- ~16 oz Gatorade ~Sugar ~Salt and Pepper
- ~Pasta ~Pasta Sauce ~Rain Ponchos
- ~water ~Flavoring packets (electrolytes preferred)
- ~Poncho ~Deodorant ~Chapstick ~Travel sunscreen
- ~Socks (this is a big need) ~Hair ties ~Travel Tooth brush and toothpaste
- ~Tuna or chicken & crackers ~Apple sauce pouches ~Band-aids
- ~Body wipes/disposable wash cloths ~Sanitary napkins
- ~Travel Tissue packs ~Cheese & crackers

\* travel sizes are preferred as those who are unhomed have limited space and ability to carry larger items

**Summer Sermon Series**  
**All Services**  
**June 15 - September 7**



Mahalia Jackson  
"Her Singing was Preaching" | 12/13 July

Bertha Paulssen  
"The least of these but Bigger Houses" | 26/27 July

Herman B. Stuempfle, Jr  
"Would I have answered when you called" | 2/3 Aug  
Oscar Romero  
"May the Spirit of the Lord, Disturb YOU" | 9/10 Aug

Martin Luther King, Jr  
"I Have a Dream" | 16/17 Aug

Mother Teresa  
"Humility and Hospitality – Not so Heavy" | 23/24 Aug

Dietrich Bonhoeffer  
"BONHOEFFER-The Cost of Discipleship" | 30/31 Aug

For All the Saints  
"Faith, Prayer, Love and Service" | 6/7 Sept

Each week, we'll explore the lives of those who exemplified courage, compassion, and conviction. Discover the unwavering faith of Harriet Tubman, the visionary leadership of Martin Luther King, Jr., the boundless compassion of Mother Teresa, and *many more.*

**Summer Worship Assistant Sign Ups**

Sign-up sheets for worship assistants are now available on the lobby bulletin board. Opportunities are open for all services—thank you for serving!