

ZION'S BRIEF TIDINGS

Sunday, August 22, 2010

"God's Work, Our Hands" This Week at Zion

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9:30 a.m. Worship with Holy Communion (*Sanctuary*)

Monday, August 23, 2010

Tuesday, August 24, 2010

9:30 a.m. Christian Learning

7:00 p.m. M.A. (*Teen Room*)

Wednesday, August 25, 2010

9:00 a.m. City Year (*Fellowship Hall*)

4:00-9:00 p.m. Zion Dine Out Benefit-Lily's -Royal Oak

Thursday, August 26, 2010

9:00-1:30 p.m. Luther League Outing/Gleaners

Friday, August 27, 2010

6:45 p.m. NA (*Fellowship Hall*)

6:45 p.m. Al-anon (*Teen Room*)

Saturday, August 28, 2010

1:00 p.m. Zion Golf Outing

Sunday, August 29, 2010

9:30 a.m. Worship with Holy Communion (*Sanctuary*)

10:30 a.m. Coffee Hour (*Fellowship Hall*)

*****ATTENTION: Please note- until the season of Advent:
We will be using the TRADITIONAL version of the
Lord's Prayer....**

NA Stewards Needed!

A sign-up sheet is located in the church office. Please sign up and spend a Friday evening supporting this program.
For 8/27 Steward is Jeanine Ingram.

Adult Bible Class

Meets every Wednesday night, at 7:00 p.m. in the Lounge with Pastor Gateman. **Come join us!**



Lessons for Next Sunday 08/29/2010

Proverbs 25: 6-7

Psalms 112

Hebrews 13: 1-8

Luke 14: 1, 7-14



GOLF OUTING AUG 28

Contact Bob and Lynn Morden for ALL details.



Know of someone in want/need of Communion that is unable to attend church? Please contact Pastor Gateman.



Please sign the red attendance book at the end of the pew and pass it down. Also remember to fill out a card when you receive communion.

Attendance on August 15th = 105

Participants and Acknowledgements for Today's Worship

Presiding Minister

Pastor Paul Gateman

Preaching

Walter Jackson

Assisting Minister

Hope Hughes

Lector

Ron Harmon

Organist, pianist

Scott Schroeder

Chancel Choir

Roger Smith

Greeters

Betty Snell and Mattie Lawrence



The Altar area flowers for today are given in honor of Ronald's Corey's birthday and are from "his girls"...(and you know who they are).

If you would like to sponsor flowers to honor or remember an important person or event, sign up on the Flower Chart in the Narthex. Place your name on the chart, leave a note in the office if you would like a dedication in the weekly Tidings and any flower preference you may have. Envelopes are available in the Narthex for payment and any dedication.

Zion's Mission Statement

Zion Lutheran's commitment is to glorify God by reaching out to our family and community to provide a Christian atmosphere through spiritual growth, learning and service. As a community of the people of God, the members of Zion Lutheran Church are called to welcome all people regardless of age, economic status, ethnic background, gender, physical or mental ability, race or sexual orientation. We affirm that in Christ, "there is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female" (*Galatians 3:28*). Christ has made us one.

Lutheran Magazine—August 2010 Issue

Included in this month's issue is a beautiful article with color photo spread of the sanctuary. It highlights the work of Zion's Liturgical Arts Committee and their mastery of colorful banners representing Pentecost. If interested in a copy contact the church office. Copies of article are available for \$.30/copy.

Luther League News: This week-Thursday, August 26th:

Luther League will visit area soup kitchens and Gleaners Food Bank. Meet at the church parking lot at **9:00 a.m.**-- we will leave from there, do our visits and tour, and be back around 1:30 p.m.. Lunch will be provided. Contact: Katie Brisson.

Visit Zion on the web!

Have news to be posted?

Contact: walterjr817@sbcglobal.net.

Zion is online at: www.fernzion.org.



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www.fernzion.org - Check it out!

A Reconciling in Christ Community



Zion Staff

Pastor

Paul F. Gateman

ext. 101

Pastor

John Meulendyk

ext. 102

Office

ext. 100

Organist

Scott Schroeder

Adult Choir

Roger Smith

Bells & Youth Choir

Nursery

Custodian

Fred Reed

Prayer Requests

If you have a specific prayer request, please contact one of the following Prayer-Ring Members:

Rosie Draudt (248) 399-2147
Shirley Nesseth (248) 435-6744
or e-mail: zionoffice@earthlink.net

**Please note these are for specific requests, not to be added to the printed list on the right..*



If you would like to be added to the prayer list or know of someone, please submit their full name in writing and include your name and relationship.

Alice Anderson - member
Margaret Bukoski - mother of Ann Rogers
Dorothy Caddell - member
Shirley Cannon - aunt of Carol Wunderlich
Julie Estigoy - daughter of Shirley Nesseth
Edward Fitzpatrick - father of Susan Radzilowski
Theresa Fulgenzi - partner of Dawn Lyman
Alice Garlock - mother to Sandy Ayers
Ellen Grimnes - sister of Nancy VanDeGrift
Lee Hetrick - member
Vernice Jackson - member
Wesley Kjome - brother of Shirley Nesseth
Betty LePage - member
Larry McBride Sr. - father of Larry McBride Jr.
Catherine McKeever - sister of Ceil Mac-Smith
Dolly Miles-member
Elsie Niemi - member
MaryAnn O'Connor - mother of Beth O'Connor
Marge Pertner-member
Martha Poole-member
Marion Smith - mother of Roger Smith
Helen Steinke - member
Hannah Tremont-daughter of Alice Tremont
Chris Turner - brother-in-law of Nicholas Gadzinski
Ana Watson - niece of Dolly Miles



Please note ~ Prayer requests may be turned into the office at any-time. **When prayers are no longer needed, please let us know so that a prayer of thanksgiving may be offered.

COFFEE HOUR



We have coffee hour every Sunday in the Fellowship Hall following worship. Please join us and get caught up with your fellow Zion family members and visitors.

***** PLEASE SIGN UP *****

A sign up sheet is in the Fellowship Hall- please take time to sign up to sponsor a coffee hour. Check the kitchen refrigerator and cupboards to see what is available. To be more eco-friendly, please use mugs, stainless flatware, and the new washable juice cups! (stored above the warming ovens)

Summer Giving

Please remember that, even though you may not be here, **the church is still here**, still operating, and in need of your support.

If you are going to be out of town, please consider alternative actions:

Full notice –with these options may be found on Zion’s web page.....

NOISY OFFERING

This month’s noisy offering collected at the beginning of the service will go towards our Budget Items. Each month we will focus on a part of the budget or ministry. Please save your coins and bring your change on Sundays.



Click on : <http://www.lwr.org/beinvolved/schoolkit.asp> for information on assembling items for school kits for Lutheran World Relief. See full article on Zion’s web page.

LWR

Donate a “brick” to help repair Zion’s walls!

As of August 1st, we had raise \$18,620 of the \$50,000 needed to fix the problem that is causing the damage to our sanctuary walls. This is a good start but we need more. Our goal is to reach \$25,000 by the end of September and have the full \$50,000 by the end of the year. Every little bit helps. If you haven’t yet made a contribution to the Wall Restoration Fund, please consider doing so today. Donation cards were mailed to all members several weeks ago and extra copies are available in the church narthex. You can also include your donation in your regular giving envelope. Just note the amount that should go to wall restoration. Thank you for joining together with us to see God’s work accomplished.

The Saints of Zion Finance Team



PHOTO BOARD LETTER:

Attention Members of Zion Family,

Zion is a family that is growing and we can no longer assume we all know each other. The church council has authorized a program to create a photo board for the Narthex with everyone’s picture on it. As new people come, they can be added, and as people leave, their picture will be removed.

By now everyone should have received a letter from the church council about this plan. Now each and everyone of you NEED to let us know what you want to do.

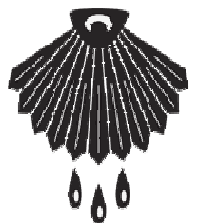
If you were not in the last directory, or if you were NOT happy with that picture, you need to contact Lynn or Bob Morden at 248-642-9511. They will have a camera set up starting on Rally Day and a couple of Sundays following. They will be happy to take a photo for the board. We need everyone to have a photo for this to work, so if you are new and you don’t contact Lynn, she will contact you. Working together-as a Zion family –this will work.

Finally, the Picture Board needs a name. Please come up with a creative name and put it in an envelope marked “Picture Board”, along with your name and phone number and place it in the collection plate or turn it in to the office. If your entry is chosen, you will receive a fabulous prize.

Thank you.

Baptism

If you are interested in baptism for yourself and/or your child please call the church office (248-398-5510) and speak to one of the Pastors. They will set up a time to meet with you, and schedule the baptism. The Lutheran Church encourages baptisms be held during a worship service.



WANTED: Children’s Choir Director

Zion is seeking an energetic, musically inclined person to DIRECT our children’s choir. Contact Church Office !!



PLEASE CHECK YOUR MAILBOX

