

**THIS WEEK AT ZION**

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| <b>SUNDAY</b>    | 8:00 am  | Traditional Worship †        |
|                  | 9:15 am  | Sunday School/Bible Class    |
|                  | 10:30 am | Contemporary Worship †       |
|                  | 6:00 pm  | Youth Group Super Bowl Party |
| <b>MONDAY</b>    | 1:00 pm  | Monday Sewing                |
|                  | 7:00 pm  | Board of Trustees            |
| <b>TUESDAY</b>   | 2:00 pm  | Tuesdays at Two Bible Study  |
|                  | 7:00 pm  | Board of Elders              |
| <b>WEDNESDAY</b> | 6:30 am  | Women's Bible Class @ Cronks |
|                  | 8:30 am  | Chapel                       |
|                  | 10:00 am | Board of Stewardship         |
|                  | 6:00 pm  | Youth Confirmation           |
|                  | 7:30 pm  | Connect Youth Group          |
| <b>THURSDAY</b>  | 10:00 am | Bible Class                  |
|                  | 1:00 pm  | Nifty Needles                |
|                  | 7:00 pm  | Evening Guild                |
| <b>FRIDAY</b>    | 6:30 am  | Men's Bible Class @ Cronks   |
|                  | 7:30 am  | Prayer Party                 |
| <b>SATURDAY</b>  | 6:30 pm  | Traditional Worship †        |
| <b>SUNDAY</b>    | 8:00 am  | Traditional Worship          |
|                  | 9:15 am  | Sunday School/Bible Class    |
|                  | 10:30 am | Contemporary Worship         |
|                  | 6:00 pm  | Youth Group                  |

Bible studies at Zion include:  
 Sunday mornings at 9:30 in the church dining hall; Tuesdays @ Two womens' study in the parish hall basement; Womens' study at 6:30 a.m. on Wednesdays at Cronks; Thursday mornings at 10:00 in the church dining hall; Mens' study at 6:30 a.m. on Fridays at Cronks; and Prayer Party at 7:30 a.m. on Fridays during school.

Join us for one or all!



**Please sign the Ritual of Friendship Book located in the pew!**

Serving This Week

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| <b>Feb. 2 6:30</b> | <b>Elders:</b> Butch Miller                                                                                   | <b>Acolyte:</b> Summer Lamaak                                |
|                    | <b>Projector:</b> Carson Wight                                                                                | <b>Greeters:</b> Colton Neumann, Jason & Jean Arn Family     |
|                    | <b>Ushers:</b> Brady Lutz, Dave Haase                                                                         |                                                              |
| <b>Feb. 3 8:00</b> | <b>Elder:</b> Marc Gosch, Brian Christensen                                                                   | <b>Acolyte:</b> Lauren Bowker                                |
|                    | <b>Projector:</b> Volunteer Needed                                                                            | <b>Greeters:</b> Hugo Boettger, Matt & Gretchen Gosch Family |
|                    | <b>Ushers:</b> Ashlyn & Lauren Herrig, Butch Munson, Dave Bockelmann, Dave Johnson, Ron Paulsen, David Miller |                                                              |
| <b>10:30</b>       | <b>Elder:</b> Trevor Gress, Brian Kempfert                                                                    | <b>Acolyte:</b> Volunteer Needed                             |
|                    | <b>Projector:</b> Michelle Friedrichsen                                                                       | <b>Greeters:</b> Marc & Holly Meyer                          |
|                    | <b>Ushers:</b> Morgan Winey, George & Susan Salmon, Pam Soseman                                               |                                                              |

Serving Next Week

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| <b>Feb. 9 6:30</b>  | <b>Elders:</b> Mark Feller, Bob Matthiesen                                            | <b>Acolyte:</b> Leigha Brungardt                               |
|                     | <b>Projector:</b> Summer Lamaak                                                       | <b>Greeters:</b> Colton Neumann, Rick & Jodi Lorenzen          |
|                     | <b>Ushers:</b> Dave Haase, <b>Volunteers Needed</b>                                   |                                                                |
| <b>Feb. 10 8:00</b> | <b>Elder:</b> Larry Berner                                                            | <b>Acolyte:</b> Ashlyn & Lauren Herrig                         |
|                     | <b>Projector:</b> Hugo Boettger                                                       | <b>Greeters:</b> Brittany Krajicek, Roger, Val & Heidi Reimers |
|                     | <b>Ushers:</b> Butch Munson, Dave Bockelmann, Dave Johnson, Ron Paulsen, David Miller |                                                                |
| <b>10:30</b>        | <b>Elder:</b> Dave Nemitz                                                             | <b>Acolyte:</b> Volunteer Needed                               |
|                     | <b>Projector:</b> Michelle Friedrichsen                                               | <b>Greeters:</b> Kieth & Deb Osborn                            |
|                     | <b>Ushers:</b> Garret Plagge, George & Susan Salmon, Pam Soseman                      |                                                                |



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Zion Office Hours:  
 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. M-F

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

February 2 & 3, 2019



**Last Week Statistics:**

Attendance: 253  
 Communion: 64  
 Offering: \$9,068.45  
 Sunday School Attendance: 45  
 Sunday School Offering: \$19.75

**Hymns:**

6:30 - 523, 583, 605, 922  
 8:00 - 523, 583, 605, 618, 637, 922

**Divine Service, Setting One, Pg. 151**



**"I set you apart."**

**JEREMIAH 1:5, NIV**

**As We Gather...** Children and youth can easily be seen as the “church of the future” or future leaders in society. In Jeremiah 1:4-10, God trains and equips children to be faithful followers now, not later. Identify how you can support and mentor children and youth in the faith community and larger society.

**Stewardship Corner...** St. Paul urges the Corinthians to grow in love, to grow up into the image of Christ who demonstrates what love looks like with His sacrifice on the cross. For love always seeks the good of the other, always seeks to serve, to give, to bless.

**Youth Group Super Bowl Party** tonight at 6 p.m. at Jalene Knudsen’s house. Please see Phil Oehrlich for information and address. All youth grades 6-12 are welcome and encouraged to come. Please bring a snack to share!

**Join the Sunday morning Bible class!** We just started the book “Built on a Rock.” The book is a wonderful resource for strengthening churches. Pastor Josh is leading this study from 9:15-10:15 in the church basement every Sunday morning.

**Thy Strong Word** Listen to KDSN (107.1 FM) for these 3-4 minute devotions (Mon.-Sat.) at 6:25 a.m. This week’s speaker is Pastor Kaiser.

**Lutheran Witness Renewals** are now due. Cost is \$22.68 for the year. If you would like to start receiving this publication, please let the Zion office know.

**Offering Statements for 2018** are available to be picked up in the church office. If it is more convenient to have them emailed, faxed, or sent to you, please call and let us know.

**Channel 13** Dedicated to Raymond and Clara Walde in honor of their wedding anniversary on January 21, 1951, from Neal, Russell and Dale Walde. Call the Zion office for sponsorship opportunities. Shown at 4:30 pm on Sundays on local cable channel 121.2.

**Purchased House** The house on the corner of 11th Street and Broadway that Zion purchased will soon be demolished. If you are interested in purchasing all of the interior fixtures such as doors, cupboards, woodwork, etc., there will be a walk-through on Sunday, February 10 from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. You must show a Certificate of Insurance before you enter the home. Please bring this with you. Zion will receive sealed bids by 4:00 p.m. February 28 for everything in the house (house included if you would like to keep the house and move it). Any questions, please talk to Pastor Josh or one of the Zion Trustees. Winning bidder will have two weeks in the house (by March 31) to remove what they desire.

**Old Testament Reading**

**Jeremiah 1:4-10**  
<sup>4</sup>Now the word of the LORD came to me, saying, <sup>5</sup>“Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations.” <sup>6</sup>Then I said, “Ah, Lord GOD! Behold, I do not know how to speak, for I am only a youth.” <sup>7</sup>But the LORD said to me, “Do not say, ‘I am only a youth’; for to all to whom I send you, you shall go, and whatever I command you, you shall speak. <sup>8</sup>Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, declares the LORD.” <sup>9</sup>Then the LORD put out his hand and touched my mouth. And the LORD said to me, “Behold, I have put my words in your mouth. <sup>10</sup>See, I have set you this day over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to break down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant.”

**Epistle Reading**

**1 Corinthians 12:31b-13:13**  
I will show you a still more excellent way. <sup>1</sup>If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. <sup>2</sup>And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. <sup>3</sup>If I give away all I have, and if I deliver up my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing. <sup>4</sup>Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant <sup>5</sup>or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; <sup>6</sup>it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. <sup>7</sup>Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. <sup>8</sup>Love never ends. As for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. <sup>9</sup>For we know in part and we prophesy in part, <sup>10</sup>but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away. <sup>11</sup>When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I gave up childish ways. <sup>12</sup>For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I have been fully known. <sup>13</sup>So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

**Jeremiah 1:4-10**

**Holy Gospel Reading**

**Luke 4:31-44**  
<sup>31</sup>[Jesus] went down to Capernaum, a city of Galilee. And he was teaching them on the Sabbath, <sup>32</sup>and they were astonished at his teaching, for his word possessed authority. <sup>33</sup>And in the synagogue there was a man who had the spirit of an unclean demon, and he cried out with a loud voice, <sup>34</sup>“Ha! What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God.” <sup>35</sup>But Jesus rebuked him, saying, “Be silent and come out of him!” And when the demon had thrown him down in their midst, he came out of him, having done him no harm. <sup>36</sup>And they were all amazed and said to one another, “What is this word? For with authority and power he commands the unclean spirits, and they come out!” <sup>37</sup>And reports about him went out into every place in the surrounding region. <sup>38</sup>And he arose and left the synagogue and entered Simon’s house. Now Simon’s mother-in-law was ill with a high fever, and they appealed to him on her behalf. <sup>39</sup>And he stood over her and rebuked the fever, and it left her, and immediately she rose and began to serve them. <sup>40</sup>Now when the sun was setting, all those who had any who were sick with various diseases brought them to him, and he laid his hands on every one of them and healed them. <sup>41</sup>And demons also came out of many, crying, “You are the Son of God!” But he rebuked them and would not allow them to speak, because they knew that he was the Christ. <sup>42</sup>And when it was day, he departed and went into a desolate place. And the people sought him and came to him, and would have kept him from leaving them, <sup>43</sup>but he said to them, “I must preach the good news of the kingdom of God to the other towns as well; for I was sent for this purpose.” <sup>44</sup>And he was preaching in the synagogues of Judea.

**Thank You**

Thank you to Zion School students for providing us with wonderful music this morning at the 10:30 service. We have many talented youth at Zion! Thank you also to Mrs. Elizabeth Kempfert, Zion music teacher, for directing this wonderful performance celebrating Lutheran Schools Week.

**This Week’s Bible Verses:**

Sunday - Luke 4:21-30 - The prophet Jesus is rejected  
Monday - Jeremiah 1:4-10 - The Lord chooses the boy Jeremiah  
Tuesday - 1 Corinthians 13:1-13 - The gift of love  
Wednesday - 2 Chronicles 34:1-7 - The reign of Josiah  
Thursday - Acts 10:44-48 - Gentiles receive the Holy Spirit  
Friday - John 1:43-51 - Jesus calls Philip and Nathanael  
Saturday - Psalm 71:1-6 - A prayer for God’s protection  
Sunday - Luke 5:1-11 - Jesus calls the first disciples

**Casey’s Doughnut Cards**

\$10 each; buy 6 cake doughnuts, get 6 cake doughnuts free (use 10 times). Buy in the Zion office. These cards are sold to help the Zion 8th grade students with their class trip in May.



**For Healing...** Lisa Meyer, Leonard Walde, Sierra Parr, Sharlene Hansen, Payton Emery, Carolyn Bryant, William Gehring (*Names will be carried on the list for 3 weeks. Please call the office if you would like a name on for an additional 3 weeks.*)

**Happy Birthday to...** Glenda Bielenberg, Dale Carstensen, Joyce Denker, William Duoth, Renee Reis, Lyle Frazier, Clara Schumann, Ashley Schurke, Falyn Winey, Zander Winey, Mario Archila-Berner, Mark Bockelmann, Hudson Reis, Dan Haase, Wyley Henningsen-Dearduff, Michelle Raisch, Eric Emery, Lincoln Thies, Adeisia Boeck, Azariah Boeck, Libbie Johnston, Ken Ransom, Denise Slechta, Richard Wessel, Adam Blum, Dwight Boeck, Kitty Caporale, Susan Frazier

**Happy Anniversary to...** Jim & Lynn Brown, Butch & Renee Miller, Kevin & Mary Boger, Ron & Donna Preul

**Families and Zion Staff including...** Jeanine Baker, Bud & Vicki Borcharding, Aaron, Deb, Dawson, Peyton and Teagen Gress, Joe & Lori Houston and Ed and Carol Fink