

# ZION NEWS

WELCOMING ALL, GROWING & SHARING GOD'S LOVE

## THIS WEEK AT ZION

### Saturday, March 23

5:00 PM Worship Service

### Sunday, March 24 Palm Sunday

8:00 AM Worship Service

9:15 AM Sunday School

9:15 AM Choir Practice

10:30 AM Worship Service



### Monday, March 25

8:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

### Tuesday, March 26

7:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

8:00 AM Men's Bible Study — Shawano's Café

9:00 AM LWR Mission Quilting

### Wednesday, March 27

8:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

### Thursday, March 28 Maundy Thursday

7:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

5:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

6:00 PM Worship Service

7:00 PM AA — Youth Room



### Friday, March 29 Good Friday

1:00 PM Worship Service

6:00 PM Worship Service



### Saturday, March 30

5:00 PM NO Worship Service

### Sunday, March 31 Easter Sunday

8-11 AM Easter Pancake Breakfast

8:00 AM Worship Service

10:30 AM Worship Service



Monday, April 1 Church Office Closed

## ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

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### BOX SCORES

#### Worship Attendance

Lent Wed.	11 AM	canceled
Lent Wed.	6:00 PM	73
Saturday	5:00 PM	52
Sunday	8:00 AM	37
Sunday	10:30 AM	87
In-Person Total		249
Online Views as of 3/21/24		246

#### Wed., March 13, 2024

General Fund \$185

#### Sun., March 17, 2024

General Fund \$8,686

Building Fund \$352

Restricted Funds \$945

Thank you ZION for your continued support!

You're Invited to Join Us

## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

**MAUNDY THURSDAY | 6 PM**  
**GOOD FRIDAY | 1 PM & 6 PM**  
**EASTER SUNDAY | 8 AM & 10:30 AM**  
**ONLINE | WWW.SHAWANOZION.ORG**

IN OUR  
*Thoughts and Prayers*  
 Gerald Bartline Don Schultz Barbara Bergum  
 Terry Fusek Dejon Polzin Michael Sleeper  
 Adeline Holtz Mary Huelskamp

### HOLY BAPTISMS

**Donald Marvin Otte** – Grandfather

*Son of Marvin H. & Ollie M. Otte*

Sponsors: McLane Miller & Nash Hoffman

**Tate Donald Hoffman** – Grandson

*Son of Michael V. Hoffman & Rachel Otte Hoffman*

Sponsors: Katie & Jason Otto

By Pastor Ludford in ZION Chapel, Sunday after Worship.

### PANCAKE & PORKIE EASTER BREAKFAST

Easter Sunday

March 31 ~ 8-11 AM

All You Can Eat:

Pancakes, sausage, applesauce, coffee, milk and juice.



In the Fellowship Hall.  
 Free will offering.

**National Youth Gathering Fundraiser**



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

ZION'S *SCUBA* Vacation Bible School is for children currently in 4K-5th grade. It will be held **Aug. 5-8** from **9 AM-Noon**. Adult and youth volunteers are needed. *Watch for more details to come!*

## DIAPER DRIVE – HELP US FILL THE BOX

The Health Ministry committee is sponsoring a **Diaper Drive** the month of **April**. Please help us to fill the box in the Narthex with baby diapers sizes 3-7. The diapers will be going to the **Snuggled with a Hug Diaper Bank** which, supports families struggling financially to purchase diapers for their infant or toddlers. The diaper bank happens twice monthly at the First Presbyterian Church in Shawano. Currently 150 families are enrolled in the program here in the Shawano area. Thank you for being so supportive.

## ZLCW'S BASKET SILENT AUCTION

ZLCW will again hold its Basket Silent Auction from **April 13 to 21**. Please bring donated baskets to ZION by **April 12**. We look forward to the friendly bidding in support of this fundraiser!

## STUDENTS SING & LOUD OFFERINGS

Sunday School students will be singing at **10:30 AM** Worship services on **April 14** and **May 12**. The kids will also collect "loud offerings" on those weekends.

## GARDEN PLOTS AVAILABLE!

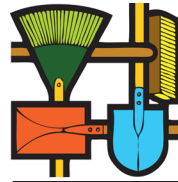
Plan to attend the Annual Meeting for **Dreams of Green Community Garden** on **Tues., April 30 at 5:30 PM** being held at ZION to reserve your plot(s) for \$8. Sign-up sheets are available now at the Info Desk. Questions, call **715.544.8107** or email [dreamsofgreen63@gmail.com](mailto:dreamsofgreen63@gmail.com)

## FIRST COMMUNION CLASS

Class will be **Sat., March 23** from **Noon-1:30 PM**. Parents, if you believe your child is ready to receive communion, please plan to attend. If you have questions about the readiness of your child, please feel free to consult with Pastor. At least one parent must be with their child in this class. The children will receive their First Communion at the **Maundy Thursday** service on **March 28 at 6 PM**.



## SPRING CLEANUP



Consider helping with **Spring cleanup** at ZION. *Mark your calendars* as the date is **Sat., April 6** (Rain date: Sat., April 20). ZION Property committee appreciates everyone's help this year!

## JOIN THE FIGHT AGAINST CANCER!

Join our ZION walkers and other Relay For Life teams in raising funds or just drop by to give your support at Join our ZION walkers and other Relay For Life teams in raising funds, or just drop by to give your support at the **Shawano-Menominee Relay For Life on Sat., April 6 at Shawano Community High School from 9 AM to 3 PM**. Donation envelopes are provided in the Narthex, or you may also donate online (Search team: ZION walkers). Visit [www.relayforlife.org/shawano-menominee.wi](http://www.relayforlife.org/shawano-menominee.wi). Questions, call **Kathy at 715.853.2464** or **Dolly at 715.799.4029**.

## ZION MISSION QUILTERS

We need large pieces of fabric and bed sheets for the quilt tops and backs we make for the Lutheran World Relief. Please think of us when cleaning out closets or fabric stashes. If you have any questions, contact **Karen at 715.526.2445** or **Dorothy at 715.526.2650**.



## ZION BOOK CLUB

Join ZION's Book Club on **April 10 at 10 AM** in the ZION Library. The book club choice is "*The Sweetness of Forgetting*" by *Kristin Harmel*. For questions, contact **Deb at 320.493.0284** or **Dorothy at 715.526.2650**.

## WEE CARE COOKIE SALES

Our March cookie sale earned Wee Care \$719. Thank you to our Congregation and friends; it is one of the most significant sales yet. The following **cookie sale** will be the **frosted maple cookies**. It all will happen on **April 6-7**. Thank you to Bob Hass for the maple syrup donation.



**"I'm playing a crowd member in the Passion Play. I was going to play Pilate 'til I found out I'd have to wash my hands."**