

ZION NEWS

WELCOMING ALL, GROWING & SHARING GOD'S LOVE

THIS WEEK AT ZION

Saturday, January 6 Epiphany: Baptism of Our Lord
5:00 PM Worship Service

Sunday, January 7
8:00 AM Worship Service
9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service



Monday, January 8 Annual Report Articles Deadline
8:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall
12:00 PM Health Ministry Committee — Room 101
5:00 PM Worship & Music Committee Meeting
5:30 PM Girl Scout Leader's Meeting
6:00 PM Youth & Family Committee Meeting

Tuesday, January 9
7:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall
8:00 AM Men's Bible Study — Shawano's Café
9:00 AM LWR Mission Quilting
10:00 AM Finance Committee Meeting
6:00 PM Church Council Meeting

Wednesday, January 10
8:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall
9:15 AM Book Club — Library
1:00 PM ZLCW Board Meeting
5:00 PM Joyful Ringers Rehearsal
6:00 PM Education Committee Meeting
6:00 PM Confirmation Class

Thursday, January 11
7:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall
10:30 AM By-Laws Committee Meeting
12:00 PM Office Closed in afternoon
4:30 PM Girl Scouts #4723 — Room B24
6:30 PM Girl Scouts #4717

Saturday, January 13
5:00 PM Worship Service

Sunday, January 14
8:00 AM Worship Service
9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service

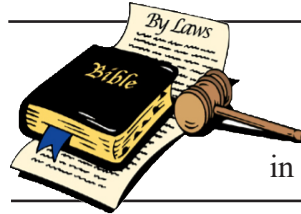


IN OUR
Thoughts and Prayers

Gerald Bartline Don Schultz
Terry Fusek Dejon Polzin Charlie Grieves

ANNUAL REPORT DEADLINE

Annual Committee Reports *DUE* on office Mon., Jan. 8.



ANNUAL MEETING

ZION Annual Meeting will be
Sun., Jan. 28, 2024 at 11:30 AM
in the Sanctuary. Please plan to attend.

CHURCH COUNCIL

The following positions are up for election or re-election in January 2024.

- ✓ President
- ✓ Vice-President
- ✓ Life & Growth
- ✓ Stewardship
- ✓ Education
- ✓ Church in Society

ZION YOUTH

ZION Youth are attending the **National Youth Gathering July 16-20 in New Orleans**. Any youth in grades 8-12 are invited to come! Sign up at the Info Desk or contact Curt Preston at 715.853.4999. Watch for planning meetings! Visit www.elca.church/gathering for more information.



HEARING IMPAIRED

Hearing Impaired Equipment is available for ZION worship services. Please see the ushers.

CHANCEL FLOWERS

Have a **special event** or **anniversary**, or would you like to **honor someone's memory**? Chancel flowers are a wonderful way to share your celebration with ZION! A **NEW 2024 sign-up flower calendar** is posted near the office. You may also **sponsor a bulletin** in honor or in memory of someone! \$20 sponsorship fee goes to offset the cost of printing bulletins.



ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

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ATTENDANCE

Sunday 9:00 AM 68
Online Views as of 01/03/24 88

Sun., December 31, 2023

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| General Fund | 3,970 |
| Building Fund | \$660 |
| Restricted Funds | \$383 |

"Where is the one who has been born

KING OF THE JEWS?

We saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him."

Matthew 2:2, NIV



WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

Please use this link <http://bit.ly/ShawanoZionVolunteer> to access **SignUpGenius**. It is running using the email: volunteer@shawanozion.org. If you're unable to sign up, please send your email address and we'll send you the link. There's also a sign-up sheet at the Info Desk also, and a **Volunteer Hotline** to call. Leave a message at **715.390.5003**.

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

Sat., Jan. 6 ~ Worship Service

5 PM Ushers ~ **John & Joyce Phalen**
Greeter ~ **Judy Kilbourn**
Lay Reader & Comm. Asst. ~ **Keith Milner**

Sun., Jan. 7 ~ Worship Service

8 AM Ushers ~ **OPEN**
Greeter ~ **Ginny Vraney**
Lay Reader ~ **Vicki Heling**
Comm. Assts. ~ **Matt & Vicki Heling, Bob Hass**
Projectionist ~ **Julie Effenberger**

10:30 AM Ushers ~ **Russ & Nancy Wise, 2 OPEN**
Greeter ~ **OPEN**
Comm. Assts. ~ **OPEN**
Lay Reader ~ **Joel Yeakey**
Projectionist ~ **OPEN**

Sat., Jan. 13 ~ Worship Service

5 PM Ushers ~ **John & Joyce Phalen**
Greeter ~ **Steve Dalke**
Lay Reader & Comm. Asst. ~ **OPEN**

Sun., Jan. 14 ~ Worship Service

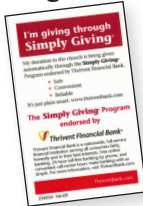
8 AM Ushers ~ **OPEN**
Greeter ~ **Lisa Onesti**
Lay Reader ~ **OPEN**
Comm. Assts. ~ **Bart, Debbie & Bailey DeFere**
Projectionist ~ **Nancy Schultz**

10:30 AM Ushers ~ **Robert & Jackie Weier, 2 OPEN**
Greeter ~ **OPEN**
Comm. Assts. ~ **OPEN**
Lay Reader ~ **OPEN**
Projectionist ~ **OPEN**

E-GIVING

Contributions can be debited automatically from your checking or savings account!

Our **Simply Giving** electronic giving (e-giving) program, endorsed by Thrivent, offers convenience for you and much-needed donation consistency for ZION. You no longer need to write a check or prepare envelopes.



Simply Giving cards are located in each pew, to be placed into the offering plate instead of your envelope. And, when travel, illness or other circumstances prevent you from attending services, this program will allow Your weekly offering to continue on an uninterrupted basis.

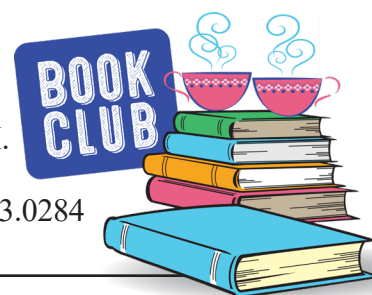
Download an authorization form at www.shawanozion.org/resources/Forms/Electronic%20Giving%20Authorization%20Form%202013-10.pdf or contact the office for a form or with questions.

Reminder to Direct Deposit Contributors:

Your pledged amounts can be easily changed for 2024 by notifying the office with your new pledge amount.

ZION BOOK CLUB

Do you like to read? ZION's **Book Club** starts this week on **Wed., Jan. 10 at 9:15 AM**. We meet in ZION's Library. Questions, call Deb at 320.493.0284 or Dorothy at 715.526.2650.



FOOD PANTRY

ZION gathers food items for SAFPARC. You may leave your nonperishable food items in the food cupboard located in the Commons near the Library entrance.



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