



ZION NEWS

Welcoming All, Growing, and Sharing God's Love † October 11, 2020

This week....

Saturday, October 10

5:00 p.m. Worship Service - Sanctuary

Sunday, October 11

9:30 a.m. Outdoor Worship Service at Zion

Wednesday, October 14

11:00 a.m. Outdoor Communion Worship - Zion

1:00 p.m. ZLCW Board Meeting - Commons

1:30 p.m. Finance Committee - Rm 101

6:00 p.m. Outdoor Communion Worship - Zion

6:30 p.m. Youth Committee - Parking Lot

7:00 p.m. Property Committee - Commons

Saturday, October 17

5:00 p.m. Worship Service - Sanctuary

Sunday, October 18

9:30 a.m. Outdoor Worship Service at Zion

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Find the worship volunteer schedules, the News, the Focus, forms, and a link to our calendar.



Daylight Savings Time
Ends
Sunday, Nov. 1



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Jennifer Greiert..... nurse@shawanozion.org

Communion Services Outdoors on Zion's Lawn during October!



Wednesdays

11:00 am & 6:00 pm

Bring a lawn chair if you wish!

Sunday Mornings

9:30 a.m. outdoors at Zion starts October 4



Sunday service short-range radio broadcast FM 89.9

Feel free to stay in your vehicle in the parking lot & listen! Communion will be brought to you.



In our thoughts & prayers

Mitzi Moesch
Kendra Kristof
Dennis Draper
Larry Gueths
Joyce Elertson

Joyce Engel
Delores Paulson
Anita Stobenvoll
Dejon Polzin

Members names will be published on the Prayer List for 2 weeks. If you wish your name to remain for on the list, please call the office.

Our Sympathies to...

...Sandy & Steve, and John Rhode. Sandy's mother, **Delores "Dolly" Pari**, passed away on Friday, October 2. A memorial service will take place next summer on July 11.



Youth Will Do

Yard Leaf Clean-up starting the 2nd week in October!

To make arrangements for your yard...

sschultz1@charter.net or kronedan@gmail.com

Wrapped Secret Prayer Pal cup needs to be dropped off at church by Tuesday, October 13.



Starting Wednesday, October 14, you may pick up a cup at church from someone else and that person will become your **Secret Prayer Pal**.

A table will be provided outside (weather permitting) the front entrance at church or just inside the commons.

Questions? 715-558-6085



Anyone and Everyone Interested in learning to how to broadcast and record live our worship service please contact the office, Pastor Scott, or Chris Dalke.

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Worship Attendance

Wed., Sept. 30 10 & NS
October 4...
Saturday 5:00 p.m. 13
Sunday 9:30 a.m. 45
Online: 80 Views as of 10/08

Deposited 10/05/2020

General Fund \$ 6,018.00
Building Fund \$ 695.00
Restricted/Special Funds \$ 140.00

Thank you Zion members for your support!



Due to COVID-19 Our Thanksgiving Turkey Has No Feathers To Pluck!

Dear Zion Members,

It is with a heavy, health minded heart that the Church in Society Committee has decided to forgo the Thanksgiving Meal this year. This was not an easy decision. We looked into pursuing a curbside pick-up option. Besides the logistics and planning pieces, we weighed the benefits and risks for all involved.

In lieu of the meal this year, we ask you all to consider another method of being thankful and “GIVING.” **Instead of plucking feathers and bringing items for the meal we ask you to make a monetary donation which will go toward a SAFFARC gift from Zion at Thanksgiving. Checks should be made out to Zion Lutheran Church, on the memo line write “Turkey Feathers.” Also write this on your envelope on the *Other Fund* line.**

It is our goal to revive the Thanksgiving meal next year, so we look forward with anticipation. Thank you for your understanding and consideration with this year’s changes.

~ Church in Society Committee

Dear Zion Members,

You may not know it, but this is a significant month for our pastor. October is Pastor Appreciation Month, bringing with it a complex mix of conflicting thoughts and emotions for most pastors.



Ministry is an amazing call, full of great joys and significant moments in people’s lives: officiating weddings, presiding over funerals, seeing first-hand how lives are changed for Christ. But it’s also full of tension: intense conflict, unrealistic expectations, relational strain, and, at times, soul-aching loneliness.

Pastor Appreciation Month (originally called Clergy Appreciation Month) was established in 1992 by a group of pastors and church leaders to honor those who serve in ministry. They grounded the celebration in Paul’s words to Timothy: “The elders who direct the affairs of the church well are worthy of double honor, especially those whose work is preaching and teaching” (1 Tim. 5:17). No, it’s not an official holiday, but it is nationally recognized, like Boss Appreciation Day and Administrative Assistant Day.

Please let Pastor Scott know how much he is appreciated and encourage him to continue bringing God’s Word to us with kind words, a simple, hand-written card, or a quick text of gratitude for his faithfulness to the congregation.

~ Zion’s Personnel Committee

We Need YOU for Zion Treasurer



The treasurer shall have supervision of all financial funds of the Congregation, including the receipt and disbursement and reporting of these funds in accordance with the Congregation or Congregation Council. This position requires basic knowledge of accounting, investments and computer software programs. Required time is estimated at 3-5 hours per week at home or church and double that at year-end. The treasurer serves as a member of the Congregation Council, the Endowment Committee, and the Finance Committee.

**Interested in serving in this position?
Call us! E-mail us! Talk with Pastor!**

Election happens at the January Annual Meeting!



**Anyone interested in restarting our
Book Club at Zion?**

**We are planning to read *Ordinary Grace*
by William Kent Krueger.**

We plan to meet in the Commons area—physically distanced, and of course, masked. Wednesday, November 11 3:30 pm unless another time works better for the majority attending. If interested contact Joni Shebuski 715-526-6453 or Sharon Erickson 715-524-4280.

CHANGES TO ADVENT FOOD BAGS!

As you may remember the food drive for the Zion Advent bags was usually held around Thanksgiving through Christmas. Health Ministry would like to continue the event, but due to COVID-19 we need to take a little different twist on the process. Instead of requesting donated non-perishable food goods, we are requesting monetary donations to purchase grocery gift cards for families in need and for SAFFARC the local food pantry.



To make a donation, before December 14, please write a check to Zion Lutheran Church and note HMC Advent bags on the memo line or place cash in an envelope with a note that it is for HMC Advent bags. You may drop the checks or cash off at the church or mail to Zion Lutheran Church, 1254 S Union St, Shawano, WI 54166. Any questions may be directed to Parish Nurse Jennifer Greiert at nurse@shawanozion.org or 715-526-2017.

These are difficult times for many families, and some are experiencing more hardships than ever before. Sharing God’s blessings helps those in need and renews the giver’s soul. Trust the Lord as he guides you in bringing comfort to others.

~ Health Ministry Committee