## WELCOME TO ZION

We're so glad you're here! We celebrate Holy Communion at every weekend service at ZION, and invite all baptized and communing Christians to partake. At the Shawano County Park services we have Communion the second Sunday of the month. Children are always welcome in worship and are invited to come forward for a blessing during communion! Our services have children's messages, and if your little one needs a break, Noah's Ark Nursery is behind the Sanctuary. Kids in Church activity bags are located in the Narthex.

**Restrooms** are near the Union Street entrance, in the lower level, and inside Noah's Ark Nursery.

**Welcome Pads** Whether you're a ZION member or visiting for the first time, please take a moment to sign the Welcome Pad located in your pew.

We'd love you to **make ZION your church home!** Fill out a Welcome Card and drop it in the offering plate, or simply scan the QR Code to access ZION's Membership App. You can also reach out to our church office any time. We're excited to welcome you and look forward to growing together on our faith journey!

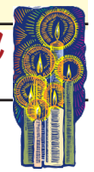
### All Saints 2026: Remember the Faithful

On **All Saints Sunday, Nov. 1, 2026**, we remember with love and thanksgiving those who have entered eternal rest: Donald Anker, Gerald Bartline, Constance L. "C**onnie" Birkholz, Karen Corn, Marilyn Dahl, Carolyn June Erickson, Terry Fusek, Ewald "Jake" Giese Jr., Nancy Goode, Jean (Gipp) Hacker, David O. "Dave" Hintz, Lynn Hintz, Paul R. Hintz, Esther Hopkins, Charlotte Claire Johnson, Marlene Joyce Johnson, Daniel S. Koral, Kim K. Meyer, Stuart Oestreich, Sally A. Peterson, Annette E. "Nettie" Rosenberg, Clarence W. Schampers, Donald "Don" Schultz, Richard "Dick" Sperberg, Dennis Duane Wegner, Yvonne Wolf,** and **James "Jim" Yeakey**. We give thanks to God for their lives and the love they shared, and we hold their families and friends in prayer, trusting in Christ's promise of resurrection and eternal life.

# ZION News

WELCOMING ALL, GROWING & SHARING GOD'S LOVE

## THIS WEEK AT ZION



### SAT., OCT. 31 *All Saints Weekend*
**Worship Service | 5 PM**

### SUN., NOV. 1
**Worship Service | 8 AM**
**Choir Rehearsal & Kids of the Kingdom | 9:15 AM**
**Worship Service | 10:30 AM** *(Zion Choir)*

### MON., NOV. 2
**Strong Bodies | 8:30 AM**
**Health Ministry Committee | 12 PM**
**Thanksgiving Dinner Planning | 2 PM**
**Worship & Music Committee | 5 PM**

### TUES., NOV. 3
**Strong Bodies | 7:30 AM**
**LWR Mission Quilting | 9 AM**




### WED., NOV. 4
**Strong Bodies | 8:30 AM**
**Joyful Ringers Rehearsal | 5 PM**
**Confirmation Class | 6 PM**
**Youth Group | 6:30 PM**

### THURS., NOV. 5
**Strong Bodies | 7:30 AM**

### SAT., NOV. 7 *Veterans Day Weekend*
**Worship Service | 5 PM**



### SUN., NOV. 8
**Worship Service | 8 AM**
**Kids of the Kingdom | 9:15 AM**
**Worship Service | 10:30 AM**
**Youth Committee | 11:30 AM**




## PRAYER & CARE AT ZION

### Need prayer? Prayer is powerful!

Our **Prayer Chain** is here to pray with and for you. Requests go to our Prayer Chain Co-Captains:
**Renee Elertson | 715.851.2548 | *elertson3@hotmail.com***
**Winnie Preston | 715.851.9576 | *lorinpreston34@icloud.com***

**Pastoral Care** Need to speak with Pastor or request a pastoral visit? Contact the ZION office.

**Lift In Your Prayers ... Don Anderson, Richard Bahr, Dale Bergsbaken, Leslie Buckbee, Bob Burdick, Audrey Ganzel, Larry Gueths, Pete Hintz, Joanne Horn, Bob Janicki, Lois Korth, Dorothy Kunst, Wendy Nead, Anita Stubenvoll, Judy Wendt,** *and in the military:* **Drake Herm, Aschton Pitts,** and **Mitchell Vanderpoel.**

## WORSHIP & MINISTRY

**Attendance** Online~66
Sat. 5 PM~42 Sun. 8 AM~64 Sun. 10:30 AM~163

**Weekly Offering** **General $3,578** (*Budget $9,115*)
Building $61 Restricted $464 **Total $4,103**

**Roof Fund** **$27,714.74** (*as of 9/30/2026*)

**Van Fund** **$7,090.00** (*as of 9/30/2026*)

**Altar Guild** **Dorothy Eidahl**

### New ZION Church Directories are Here!

**Directories are available to pick up.** Please check your family's information. If you see errors, or corrections, contact the church office or a member of the Life & Growth Committee. **A few additional directories are here and available for purchase.** Members who joined ZION after photographs were taken in May 2025 will be offered a complimentary copy. **Additional copies are $17, ZION's cost**.

*~ Life & Growth Committee*

### ZLCW Silent Auction

The ZLCW Fall Silent Auction was once again a success, thanks to wonderful donated items, happy bidders, and generous participants! We **raised $3,015** to support area nonprofits. Thank you, Zion, for your generosity and support, and don't forget to join us for the Spring Auction!

*~ ZLCW Board*

## Share the Gift of Caring

### Safe Haven Wish List for November



Drop off beginning **Saturday, October 31st**

We will deliver on **Monday, November 23rd**

**Pick up list of items needed at the information desk.**

*The Health Ministry thanks you for your generous donations!*

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

# BLOOD DRIVE

*Give Blood Give Hope*

**Mon., Nov. 16**
**1-5:50 PM**

Many appointment times are already filled, but there are still openings!

To reserve your donation time, call Ginny Vraney at 715-799-3507.

*Your donation saves lives!*

THANK YOU FOR MAKING A DIFFERENCE!

## We Did It!

Yesterday was the final day of our **31 Days of Moving**! Whether you completed all 31 days, reached our goal of 25 days, or simply became more intentional about moving, you have accomplished something important. Finish with the 31-minute Halloween Hustle and then take a moment to think about what you enjoyed and what healthy habit you want to continue. Thank you for being part of Fall into Fitness and encouraging one another along the way. Congratulations and don't let October be the end. Keep moving! Let me know if you completed the challenge, I have a gift for you!! Stop in the Health and Wellness office to pick up your gift. Thanks!

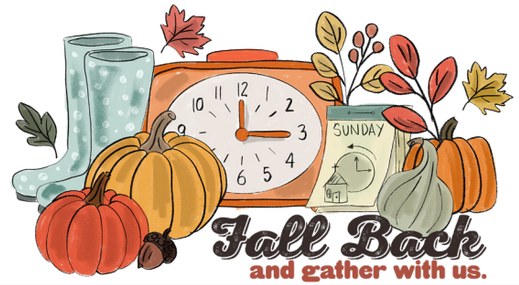
*~ Nancy Schultz, Health & Wellness Coordinator*

## Youth Lock-In: Weekend of Nov. 7-8

Join us for a fun and memorable **Middle and High School Youth Lock-In** on **Nov. 7-8**! We're seeking chaperones and donations to ensure the event's success. If you can help, please sign up on the bulletin board or use the link sent by Kristin WhiteHorse. Your support makes a difference for our youth … thank you!

## Thanksgiving Volunteers & Planning Meeting

**Volunteers are needed** to help with our Thanksgiving dinner! We'll meet **Mon., Nov. 2** at **2 PM** in ZION's **Fellowship Hall**. If you can help with preparations or spare a few hours, we'd greatly appreciate it. Everyone interested in lending a hand is encouraged to attend. If you can't attend but would still like to help, contact **Joyce Phalen** at **715.584.1778**. Thanks for making this Thanksgiving celebration possible!




## Don't Forget to Turn Your Clocks Back!

Daylight Saving Time ends **Sun., Nov. 1, at 2 AM.** Set your clocks back one hour before heading to bed Sat. night. Enjoy an extra hour of sleep and arrive refreshed and on time for Sunday worship!

## Men's & Women's Bible Study & Fellowship

**Men's Bible Study** meets weekly on Tuesdays at **8 AM** at Shawano Cafe. **Women's Bible Study** meets at **3:30 PM** in the ZION Library on the third Monday of each month.




## Lay Volunteer Schedule

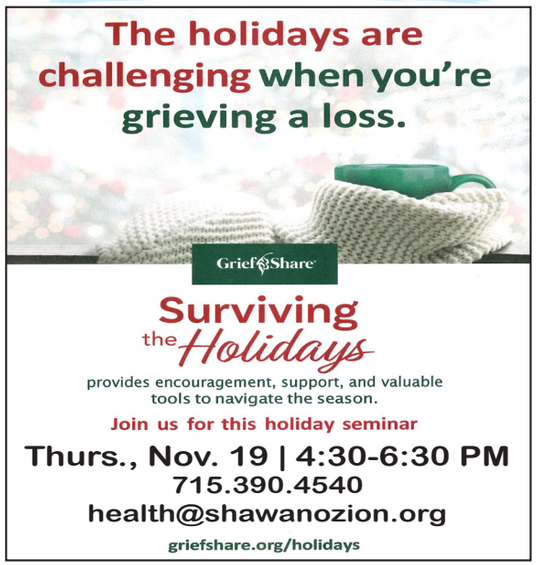
| October | Saturday 5 pm |
|---|---|
| Greeter | Debra Larson |
| Reader | |
| Communion Assistants | Dean & Christine Fellman |
| Usher | Diane Rugalski |
| Slide Operator | Randy Steffen |

| November | Sunday 8 am | Sunday 10:30 am |
|---|---|---|
| Greeter | Marcy Rosenow<br>Joanne DeFere | Sara & Peyton Boucher |
| Reader | Barb Hoppe | Sara & Peyton Boucher |
| Communion Assistants | Brian & Carey Grieves | Sara & Peyton Boucher<br>Winnie Preston 8, 22, & 29<br>Molly Hanson 1 |
| Usher | Jerry & Lauren Donath<br>Dan & Joy Fritz | Lorin Preston<br>Gail Hoffman<br>Paul & Tammy Huebner |
| Slide Operator | Julie Effenberger | Jenny Tonn 1<br>Noreen Christianson 8, 15, 22, & 29 |
















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