

WELCOMING ALL, GROWING & SHARING GOD'S LOVE

THE LORD GIVES *strength*
TO HIS PEOPLE; THE LORD *blesses*
HIS PEOPLE WITH PEACE.
PSALM 29:11, NIV

THOSE IN OUR PRAYERS



Richard Bahr, Alan Barnick, Gerald Bartline, Patricia Beck, Dale Bergsbaken, Leslie Buckbee, Roberta Bunting, Bob Burdick, Audrey Ganzel, Larry Gueths, Pete Hintz, Joanne Horn, Bob Janicki, Dorothy Kunst, Wendy Nead, Dale Schultz, Eugene "Hugs" Strebel, Anita Stubenvoll, and Judy Wendt, and in the military: Drake Herm, Aschton Pitts, and Mitchell Vanderpoel.

SUPPORT ZION AT CHARLIE'S RED BARN

ZION will be serving at Charlie's Red Barn on July 23-July 25, as a fundraiser for the church's General Fund. Volunteers are needed to help with setup, grilling, serving, cashiering, and cleanup throughout the event. Even stopping by for lunch helps support the ministry and mission of ZION. Sign-up at the Info Desk. Thank you!



WEE CARE BRAT STAND

The Wee Care Foodpacks fundraiser at Charlie's Red Barn on Sept. 21-23. Funds raised will support Wee Care's ongoing ministry of providing weekend food bags for local children in need. Volunteers are needed for a variety of shifts and positions, including grilling, serving, cashiering, setup, and cleanup. Sign-up sheets at the Info Desk. Your time and support make a difference for families throughout our community.

HONORING THOSE CALLED HOME



Richard "Dick" Sperberg was called home on April 4. Dick proudly served in the U.S. Army and dedicated many years of service to the City of Shawano through both the Police Department & Public Works. A Celebration of Life will be on Sat., June 6, at 11 AM at the American Legion in Shawano, with Pastor Ludford officiating. Please keep Anita and their family in your prayers. Visit: mickelsonfs.com/memorials/richard-sperberg/5704862/



Dennis Duane Wegner ~ We hold Doug Wegner and family in prayer as they mourn the loss of his father, Dennis, who entered eternal life. His funeral is at 11 AM on Sat., June 13, at Swedberg Funeral Home with Pastor Ludford officiating. Military Honors will follow the service by the Shawano VFW Post #2723. Visit: swedbergfuneralhome.com/obituaries/dennis-wegner



MEMORIAL GARDEN BLOOMS AT ZION

A beautiful new addition to the ZION grounds was planted this week under the bell tower on the southeast corner of the church in loving memory of longtime member **Yvonne Wolf**. The flowering shrub, a vibrant **Trilogy Weigela**, was generously donated by Yvonne's neighbors as a lasting tribute to her life and faith.



The **Memorial Garden** serves as a place of beauty, remembrance, and thanksgiving for those who have touched our lives. Congregation members who would like to honor a loved one with a memorial shrub or flowers are invited to contact the church office for more information. We give thanks for this meaningful gift that will bloom for years to come.



ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

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The butterfly reminds us of new life and the Resurrection. After three days, Jesus rose from the dead and brings us the hope of new beginnings. This simple craft helps children celebrate that joyful truth.

What you need:

- Light-colored construction paper
- Card stock
- Glue
- Paint
- Paintbrush
- Paper towel or baby wipe



What you do:

- Cut out a butterfly body from the construction paper.
- Glue the butterfly body onto the card stock.
- Use a paintbrush to coat the palm of one hand with paint.
- Press your painted hand beside the butterfly body to create a wing.
- Repeat with your other hand to make the second wing.
- Clean your hands with a paper towel or baby wipe.
- Optional: Add Luke 24:5-6 (NIV) around the butterfly or on its body:

"Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here; he has risen!"

THIS WEEK AT ZION

SAT., JUNE 6

Dick Sperberg Celebration of Life | 11 AM
Worship ~ ZION | 5 PM

SUN., JUNE 7

Worship ~ ZION | 8 AM
Worship ~ Shawano County Park | 9:30 AM

MON., JUNE 8

Strong Bodies | 8:30 AM
Staff Meeting | 10 AM

TUES., JUNE 9

Strong Bodies | 7:30 AM
Men's Breakfast | 8 AM
LWR Mission Quilting | 9 AM
Finance Committee | 10:30 AM
Holiday Marketplace Planning | 4 PM
Property Committee | 6 PM



WED., JUNE 10

Strong Bodies | 8:30 AM
GriefShare | 4:30 PM

THURS., JUNE 11

Strong Bodies | 7:30 AM

SAT., JUNE 13

Dennis Wegner Funeral | 1 AM
Worship ~ ZION | 5 PM

SUN., JUNE 14

Worship ~ ZION | 8 AM
Worship ~ Shawano County Park | 9:30 AM
Youth Committee Meeting | 11:30 AM



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

This bulletin and NEWS are sponsored by **Jim and Pat Kasten** in celebration of their 62nd wedding anniversary on June 8. We thank God for their love and faithfulness. *Congratulations and God's blessings!*

WELCOME

We're so glad you're here! We celebrate **Holy Communion** at every weekend service at ZION, and we invite all baptized and communing Christians to partake. **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. We provide **Kids in Church** activity bags in the Narthex.

RESTROOMS

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

WELCOME PADS

Whether you're a long-time member or visiting for the first time, please sign the **Welcome Pad** in your pew.

CARE TO JOIN

If you're new or would like to make ZION your church home, fill out a **Welcome Card** and place it in the offering plate. We'd be honored to have you in our faith family! Please scan the QR Code for ZION's **Membership Application** or contact the office. We can't wait to get to know you and walk alongside you in our faith!



ATTENDANCE

Sat. 5 PM ~ 26 Sun. 8 AM ~ 35 Park ~ 128 YouTube ~ 124

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

Total = \$7,704 General = \$4,525 Building = \$266 Restricted = \$2,913

MUSIC VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Help make worship in the park even more special this summer.

ZION is seeking individuals or groups willing to share their musical talents during our **Sunday 9:30 AM Summer Worship Services at Shawano County Park**. Whether you

sing, play an instrument, or would like to participate in another musical way, your gifts are welcome and appreciated. To volunteer or learn more, contact **Nancy Schultz, Karen Childs, Marge Wichmann**, or the office.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

We extend our thanks to everyone who contributed to the **Baby Shower Drive**. Because of your kindness and generosity, our **Giving Closet** is filled with essential items to be shared with families in need. Each gift is a reminder no family walks alone during life's most important moments. Your compassion reflects the heart of our mission: serving and supporting others. We are truly grateful for your support and the spirit of giving that continues to shine in our community. Thank you for making a difference.

MAY GIVING UPDATE: ROOF & VAN FUNDS

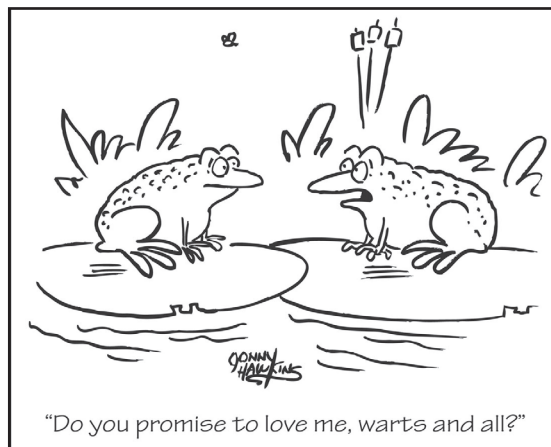
Thanks to everyone who has contributed to ZION's Roof Fund and Van Fund so far this year. As of **May 31**, the **Roof Fund** balance stands at **\$22,572.34** and the **Van Fund** at **\$5,104**. Be sure to check the thermometers by the elevator bulletin board to see quarterly updates to our progress!

HELP ONLINE WORSHIP

ZION is looking for a volunteer to assist with our **YouTube Live Recording ministry**. You would be trained to help record and livestream an occasional Saturday or Sunday worship service. **No previous experience is needed — training provided**. Help with this ministry, please contact the church office or speak with Nancy Schultz or Chris Dalke.

SUMMER LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE

JUNE	Saturday 5 PM	Sunday 8 AM	Lake Park 9:30 AM
Greeter		Marge Wichmann	Greeter & Offering Collection
Reader	Bob Hass 6/6 & 13	Marge Wichmann	(Comm. Asst.-Second Sunday)
	Bob Bartelt 6/20 & 27		Lisa Onesti
Comm. Asst.	Bob Hass 6/6 & 6/13	Brian Johnson 6/7	Cheryl Boettcher
	Bob Bartelt 6/20 & 6/27	Kris Johnson 6/14	Kal Boettcher
		Marge Wichmann 6/21 & 6/28	Amanda Bernath
Usher	Diane Rugalski	Al Wichmann	
		Brian Grieves	
Projectionist	Randy Steffen	Noreen Christianson 6/7 & 6/14	
		Julie Effenberger 6/21 & 6/28	



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SAFE HAVEN NEEDS OUR HELP

Help provide essential items for individuals and families in need.

ITEMS NEEDED:

- Toilet bowl cleaner
- Paper towel
- Toilet paper
- Garbage bags
- Dryer sheets
- Kitchen cleaner spray
- Dishwasher pods
- Shaving cream
- Q tips
- Contact lens cleaner
- Coffee / creamer
- Brownie Mix
- Cake Mix
- Frosting container

DONATION BOX located in the **Narthex**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!
THE HEALTH MINISTRY COMMITTEE



COME AND JOIN ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH'S KIDCO MEETUPS

Faith-Filled Fun for Tots and Parents: Crafts, Stories, Snacks, and Sun!

June 18
July 23
Aug 13

10-11am

Memorial Park
Lincoln Street side.
Look for the KIDCO sign

For more info call 715.390.4580 or visit shawanozion.org/momco

Take Me Out to the BALLGAME

GREEN BAY ROCKERS

June 24
6:35pm

All Zion Youth and families are invited to join us for a night at the ballpark!

Meet at the "Will Call" window at 6pm and we'll buy tickets together.

Great opportunity to bring a friend!

Capital Credit Union Park
2231 Holmgren Wy, Green Bay, WI 54304
Contact Kristin (youth@shawanozion.org) with questions

Zion HS YOUTH SERVICE TRIP

MILWAUKEE

JUNE 14-17

Donations may be made to **HS YOUTH MILWAUKEE SERVICE TRIP**

GET READY FOR FUN BINGO NIGHT

Join us for a thrilling game night! Bring your family and friends!

Cost is \$25

Includes a meal, bingo, & prizes!

THURSDAY JUNE 25, 2026
FROM 4:30PM - 7:00PM

Zion Lutheran Church - Fellowship Hall

CALL NANCY AT 715 390-4540 OR KRISTIN AT 715-390-4580 TO SIGN UP