



ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
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SHAWANO WI 54166



The Lord
stood by me
and strengthened me.

2 Timothy 4:17, ESV

FOCUS MARCH 2026

WELCOMING ALL, GROWING & SHARING GOD'S LOVE

STEWARDSHIP

TAKING HOLD OF THE LIFE THAT IS TRULY LIFE

Dear Friends and Members of ZION,

The role of the church is to offer people a new way of life in Jesus Christ – a life filled with hope and joy. There is no part of life that Jesus cannot redeem. If Jesus is to heal us from the impact of sin and lead us into the good life of righteousness, then no part of life can be placed beyond his lordship. As Paul wrote in his letter to Timothy, “That they may take hold of the life that really is life.”

To each of you who actively participate in this mission through worship, the sharing of your time and talents, and your financial support of ZION’s ministry – thank you. Your generosity and faithfulness are making a meaningful difference. Lives are being touched not only for today, but for generations to come.

Whether you realize it or not, every time you invest something of yourself, you’re helping create a legacy of faith. A child who comes to Sunday School today may be part of a family without a church home. Through that child, the family may grow in faith, and that child, nurtured in Christ, may one day serve others in ways beyond what we can imagine. I have seen firsthand how God works through the faithful gifts of his people. When we bring our resources together, God does remarkable things.

I am filled with joy and gratitude for the many ways you give – not only to the general fund, but also to the special ministries and outreach of ZION. Together, we are making a difference in our community and beyond. You are a faithful and generous people, and your witness reflects God’s love to all. R ~ *In God’s service, Pastor Scott Ludford*

MOMCO & KIDCO HELPERS

Volunteer helpers are needed for KidCo to assist with crafts and snacks for kids while mothers meet. Contact Kristin if you can volunteer. R

ELECTRONIC GIVING WITH VANCO

Looking for a simple way to give? ZION offers electronic giving through VANCO, which helps support church ministries year-round. Stop by the church office for assistance or find the form on the church website. R

NEW CHURCH VAN FUND

Donation envelopes for the Church Van Fund are available in each pew. Detailed information is available on the display board at the Info Desk. R



LIVE STREAM OPERATORS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to help run the YouTube Live stream to share worship with those at home. Contact Nancy Schultz for details. R

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

The local food pantry is in need of canned goods, pasta, rice, boxed meals, peanut butter, and cereal. Donations can be placed in the cupboard next to the stairway. Thank you! R



Relay for Life ZION Walkers

The American Cancer Society Relay for Life of Shawano – Menominee

Saturday, April 18
9 AM – 3 PM

Shawano Community High School

Join the Zion Walkers
or stop by and show your support!



Register or Donate Online

relayforlife.org/shawano-menomineewi

Donation envelopes available in the
FOCUS & Church Bulletins.

Questions?

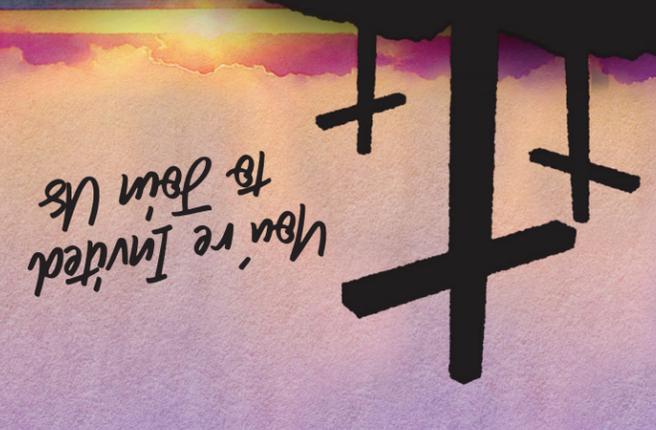
Kathy Beyer 715.853.2464
Dolly Burdick 715.709.4029



WEEK
HOLY
SCHEDULE

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

Summer Worship Schedule begins May 24
ZION | Saturdays at 5 PM; Sundays at 8 AM
Shawano County Park | Sundays at 9:30 AM

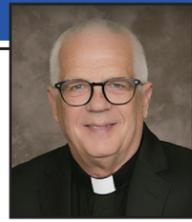


God's BIBLICAL SUPERHEROES

Don't miss this powerful Lenten series!

WEDNESDAY WORSHIP

Worship Services 11 AM & 6 PM
Lenten Lunch Noon
Lenten Supper 4:30-6 PM



“Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil.”

~ Luke 4:1-2a

Jack, the painter, often would thin his paint so it would go further. So, when the church decided to do some overdue maintenance, Jack was able to put in the low bid, and got the job. As always, he thinned his paint way down with turpentine.

One day while he was up on the scaffolding, the job almost finished, he heard a horrendous clap of thunder, and the sky opened. The downpour washed the thinned paint off the church and knocked Jack off his scaffold and onto the lawn. Jack knew this was a warning from the Almighty, so he got on his knees and cried: “Oh, God! Forgive me! What should I do?” And from the sky, a mighty voice thundered: “REPAINT! AND THIN NO MORE!”

Another season of Lent has started. Another opportunity for deepening our lives is being given to us. My prayer is that all of us will be able to receive the gift that God is offering to us during these special days. Well, what is that gift? What gift does God have for me, for you? More life, deeper life, a fuller life. That’s a very powerful and wonderful gift, isn’t it? God wants us to live with the deepest, fullest life possible. That’s really what this season of Lent is all about.

We get this gift by being open to receiving it, by wanting it with all our hearts, by asking for it over and over again, by waiting in the presence of the loving Giver. My hope is that through our observance of Lent, God’s Holy Spirit would help us to understand the meaning of His Son’s death and resurrection, and teach us to reflect it in our lives.

We should be very clear about one thing. Lent is not a second chance to see if we can keep our New Year’s resolution. Lent is not really about giving up this or that, no matter how hard this or that may be. There may be a place for some kind of self-sacrifice, but only if that self-sacrifice is done with an eye on receiving the gift of deeper life from God.

Giving up desserts or your favorite television show is not at the heart of this season. But if giving up something helps you to become more receptive to receiving the gift of deeper life from God, then, by all means, give it up. If television is mainly just a distraction, keeping you from spending time with others whom you love or who need your care, then give it up.

Many of us need to do one very important thing in order to ready ourselves to receive God’s gift — we need to empty ourselves. We need to let go of whatever is threatening to take over our lives. That is going to be very different for each of us. Many of us (Pastor included!) have allowed ungoverned, uncontrolled, and constant activity to effectively push out any empty space in our lives. Some of us are still trying to consciously fill ourselves up with

too many things: too much food and drink, too much entertainment, too much work, too much shopping, and so on. You can complete your own personal list.

God does want us to pay attention to our desires, but not to our superficial desires. God wants us to pay attention to our very deepest desires — for love, for compassion, forgiveness, mystery, peace, and silence. In other words, God wants to give us all the gifts we really need in order to live the loving and God-filled lives all of us really want to live.

How does the story of the temptation of Jesus fit into all of this? In a nutshell, the temptations were all about one thing — trying to get Jesus to live in a worldly way instead of in a Godly way. That’s not so different from our own struggle. Nothing could be easier than to live our lives totally immersed in our everyday activities with only the occasional thought of what it all really means. The spiritual aspect of our lives does not often force itself upon us. So, Lent is a time when we are asked to once again make space for what is at the heart of our lives.

Above all, Lent is a time of renewal. We call it the “springtime” of the Liturgical Year, and ask God to help us with the important task of inner renewal. Lent is the promise of a new start for all of us, not a time of discouragement or sorrow. Rather, it is a time when we rejoice that God is a God of refreshment, of new life, of new beginnings. And these promises are not empty ones but are full of the power that comes from the Christ who comes back to life in resurrection. During Lent, we can have confidence that Christ is bringing us with him into a new and wonderful life. R

~ In God’s service, Pastor Scott Ludford



Pastor Scott brings Eutychus to life, the man who fell asleep during Paul’s sermon, in this engaging portrayal from our Lenten series, Meet God’s Biblical Super Heroes. Even in his weakness, Eutychus reminds us of God’s power to restore, renew, and give life.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 8:00am Worship Service 9:15am Choir Rehearsal 9:15am Kids of the Kingdom 10:30am Worship Service	2 8:30am Strong Bodies 10:00am Staff Meeting 12:00pm Health Ministry Committee Meeting 5:00pm Worship & Music Committee Meeting	3 7:30am Strong Bodies 8:00am Men's Breakfast 9:00am LWR Mission Quilting	4 8:30am Strong Bodies 11:00am Worship Service 12:00pm Lenten Lunch 4:30pm Joyful Ringers Rehearsal 4:30pm Lenten Supper 6:00pm Confirmation & Youth Group Discussions	5 7:30am Strong Bodies 10:00am MomCo/KidCo 5:30pm Girl Scout Troop 4139	6 World Day of Prayer	7 5:00pm Worship Service
8 Daylight-Saving Time Begins 8:00am Worship Service 9:15am Choir Rehearsal 9:15am Kids of the Kingdom 10:30am Worship Service 10:30am ZION Choir sings 11:30am Youth Committee Meeting 12:00pm Stephen Ministry- Continuing Education	9 8:30am Strong Bodies 10:00am Staff Meeting 4:30pm Girl Scout Troop 4723 5:00pm Education Committee Meeting 6:00pm Girl Scout Leaders Meeting	10 FOCUS Deadline 7:30am Strong Bodies 8:00am Men's Breakfast 9:00am LWR Mission Quilting 10:30am Finance Committee Meeting 11:30am ZLCW Board Meeting 6:00pm Property Committee Meeting	11 8:30am Strong Bodies 11:00am Worship Service 12:00pm Lenten Lunch 4:30pm Joyful Ringers Rehearsal 4:30pm Lenten Supper 6:00pm Worship Service 7:00pm Confirmation & Youth Group Discussions	12 7:30am Strong Bodies 5:30pm Girl Scout Troop 4717	13	14 5:00pm Worship Service
15 8:00am Worship Service 9:15am Choir Rehearsal 9:15am Sunday School- Sing @ 10:30 Service 10:30am Worship Service (Kids of the Kingdom sing & LOUD offering)	16 8:30am Strong Bodies 10:00am Staff Meeting 3:30pm Women's Evening Bible Study	17 St. Patrick's Day 7:30am Strong Bodies 8:00am Men's Breakfast 9:00am LWR Mission Quilting 5:00pm Friendly Visitors Meeting 6:00pm Council Meeting	18 8:30am Strong Bodies 11:00am Worship Service 12:00pm Lenten Lunch 4:30pm Joyful Ringers Rehearsal 4:30pm Lenten Supper 6:00pm Confirmation & Youth Group Discussions	19 7:30am Strong Bodies 10:00am MomCo/KidCo 5:30pm Girl Scout Troop 4139	20 First Day of Spring	21 5:00pm Worship Service
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OFFERING ENVELOPES MAILED

The remaining 2026 offering envelopes have now been mailed. Even if you participate in eGiving, envelopes were included at the request of members who like to use them for special or additional offerings throughout the year. Thank you for supporting ZION!

NEW ROOF REPLACEMENT FUND ESTABLISHED

A new **Roof Replacement Fund** has been established to help prepare for the future care and maintenance of ZION Lutheran Church's facility. Over time, roof replacement is one of the most significant expenses for any building, and this designated fund allows members to give directly toward this important need. If you feel called to contribute, you may write "Roof Fund" on your offering envelope. Thank you for helping care for ZION's church home for generations to come. ~ Dawn Seiltz, Treasurer

HOPKINS CALLED HOME

We hold in prayer the family of **Esther Hopkins**, mother of Kersten Heling, who passed away Jan. 30, 2026. A memorial service was held on Tues., Feb. 17, at Swedberg Funeral Home in Shawano, where Pastor Ludford officiated. Visitation was held before the funeral service.



HONORING THE LIFE OF MARLENE JOHNSON

We remember **Marlene Joyce Johnson**, 91, passed away at home on Feb. 28, 2026, surrounded by loved ones. A lifelong daughter of Shawano County, she was blessed with deep faith and family devotion, marrying her first true love, Larry Eggert, and later Richard "Dick" Johnson at ZION. Marlene's warm hospitality and generous spirit enriched countless lives, and she is survived by stepsons, grandchildren, and great-granddaughters who will carry forward her legacy of love and kindness. Her funeral will be held at ZION on **Sat., March 14 at 11 AM.** swedbergfuneralhome.com/obituaries/marlene-johnson.



KIM K. MEYER FUNERAL

We inform you of the passing of **Kim K. Meyer**, 56, her service was **Fri., March 6**, at Swedberg in Shawano. swedbergfuneralhome.com/obituaries/kim-meyer

NEW LIBRARY BOOK

Recommended by Stevens Ministry

IMAGINE HEAVEN by John Burke
All of us long to know what life after death will be like. Bestselling author John Burke is no exception. In *Imagine Heaven*, he compares more than one hundred gripping stories of near-death experiences (NDEs) to what Scripture says about our biggest questions of heaven: Will I be myself? Will I see friends and loved ones? What will Heaven look like? What is God like? What will we do forever? What about children and pets? Burke shows how the common experiences shared by thousands of near-death survivors – including doctors, college professors, bank presidents, people of all ages and cultures, and even blind people – point to the exhilarating picture of heaven promised in the Bible. This journey into the afterlife will make you feel like you've been there, forever changing the way you view life to come – and the way you live your life today. Discover how heaven is even more amazing than you imagined.



Pray for our Troops and their families

PRAYER LIST

Richard Bahr
Alan Barnick
Gerald Bartline
Patricia Beck
Dale Bergsbaken
Leslie Buckbee
Lily Cornelius
Marilyn Dahl
Terry Fusek
Nancy Goode
Larry Gueths
Pete Hintz
Joanne Horn
Bob Janicki
Marlene Johnson
Helen Kaurala
Al Marquardt
Wendy Nead
Ken Spreeman
Jackie Weier
Judy Wendt
Russell Wise
Jim Yeakey



MARCH 2026

ZION YOUTH NEWS



HS Youth Group Meetings- March

All of March this year falls during Lent. We will have a devotional and reflection based on Pastor's sermon available. We will also gather to discuss if students would like to.

Game Nights Go Monthly!

Get ready for some fun—our Game Nights are now happening on the 3rd Sunday of every month! The next Game Night is March 15th from 4-5:30pm.



Join us for board games, card games, snacks, and laughter! Bring your neighbors, friends, and family to challenge them to games like Spoons, Battleship, or Twister. We'll have something for all ages—even Hungry, Hungry Hippos for the little ones! Don't miss out on the fun—see you there!

Thank You for Making Our Youth Spaghetti Dinner a Success!

What a wonderful evening of food, fellowship, and generosity! Thank you to everyone who attended, donated, volunteered, baked, served, cleaned, or supported our Youth Spaghetti Dinner fundraiser in any way.

Because of your generosity, the funds raised will directly support youth activities, including Bible studies, service projects, retreats, special events, and opportunities that help our young people grow in faith, leadership, and community.

Your support is more than a meal ticket – it's an investment in the lives of our youth. We are so grateful for a congregation and community that believes in encouraging and equipping the next generation. Thank you for making this event such a success!



"Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity."

1 Timothy 4:12

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Upcoming Activities

There are lots of activities “in the works”! We’ll share more info and specific dates as they get closer.

HS Youth Fellowship Outing- We’re going on an outing but yet to determine what that’ll look like- snowshoeing, sledding, ice skating, bowling... something fun!! All we know is it will be fun! Date TBD also.

HS Youth Serve Dinner @ SAM25- April 15th at 6:15. We’ll be making spaghetti using our extra donations from the spaghetti dinner. We’ll make a plan for cooking food as we get closer.

MS/HS- Masons Easter Egg Hunt Help- We’ve been asked to help with the Mason’s Easter Egg Hunt March 28. More info to come- but mark your calendars!



VBS- Planning has begun for this year’s VBS. The theme is “Rainforest Falls.” We are looking at the first week in August for our dates and will need lots of volunteers so please mark your calendars! Also- if you have any brown packing paper from Amazon boxes (or other boxes) please save them and bring in to Kristin’s office- we’re going to be making lots of vines!

Carwash Cards

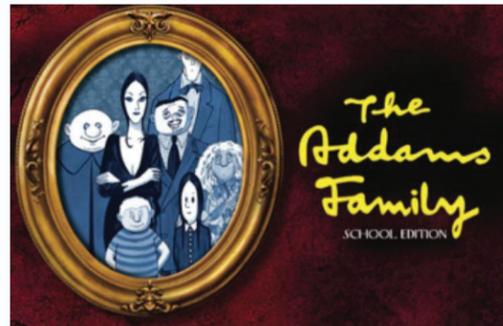
We will continue to sell Kwik Trip carwash cards to raise funds for our programming. They are always available in the main office and will be available between services several times a month.



Our Youth In Action

Congratulations to Emma Effenberger (cast) and Grady Krone (pit band) for their great performances in SHS’s musical “Addam’s Family”! Great job to the entire cast and crew for a job well done!

If youth are performing or playing in an activity or sport that you think the congregation or other youth would enjoy- please share with Kristin so we can promote them!



Parent’s Corner

Every month, I’ll share insights on issues that many parents of teenagers face. I hope you find the information helpful and thought-provoking. If there’s a specific topic you’d like me to cover, please let me know!

HEALTH MINISTRY

FORTY DAYS CAN CHANGE YOU PHYSICALLY, EMOTIONALLY & SPIRITUALLY

Lent is a 40-day journey that leads us to the cross and ultimately to the joy of Easter morning. It is a season that gently calls us to slow down, to reflect, and to return our hearts to God. We often think of Lent in terms of giving something up. But what if it is also about taking something on? What if it is about creating space? Space to listen more closely to God, space to grow, space to be renewed. Traditionally, Lent centers on prayer, fasting, and giving. These practices are not meant to weigh us down, but to help us realign our lives with Christ. They invite us to ask deeper questions about how we are living and who we are becoming.

This year at ZION, we are connecting Lent with a simple 40-Day Health Challenge. Why? Because caring for our bodies and minds is also spiritual work. Scripture reminds us that our bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit. The breath in our lungs, the strength in our steps are gifts from God. What if drinking an extra glass of water became a quiet prayer of gratitude? What if a short walk became time to talk with God? What if limiting screen time opened space for Scripture, reflection, or rest? Lent is not about perfection. It is not about pressure or unrealistic goals. It is about intention. It is about small, faithful steps taken over time.

So, I invite you to reflect:

- Where might God be inviting you to grow this season?
- What is one small habit you could begin or one you may need to release?
- What has been crowding out time with God?
- What would renewal look like in your daily life?

Transformation rarely happens all at once. It unfolds in quiet, consistent choices. Over these 40 days, may we walk together as a ZION family prayerfully, gently, and with hope, trusting that God is at work in us, even in the smallest changes.

~ *Grace and peace, Nancy Schultz*

GRIEFSHARE STARTING IN APRIL

Grief can feel overwhelming and lonely, but you do not have to walk through it alone. Our church will soon be offering GriefShare, a Christ-centered support group for those who have experienced the loss of a loved one. This 13-week program features video teaching, group discussion, and personal reflection in a safe and caring environment. Whether your loss is recent or years ago, GriefShare offers practical help, encouragement, and hope rooted in God’s promises.

See the flyer (above, right) for information. We invite you to join us, or share this opportunity with someone who may need it. Healing happens when we walk together.

PREPARING TODAY FOR TOMORROW

Health Ministry is promoting an important opportunity called Planning AHEAD, a 7-session course designed to help individuals prepare for end-of-life decisions. This one-hour weekly Zoom class held Tuesdays from 5-6 PM, March 17 to April 28. The course includes a free workbook and covers topics such as advance medical and legal directives, estate planning, financial considerations, end-of-life care choices, and final wishes. Planning AHEAD is for anyone who wants to make things easier for their family members, or who may be walking alongside a loved one during a time of transition. While these conversations are not always easy, they are a meaningful gift to those we love. If you would like more information or to register, please see the flyer or contact Katie Daul with UW–Madison Extension at Katie.Daul@wisc.edu

GriefShare

Grief Support Group

Help and encouragement after the death of a loved one

At a GriefShare group, you'll find understanding, guidance, relief, and a safe place to navigate the challenges of grief. Come join us!

Contact Us Today

Wednesdays 4:30-6 p.m.
April 8 - June 24, 2026
Zion Lutheran Church
1254 S Union Street
Shawano WI 54166
715-390-4045

griefshare.org

Join us and begin planning **AHEAD** for the end of this life

What is Planning AHEAD?

Planning AHEAD is a 7-session course (one hour each) that guides participants through the topics on the right.

This course features a free workbook to help people with the tasks and decisions associated with end-of-life.

Who is the program for?

This program is for people who:

- Are interested in planning for the end of life to make things easier for family members
- Have lost a loved one
- Are in the process of losing a loved one and are dealing with the transition

When is the program?

March 17—April 28, 2026
Tuesdays from 5:00—6:00 pm
Virtually via Zoom

Contact us for more information

Katie Daul, Lifespan Educator
UW-Madison Division of Extension
Oconto County
920-834-6848 or email
Katie.Daul@wisc.edu
Register: <https://go.wisc.edu/n7y852>

planning AHEAD PROGRAM TOPICS

Getting Started

Handling Financial Changes

Advance Medical and Legal Directives

Estate Planning

Choices in End-of-Life Care

Final Wishes

Understanding Grief





LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF

ZLCW

PERSONAL CARE KITS

This year during Lent Zion Lutheran Church Women (ZLCW) would like to provide this opportunity for all members of Zion to contribute to Personal Care Kits for Lutheran World Relief.

When families find their homes destroyed or must flee for their safety, soap, and a towel rarely what they carry. Arriving in a refugee camp or other safe place, they are scared, vulnerable, and dirty from the travel. The items included in a **Personal Care Kit** provide much-needed self-care, critical germ-fighting, and the chance to regain dignity amidst situations of fear and uncertainty.

When choosing items for personal care kits, please follow these guidelines:

- ✓ Give new items only.
- ✓ Do not donate items that have any religious symbols, messages, or ZION's name on any item.
- ✓ Do not donate any items decorated with a U.S. flag, patriotic or military symbols, or references to the armed forces, including camouflage.

The following are needed for each Personal Care Kit:

- ✓ One light-weight bath-size towel (20"x40" to 27"x52")
Dark-colored recommended.
- ✓ Two or three bath-size bars of soap (8-9 oz.) of any brand, in original wrap, no mini or hotel-size bars.
- ✓ One adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging
- ✓ One sturdy comb (no picks or fine-toothed combs)
- ✓ One metal nail clipper.

A plastic container is provided for items to be placed in, under the bulletin board near the elevator. Thank you for your contributions to this worthwhile cause. If you have any questions, contact **Karen Childs** or **Dorothy Eidahl**.

APRIL LAY MINISTRY

**Youth Group will cover Lay Ministry on 3rd Sun. 10:30 AM service.*

Saturday 5pm	
APRIL No service the 4 th	
Greeter	Judy Kilbourn
Ushers	Diane Rugalski
Lay Reader	Bob Hass
Communion Assistant	Bob Hass Scott Glysich
Projector Operator	Randy Steffen

Sunday 8:00	
APRIL	
Greeters	Marcalene Rosenow Lauren Donath
Ushers	Lauren Donath Jerry Dorath Dan Fritz Joy Fritz
Lay Reader	Carey Grieves
Communion Assistant	Carey Grieves Charlie Grieves Brian Grieves
Projector Operator	Julie Effenberger

Sunday 10:30	
APRIL Youth will cover the 19 th **	
Greeters	Robert Weier Jackie Weier
Ushers	Kal Boettcher Cheryl Boettcher Gail Hoffman Mike Eidahl
Lay Reader	Judy Stoltenow (5 th & 26 th) Winnie Preston (12 th & 19 th)
Communion Assistant	Judy Stoltenow (5 th & 26 th) Winnie Preston (12 th & 19 th) Robert Weier Jackie Weier
Projector Operator	Jenny Tonn (5 & 26) Noreen Christianson (12 & 19)

EASTER FLOWERS

Fill the Sanctuary with Beauty!

Honor or remember a loved one this Easter by sponsoring an Easter plant.

Deadline: Noon, Mon., March 16

— Your choice of: —

Easter Lily
Mum Plant
Kalanchoe
Begonias



Presented by Zion Lutheran Church
Youth & Family Ministry

Game Night

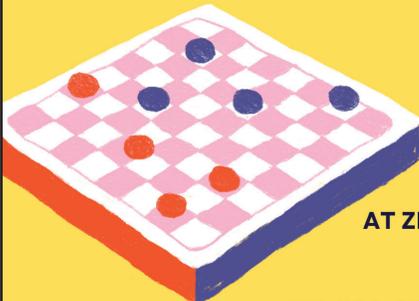


Every Month on the
Third Sunday

Eat snacks, play old favorites, learn
a new game, or bring one to share!



ALL AGES WELCOME



AT ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
1254 S. Union St.
Shawano, WI

715-526-2017 Shawanozion.org

“BEHOLD I MAKE ALL THINGS NEW” COMMUNITY MURAL

You are invited to take part in a special “Drawn to the Word” Community Mural experience this April at ZION Lutheran Church! This spring, our congregation and community will paint a mural titled “Behold I Make All Things New,” based on artwork by Christian artist Paul Oman. We have purchased and will be using his design as the framework for our community painting experience. Painting will begin April 5 and continue throughout April, with the completed mural unveiled during worship on Mother’s Day, May 10. If you can paint within the lines, you can create art with us! The mural will be painted using acrylic latex paints, and no prior artistic experience is necessary. All ages are welcome to participate. On Mother’s Day, May 10, the Life & Growth Committee will unveil the completed mural during Worship at ZION. All are welcome to attend and celebrate this special moment. Invite your relatives, friends, and neighbors to gather and celebrate with us. To learn more about the art of Paul Oman, visit: www.paulomanfineart.com Come be part of something beautiful as we create and grow together.

PRE-PLANNING MADE EASY



When: Wednesday March 25th

Time: 12:30 pm

Presenter: Ginger Swedberg Huntington



Come learn about
“getting your ducks in a row” so your final wishes are
clear and your family feels supported.

Sign up at the display booth
Sponsored by Swedberg Funeral Home and Zion Lutheran Church

+715-390-4540 health@shawanozion.org