

## IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS

Kindly remember these individuals in your prayers for healing: **Adeline Holtz, Larry Gueths, Tim Dalke, Leslie Buckbee, Yvonne Wolf, Terry Fusek, Gerald Bartline, Ken Spreeman, Helen Kaurala, Dale Bergsbaken, Wendy Nead and Bob Janicki.**

## SUMMER OUTINGS FOR YOUTH

We are working on putting together several outings for the summer. The Youth committee brainstormed options and we'll be putting together a schedule! This will include a one or two-day mission trip, fun adventures, and concerts. Stay tuned for more details.

## ZION ENDOWMENT FUND APPLICATIONS

The **ZION Endowment Fund** is now accepting applications for **2025**. Please complete all sections relevant to your request. Funding may be requested for **college expenses, mission development, or ZION outreach ministries**. Visit the **ZION website** under Forms. Email to ZION Lutheran by **Wed., Aug. 6**.

## ATTENDANCE & OFFERINGS 5/18/2025

Sat. | 5 PM-23 Sun. | 8 AM-27 | 9:30 AM-179 | 9:30 AM-80

Total In-Person-309 YouTube-200

General | \$13,345 Building | \$518 Restricted | \$1,296 Total | \$15,159

## SAVE YOUR BOOKS & PUZZLES!

As you clean and organize this summer, please set aside any gently-used **books and puzzles** to donate to the **ZION Holiday Marketplace** on **Sat., Nov. 15**. Donations will help support our church ministries. *Thank you for your generosity!*

## HELP KEEP THE MOMENTUM GOING

**ZION's ministries** got off to a great start in **2025** as members saw the good things happening. Participation at all ages was increasing. Congregation members felt the excitement and gave accordingly. The first quarter of the year saw giving averaging almost **\$10,000 per weekend**. Whether it be the economy or the time of year, giving has slowed in the past month to nearly half. The ministries of ZION want to keep going and expanding. The **Finance committee** hopes you see the importance of keeping our congregation moving and will continue to give accordingly. **Thank you for being so supportive,** and have a great summer.

## HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS SUMMER SCHEDULE

We'll gather once a month during the summer on **June 11, July 9, and Aug. 13 at 6:30 PM**. Additional outings will be scheduled between these dates, so stay tuned for more details.

## KWIK TRIP CAR WASH CARDS

Support our programming by purchasing a **Kwik Trip car wash card** is just **\$36 for 5 Ultimate washes**. Cards are available in the main office. Thank you for your continued support!



## WE HAD A FANTASTIC PUZZLE EVENT!

A heartfelt **thank you** to everyone who participated in our **Puzzle Challenge!** We had a wonderful time filled with fun, teamwork, and a little friendly competition. Congratulations to our winning team, who completed a **500-piece puzzle** in an **impressive two hours and two minutes!** We're grateful to all who joined in and helped make the event a success. Watch for our next challenge coming in late fall!

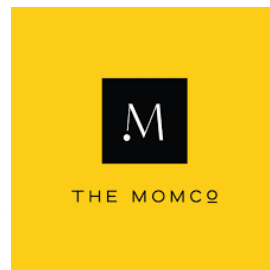
## MOMCO IS COMING TO ZION!

Formerly MOPS International, **MomCo** (short for Moms Collective) is a Christ-centered community where moms connect, grow, and support one another. Through friendships, encouragement, and faith-building, MomCo empowers women in every stage of motherhood.

ZION's MomCo group will host regular gatherings with inspiring speakers, small group conversations, creative activities, and time to relax and build lasting friendships. Motherhood can be isolating. MomCo offers a place to be seen, heard, and loved.

Launching late this summer or early fall, our new group will bless not only moms, but also strengthen families and grow our church community. Want to help? We're looking for mentor moms, childcare helpers, snack providers, and activity volunteers.

To learn more or get involved, contact Kristin WhiteHorse at [youth@shawanoZION.org](mailto:youth@shawanoZION.org). You can also learn more about MomCo at [www.themomco](http://www.themomco). Let's come together to support the moms in our community and help them thrive!



ZION Lutheran Church  
Youth & Family Ministry

# GOD'S LITTLE WONDERS SUMMER MEETUPS

@ Memorial Park  
(Lincoln St side. Look for the ZION sign)

June 12 | 11am-12pm  
July 10 | 11am-12pm  
August 7 | 11am-12pm

@ Zion Lutheran Church

June 19 | 11am-12pm  
July 24 | 11am-12pm  
August 21 | 11am-12pm

FAITH-FILLED FUN FOR TOTS AND PARENTS: CRAFTS, STORIES, SNACKS, AND SMILES ALL SUMMER LONG!

For more info contact Kristin-  
[youth@shawanozion.org](mailto:youth@shawanozion.org) or 715.390.4580

Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much.

Luke 16:10a, NIV

Your Invited!

# Kick Off to Summer

Are you Single and 55+  
Please join us to go out and eat together at Stubborn Brothers

Date: June 19th  
Time: 5 pm  
RSVP by June 15<sup>th</sup> to Nancy at 715 390-4540

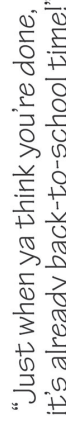
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for with the LORD

and with

redemption

A detailed illustration of a bouquet of dahlias. The flowers are in various stages of bloom, showing a range of colors: a large pink one on the left, a bright orange one in the center, a yellow one on the right, and a deep blue one at the bottom. There are also smaller pink buds and a single purple bud on the left. The leaves are green with serrated edges. The background is a soft, light blue gradient.



**Pastor Scott Ludford**, Sr. Pastor | **Jill Sousek**, Organist & Music Director | **Kay Kristof**, Admin. Asst.  
**Kristin WhiteHorse**, Family & Youth Director | **Nancy Schultz**, Health & Wellness Coordinator  
**Randy Steffen**, Worship Coordinator | **Ann Johnson**, Custodian | **John Phalen**, Maintenance



ives

- Lime
- 10-20 whole cloves
- Birthday candle
- 4 toothpicks
- Adult help

1. Have an adult slice the lime in half. Cut off the rounded end of one half so it can stand without rolling.
2. Insert 10 cloves into the cut sides of each half.

3. Stand the bottom half on a plate. Insert the candle in the center.
4. Insert the 4 toothpicks in the cut side of the bottom half. Then place the other half atop the toothpicks.
5. Before dinner, have an adult light the candle that's between the two lime halves. The flame's heat will warm the lime and create a smell that insects don't like.
6. Supervise the flame. Blow it out when it reaches the bottom lime.



**Worship Service | 9:30 AM at County Park**

**SUN., JUNE 8** Pentecost  
Worship Service | 8 AM at ZION  
Worship Service | 9:30 AM at County Park

**9AM-NOON**

God, let ZION Lutheran be a great influence in our community through our VBS. We want your perfect love to be at the foundation of Shawano, and we pray that we spread your love. Let our doors be open and our hearts be welcoming to all kids and their families. Let your goodness shine through us. AMEN!