



ZION NEWS

WELCOMING ALL, GROWING & SHARING GOD'S LOVE

THIS WEEK AT ZION

Saturday, July 27

5 PM Worship Service — ZION Lutheran Church

Sunday, July 28

8 AM Worship Service — ZION Lutheran Church

9:30 AM Worship Service — Shawano County Park with Communion

Monday, July 29

8:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

1:30 PM Homemade Holiday Marketplace Meeting

Tuesday, July 30

7:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

8 AM Men's Bible Study — Shawano's Café

1PM Jeff Kirchner Funeral

Wednesday, July 31

8:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

10 AM ZION Staff Meeting — Conference Room

Thursday, August 1

7:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

Saturday, August 3

5 PM Worship Service — ZION Lutheran Church

Sunday, August 4

8 AM Worship Service — ZION Lutheran Church

9:30 AM Worship Service — Shawano County Park

Worship Attendance		BOX SCORES	
Saturday	5 PM 21	<u>Sun., July 21, 2024</u>	
Sunday-ZION	8 AM 20	General Fund	\$3,381
Sunday-Park	9:30 AM <u>152</u>	Building Fund	\$398
In-Person Total 193		Restricted Funds	\$194
YouTube as of 7/24/24 116		<i>Thank you for your continued support!</i>	

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

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SUMMER SCHEDULE

Memorial Day – Labor Day

ZION Lutheran Church

1254 S. Union Street, Shawano WI

Saturdays at 5 PM | Sundays at 8 AM

Shawano County Park | Sundays at 9:30 AM

W5791 Lake Drive, Shawano WI *Rain or Shine*

Jerusalem Church | Aug. 25 at 11 AM

W5911 County Road T, Lunds, WI

ONLINE | WWW.SHAWANOZION.ORG



Thoughts and Prayers

Terry Fusek • Dejon Polzin • Shirley Sorenson
Dorothy Kunst • Gerald Bartline • Leslie Buckbee
Lee Lemke • Carol Schoenhofen
Carol Kurkiewicz • Adeline Holtz

FUNERALS & CONDOLSCENCES

× **Jeffrey Kirchner** (5/29/1962-7/20/2024)

A funeral will be held at **1 PM, Tues., July 30, 2024**, at **ZION** with Pastor Scott Ludford and Rev. Dennis Nelson officiating. Visitation will be on Mon., July 29, 2024, at Swedberg Funeral Home in Shawano from 4 to 7 PM, and on Tuesday at ZION from noon to 1 PM. Burial will be at Lake Drive Cemetery and a meal at ZION will follow.

www.swedbergfuneralhome.com/obituary/jeff-kirchner

× **Brandon Anker** (5/13/1997-7/19/2024)

Funeral services will be **2 PM, Mon. Aug. 5, 2024**, at **Swedberg Funeral Home** in Shawano. Visitation will be at the funeral home on Mon. from noon to 2 PM.

www.swedbergfuneralhome.com/obituary/brandon-anker

× **Verna Irene Weisnicht** (10/11/35-7/17/2024)

Our sincere condolences to **Joanne & Kelvin Olson** for the passing of Joanne's mother, Verna Weisnicht.

A funeral will be at **11 AM on Mon., July 29, 2024**, at **St. Martin Lutheran Church** in the Town of Belle Plaine with Rev. Kurt Kluge officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery. Visitation will be held at the church on Monday 9:30 AM until the time of the service. Memorials may be directed to St. Martin Lutheran Church.

www.swedbergfuneralhome.com/obituary/verna-weisnicht

TEACHERS NEEDED

Teach **ZION children** about the love of God using the provided curriculum to create a welcoming and engaging environment and teach biblical principles through stories and activities. For more information, see the Job Description at shawanozion.org/sunday-school or scan the QR Code. To apply, complete the website application or stop in the office.

Sundays from 9:15-10:15 AM

September through May

Flexible Commitment Available



MISSION QUILTING WILL NOT MEET

NO Mission Quilting on **Tues., July 30** or **Tues., Aug. 6.**

BACKPACKS FOR KIDS

The Salvation Army is calling on our community to collectively collect and donate school supplies for Shawano County children in need. The drive runs from **July 5-Aug. 5**. Last year, we, as a community, distributed over **200 backpacks**.



Here are some of the things we are looking for: notebooks, dry-erase markers, Elmer's glue, glue sticks, pens, pencils, highlighters, filler paper, markers, and pencil sharpeners. You may drop items in the donation box in the Narthex.

WEE CARE THANKS YOU!

Wee Care wants to give a big shout out to all our amazing volunteers and everyone who bought food from **Charlie's Red Barn** last week. Thanks to your hard work and generosity, Wee Care made a profit of **\$3,668.30!**

This money will provide food for Shawano's schoolchildren in need this fall. We should all be proud of this collective achievement. A huge thank you and blessings to all of you!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



ZION seeks individuals to help at all three summer Worship Services, including the Shawano County Park, in the following areas: Worship Assistants, Ushers, Projection Operators, and Greeters. If interested, we'll train you during your chosen time between services. Call the **Volunteer Hotline** at **715.390.5003** or visit the volunteer website at ZionSummerVolunteers.

ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIPS

The ZION Endowment Fund invites all ZION members to apply for the 2024 grants. The application is available at this [LINK](#). You can also obtain one from the office. The deadline is **Mon., Aug. 5, 2024**. We value your participation and wish you a wonderful summer! ~ *Endowment Committee*

MATTHEW WEST CONCERT UPDATE

Christian singer and songwriter **Matthew West** is putting on a concert in Wausau on **Sun., Aug. 25** at **4 PM**. ZION has a bus going, but you must sign up at the church office to reserve your spot on the bus. The bus leaves at 1 PM from the ZION parking lot. We're going for the free accessible lawn seats. Youth are invited to bring friends!

FREE FILE CABINETS

There are **two free file cabinets** available in Room 101. One is a 4-drawer, and the other is a 5-drawer. If interested, please speak to Pastor.



FOOD PANTRY



ZION gathers food items for **SAFPARC**. You may leave your nonperishable food items in the cupboard in the Commons near the Library. Thank you for your donations!

CALLING ALL GREEN THUMBS!

Lutheran Campus Ministry-Oshkosh at The Gathering Place is gearing up for its annual plant giveaway. We're excited to welcome incoming UW-O students and could use your help! Please consider planting or purchasing some easy-to-grow house plants this summer that will be ready by the end of August. **Help us minister to students in a warm and welcoming way!**



Plant or purchase small house plants.

Label your plants by name/Congregation and include any specific directions for care.

Drop off your plants in the unlocked garage at The Gathering Place (or in the house if open) at 620 Elmwood, Oshkosh, Wis., anytime between **Thurs., Aug. 29, and Sun., Sept. 1**.

Questions? Contact Lutheran Campus Ministry-Oshkosh at **920.231.1168** or email lcmoshkosh@gmail.com.

ZION EVENTS www.shawanozion.org/calendar.php

- Aug. 5-8** – Vacation Bible School (9 AM-Noon)
- Aug. 7** – High School Youth Group (6 PM)
- Aug. 25** – Matthew West Concert in Wausau (4 PM)
- Sept. 8** – Rally Sunday
- Sept. 15** – First Day of Sunday School (9:15 AM)
- Sept. 16** – Community Blood Drive (1-5:30 PM)
- Nov. 16** – Homemade Holiday Marketplace

KWIK TRIP CAR WASH CARDS

\$36 for 5-Count Ultimate Kwik Trip Car Wash Cards are available in the office. Thanks for supporting ZION Youth!



MUSIC AT COUNTY PARK

A huge thank you to **Claire Schroeder** for performing beautiful music at the Shawano County Park worship service this weekend.



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