

ZION NEWS

WELCOMING ALL, GROWING & SHARING GOD'S LOVE

THIS WEEK AT ZION

Saturday, March 9 Daylight Savings Time

5:00 PM Worship Service

Sunday, March 10

8:00 AM Worship Service

9:15 AM Sunday School

9:15 AM Choir Practice

10:30 AM Worship Service



Monday, March 11 Easter Flower Order Deadline

8:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

4:30 PM Personnel Committee Meeting

5:30 PM Girl Scout Leader's Meeting

6:00 PM Youth & Family Committee Meeting

Tuesday, March 12

7:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

8:00 AM Men's Bible Study — Shawano's Café

9:00 AM LWR Mission Quilting

10:30 AM Finance Committee Meeting

6:00 PM Property Committee Meeting

Wednesday, March 13

8:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

10:00 AM Book Club — Library

11:00 AM Lenten Worship Service

1:00 PM ZLCW Board Meeting

4:30 PM Joyful Ringers Rehearsal

4:30 PM Lenten Supper

6:00 PM Lenten Worship Service

Thursday, March 14

7:30 AM Strong Bodies — Fellowship Hall

4:30 PM Girl Scouts #4723 — Room B24

6:30 PM Girl Scouts #4717

7:00 PM AA — Comfort Room

Saturday, March 16

5:00 PM Worship Service

Sunday, March 17

8:00 AM Worship Service

9:15 AM Sunday School

9:15 AM Choir Practice

10:30 AM Sunday School Sings

10:30 AM Worship Service



Preparing for Easter

BOX SCORES

Worship Attendance

Lent Wed.	11:00 AM	19
Lent Wed.	6:00 PM	83
Saturday	5:00 PM	38
Sunday	8:00 AM	62
Sunday	10:30 AM	57
In-Person Total		259
Online Views as of 3/7/24		316

Wed., February 28, 2024

General Fund \$2,370

Sun., March 3, 2024

General Fund \$13,123

Building Fund \$589

Restricted Funds \$225

Thank you for your continued support!

IN OUR Thoughts and Prayers

Gerald Bartline Don Schultz

Callie Otto Barbara Bergum Terry Fusek
Dejon Polzin Christy Glysich Adeline Holtz

LENTEN WORSHIP SERVICES

Wednesdays., March 6, 13 & 20

Worship Services at 11 AM & 6 PM



LENTEN SUPPERS

Everyone is welcome to attend. Free-will dinners will be on Wednesdays from 4:30-6 PM before Lenten services.



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Maundy Thursday at 6 PM

Good Friday at 1 PM and 6 PM

Easter Sunday at 8 AM and 10:30 AM

Or, Online at www.shawanozion.org

HOLY BAPTISM ~ Amelia Lee Hass ~

Daughter of Christopher D. Hass & Megan L. Clegg

Sponsors: Danielle K. Smolen & Michael D. Raeder

WEE CARE COOKIE SALE

Wee Care's Cookie Sale is on March 9-10. Support this great cause by taking home some butterscotch coconut cookies and caramel puffs. Thank you for all your support!

ZION PRAYER CHAIN

If you have a prayer request, please contact either one of the ZION Prayer Chain Co-Captains: Eileen Elertson at 715.526.3500 or eileenelertson@gmail.com, or Winnie Preston at 715.851.9576 or lorinpreston@icloud.com.



Prayer is powerful when many are doing it!

THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS

Congratulations ZION Lutheran Church! So far in 2024, we received \$1,282 in Thrivent Choice Dollars. We encourage eligible Thrivent members to direct their remaining 2023 Choice Dollars by March 31 to ZION.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

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EASTER FLOWERS

Memorialize or honor someone with a plant! Forms are in the bulletins, on the ZION website or in the Narthex. Fill out an order form, choose type of plant and place payment in an envelope and drop it in the offering plate or at the church office. **Easter Lily-\$20; Kalanchoe-\$25; Mum-\$25; Begonias-\$25.** You may also donate money to purchase green plants in memory of/in honor of someone. Deadline: Mon., March 11.



SUNDAY SCHOOL STUDENTS SING

Sunday School students will be singing at **10:30 AM** Worship services on **March 17, April 14** and **May 12.**

FIRST COMMUNION CLASS

Class will be **Sat., March 23 – Noon-1:30 PM.** Parents, if you believe your child is ready to receive communion, please plan to attend. If you have questions about the readiness of your child, please feel free to consult with Pastor. At least one parent is requested to be with their child at this class. Children will receive their First Communion at the **Maundy Thursday** service on **March 28** at **6 PM.**

CROSSWAYS CAMPS

Crossways Camps are open for rentals, from small groups to large events, day use or overnights, families or congregation groups. We are taking **2024 reservations.** Rental options include facilities to fit your size and event with optional meal service. We are grateful to be your gathering place. Learn more about our various buildings to find a space that fits your needs. Contact us at CrosswaysCamps.org or email info@crosswayscamps.org.



JOIN THE FIGHT AGAINST CANCER!

Join our ZION walkers and other Relay For Life teams in raising funds or just drop by to give your support at the **Shawano-Menominee Relay For Life** on **Sat., April 6** at **Shawano Community High School** from **9 AM-3 PM.** Donation envelopes are provided in bulletin or you may also donate online (Search team: ZION walkers). Visit www.relayforlife.org/shawano-menomineeewi. Questions, call **Kathy** at **715.853.2464** or **Dolly** at **715.799.4029.**



NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING

There's still time for youth grades 8-12 to register for the **National Youth Gathering** in **New Orleans** on **July 16-20.** Registration forms are at the Info Desk and may be left at the church office. For questions, call **Curt** at **715.853.4999.**



GARDEN PLOTS AVAILABLE!

Plan to attend the Annual Meeting for **Dreams of Green Community Garden** on **Tues., April 30** at **5:30 PM** being held at **ZION** to reserve your plot(s) for \$8. Contact **715.544.8107** or dreamsofgreen63@gmail.com



SPRING CLEANUP

Consider helping with **Spring cleanup** at ZION. Stay tuned for late April or early May dates and plan to help the ZION Property committee.

LENTEN WORSHIP

Everyone has been raving about Pastor Ludford's sermons on Lent Wednesdays! ZION heard **Lazarus** talk about his two sisters and how Jesus changed their family, and last week was **Blind Bartimaeus** and this week **Judas.** You may also watch Live on [YouTube](https://www.youtube.com).



ZION MISSION QUILTERS

We need large pieces of fabric and bed sheets for the quilt tops and backs we make for the Lutheran World Relief. Please think of us when cleaning out closets or fabric stashes. If you have any questions, contact **Karen** at **715.526.2445** or **Dorothy** at **715.526.2650.**

ZION BOOK CLUB

Join ZION's Book Club on **March 13** in the ZION Library at **10 AM.** The book club choice is **"Drenched in Light"** by **Lisa Wingate.** For questions, contact **Deb** at **320.493.0284** or **Dorothy** at **715.526.2650.**

DURING THIS LENTEN SEASON,
we praise God for his righteous Son,
 who perfectly kept all of God's commandments for us and paid the full price for our disobedience.

“Do you promise to love me, warts and all?”

JOHNNY HALLIKINS