

WELCOMING ALL, GROWING & SHARING GOD'S LOVE

THIS WEEK AT ZION SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

Worship Service | 5 PM

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

Worship Service | 8 AM

Choir Rehearsal & Sunday School | 9:15 AM Worship Service | 10:30 AM (Choir Sings)

Jerusalem Sesquicentennial Celebration | 1 PM

Game Night | 4:30 PM

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11 VETERANS DAY

Strong Bodies | 8:30 AM

Thanksgiving Planning Meeting | 1 PM

Sunday School Teachers

(Child Protection Training) | 5 PM Girl Scout Leader's Meeting | 6 PM Youth Committee Meeting | 6 PM



TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12

Strong Bodies | 7:30 AM Men's Breakfast | 8 AM LWR Mission Quilting | 9 AM Friendly Visitors Meeting | 5 PM Property Committee Meeting | 6 PM

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

Strong Bodies | 8:30 AM Book Club | 10 AM

ZLCW Board Meeting | 1 PM

Bell Rehearsal | 5 PM

Confirmation Class | 6 PM

High School Bible Study | 6:30 PM

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Strong Bodies | 7:30 AM

Girl Scouts Troop #4723 | 4:30 PM

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16

Homemade Holiday Marketplace Craft Fair | 9 AM-3 PM Worship Service | 5 PM

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17

Worship Service | 8 AM

Choir Rehearsal & Sunday School | 9:15 AM

Worship Service | 10:30 AM (Sunday School Sings)

Girl Scout Day | 12 PM

WEEKLY OFFERING UPDATE

General Fund: \$11,734 Building Fund: \$270
Restricted Funds: \$2,664 Total Weekly Offering: \$14,698
Our weekly goal to meet budget needs is \$8,500. Last week, we exceeded our goal with a total of \$14,698! ZION is deeply grateful for your generosity, which enables us to continue serving both ZION and the community. Every contribution strengthens our mission. Thank you for your commitment to ZION and for helping us meet our goal!

Thoughts and Prayers

We believe in the power of prayer. Pray for these loved ones, and may they feel God's comfort and healing presence.

Leslie Buckbee • Gerald Bartline • Marilyn Dahl

Steve Maccoux • Terry Fusek • Eileen Elertson

Eileen Ebelt • Ken & Linda Spreeman • Rita Trinko

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

Sat., 5 PM: **32** Sun., 8 AM: **70** Sun., 10:30 AM: **55** In-Person Total: **157** YouTube Views: **110 views**

SOCKTOBER: 683 SOCKS & MORE!

Thanks to your generosity, Socktober was a huge success! ZION collected 683 pairs of socks and three blankets, which will be donated to Safe Haven and SAM25. Your contributions provide warmth and comfort to those in need, and we are grateful for your kindness. Thank you for making a difference!

STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY REMINDER

Stewardship Sunday is this weekend! Please submit your Time & Talent Form and Pledge Card by Sun., Nov. 10. You can send them in or drop them in the box at the Info Desk. Thank you for supporting ZION's ministries and helping make a difference together!

ZLCW BASKET AUCTION

ZION Lutheran Church Women (ZLCW) will host their next silent basket auction from **Nov. 16-24**. If you want to **donate a basket**, sign up at the Info Desk. Thank you!

TODAY WE HONOR OUR VETS

We will honor our veterans this weekend. **Veterans Day** is a time to reflect on the sacrifices made by the men and women who have served in the U.S. Armed Forces. These individuals dedicated themselves to protecting the freedoms we often take for granted. Honoring veterans, recognizes their courage and commitment to our nation's security. Let's express our gratitude and ensure their sacrifices are never forgotten. Thank you, Veterans!

HOMEMADE MARKETPLACE

Join us for the first Homemade Holiday Marketplace craft fair on Sat., Nov. 16, from 9 AM to 3 PM here at ZION.

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JERUSALEM SESQUICENTENNIAL

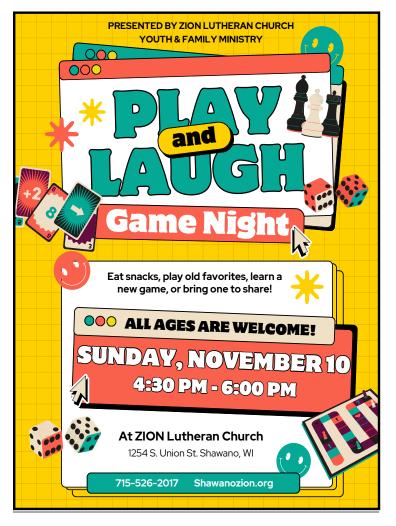
Nov. 25, 2024, marks the sesquicentennial anniversary of the Jerusalem Church (150 years)! To celebrate, a **Sesquicentennial Anniversary Commemorative Service** with speakers, storytelling, and music will be at the Jerusalem Church on **Sun., Nov. 10** at **1 PM**. All are welcome to honor this landmark and the legacy of its early community. A cake and coffee reception will follow. Also, check out the Narthex display and the Bulletin inserts.

CHILD PROTECTION TRAINING

On Mon., Nov. 11 at 5 PM, everyone is invited to join the Sunday School teachers for an essential training session on Child Protection and emergency procedures at ZION. This training is especially beneficial for anyone who volunteers with children, providing valuable tools to ensure their safety and well-being. If you plan to attend, RSVP to youth@shawanozion.org. See you there.

SAM25 NEEDS DONATIONS

SAM25 Homeless Shelter opens on Nov. 1 to support those experiencing homelessness in the Shawano area. The shelter is seeking donations of essential items, including body wash, shampoo, conditioner, small bags of chips, and cleaning supplies. A complete list is available on the SAM25 website. You can also sponsor a meal for the shelter through Take Them a Meal. Thank you for helping SAM25 support our community this season!



FOLLOW ZION ON FACEBOOK



Join our <u>new</u> ZION page on <u>Facebook</u> to stay up-to-date on church events. Connect, engage, and be the first to know about upcoming events and important announcements.

DONATE DIAPERS, CHANGE LIVES

The Health Ministry Committee is organizing a **Diaper Drive throughout November**! We invite you to help us fill the collection box in the Narthex with **baby diapers** in **sizes 3-7**. All donations will go to Snuggled-with-a-Hug Diaper Bank, which provides much-needed diapers to families in need. The diaper bank operates on the first Tuesday of every month from 4 to 6 PM and currently serves 160 families. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

DONATE USED HEARING AIDS

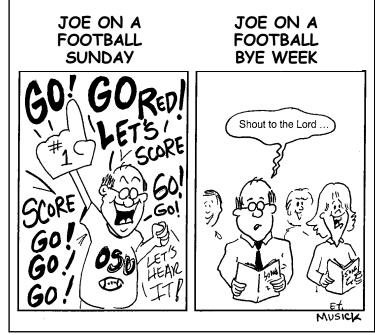
Shawano Lion's Club is collecting unused hearing aids for those in need. Donated devices are refurbished, reprogrammed, and distributed locally and globally, providing sustainable support. Local chapters send donations to certified centers for cleaning and reconditioning. Please place donations in the container on the Info Desk.

WEE CARE COOKIE SALE UPDATE

Due to rising ingredient costs, Wee Care is raising the price for one dozen cookies to \$7. Additionally, Wee Care needs plastic bags for packaging on an ongoing basis. Thank you for your support in feeding the children, and blessings to all involved!

HOMME HOLIDAY GIFT LIST

Support **Homme Youth & Family Programs** by donating items for boys aged 10-18. Needed items: athletic shoes (sizes 8-13), men's clothing (M-XL), snow gear, sport team apparel and gloves, slippers, watches, wallets, hygiene products, DVDs (G/PG), games, coloring books, and gift cards. Remember to please leave gifts unwrapped. Pick up copies of the shopping list at the Info Desk.



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