



ZION NEWS

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Welcoming All, Growing, and Sharing God's Love † **March 26, 2023**

This week....

Saturday, March 25

5:00 p.m. Worship Service

Sunday, March 26

8:00 a.m. Worship Service

9:15 a.m. Sunday School

9:15 a.m. Choir Rehearsal

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Monday, March 27

8:30 a.m. Strong Bodies

Tuesday, March 28

7:30 a.m. Strong Bodies

8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study - Shawano's Café

9:00 a.m. Mission Quilting - Fellowship Hall

7:00 p.m. AA & Al-Anon - Rm 102, Kitchen

Wednesday, March 29

8:30 a.m. Strong Bodies

11:00 a.m. Lenten Service

4:30 p.m. Joyful Ringers Rehearsal

5:00 p.m. Lenten Supper

6:00 p.m. Lenten Service

6:45 p.m. Confirmation Class

Thursday, March 30

7:30 a.m. Strong Bodies

Saturday, April 1

5:00 p.m. Worship Service

Sunday, April 2 Palm Sunday

8:00 a.m. Worship Service

9:15 a.m. Sunday School

9:15 a.m. Choir Rehearsal

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

www.shawanozion.org

Find the worship volunteer schedules, the *News*, the *Focus*, forms, and a link to our calendar.



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Box Scores

Worship Attendance

Lent Wed, March 15... 89

Online: 60 Views as of 3/23

Mar. 18 & 19 146 in-person

Saturday 5:00 p.m. 32

Sunday 8:00 a.m. 59

Sunday 10:30 a.m. 55

Online Views 158 as of 3/23

Sunday, March 19, 2023

General Fund \$ 6,894.00

Gen. Fund/Lent Wed. 460.00

Building Fund 383.00

Endowment Funds 25.00

Restricted Funds 1,156.00*

*\$697 Wee Care Cookies & Plaques

Thank you Zion members for your support!



In our thoughts & prayers

Dejon Polzin
Gerald Bartline
Barb Bergum



Members names will be published on the Prayer List for 2 weeks. If you wish your name to remain on the list, please call the office.

Attention Thrivent members!!

**Have you directed your Thrivent Choice® dollars this year?
All 2022 dollars must be directed by March 31, 2023.**

Zion Lutheran Church is on the donation list. You can do this online through your Thrivent account or for help call the local Thrivent office (715-524-1951) or main office at (800-947-4836). *Let's not let these dollars go somewhere else!*

Shawano-Menominee RELAY FOR LIFE



**Saturday, April 1 9am—3 pm at
the Shawano Community High School**



Please make a donation to support *Relay for Life's* mission and raise money to help the American Cancer Society make an impact on fighting cancer. Use the envelope provided for cash or **your checks made payable to the American Cancer Society.**

OR you may donate directly via website:
<http://www.relayforlife.org/shawano-menomineewi>
then select team: Zion Walkers.

Thank You So Much for Your Contribution!

*Want to join the team or have other questions? Call
Kathy 715-853-2464 or Dolly 715-799-4028.*



Lent 2023

**Join us Wednesday at
11:00am & 6:00pm
for Lenten Worship Services**

**Mid-Week Lenten Theme:
Servant-Leadership in
Today's World**





Zion's Quilters are Collecting Personal Care Kits Supplies during Lent!

Each year as the quilters are busy every Tuesday making quilts to send to Lutheran World Relief (LWR), we also gather supplies to make Personal Care Kits to send. In October 2022 we were able to assemble 40 Personal Care Kits with your help. Thank you!

The supplies needed for **each** Kit:

- One (1) light-weight bath-size towel (20"x40" to 52"x27").
- Two (2) or three (3) bath-size bars of soap equaling 8 to 9 oz., any brand, in original wrapping, no mini or hotel size bars.
- One adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging.
- One sturdy comb. There are many different types of hair texture, so no picks or fine-toothed combs. Remove packaging.
- One metal nail clippers (attached file optional). Remove packaging.



A tote is under the bulletin board next to the elevator for your donated items.

Thank you for your help in providing these items for those who have lost their homes, or resettled in a refugee camp.

Questions? Contact Karen Childs at 715-526-2445 or Dorothy Eidahl at 715-526-2650.



Lenten Supper

Our confirmation class has 22 students this year and we are serving a light supper on Wednesday at 5pm for them, their parents, mentors, and you!

All are welcome to join us for supper at 5pm!



Christ in Our Home — Copies of the Apr-May-June issue of this inspiring devotional guide for personal/family use are available on the literature cart in the Commons in both regular and LARGE print.

Everyone is welcome to attend the Book Club at Zion!

April 12 we'll discuss *Last Kiss* by Luanne Rice



We meet in the Commons. Questions? Joni 715-526-6453.

Youth Fundraisers....Aluminum Can Collection Bin located behind the garage!

The Youth appreciate your donations—which must be bagged—as an ongoing fund raiser.



Kwik Trip



Car Wash Cards! \$36 for 5-Count Youth Fundraiser! Ultimate Wash cards will be available from youth and in the church office!

Thank you for supporting Zion's youth!



DIAPER DRIVE THROUGH APRIL 23

The Health Ministry Committee is sponsoring this diaper drive!

Please help us fill the box in the narthex with baby diapers sizes newborn through size 7.

The diapers will be going to the Snuggled with a Hug Diaper Bank which supports families that are struggling financially to purchase diapers. The diaper bank currently has 77 families enrolled in the program here in the Shawano area.

Thank you for your support!



United Way of Shawano County Diaper Bank

OPEN... 1st Tuesday of month - 4:00-6:00pm
3rd Saturday of month - 10:00am - 12:00pm

Located at the First Presbyterian Church on Main & Presbyterian Streets.



ZLCW Silent Auction of Baskets April 22 - 30



Consider helping by making a basket for this fundraiser!
Contact Mila Waukechon 715-853-7787
or Karen Childs 715-526-2445



Monday, April 24 1:30pm – 5:30pm

Call 800-280-4102 or visit communityblood.org/donor

Hosted by Health Ministry Committee.



Food Pantry – Zion gathers food items for the area food pantry, SAFPARC. You may leave your nonperishable food items in the food cupboard located in the Commons near the Library entrance. **Thank you!**

Items especially needed: peanut butter, jam, pudding, boxed meals (Hamburger/Tuna Helper), Chef Boyardee canned meals, canned pork & beans, Raman noodles, boxed potato flakes, canned soup, and cereal. Paper and plastic bags are always in need for packaging.



Zion's "STELLAR" Vacation Bible School will be held **Mon.-Fri., July 17 - 21** 9:00am – 12:00pm

for children currently in 4K - 5th grade. Adult and youth volunteers are needed.

Watch for more details!