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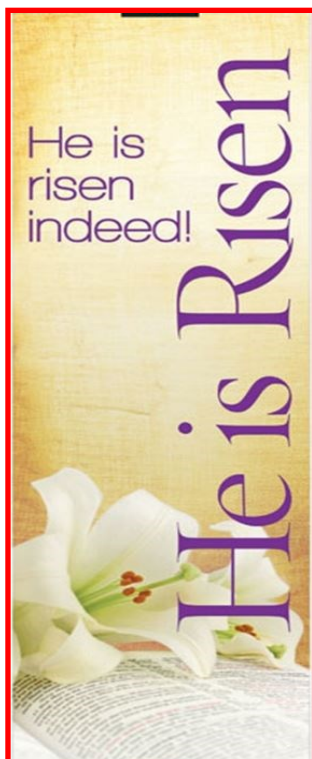
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HOLY WEEK

W O R S H I P S C H E D U L E

MAUNDY THURSDAY - April 6 - Communion

Services: 10:00 am and 6:30 pm

6:30 Service will be Livestreamed

Supper Served: 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Free-will Offering Taken for VBS



Maundy
Thursday

GOOD FRIDAY - April 7

Services: 10:00 am and 6:30 pm

6:30 Service will be Livestreamed



GOOD
FRIDAY

EASTER SUNDAY - April 9

Sunrise Communion Service - 6:30 am

Easter Celebration Communion Services

8:00 am and 10:30 am

Both the 8:00 and 10:30 services will be

Livestreamed



An EASTER BREAKFAST will be served from 7:00 to 10:30 am. A free-will offering will be taken - with all proceeds directed to the MIDWEST HONOR FLIGHT. The menu includes: Scrambled Eggs, Sausage Links, Fruit, Pancakes and Donuts.

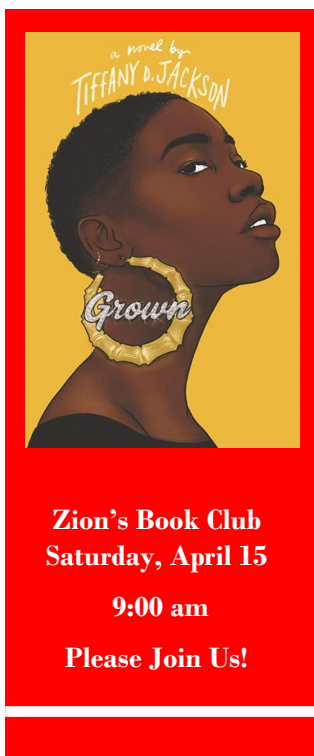


Apr 1 Lisa Pierce
 Apr 1 Jennifer Weberg
 Apr 2 Jessica Freng
 Apr 2 Val Ohrt
 Apr 2 Douglas Schuster
 Apr 2 Wrigley Yost

Apr 3 Alicia Erikson
 Apr 3 Maxine Farden
 Apr 3 Patrick Huntimer
 Apr 3 Darrel Sipes
 Apr 4 Randy Brunick
 Apr 4 Arlene Welgraven
 Apr 5 Jonathon Rames
 Apr 7 Carsyn Koster
 Apr 7 Lee Raabe
 Apr 8 Matthew Kok
 Apr 8 Harris Lindemann
 Apr 9 Laura Hall
 Apr 10 Phillip Castetter
 Apr 10 Marion Englund
 Apr 10 Diane Ensz
 Apr 10 Dorothy Helling

Apr 11 Joshua Schlueter
 Apr 12 Spencer Tisher
 Apr 12 Stacy Tisher
 Apr 13 Kathy Haack
 Apr 13 Ruth Hultgren
 Apr 14 Harvey Dunlap
 Apr 14 Shana Kindt
 Apr 15 Brian Hall
 Apr 17 Alyssa Clow
 Apr 18 Daniel Hanson
 Apr 19 Edward Aamold
 Apr 19 Brandi Bethke
 Apr 19 Todd Bethke
 Apr 19 Ryan Kohlmeyer
 Apr 19 Kaden Roach
 Apr 19 Kaleb Roach

Apr 20 Alicia Hanson
 Apr 20 Adara Thompson
 Apr 22 Harper Thiesen
 Apr 23 Dana Saner
 Apr 24 Michael Davis
 Apr 25 Bruce Benolkin
 Apr 26 Josie Bormann
 Apr 26 Jane Kurth
 Apr 27 Dale Goetschius
 Apr 27 Coletta Venske
 Apr 28 Jesse Coufal
 Apr 28 Regan Pierce
 Apr 28 Nate Saeger



ZION'S BOOK CLUB

ABOUT THE BOOK

When Enchanted Jones wakes with blood on her hands and zero memory of the previous night, no one—the police and Korey’s fans included—has more questions than she does. All she really knows is that this isn’t how things are supposed to be. Korey was Enchanted’s ticket to stardom.

Before there was a dead body, Enchanted was an aspiring singer, struggling

with her tight-knit family’s recent move to the suburbs while trying to find her place as the lone Black girl in high school. But then legendary R&B artist Korey Fields spots her at an audition. And suddenly her dream of being a professional singer takes flight.

Enchanted is dazzled by Korey’s luxurious life but soon her dream turns into a nightmare. Behind Korey’s charm and star power hides a dark side,

one that wants to control her every move, with rage and consequences. Except now he’s dead and the police are at the door. Who killed Korey Fields?

All signs point to Enchanted.

Award-winning author Tiffany D. Jackson delivers another riveting, ripped-from-the-headlines mystery that exposes horrific secrets hiding in the limelight and the power of a young woman’s voice.



FIRST COMMUNION will take place on April 6 - during our evening Holy Thursday Worship Service. Students receiving their First Communion are:

Brynlee Boehrns ~~ Elijah Dressler ~~ Amelia Ebert

Jake Halbakken ~~ Grace Hohn ~~ Grant Hohn

Myles List ~~ Miles Nelson ~~ Mariah Urban

March Income

Envelopes and Electronic Giving	\$44,586.70
Plate	935.80
Missions/Radio	495.00
Lutheran School	120.00
Treasure Chest	147.53
Flowers	271.00
Coffee/Donuts	446.00
Love Kitchen	71.64
Youth Missions	5.00
Suppers (Streets and Library)	532.00
Reimbursement	94.06
Total Received	\$47,704.73
1 Month Need	\$64,100.00

March Other Income

Designated Memorials (Love Kitchen)...	\$180.00
Undesignated Memorials	215.00
Lutheran Hour Ministry	
Youth Fundraiser	2,284.00
Atrium Use	
Total Received	\$2,679.00



**ZION WILL BE SERVING
SUPPER at THE BANQUET
on Monday, April, 17**

We need your help with this Special Ministry. There's a Sign-up Sheet on the table in the back of the church or you can call the office if you're interested in helping.



**ZION
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CHURCH**

**JULY
23 - 26**

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2023 Theme

**WAY + TRUTH
+ LIFE = JESUS**

JUNE 18 - 24



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SENIOR BREAKFAST

April 16 - 9:15 am

EVERYONE INVITED

This year's Graduates are:

Zach Boden Lauren Brouwer

Isaiah Green Esther Otten

Rylen Pierce Payton Raabe

Kyle Stotts Parker Strain

Tyler Schlueter

WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

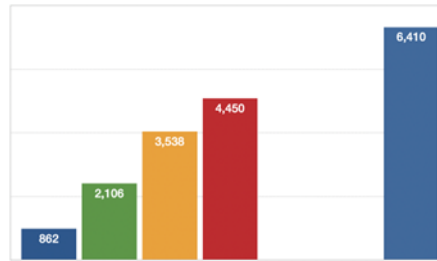
"Proverbs: A Guide to Wise Living"

Starting April 19 at 6:30 pm and running through May 10

Lead by Leah Pidde

Join us for this video Bible Study as we discover how this book of the Bible can guide our lives, direct our steps and grow us in our relationship with God. Learn how the Proverbs teach us to live lives with genuine meaning and achieve the kind of success that really matters. We will answer questions like: How do we read this important piece of wisdom literature? How does our work and money define us? What power do our words hold? How can we make sure we don't miss the fulfilling life God has designed for us?

Walk to Jerusalem update



THANK YOU to everyone who has walked with us and contributed miles as we journey to Jerusalem. As of this printing, we are strolling through the countryside in France. In case you need a little motivation to finish strong – or better yet encouragement to continue to keep moving, here are a few benefits of regular exercise.

Exercise controls weight (Any amount of activity is better than no activity)

Exercise combats health conditions (regular exercise helps blood pressure, diabetes, depression, arthritis, falls)

Exercise boosts energy and improves mood

Exercise promotes better sleep

Exercise can be fun... and social! Invite a friend to walk one of the beautiful trails we have here in Sioux Falls.

Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Glorify God with your body. ~ *1 Corinthians 6:19-20*

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JOY



APRIL 11TH

10:30AM

FELLOWSHIP

DEVOTION

GAME

JOIN US FOR LUNCH AFTER

SIGN UP IN ATRIUM

ZION KIDS FAMILY MINISTRY: APRIL



Invite your friends and family to our Easter Egg Hunt where they can win prizes, and have fun, but most of all they can walk with Jesus through the days of Holy week and learn all about His rescue and love for us!

upcoming events

April 2: Kids sing at 10:30

April 9: No Sunday School: Easter

April 23: 4th Grade Milestone

May 14: Last Day of Regular SS

monthly memory books

**Hebrews
James
1 & 2 Peter
1, 2, & 3 John
Jude
Revelation**

ZION YOUTH



Greetings!

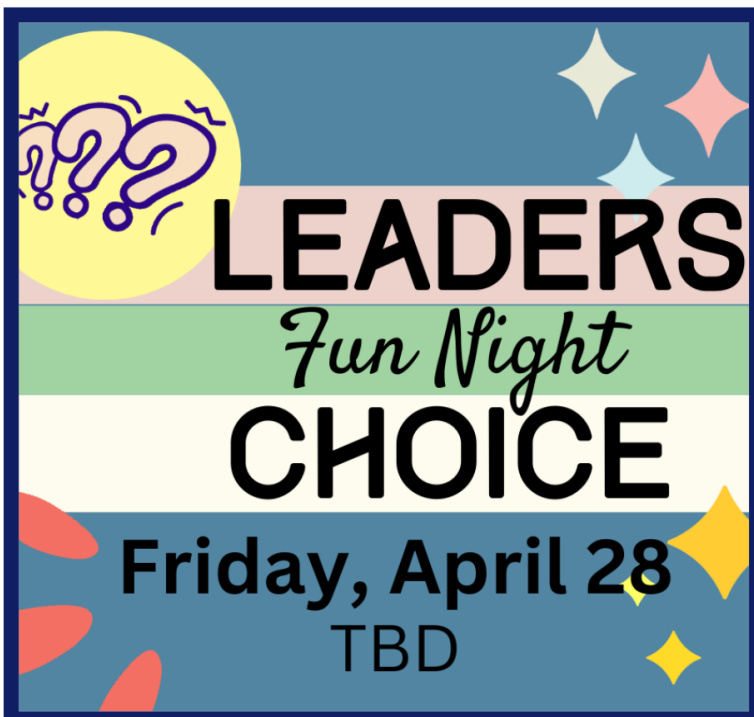
As we get closer to the Easter Sunday and the end of Lent, I need to remind you that our regular Wednesday night activities will pick back up again. **Youth night will be back at the 6:30 time slot starting on April 19, along with Confirmation classes, OWL (K - 3rd), HOOT (4-5th) and adult Bible studies.** I've missed getting the opportunity to see your kids every week, so I'm looking forward to having Youth Night on a weekly basis once again!

Other than Wednesday nights and Sunday morning Bible class, we have one youth event this month, and it is "**Leaders Choice Fun Night**". Our four youth leaders will pick a fun activity for our youth to do on Friday, April 28. They haven't decided what they would like to do yet, so the time and place will be determined later. But, mark it on your calendars!

Hopefully Spring is on it's way! Happy Easter!

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April Schedule



April 8

Easter Egg Hunt
10 am

April 16

Senior Breakfast
9:30 am

April 28

Leaders Choice Fun Night

Join Us For...

Youth Night!

Wednesdays at
6:30 pm in the
youth room!

Music - Devotional
Games - Fellowship
Lots of Fun!

Sunday Bible Study

Sundays - 9:30 am
in the youth room!

**We study God's Word and
learn about the love of
Jesus in every story!**



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Serving Jesus Christ by Serving Others!

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Radio Broadcast at
10:05 am

PASTOR GREG'S MESSAGE

RESURRECTION POWER EVERYDAY

God's Word gives us seven power-packed reasons why the Resurrection of Jesus Christ impacts our lives every day of the year...

▲ **First**, by the Resurrection we are certain that Jesus is the Son of God from Romans 1:4, "and who through the Spirit of holiness was appointed the Son of God in power by His resurrection from the dead: Jesus Christ our Lord."

▲ **Second**, by the Resurrection we are sure of a right standing before God from Romans 4:25, "He (Jesus) was delivered over to death for our sins and was raised to life for our justification (righteous

standing before God)."

▲ **Third**, by the Resurrection we claim victory and power for daily living from Galatians 2:20, "I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me."

▲ **Fourth**, by the Resurrection we have motivation to live a selfless life of service from 2 Corinthians 5:15, "And He (Jesus) died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for Him who died for them and was raised again."

▲ **Fifth**, by the Resur-

rection we are filled with hope regardless of life's circumstances from 1 Peter 1:3, "Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In His great mercy He has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead."

▲ **Sixth**, by the Resurrection we are assured of our bodily resurrection after death from Romans 8:11, "And if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, He who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit, who lives in you."

▲ **Seventh**, by the

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Resurrection Jesus guaranteed us eternal life from John 11:25-26, "Jesus said to her, "I am the Resurrection and the Life. The one who believes in Me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in Me will never die. Do you believe this?"

This Easter, make it a year-long event where each day brings another wave of resurrection life and power to your life!

You have God's Word on it. Now believe it and power up and live everyday as people of the **RESURRECTION!**

Christ is Risen!
Alleluia!
Pastor Greg Lehr