

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

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### AS WE GATHER:

With the cross of Christ, the time has come “to gather all nations and tongues” (Isaiah 66:18). The sign of the cross is set forth in the preaching of the Gospel, the declaration of the Lord’s glory “among the nations” (Isaiah 66:19). Many “will come from east and west, and from north and south, and recline at table in the kingdom of God” (Luke 13:29), but only by the narrow way of the cross. Those who refuse to follow Christ crucified will ultimately find only “weeping and gnashing of teeth” (Luke 13:28), whereas Christ’s disciples, called from all the nations, will eat and drink with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob in the kingdom of God. They will come into “the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem” (Hebrews 12:22).

**THE LEAD ELDER TODAY** is Shannon Johnson. Please contact him if you have any questions about Zion Lutheran and he will be glad to help you out. Shannon’s favorite Bible verse is Psalm 127:3

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAMS** start up again on September 10th. They include a Young Adult/College Bible study, OWL (K-3rd grades) HOOT (4th-5th grades) Youth Night, Confirmation, LifeLight Bible Study, Pastor Greg’s Bible Study on the Parables, and Choir Practice. The evening kicks off with a free will offering supper at 5:30.

**ZION WILL HOST** Dave Ramsey’s “Financial Peace University” classes this fall. Class members will learn how to pay off debt, invest wisely in their future, give with generosity and live out what the Bible says about money. They will start in September and there will be a charge for the class and materials. Contact Adam Huber for more information at 605-595-4012 or [adam@thehuberfam.com](mailto:adam@thehuberfam.com)

**ZION WOMEN’S MINISTRY** kicks off the fall season on Saturday, September 6th. The meeting will run from 10-12 (for the month of September only) Come for a Bible study in the book of Ruth, fellowship and some great snacks.

**POWERPOINT OPERATOR NEEDED** for the first Sunday of each month at the 10:30 service. Call the church office if interested. (605-338-5226)

**THE FLOWERS** on the Altar this morning are given by John and Mary Lou Giddings in honor of their Anniversary on August 10th. They are praising the Lord for all the blessings He has given them over the last 57 years. We congratulate John and Mary Lou on their special day and thank them for providing flowers for our services today.

**THANK YOU** to the Love Kitchen and Jerilyn Harris for bringing me a delicious meal. Thank you also for all the cards, phone calls, and get well messages following my knee surgery in July. I appreciate my Zion family so very much and love you all.

- Max Kirlin

**WE CONGRATULATE** Jake Homan and Marissa Graff, who were married yesterday here at Zion.. May God Bless Jake and Marissa, their marriage and their home.

**BRING IN SCHOOL SUPPLIES** Families in Faith is asking you to help provide school supplies to the schools in some of Sioux Falls’ needful neighborhoods. A list of needed items is on the “Welcome Wall.” Drop off supplies before Rally Sunday in the boxes at the back of the church.

**RALLY SUNDAY IS SEPT. 7th!** Come to worship at 8:00 and 10:30, take part in Bible study and Sunday School at 9:15, and stay for lunch and treats after the late service. Enjoy bingo, inflatables for the kids and lots of fellowship.

**DESSERTS NEEDED** Donuts, Cookies, Cakes and Pie! Donate a sweet treat for a Bingo prize on Rally Sunday. A sign-up sheet is on the table at the back of the church.

# Puzzle!

Use the words provided to complete the puzzle.  
Then write the numbered words in the correct blanks  
below to complete Psalm 67:6, NIV.

## WORDS:

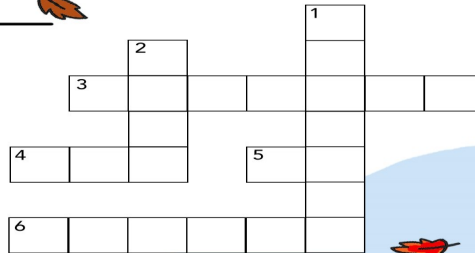
GOD, BLESSES, HARVEST,  
YIELDS, US, LAND

## ACROSS

3. Rhymes with farthest.
4. Rhymes with nod.
5. Rhymes with thus.
6. Rhymes with fields.

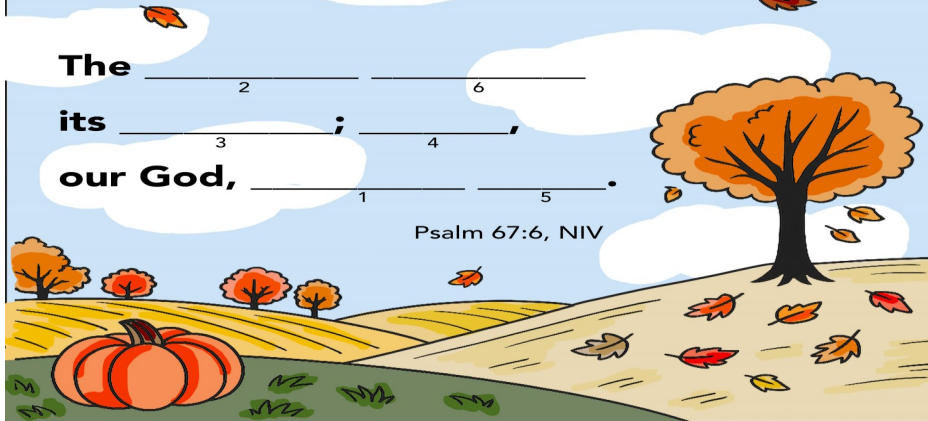
## DOWN

1. Rhymes with messes.
2. Rhymes with hand.



The \_\_\_\_\_  
its \_\_\_\_\_;  
our God, \_\_\_\_\_.

Psalm 67:6, NIV



Answer: The land yields its harvest; God, our God, blesses us. Psalm 67:6, NIV

## Back to School Healthy Habits

Fall is a great time to recommit to healthy habits

Limit sugar & caffeine

TAKE TIME FOR PRAYER

SLEEP SCHEDULE

limit social media

TRY A NEW DEVOTION - SEE ZION STAFF FOR IDEAS

Looking For more ideas/little motivation?

See Parish Nurse Rachel

