

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

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AS WE GATHER: Hosea exposes the emptiness of mere ritual, calling instead for a steadfast love that acknowledges our deep spiritual need. In Romans, Paul highlights Abraham to show that justification never comes through fulfilling the Law, but entirely by faith in God's promises. Finally, Jesus encapsulates this in Matthew, declaring that He came to call sinners, not the self-righteous, offering mercy over sacrifice.

ANNUAL DIAPER DERBY from Mother's Day through Father's Day (June 21)

Our Diaper Count after Week Four stands at **4,173**. So ... GO TEAM ZION ... we need your help, to increase this number. Other baby items are accepted but they are not included in our Diaper count. This year, all the diapers collected will go to the Alpha Center.

GO . TEAM . ZION!!!

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY - EPHESIANS

Tuesday

7:00 am - Bagel Boy on Minnesota Ave
12:00 Noon - Conference Room at Church

OUR CHURCH SOFTBALL TEAM will be playing tomorrow evening at Sherman Park. Games are at 6:30 - on Field C and 7:25 - on Field C. Stop out there and cheer on our team!!

A NEW MEMBER CLASS will be held on **Saturday from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm**. If you would like to become a member or have recently transferred your membership to Zion Lutheran - this Class is for you. Please contact the church office (605-338-5226) to sign-up for the Class and to arrange a time to pick up the materials.

THE RUTH LWML CIRCLE will be meeting on Saturday, June 20 at **9:30 am** for their regular monthly meeting. The congregation members are invited to join them at 11:00 am when they will have Guest Speakers from the Alpha Center.

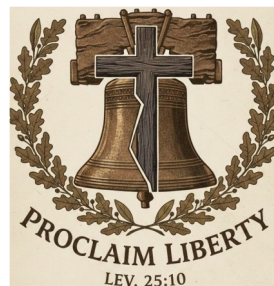
**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL and
HIGH SCHOOL and MIDDLE SCHOOL
YOUTH will study "The Life of David"
Starting TODAY - 9:15 am**

THE FLOWERS on the Altar this morning are given by Mike and Rhonda Drefs in honor of Rhonda's Retirement and **THE FLOWERS** in the Chancel are given by Audrey Hein in thanksgiving for her family, her church family and especially her 2 great-grand children. We thank Mike, Rhonda and Audrey for providing the flowers for our services today.

BEING BAPTIZED during our 10:30 service today is Sailor Jordan, daughter of Daniel and Aimee Roehrs. We pray God's Blessings upon Sailor and her family.

PLEASE NOTE that on Sunday, June 21, due to the fact that our Praise Team Members will be at Camp and other places, hymns will be used instead of Praise Songs. This will be for one week only. Please join us!!

SPECIAL CELEBRATION SERVICE



**Sunday, July 5
9:00 am**

**Please join us for a
Special Patriotic
Service in Honor of
Our Nation's 250th
Birthday!**

OUR ONLINE CHURCH DIRECTORY is a great resource when you need to find a phone number or address of a member. Simply go to the App Store, search for **Instant Church Directory** and download the **FREE** app onto your phone or computer. You will need to use your email address that is listed in the Directory to **CREATE A LOGIN**, the first time you use the app. If you're not listed in the directory, OR if you have trouble logging into the app, please contact the church office. Nurse Rachel and Maxine will be available between services this morning, in the Atrium, to help anyone who is having trouble downloading the app onto their phone.

EVERYONE INVITED TO HELP MAKE SLEEP MATS EVERY WEDNESDAY IN JUNE AT – 7:00 PM.

The plastic bags you have been donating are being transformed into **sleep mats for the homeless**. We have a **loom set up near the library** that helps us weave these mats, which will be donated directly to our community.

This project has several stages, and **all ages are welcome to participate**:

1. Collecting plastic bags
2. Flattening the bags
3. Cutting off the handles and bottom seams to make loops
4. Chaining the loops together
5. Weaving the loops on the loom

EVERYONE is welcome to come help.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Christ is RISEN! Yes, it's true! And it is our joy as Christians to tell that Good News of Christ's saving grace to the next generation.

The 2026–2029 LCMS National Offering exists to provide matching gifts to congregations, districts and RSOs that are working to share the Gospel – with families, with young people, with youth and with children. It will support projects like marriage and parenting preparation, campus outreach, and youth discipleship done in close proximity to congregational Word and Sacrament ministry.

Brothers and sisters at Zion Lutheran Church, the 2026–2029 National Offering provides you with the opportunity to support the outreach and discipleship work going on at congregations and organizations across the Synod to speak the truth in love to families and young people. This opportunity is an expression of gratitude for the deposit of faith given to us by the Holy Spirit (2 **TIMOTHY 1:14**) and a chance to pass it down to those who come after us.

By the Lord's gracious provision, a generous donor has already provided a \$500,000 gift as seed money for this work. We humbly hope to match that gift with another \$500,000 to tell the next generation that Christ is risen indeed.

For printable bulletin inserts and more information on the 2026–2029 National Offering, please visit lcms.org/national-offering or scan the QR code below with your smart phone or tablet.

In Christ,



Rev. Dr. Matthew C. Harrison
President of The Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod

