**Welcome to Zion!**

Guests please record your attendance on a *pink* pad in the pew rack and let us know how we can be of service to you.

***Holy Communion at Zion***

The Lord’s Supper is celebrated at this congregation as Jesus has given it. As he says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but his very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with him and with one another. Our Lord invites to his table those who trust his words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as he forgives and loves us, that they may show forth his death until he comes.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord’s body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with our pastor. He is happy to visit with you about the Christian faith and how to receive the Lord’s Supper for your good and for the good of others. *All communicants* need to register in the narthex prior to the service.

***The Glory of the Lord of Hosts Shines in Mercy, Forgiveness and Salvation***

When Isaiah *“saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up,”* he cried out and confessed that he was *“a man of unclean lips.”* If even the holy angels cover their faces in the presence of *“the King, the Lord of hosts,”* how can sinful humans stand before Him (Is. 6:1–5)? Yet, the glory of the Lord is saving grace, and with *“a burning coal”* from the altar the angel touched Isaiah’s lips, removing his guilt (Is. 6:6–7). Likewise, from the altar of Christ’s cross, by the ministry of the Gospel, *“the whole earth is full of his glory”* (Is. 6:3). For He was crucified, died and was buried, *“according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God,”* and God *“raised him up, loosing the pangs of death”* (Acts 2:23–24). He *“received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit”* (Acts 2:33), and He raises up the fallen world by pouring out His life-giving Spirit upon sinners through His earthly Means of Grace. To give this saving gift, God sent His Son into the world, *“that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life”* (John 3:16–17).

**In Our Prayers**

***Members of Zion:***

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| Marc & Lyn Hoffman | Awaiting Adoption |
| Amy Hodgson | Expectant mother |
| Judy Ahrens | Healing |
| Vaughn Albrecht | Healing |
| Diane Altwine | Healing |
| Vivian Axmann | Healing |
| Elaine Buss | Healing |
| Lyle Colsden | Healing |
| Abigail DeLoach | Healing |
| Vera Ehrlich | Healing |
| Pat Flodine | Healing |
| Vi Fox | Healing |
| Valarie Gant | Healing |
| Arnold & Ramona Gaunt | Healing |
| Charlie Marienau | Healing |
| Linda Nielsen | Hospitalized |
| Verna Nuttelman | Hospice |
| Lavonne Peterson | Healing |
| Hulda Smith | Mother Hull |
| Gretchen Trampe | Healing |
| Family and friends of Jerry Ebmeier | Grief |

***Family and Friends of Zion Members:***

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| Pastor Don Becker and his grandson Nathan | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Dee Berg *(Evelyn Heiden’s sister-in-law)* | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| David Blessen *(Margaret Smith’s brother)* | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Ken Erickson (*Friend of Richmond's and Florang's)* | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Marcella Esslinger *(Marilyn Fuqua’s sister*) | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Jeweldine Gaibler *(Joyce Hartman’s mother)* | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Deb Girardi (*Lisa Splittgerber’s Step sister)* | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Elizabeth Hinrichs *(Adam & Jami Helmbrecht’s friend)* | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Roger Hoffman (Marc’s father) | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Tyler Holland *(Quinten Lange’s brother –in-law)* | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Lindsey Kaminski *(Adam Helmbrecht’s cousin)* | | | | | | | | Expectant Mother |
| Janette Keim *(Westman’s friend)* | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Hans McGraw *(Michelle Millsap’s friend)* | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Michelle Nerz (*Norbert & Margret Smith’s daughter)* | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Ron Meyer (*Amy Woodman’s grandfather)* | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Don Purvis (*Katie Nuttelman’s friend’s father)* | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Donna Peterson *( Lavonne Peterson’s cousin)* | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Rev. James, Rev. Trump, Kristen Matasovsky | | | | | | | | Missionaries |
| Kyle Melroy, John Christensen, Cole & Trent MacKley | | | | | | | | Military |
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| **Sun**  **5/31** | 9:00a  10:15a  10:15a  3:00p  Birthdays | Divine Service  Sunday School  Bible Study  Freedom of Religion Conference at Doniphan  --- |
| **Mon**  **6/1** | Birthdays | Isaiah Gaunt  Rachel Riekenberg |
| **Tu**es  **6/2** | 7:00p  6:45p  Birthdays | Board of Stewardship  Men’s Softball  Bruce Brooks  Reilly Fisher |
| **Wed**  **6/3** | Birthdays | --- |
| **Thurs**  **6/4** | 2:00p  7:00p  Birthdays | Concordia  Board of Ed  Emma Florang |
| **Fri**  **6/5** | Birthdays | --- |
| **Sat**  **6/6** | 5:00p  Birthdays | Divine Service  James Hartman  Chris Kaslon  Michael Wilkens |
| **Sun**  **6/7** | 9:00a  10:15a  10:15a | Divine Service  Sunday School  Bible Study |

# Serving in Worship Today

**Organist: Carol DeLoach**

**Acolyte: Tyson Wilbur**

**Elder: Ken Hockemeier**

**Usher Captain: Dan Oertwig**

**Announcer: Carol Kreutzer**

**Altar Guild: Carolyn Westman & Linda Nuttelman**

# Serving in Worship Next Sunday

# June 7, 9:00am

**Organist: Carol DeLoach**

**Acolyte: Crystal Hartman**

**Elder: Bruce Brooks**

**Usher Captain: Fred Flessner & Keith Nuttelman**

**Announcer: Linda Nielsen**

**Altar Guild: Marla Hartman & Linda Johnson**

**This Week at Zion**

**Our Response to the Gospel**

Date: 5/24/2015

Attendance: 154

Offering: $5,592.75

Weekly Need: $7,333

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today is given to the Glory of the Lord by Wes & Mary Fiddelke in celebration of their wedding anniversary.

The Altar Flowers today are given to the Glory of the Lord by the Wollberg & Herrera families in celebration of Adam and Chelsea’s wedding.

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**The Holy Trinity May 31, 2015**

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