**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. *All communicants* need to register in the narthex prior to the service.

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, are asked not to commune until they are able to speak with our pastor first. 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. Those not communing are invited to come to the altar, cross your arms in front of you, and bow your head to receive a pastoral blessing.

***Christ’s Suffering and Death Bring Division***

The Lord Jesus causes fear and trembling and division because His Word is *“like fire … and like a hammer that breaks the rock in pieces”* (Jer. 23:29). His Law puts us all to death, whereas only His Gospel can bring us to life. He has fulfilled that Word for us by His cross and in His resurrection from the dead. He undergoes such a distressing Baptism, accomplished by His death, in order to open the way for us through our Holy Baptism into His cross and resurrection. So, then, if we are able *“to interpret the appearance of earth and sky”* (Luke 12:56), let us mark this sign of His cross — recognizing that this world is subject to death, but knowing that Christ Jesus also has conquered death and obtained life everlasting for us. Let us fix our eyes on *“Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith”* and *“run with endurance the race that is set before us”* (Heb. 12:1–2).

**In Our Prayers**

***Members of Zion:***

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| Marc & Lyn Hoffman | Awaiting Adoption |
| Kristin Jagels, Leah Vogel | Expectant mothers |
| Judy Ahrens | Healing |
| Vaughn Albrecht *(Northridge)* | Healing |
| Vivian Axmann | Healing |
| Elaine Buss | Healing |
| Gerald Carman | Healing |
| Lyle Colsden *(Mt. Carmel)* | Healing |
| Ron DeLaet | Healing |
| Pat Flodine *(Cambridge Court)* | Healing |
| Valarie Gant *(Mt. Carmel)* | Healing |
| Verleen Gentry | Healing |
| Jan Hatfield | Healing |
| Bryceton Herrera | Healing |
| Morris Hilgenkamp *(Good Sam Society, Alma)* | Healing |
| Lillian Johnson *(Mother Hull)* | Healing |
| Charlie Marienau *(Mother Hull)* | Healing |
| Anna Martenson *(Mother Hull)* | Healing |
| Travis McKillip | Healing |
| Lavonne Peterson | Healing |
| Dorothy Sikes | Healing |
| Brienne Splittgerber | Law Enforcement |
| Gretchen Trampe | Healing |
| Stella Rose Vos | Growth |
| Bill Westman | Healing |
| Andy Wollberg | Healing |

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

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| Kelsey North (*Michelle Millsap daughter-in-law)*Lana Latsabidze (*Eric Fattig's wife)**Megan Gronewoller(Lonna’s daughter-in-law)* | Expectant mothers |
| Dean & Chris BeeBee(*Valarie Gant’s Granddaughter and husband)* | Healing |
| Patty Ellis (*Fran Junge’s sister)* | Chemo |
| Ken Erickson (*Friend of Richmond’s and Florang’s)* | Cancer |
| Marcella Esslinger *(Marilyn Fuqua’s sister*) | Cancer |
| Jeweldine Gaibler *(Joyce Hartman’s mother)* | Healing |
| Brian Gibreal *(Marilyn Fuqua's grandson)* | Healing |
| Marsha Hansen (*Sandy Heiden’s sister, Evelyn Heiden’s step daughter))* | Healing |
| Dorothy Helmbrecht *(Don Helmbrecht’s mother)* | Healing |
| Family of Virgil Heiden *(Sandy’s uncle, Evelyn’s brother in law)* | Grief |
| Roger Hoffman *(Marc’s father)* | Healing |
| Jan Jurgens (*mother of Julie Zobel)* | Healing |
| Kari McIntosh (*Friend of Michelle Millsap*) | Cancer |
| Donna Peterson *( Lavonne Peterson’s cousin)* | Cancer |
| Rhonda Pfeiffer (*Joyce Hadwiger’s daughter)* | Healing |
| Howard Quandt *(Don Helmbrecht’s brother-in-law)* | Healing |
| Joe Sikes (*Wayne and Dorothy’s son)* | Cancer |
| Floyd Stutzman *(Friend of Bruce & Joni Brooks)* | Healing |
| Tyrone Uhlir (*Pam Uhlir’s nephew*) | Healing |
| Rev. James, Rev. Trump, Rev. Kuddes | Missionaries |
| Kyle Melroy, John Christensen, Cole & Trent MacKley, Mike Heurtz | Military |
| **Divine Service One** |
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| **Preparation** |
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# Serving in Worship Today

Organist: Kay Banner

Acolyte: Abigail DeLoach

Elder: Jeff Halvorsen

Usher: Marc Hoffman & Steve Junge

Engineer: Rich Kreutzer

Announcer: Lavonne Peterson

Altar Guild: Waunita Delaet & Joan Schmidt

# Serving in Worship Next Sunday

# August 21, 9:00am

Organist: Carol DeLoach

Acolyte: Madisen Eckhoff

Elder: Rich Kreutzer

Usher: Roger Riekenberg & Bob Glanzer

Engineer: Jared Nuttelman

Announcer: Brooke Fisher

Altar Guild: Waunita Delaet & Joan Schmidt

**This Week at Zion**

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| **Sun****8/14** | 9:00a10:15a10:15aBirthdays | Divine ServiceSunday SchoolBible StudJared Nuttelman Norbert SmithAmy Woodman |
| **Mon****8/15** | 12:00pBirthdays | Senior Citizens--- |
| **Tues****8/16** | 1:30p5:00p7:00pBirthdays | Sleeping MatsBack to School NightChurch CouncilBruce Fattig |
| **Wed****8/17** | 8:30aBirthdays | Chapel – Opening Day of SchoolSarah Hoehner |
| **Thurs****8/18** | Birthdays | Bill Westman |
| **Fri****8/19** | Birthdays | Abigail DeLoachKristi GleasonKellsey HoehnerRachel Strong |
| **Sat****8/20** | 5:00pBirthdaysAnniversary | Divine ServiceAllyx MitchelBruce & Ann Fattig |
| **Sun****8/21** | 9:00a10:15a10:15a2:00-4:00p5:00p | Divine ServiceSunday SchoolBible StudyIce Cream SocialZYG- Cottonmill |

**Our Response to the Gospel**

Date: 08/07/2016

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Offering: $6,028.36

Weekly Need: $6,852.37

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The Altar Flowers today are given to the Glory of the Lord by Rich & Carol Kreutzer in celebration of their 27th wedding anniversary.

The Radio Broadcast today is given to the Glory of the Lord by the Ron Jiede and Barb Kirkle families in memory of our beloved mother, Ella Jiede.

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