**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.

***The Cross of Christ Is the Way into the Kingdom of God***

With the cross of Christ, the time has come *“to gather all nations and tongues”* (Is. 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”* (Is. 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”* (Heb. 12:22).

**In Our Prayers**

***Members of Zion:***

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| Marc & Lyn Hoffman | Awaiting Adoption |
| Kristin Jagels, Leah Vogel | Expectant mothers |
| Judy Ahrens | Healing |
| Gary Albers | 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)* | Upcoming surgery |
| Verleen Gentry | Healing |
| Jan Hatfield | Healing |
| Bryceton Herrera | Medical Procedure |
| Morris Hilgenkamp *(Good Sam Society, Alma)* | Healing |
| Family & friends of Lovita Hinners | Grief |
| Lillian Johnson *(Mother Hull)* | Healing |
| Charlie Marienau *(Mother Hull)* | Healing |
| Anna Martenson *(Mother Hull)* | Healing |
| Travis McKillip | Healing |
| Lavonne Peterson | Healing |
| Family & friends of Robert Schmidt | Grief |
| Dorothy Sikes | Healing |
| Brienne Splittgerber | Law Enforcement |
| Hazel Stickney | Hospitalized |
| 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’s.daughter)* | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Dorothy Helmbrecht *(Don Helmbrecht’s mother)* | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| 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 |
| 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 |
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# Serving in Worship Today

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

# Serving in Worship Next Sunday

# August 28, 9:00am

Organist: Carol DeLoach

Acolyte: Hope Smith

Elder: Ken Hockemeier

Usher: Dan Oertwig

Engineer: Shawn Starkey

Announcer: Lonna Gronewaller

Altar Guild: Waunita Delaet & Joan Schmidt

**This Week at Zion**

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| **Sun**  **8/21** | 9:00a  10:15a  10:15a  2:00-4:00p  5:00p  Birthdays  Anniversary | Divine Service  Sunday School  Bible Stud  Ice Cream Social  ZYG @ Cottonmill  Nathan Luhn  Steve & Fran Junge |
| **Mon**  **8/22** | Birthdays | --- |
| **Tues**  **8/23** | 1:30p  7:00p  7:00p  Birthdays | Sleeping Mats  L.L.L.  S.S. Teachers  Rose Braden |
| **Wed**  **8/24** | 8:30a  Birthdays | Chapel –  Brett Jagels |
| **Thurs**  **8/25** | Birthdays | --- |
| **Fri**  **8/26** | Birthdays | Marilyn Fuqua  Juanita Musfelt  Jamie Wilkens |
| **Sat**  **8/27** | 8:00a  5:00p  Birthdays | Peach Sale  Divine Service  --- |
| **Sun**  **8/28** | 9:00a  10:15a  10:15a | Divine Service  Sunday School  Bible Study |

**Our Response to the Gospel**

Date: 08/14/2016

Attendance: 179

Offering: $8,365.86

Weekly Need: $6,852.37

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