**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.

***God Manifests His Glory in the Humility and Weakness of Christ Crucified***

The Lord tells His people, *“I brought you up from the land of Egypt and redeemed you from the house of slavery”* (Micah 6:4). By the sacrifice of His beloved Son, He has redeemed us from our slavery of sin and death; He has forgiven our transgressions by the shedding of His blood. His great mercy and salvation lead us *“to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly”* with our God (Micah 6:8). We boast only in the incarnate and crucified Lord Jesus. He is *“the power of God and the wisdom of God”* (1 Cor. 1:24). He is our life and salvation, our *“wisdom”* and *“righteousness and sanctification and redemption”* (1 Cor. 1:30). Now He opens His mouth and teaches us His wisdom. By His cross and Passion, the kingdom of heaven is ours. We receive mercy and are satisfied; we see God and are called sons of God in Christ. *“Blessed are you,”* therefore, *“when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely”* on account of Christ (Matt. 5:11).

**Prayers for Our Members**

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| Marc & Lyn Hoffman | Awaiting Adoption |
| Judy Ahrens | Healing |
| Vaughn Albrecht *(Northridge)* | Healing |
| Tom Altwine | Healing |
| Elaine Buss | Healing |
| Lyle Colsden *(Mt. Carmel)* | Healing |
| Ron DeLaet | Healing |
| Nancy Dissmeyer | Healing |
| Dawn Dulitz | Healing |
| Pat Flodine *(Cambridge Court)* | Healing |
| Ruby Hatfield | Surgery |
| Bryceton Herrera | Healing |
| Ken Hockemeier | Healing |
| Linda Nuttelman | Healing |
| Lavonne Peterson | Healing |
| Dorothy Sikes | Healing |
| Brienne Splittgerber | Law Enforcement |
| Norbert Smith | Surgery |
| Hazel Stickney | Healing |
| Kim Vos | Healing |
| Lewis Westman | Healing |
| Evelyn Wuehler | Healing |
| **Prayers for Our Members’ Family & Friends** |
| Rebecca Voller (*Steve and Fran Junge’s daughter)* | Expectant mother |
| Don Berg (*Evelyn Heiden’s brother)* | 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 |
| Lois Hanson (*Pastor Hanson’s wife*) | Hospitalized |
| Erin Hargon *(Jerry & Marge Hansen’s daughter)* | Healing |
| Jess Hinz (*Friend of the Bates’ family)* | Healing |
| Roger Hoffman *(Marc’s father)* | Healing |
| Jan Jurgens (*Julie Zobel’s mother)* | Healing |
| Dan Marquette | Cancer |
| Donna Peterson *(Lavonne Peterson’s cousin)* | Cancer |
| Gilbert Splittgerber (*Tony & Ryan’s grandfather)* | Healing |
| Floyd Stutzman *(Friend of Bruce & Joni Brooks)* | Healing |
| Tyrone Uhlir (*Pam’s nephew*) | Healing |
| Betty Wilken (*Carol Florangs’s mother)* | Healing |
| Rev. James, Rev. Trump, Rev. Kuddes | Missionaries |
| Kyle Melroy, John Christensen, Mike Heurtz, Trent MacKley | Military |
| Former Zion Member | Repentance & Faith |
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**This Week at Zion**

# Serving in Worship This Sunday

# January 29, 9:00am

Acolyte: Abigail DeLoach

Elder: Nathan Gaunt

Usher: Marc Hoffman & Steve Junge

Engineer: Rich Kreutzer

Announcer: Lavonne Peterson

Altar Guild: Shirley Oertwig & Sheryl Fox

# Serving in Worship Next Sunday

# February 5, 9:00am

Acolyte: Madisen Eckhoff

Elder: Ken Hockemeier

Usher: Fred Flessner & Keith Nuttelman

Engineer: Peter Kreutzer

Announcer: Brooke Fisher

Altar Guild: Nancy Dulitz

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| **Sun****01/29** | 9:00a10:15a10:15a10:15aBirthdays | Divine ServiceBible StudyBible ClassAdult Instruction ClassCarol GauntRaymond HerronAbbygayle Nuttelman |
| **Mon****01/30** | Birthdays | Jan HatfieldLucky Potter |
| **Tues****01/31** | 1:30pBirthdays | Sleeping MatsPhil Vogel |
| **Wed****02/01** | 8:25a5:45p6:00p7:00pBirthdays | ChapelMidweekHandbellsChoir--- |
| **Thurs****02/02** | Birthdays | Joni Brooks |
| **Fri****02/03** | Birthdays | Teacher In-service-No School--- |
| **Sat****02/04** | 5:00pBirthdays | Divine ServiceDebra EricksonKassidy Rixstine |
| **Sun****02/05** | 9:00a10:15a10:15a10:15a | Divine ServiceSunday SchoolBible StudyAdult Instruction Class |

**Our Response to the Gospel**

Date: 01/22/2017

Attendance: 180

Offering: $ 5,588.50

Weekly Need: $6,852.37

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