**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 Jesus, the Living Bread from Heaven, Feeds the Children of God***

By the Gospel of “the Christ, who is God over all, blessed forever” (Rom. 9:5), we are “the children of God” (Rom. 9:8), “not because of works but because of him who calls” (Rom. 9:11). Therefore, “listen diligently” and “hear, that your soul may live.” By His sacrificial death in His flesh and blood, He has made “an everlasting covenant” for us. Since He now calls us to Himself, we come to Him “and eat what is good, and delight … in rich food” (Is. 55:2–3). He has come with divine compassion to save us from sin and death and to feed us with Himself. As our Lord Jesus once took bread, “said a blessing,” broke the loaves “and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds” (Matt. 14:18–19), He also now takes bread, blesses it by His Word to be His very body, and distributes it to His Church by the hand of His called and ordained servants. Just as “they took up twelve baskets full of the broken pieces,” there is more than enough for His whole Church to eat and to be satisfied (Matt. 14:20).

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| **Prayers for Our Members** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Marc & Lyn Hoffman | | | | | | | | | | | | Awaiting Adoption | |
| Naomi Wollberg | | | | | | | | | | | | Expectant mother | |
| Judy Ahrens | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Tom Altwine | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Vivian Axmann | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Elaine Buss | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Lyle Colsden *(Mother Hull)* | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Ron DeLaet | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Pat Flodine *(Cambridge Court)* | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Vi Fox | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Joyce Hadwiger | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Ruby Hatfield | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Evelyn Heiden | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Bryceton Herrera | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Bernard Kuhl | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Lavonne Peterson | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Geraldine Roeder | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Brienne Splittgerber | | | | | | | | | | | | Law Enforcement | |
| Hazel Stickney | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Don Trampe | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Cinda Ward | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Carolyn Westman | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| Evelyn Wuehler | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing | |
| **Prayers for Our Members’ Family & Friends** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Don Berg (Evelyn Heiden’s brother) | | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Will Brennemann (*Jami Helmbrecht’s father)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Memory Care |
| Kent Bruha (*Lavonne Peterson’s godson)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Surgery |
| Sherry Campbell (*Judy Ahren’s cousin)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Hospitalized |
| Patty Ellis (*Fran Junge’s sister)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Ken Erickson (*Friend of Richmond’s and Florang’s)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Marcella Esslinger *(Marilyn Fuqua’s sister*) | | | | | | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Jeweldine Gaibler *(Joyce Hartman’s mother)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Barb Gillion (*Shirley Helmbrecht’s friend)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Lois Hanson (*Pastor Hanson’s wife*) | | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Carol Haubold (*Don Helmbrecht’s sister*) | | | | | | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Roger Hoffman *(Marc’s father)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Ron Koch (*Pam Uhlir’s cousin)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Sharon Mulhair ( *Pam Uhlir’s cousin)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Donna Peterson *(Lavonne Peterson’s cousin)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Cancer |
| Dawn Quintana *(Juanita Sandival’s mother)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Barry Rich (*Bruce & Ann Fattig’s Brother-in-law*) | | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Floyd Stutzman *(Friend of Bruce & Joni Brooks)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Theresa Tonn (*Lavern and Elaine's daughter)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Betty Wilken (*Carol Florangs’s mother)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | Healing |
| Rev. James, Rev. Trump, Rev. Kuddes | | | | | | | | | | | | | Missionaries |
| Kyle Melroy, John Christensen, Trent MacKley | | | | | | | | | | | | | Military |
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# Serving in Worship This Sunday

# August 6, 9:00am

Acolyte: Reilly Fisher

Elder: Ken Hockemeier

Usher: Fred Flessner & Keith Nuttelman

Engineer: Peter Kreutzer

Announcer: Carol Kreutzer

Altar Guild: Waunita DeLaet & Joan Schmidt

# Serving in Worship Next Sunday

# August 13, 9:00am

Acolyte: Kassidy Halvorsen

Elder: Craig Nuttelman

Usher: Marc Hoffman & Steve Junge

Engineer: Rich Kreutzer

Announcer: Lavonne Peterson

Altar Guild: Waunita DeLaet & Joan Schmidt

**This Week at Zion**

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| **Sun**  **08/06** | 9:00a  10:15a  10:15a  Birthdays | Divine Service  Sunday School  Bible Study  ---  Ann. Seth & Christina Long |
| **Mon**  **08/07** | 9-11a  Birthdays | Volleyball Camp  Ellen Koopman |
| **Tues**  **08/08** | 9-11a  1:30p  7:00p  7:00p  7:00p  Birthdays | Volleyball Camp  Sleeping Mats  Bd. of Elders  Bd. of Trustees  Board of Education  --- |
| **Wed**  **08/09** | 9-11a  11a-1p  Birthdays | Girls’ Basketball Camp  Boys’ Basketball Camp  Crystal Hartman |
| **Thurs**  **08/10** | 9-11a  11a-1p  4pm-6pm  Birthdays | Girls’ Basketball Camp  Boys’ Basketball Camp  Peach Sales  Marc Hoffman  Norrine Rockwell |
| **Fri**  **08/11** | 9-11a  11a-1p  4-6 pm  Birthdays | Girls’ Basketball Camp  Boys’ Basketball Camp  Peach Sales  --- |
| **Sat**  **08/12** | 8:00a  5:00p  Birthdays | Peach Sales  Divine Service  ---  Ann. Rich & Carol Kreutzer |
| **Sun**  **08/13** | 9:00a  10:15a  10:15a  2:00p | Divine Service  Sunday School  Bible Study  Ice Cream Social |

The Radio Broadcast today is given to the Glory of the Lord by Esther Abels memorials.

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Offering: $5,332.50

Weekly Need: $7,302.65

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