

# MARCH 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024 PALM/PASSION SUNDAY

Zion United Methodist Church exists to celebrate God's grace and witness for Jesus Christ. As you worship, open your heart. God has a word for you today!

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PROCESSION OF THE LIGHT HOSANNA PARADE *"The Holy City"* WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE \*RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

presented by Kellie Burgess

**\*INVITATION SONGS** 

"Come, Now Is the Time to Worship" "My Life Is in You, Lord"

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

In joy, we gather this day. Hosanna to Jesus, the Christ. In remembrance, we gather this day. Hosanna to the son of David. In festive celebration and quiet reflection, we gather to worship and pray. Hosanna to the Son of God.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"Filled with Excitement" #279

#### OPENING PRAYER

Eternal One, as we enter Holy Week and celebrate Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem, may we laugh with the children and shout our hosannas with the crowd. But never let us forget where this week ends. For the one who emptied himself for our sake, took the form of a servant and was betrayed and denied by his disciples and closest friends. May we sing in our hearts this day, but may our song be mixed with sorrow and regret, for such is the life of followers in every age. Amen.

CHOIR ANTHEM	"Prepare the Way!	By Price and Besig	
JOYS AND CONCERNS PRAYER THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION SPECIAL MUSIC & REFLECT WORDS OF ASSURANCE		Violin Solo by Grace Lee	
*DOXOLOGY *OFFERTORY PRAYER CHILDREN'S MESSAGE			
SCRIPTURE	Mark 14: 55-65, 15: 1-15		
MESSAGE	"Heroes & Villains – Caiaphas, Pila		
HYMN OF RESPONSE	"Are Ye Able" ( vs. 1, 2, & 4)	Rev. Chang H. Yi	
*BENEDICTION *CLOSING HYMN *SENDING FORTH	<i>"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" (vs</i> *Please Stand If Able	. 1&3)	

# THIS WEEK AT ZION

# PALM SUNDAY, March 24th

9:15 a.m. – Sunday School 10:30 a.m. – Worship Service

#### TUESDAY, March 26th

9:00 a.m. – UMM Meet at McDonalds 5:30 p.m. – Love Feast

#### WEDNESDAY, March 27th

9:00 a.m. – Waffle Wednesday 1:30 p.m. – Legacy Quilters 7:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal

# GOOD FRIDAY, March 29th

7:00 p.m. – Good Friday Service

# DAILY MEDITATION BOOKLET

Our Daily Meditation booklet, *"The Sanctuary for Lent 2024"* is now available for your use. The books may be picked up in the back of the Sanctuary or the Office.

#### GOOD FRIDAY

Join us for our Good Friday service on March 29th at 7 PM to honor the passion and crucifixion of Jesus Christ through reflection and reverence. If you'd like to contribute by reading scriptures, please contact Pastor Chang.

# NEW CHURCH LOGO DESIGN

We envision a new church logo design that reflects our modern values while incorporating the timeless spirit of our Zion community. If you are interested in contributing artistic and theological insights for a new church logo design, please feel free to reach out to Don Miller or to the pastor.

# HEARING LOOP AVAILABLE

The Zion Church sanctuary is equipped with a Hearing Loop system. If you use a hearing aid with T-coil technology, please activate it to benefit from this feature.

#### **INFORMATION UPDATE**

If you are new to Zion, or your information has changed, please take time to fill out an update card. These can be found on the table in the back of the sanctuary.

#### THE QUILT OF THE WEEK



The quilt of the week is a Patch style in fall colors..

#### UPCOMING EVENTS EASTER SUNDAY, March 31st

10:30 a.m. – Worship Service

#### TUESDAY, April 2nd

9:00 a.m. – UMM Meet at McDonalds 5:30 p.m. – Love Feast

#### WEDNESDAY, April 3rd

9:00 a.m. – Waffle Wednesday 1:30 p.m. – Legacy Quilters 7:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal

# THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO SERVE

PASTOR	Rev. Chang H. Yi
MINISTERS	The Congregation
CHOIR DIRECTOR	David Perry
ORGANIST AND CHOIR ACCOMPANIST	Mariorie Myrold
ORGANIST AND CHOIR ACCOMPANIST Lay Reader	
Lay Leader Congregational Care Coordinator Church Secretary	Connie Sherwood

#### ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR MARCH 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2024 Sunday Worship – 70 SS – 22 Online - 19 FINANCIAL REPORT MARCH 3RD, 2024*(NOT YET UPDATED)*

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WORSHIP SERVICE\$	4.569.00
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APPORTIONMENTS\$	10.00

FEBUARY FINANCIAL REPORT			
TOTAL FUNDS COMING IN\$	17,691.00		
TOTAL FUNDS GOING OUT\$	21,294.63		
CHURCH APPORTIONMENT PAST DUE\$	4,009.43		

#### ELECTRONIC GIVING OPTIONS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE TO SUPPORT ZION

Other than using checks, you may take advantage of other giving options. You can give online via **Tithe.ly.** Scan the QR code here and follow the directions. For those who prefer **Automatic Bank Transfer** on a regular basis, please contact the church office. Thank you for your generosity!



# PRAYER MARKER FOR MARCH 24<sup>TH</sup> – MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup> 2024

#### LIFT IN PRAYER

Tim & LeeAnn Carlson Christianson Family Nancy Evans Pat & Gordon Henry Mike Hurley John & Joyce Kramer Family Wally and Carol Mytych Aileen Sandwick & Family Dorothy Schoen The Welsh Family Jessica Zerr's Mother Our Shut-ins

#### <u>BIRTHDAYS</u>

- 03/24 Cheryl Klamm
- 03/26 Grace Sondreal
- 03/26 Cynthia Shabb
- 03/29 Renee Machart
- 03/29 Kellie Burgess
- 03/31 Diane Daucsavage

<u>JOYS</u>

Building Update Projects Sunday Potluck last week The Lenten Season