



JUNE 1ST, 2025

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

*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

*RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

*INVITATION SONGS

"Praise You Anywhere", "Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)"

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Come, people of God, let us gather with grateful hearts.

We give thanks for the journey we have shared, and the love that binds us still.

The Lord goes before us, leading with mercy and strength.

We will not be afraid, for God is with us wherever we go.

Rejoice in the good work God has begun among us.

We are confident that God will bring it to completion in Christ Jesus.

Come, let us worship the One who has guided our steps and shaped our hearts.

With joy and faith, we praise the Lord who never lets us go.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven"

#66

CONFESSION OF FAITH (*Apostles Creed, Traditional Version*)

#881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

CHOIR ANTHEM

"Just A Closer Walk"

arranged by Ed Lojeski

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

SILENT PRAYER & REFLECTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER IN UNISON

*DOXOLOGY

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE

MESSAGE

Deuteronomy 31:1-8; Philippians 1: 3-6

"From Wilderness to Promise"

#147 & #830

Rev. Chang H. Yi

HYMN FOR COMMUNION

"One Bread, One Body"

#620

HOLY COMMUNION

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN

*SENDING FORTH

"Blest Be the Tie That Binds" (vs. 1, 2, 4)

#557

*PLEASE STAND IF ABLE

THIS WEEK AT ZION

SUNDAY, June 1st

9:30 a.m. – Worship Service
Pastor Appreciation Sunday

TUESDAY, June 3rd

9:00 a.m. – UM Men's group at Perkins

WEDNESDAY, June 4th

9:30 a.m. – Legacy Quilters

THURSDAY - SUNDAY

Annual Conference in Mitchell, SD

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, June 8th

9:30 a.m. – Worship Service
10:30 a.m. – Zion's Gate

MONDAY, June 9th

7:00 p.m. – Trustees

TUESDAY, June 10th

9:00 a.m. – UM Men's group at Perkins

WEDNESDAY, June 11th

9:30 a.m. – Legacy Quilters

WEDNESDAY, June 12th

6:00 p.m. – Stewardship and Finance
7:00 p.m. – Administrative Council

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE UPDATED

Our Sunday worship service has moved to an earlier time, **beginning at 9:30 AM instead of 10:30 AM**. There will be no Sunday School, however Zion's Gate (Wired Word) will still meet after the service. Everyone is invited to attend. Enjoy the earlier start to your summer Sundays with us!

CELEBRATION OF PASTOR CHANG'S MINISTRY WITH US

We will be celebrating our time and ministry together with Pastor Chang today after the service. This is the last Sunday that Pastor Chang will be leading worship service for us, although the family will remain in town until their move -out date of June 20th.

2025 MIRACLE OFFERING

Each year, churches in the Dakotas Conference show love in action through the **Miracle Offering**. This year's gifts will support the life-giving work of UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief). **Today, June 1st**, will be our **final day** of giving to the **Miracle Offering**.

ADVENTURE AWAITS!

Experience Christ, Creation, and Community this summer with Dakotas United Methodist Camps. Check out all the opportunities at
<https://www.dakotasumc.org/camping/comps-and-events>.

ZION BUILDING INITIATIVE

Thanks to your incredible generosity, we've made remarkable progress toward our \$300,000 goal! **As of May 1st, we're just \$17,350 away from reaching it.** With your continued support, we can complete our planned projects and bring our vision to life!

THE QUILT OF THE WEEK



The quilt of the week is called "A Star is Born". It is toddler sized with a flannel back and front.

**IF YOU NEED A QUIET PLACE WITH YOUR CHILD,
OUR NURSERY IS LOCATED IN THE UPPER WEST WING.**

THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO SERVE

PASTOR	Rev. Chang H. Yi
MINISTERS.....	The Congregation
CHOIR DIRECTOR.....	David Perry
ORGANIST AND CHOIR ACCOMPANIST	Marjorie Myrold
LAY READER.....	Connie Sherwood
LAY LEADER.....	Deb Glennen/Cynthia Shabb
CONGREGATIONAL CARE COORDINATOR.....	Connie Sherwood
CHURCH SECRETARY.....	Gail Sherwood

ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR MAY 25TH, 2025
Sunday Worship – 59 Online - 38

FINANCIAL REPORT MAY 25TH, 2025

WORSHIP SERVICE.....	\$ 2,565.00
NARTHEX.....	\$ 0.00
APPORTIONMENTS.....	\$ 0.00

APRIL FINANCIAL REPORT	
TOTAL FUNDS COMING IN	\$ 27,256.88
TOTAL FUNDS GOING OUT	\$ 27,367.31
CHURCH APPORTIONMENT PAST DUE	\$ 00.00

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 JUNE 1ST – JUNE 7TH 2025

LIFT IN PRAYER

The Carlson Family
Neil and Cleo Rowe
Peter Blay
Christianson Family
Wally and Carol Mytych
Aileen Sandwick & Family
Dorothy Schoen
The Welsh Family
The Parkinson Family
Grandma Marjean
Our Shut-ins

BIRTHDAYS

06/02 Richard Curtis
06/03 Cleo Rowe
06/06 Kent Lovelace

JOYS

Dessert Auction Results
Confirmands and Graduates
New Zion Family Members
Building Update Projects
Love Feast
Global Friends Ministry

ANNIVERSARIES

06/05 Chuck & Nancy Evans
06 06 Neil and Cleo Rowe