

JULY 6TH, 2025 FOURTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST

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!

ZION UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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PROCESSION OF THE LIGHT *RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

*INVITATION SONGS

"America" (vs 1,4), "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" (vs. 1,4), "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Something lifts our hearts when we celebrate Independence Day, O God.

We love the parades and fireworks, the waving flags, the joy of gathering with family and friends.

We also love the reminder of who we are as a nation and what our forefathers and mothers believed and treasured.

Teach us to be reverent of the past in order that we may live nobly in the present.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

#526

OPENING PRAYER

Lord, make our hearts places of peace and our minds harbors of tranquility. Sow in our souls true love for you and for one another and root deeply within us friendship and unity. So may we give peace to each other sincerely and receive it gratefully. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC

"America the Beautiful"

Presented by Kellie Burgess, David Perry, Wayne Seames

JOYS AND CONCERNS
PASTORAL PRAYER
SILENT PRAYER & REFLECTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER IN UNISON

*DOXOLOGY

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE 2 Kings 5:1-14 #259
MESSAGE "Listen to the Least" Jerry Bass

HYMN OF RESPONSE "Here I am. Lord" #593

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" #672

*SENDING FORTH

*PLEASE STAND IF ABLE

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, July 6th

9:30 a.m. - Worship Service 10:30 a.m. – Wired Word Summer

MONDAY, July 7th

7:00 p.m. – Trustees Meeting

TUESDAY, July 8th

9:00 a.m. – UM Men's group at Perkins 5:15 p.m. - Pop-Up Garden Meeting

WEDNESDAY, July 9th

9:30 a.m. – Legacy Quilters 5:00 p.m. – Pop-Up Garden

THURSDAY, July 10th

6:00 p.m. - Stewardship and Finance

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, July 13th

9:30 a.m. – Worship Service 10:30 a.m. – Wired Word Summer

TUESDAY, July 15th

9:00 a.m. – UM Men's group at Perkins

WEDNESDAY, July 16th 9:30 a.m. - Legacy Quilters

7:00 p.m. – Ad. Council

SPECIAL THANKS

A heart felt thank you to those providing pulpit supply for Pastor Chang and Pastor Clay during this transitional time. Thank you Jerry Bass, Mark Ellingson, and Connie Sherwood. Also, thanks to Stacy Bjorgaard for filling in for Marjorie.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

2-3 volunteers are needed to add a Sunday School class for younger children this fall. Curriculum materials will be provided. Please prayerfully consider volunteering. Call or text Nancy Flint (605-380-5360) for questions and to volunteer.

MISSION TEAM POP UP GARDEN

The Mission Team needs volunteers to help with their Pop-Up Garden ministry. Here are some ways that you can contribute to this mission; plant an extra row of produce to share, invite other gardeners you know of to plant an extra row, volunteer to set up and hand out produce, and pray for good crops. If you have any questions regarding this ministry please contact Nancy Evans or one of the mission team members.

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!

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.

THE QUILT OF THE WEEK

The quilt of the week is a 61" X 78" white, black, and gray jellyroll quilt.

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

THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO SERVE

PASTORMINISTERS	Rev. Clay Lundberg
CHOIR DIRECTORORGANIST AND CHOIR ACCOMPANIST LAY READER	Stacy Bjorgaard
Lay LeaderCongregational Care CoordinatorChurch Secretary	Connie Sherwood

ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR JUNE 29TH, 2025

Sunday Worship – 57 Online - 46

FINANCIAL REPORT JUNE 29TH 2025

WORSHIP SERVICE\$	880.00
NARTHEX\$	0.00
APPORTIONMENTS\$	0.00

MAY FINANCIAL REPORT	
TOTAL FUNDS COMING IN TOTAL FUNDS GOING OUT CHURCH APPORTIONMENT PAST DUE	57,349.52

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 JULY 6^{TH} – JULY 12^{TH} 2025

<u>LIFT IN PRAYER</u>

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

JOYS
Dessert Auction Results
New Zion Family Members
Building Update Projects
Love Feast

07/09 Janet Seames

07/11 Brad Loiland

07/12 Walter Mytych

07/12 Matt Myrick

07/10 Niroop Sugunaraj

Global Friends Ministry

<u>BIRTHDAYS</u> 07/07 David Perry 07/07 Jane LeDuc

07/09 Bernard Ussher