

SEPTEMBER 7TH, 2025 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER 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

"I'll Fly Away," "Do Lord," "There's Something About That Name" *INVITATION SONGS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

With steadfast love and growing faith,

We come as the people of Christ.

With prayers of hope and songs of joy,

We come to worship God, the eternal and ever-loving.

With thankful hearts and humble prayers,

We come to give God glory and praise.

Here we are together as people of faith

To celebrate the good news of Jesus Christ!

HYMN OF PRAISE

"O Worship the King" (vs. 1, 2, & 5)

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CONFESSION OF FAITH (Apostles Creed, Ecumenical Version)

I believe in God the Father Álmighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe 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, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living 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

"His Mercy is More"

by Papa and Boswell

JOYS AND CONCERNS SILENT PRAYER & REFLECTION PASTORAL PRAYER

*DOXOLOGY

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE MESSAGE

Philippians 1:3-11 "Unshakable Joy: Joyful Beginnings" Rev. Clay Lundberg

HYMN FOR COMMUNION **HOLY COMMUNION**

"I Come with Joy" (Vs. 1-3)

#617

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN *SENDING FORTH "Christ is Alive" (vs. 1 & 5)

#318

*PLEASE STAND IF ABLE

THIS WEEK AT ZION

SUNDAY, September 7

9:00 a.m.- Coffee Fellowship

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

11:45 a.m. – Party on the Lawn

MONDAY, September 8th

7:00 p.m. – Trustees meeting

TUESDAY, September 9th

9:00 a.m. – UM Men's group at Perkins

WEDNESDAY, September 10th

9:00 a.m. - Waffle Wednesday

9:45 a.m. - Meet Your Bible

1:30 p.m. – Legacy Quilters

7:00 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, September 11th

9:00 a.m. - Pastor Clay's Coffee Shop

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, September 14

9:00 a.m.- Coffee Fellowship

9:15 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship Service

TUESDAY, September 16th

9:00 a.m. – UM Men's group at Perkins

WEDNESDAY, September 17th

9:00 a.m. - Waffle Wednesday

9:45 a.m. - Meet Your Bible

1:30 p.m. – Legacy Quilters

5:00 p.m. - Pop Up Garden

7:00 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, September 18th

9:00 a.m. - Pastor Clay's Coffee Shop

CHOIR ANNOUNCEMENT

The Choir season for Zion's Choir has begun. The choir rehearses on Wednesday nights at 7:00 p.m. We are always looking for new members who enjoy singing. If that is you, please come and join us!

VIKING BACKPACK PROGRAM

Viking Elementary School needs help supporting their weekend food program. They can use juice boxes, ramén noodle packs, Easy Mac, and SpaghettiOs in small easy open packaging. Donate cash and someone will shop for you. or just mark your offering for Viking School.

WAFFLE WEDNESDAY

Waffle Wednesday is back! Enjoy artisan waffles with us on Wednesday mornings at 9:00 a.m.

SEEKING SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS/ASSISTANTS
To add a Sunday School classroom for younger children, 2-3 volunteers are needed. In the Methodist Church, two adults are required for each children's classroom. This is an opportunity for you to make a big difference in children's lives as they learn about God and faith. Please contact Nancy Flint (605-380-5360) with questions and to volunteer.

MISSION TEAM POP UP GARDEN

The Mission Team needs volunteers to help with their Pop-Up Garden ministry.. If you have any questions regarding this ministry please contact Nancy Evans or one of the mission team members.

THE QUILT OF THE WEEK

The guilt of the week is named "Country Living" and is 62" x 80".

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. Clay LundbergThe Congregation
CHOIR DIRECTORORGANIST AND CHOIR ACCOMPANISTLAY READER	David Perry Marjorie Myrold
LAY LEADERCONGREGATIONAL CARE COORDINATOR	Connie Sherwood

ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR AUGUST 31ST, 2025

Sunday Worship - 40 Online - 44

FINANCIAL REPORT AUGUST 31ST 2025

WORSHIP SERVICE\$	1,947.00
NARTHEX\$	0.00
APPORTIONMENTS\$	0.00

JULY FINANCIAL REPORT			
TOTAL FUNDS COMING IN\$	19,069.17		
TOTAL FUNDS GOING OUT\$	34,151.53		
CHURCH APPORTIONMENT PAST DUE\$			

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 SEPT 7 TH - SEPT. 13TH 2025

LIFT IN PRAYER

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

ANNIVERSARIES

09/08 Jack & Sheri Jones 09/12 Karl & Jeanette Lindquist

BIRTHDAYS

09/10 Simon Lundberg 09/10 Dustin Martin 09/11 Lois Parkinson 09/12 Neil Rowe

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Love Feast Wired Word Summer discussions Building Update Projects Global Friends Ministry