



FEBRUARY 8TH, 2026

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

*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 *"God So Loved," "Blessed Assurance"*

*CALL TO WORSHIP

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

Let those who are redeemed celebrate it! Those who have been reclaimed from deep trouble!

Though we were as good as dead, God made us alive with the grace of Christ through whom we are rescued and healed.

O give thanks to God for such unswerving love, for such wonderful deeds for the children of earth..

HYMN OF PRAISE *"He Leadeth Me; O Blessed Thought"* UMH 128

OPENING PRAYER

Gracious God, You meet us not because we are ready, but because you are gracious. We come this morning just as we are, carrying our stories, our struggles, and our hope. Open our hearts to receive the gift we cannot earn, and shape us again by your love. Remind us that we are your workmanship, created for good works prepared in advance. By your Spirit, draw us into your grace and guide us in the way of Christ. Amen.

CHORAL ANTHEM *"Psalm of Quietness"* By John F. Wilson

JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER & REFLECTION

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER IN UNISON

*DOXOLOGY

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE

MESSAGE

Ephesians 2:1-10
"Start with Grace"

#827
Rev. Clay Lundberg

HYMN OF RESPONSE *"Grace Alone"* TFWS 2162

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN

*SENDING FORTH

"How Firm a Foundation" (vs. 1 & 4) UMH 529

*PLEASE STAND IF ABLE

THIS WEEK AT ZION

SUNDAY, February 8th

9:15 a.m.-Sunday School
10:00 a.m.-Coffee Fellowship
10:30 a.m.-Worship Service

SOUP-er SUNDAY Fellowship Lunch

MONDAY, February 9th

7:00 p.m. – Trustees

TUESDAY, February 10th

9:00 a.m. – UM Men's group at Perkins

WEDNESDAY, February 11th

8:30 a.m.-Waffle Wednesday
1:30 p.m.-Legacy Quilters
7:00 p.m.-Choir

THURSDAY, February 12th

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, February 15th

9:15 a.m.-Sunday School
10:00 a.m.-Coffee Fellowship
10:30 a.m.-Worship Service

TUESDAY, February 17th

9:00 a.m. – UM Men's group at Perkins

WEDNESDAY, February 18th

8:30 a.m.-Waffle Wednesday
1:30 p.m.-Legacy Quilters
7:00 p.m.- Ash Wednesday Service

THURSDAY, February 12th

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

LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS & DEVOTIONS

Join us on Wednesdays in the Fellowship Hall during the season of Lent at 5:30 p.m. for a soup supper and devotion based on the "meal stories" from the gospels. Jesus makes himself known at the table. Soup supper dates are: **Feb. 25th, Mar. 4th, Mar. 11th, Mar. 18th, Mar. 25th, and April 1.** There is a sign up sheet for those who are willing to provide some yummy soup.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

Through the service of ashes on the first day of Lent, we come before God recognizing our humanity, repenting of our sin, and remembering who we are and who we can be. Join us on **Wednesday, February 18th** for an Ash Wednesday service at **7:00 p.m.**

GLOBAL FRIENDS

Global Friends Coalition will be resettling Afrikaners from South Africa. They need any furniture in good condition. They are accepting donations of beds, bed frames, kitchen and dining tables with chairs, sofas, dressers, lamps, and comfortable chairs. These refugees are coming quickly so donations are needed now. You may contact Global Friends at 701-746-8233 or email: info@gfcoalition.org.

BLESSING BOX

There is a blessing box outside of Zion! Take a blessing, leave a blessing! Pick up something extra to share with our Zion Neighborhood when you visit the grocery store! Non-perishable items only please!

PHILIPPIANS CLASS DURING EXPLORERS IN SPIRIT

Pastor Clay will be leading a study through the Book of Philipians through February 15th.

THE QUILT OF THE WEEK



The Quilt of the Week is named Coral Reef Measuring 83" x 56". It is made for a twin sized bed.

**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 Lundberg
MINISTERS	The Congregation
CHOIR DIRECTOR.....	David Perry
ORGANIST AND CHOIR ACCOMPANIST	Marjorie Myrold
LAY READER.....	Cathy Perry
LAY LEADER.....	Deb Glennen/Cynthia Shabb
CONGREGATIONAL CARE COORDINATOR.....	Connie Sherwood
CHURCH SECRETARY.....	Gail Sherwood

ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR FEBRUARY 1ST, 2026

Sunday Worship – 59 Sunday School – 15 Online - 43

FINANCIAL REPORT FEBRUARY 1ST, 2026

WORSHIP SERVICE.....	\$ 2,986.00
NARTHEX.....	\$ 850.00
APPORTIONMENTS.....	\$ 00.00

DECEMBER FINANCIAL REPORT

TOTAL FUNDS COMING IN	\$ 55,699.24
TOTAL FUNDS GOING OUT	\$ 30,345.58
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 FEB 8TH- FEB 14TH 2026

LIFT IN PRAYER

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

BIRTHDAYS

02/08 Jack Jones
02/09 Marlyn Hurley
02/10 Craig Larson
02/11 Charles Bom
02/13 Billie Keller

ANNIVERSARIES

02/10 Dale and Bonnie Taylor

JOYS

Sunday Music
Praise Band and Choir
Love Feast
Building Update Projects