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FAITH



Sunday, August 2, 2026
"Just Sing!"

Tenth 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!*

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THE PEOPLE OF GOD GATHER

PROCESSION OF THE LIGHT

*RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

*INVITATION SONGS *"Come into His Prescence," "Come, Now is the Time to Worship"*

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Come, people of God. Before the world spoke words of fear or shame, God spoke words of love and purpose.

We come to worship the One who created us in God's own image.

The world tells us we are not enough, but God calls us beloved.

We will listen for God's voice above every other voice.

Though sin has wounded us and shame has tempted us to hide, God's grace still seeks us.

We come out of hiding to stand in the light of God's mercy.

Let every voice be lifted in praise to the Creator who gives us life, hope, and purpose.

We will worship with joyful hearts, trusting the God whose first word over us is love.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

UMH 127

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

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I believe in God the Father Almighty, 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.

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Nothing Without You"

B. Norman and M.D. Goskie

Presented by Tim Carlson and Clay Lundberg

JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER & REFLECTION

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE PEOPLE OF GOD HEAR THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE

1 Corinthians 12:12-27

MESSAGE

"Just Sing!"

Rev. Clay Lundberg

THE PEOPLE OF GOD RESPOND

HYMN FOR COMMUNION

"Amazing Grace" vs. 1,2,4

UMH 376

HOLY COMMUNION

GENEROSITY IN ACTION

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

*DOXOLOGY

"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

UMH 95

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

THE PEOPLE OF GOD ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again" vs. 1 & 4

UMH 672

*SENDING FORTH

THIS WEEK AT ZION

SUNDAY, August 2nd

9:30 a.m. - Worship Service

10:45 a.m. - Zion's Gate

TUESDAY, August 4th

9:00 a.m. - UM Men's group at Perkins

WEDNESDAY, August 5th

9:30 a.m. - Legacy Quilters

THURSDAY, August 6th

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

Church office closed

FRIDAY, August 7th

Church office closed

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, August 9th

9:30 a.m. - Worship Service

10:45 a.m. - Zion's Gate

MONDAY, August 10th

7:00 p.m. - Trustees

Church office closed

TUESDAY, August 11th

9:00 a.m. - UM Men's group at Perkins

WEDNESDAY, August 12th

9:30 a.m. - Legacy Quilters

5:30 p.m. - Pop-Up Garden

THURSDAY, August 13th

9:00 a.m. - **Coffee Shop cancelled**

6:00 p.m. - Stewardship and Finance

7:00 p.m. - Administrative Council

SPECIAL THANKS

Special thanks to Stacy Bjorgaard for filling in for Marge.

SEEKING 2 SUNDAY SCHOOL HELPERS

Seeking 2 Sunday School helpers:

--Do you like to interact with children?

--Do you think that Bible & Christian education is important for children?

--Then you are a person who can be a Sunday School helper!

Please contact the church office at 701-772-1893 to volunteer soon.

VIKING SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

It's the "Back - To - School" time of year again. Please check your bulletin insert to see what kinds of things you can donate to help a student have a successful start to school.

SAVE THE DATE: S'MORES & SCRIPTURE

This summer, join your Zion United Methodist Church family for **S'mores & Scripture**, a monthly midweek gathering designed to help us stay connected in faith and fellowship during the busy summer season. We'll gather around the fire for s'mores, enjoy yard games and conversation, and spend a few moments reflecting on God's Word together. Mark your calendars for **Wednesday, August 19 at 6:30 p.m.** Bring a lawn chair and a friend. All are welcome.

POP-UP GARDEN

We kicked off the Pop-Up Garden last Wednesday. It is such a joy to give. We will continue to hold Pop -Up Garden events every other Wednesday (8/12, 8/26, 9/9) at the same time and place until we reach our final date for this season on September 23. Please consider donating your spare garden produce.

THE QUILT OF THE WEEK



Our 57.5" x 79" quilt are of all different squares often called peasanat quilts but this one is named "Modge Podge". Please view it in person in the left wing of Zion right outside our quilting room.

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

THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO SERVE

PASTORRev. Clay Lundberg (revclaylundberg@gmail.com; 701-732-0936)
MINISTERS The Congregation
CHOIR DIRECTOR..... David Perry
ORGANIST AND CHOIR ACCOMPANIST Marjorie Myrold
LAY READER..... Cynthia Shabb
LAY LEADER..... Deb Glennen/Cynthia Shabb
CONGREGATIONAL CARE COORDINATOR..... Connie Sherwood
CHURCH SECRETARY..... Gail Sherwood

ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR JULY 26TH, 2026

Sunday Worship – 47 Online - 43

FINANCIAL REPORT JULY 26TH, 2026

WORSHIP SERVICE.....\$ 4,376.00
NARTHEX LOAN FUND.....\$ 5.00
APPORTIONMENTS.....\$ 300.00

JUNE FINANCIAL REPORT

TOTAL FUNDS COMING IN	\$ 15,299.56
TOTAL FUNDS GOING OUT	\$ 25,677.56
CHURCH APPORTIONMENT PAST DUE	\$ 8,295.18

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 AUGUST 2ND - AUGUST 8TH 2026

LIFT IN PRAYER

Peter Blay
Billie Kellar
Wally and Carol Mytych
Jack Kramer
Evelyn Elhard
Nancy Evans and Family
Rosanne Curtis
Don Lange
Our Shut-ins
The Family of Ken Sherwood

BIRTHDAYS

08/02 Jessica Griffin

JOYS

Sunday Music
Praise Band and Choir
Love Feast
Building Update Projects
Prayer Chain
Tech Team
VBS

ANNIVERSARIES

08/08 Don Miller & Deb
Glennen