



Fifteenth 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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THIS WEEK AT ZION

SUNDAY, September 6th

9:30 a.m. - Worship Service
10:45 a.m. - Zion's Gate

MONDAY, September 7th

Church office closed

TUESDAY, September 8th

9:00 a.m. - UM Men's group at Perkins
7:00 p.m. - Trustees
Church office closed

WEDNESDAY, September 9th

1:30 p.m. - Legacy Quilters
5:00 p.m. - Pop-Up Garden
7:00 p.m. - Choir Practice
Church office closed

THURSDAY, September 10th

9:00 a.m. - Coffee shop Canceled
6:00 p.m. - Stewardship and Finance
7:00 p.m. - Administrative Council

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, September 13th

10:00 a.m. - Coffee Fellowship
10:30 a.m. - Worship Service
11:30 a.m. - Rally Sunday Meal

TUESDAY, September 15th

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

WEDNESDAY, September 16th

1:30 p.m. - Legacy Quilters
6:00 p.m. - Mission Team Meeting
7:00 p.m. - Choir Practice

THURSDAY, September 17th

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

PAUL THE MISSIONARY:

Starting on 9/13, the Explorers in Spirit adult Sunday morning bible study class will resume our series to explore Paul's missionary trips as well as many of the "minor" epistles written to support the new Christian communities Paul founded. Join us at 9:15 a.m. in the "Sisters" classroom across from the Quilters room in the West Wing. Come for a single week or the whole study as we travel with Paul as he spreads the Good News of Jesus throughout the Roman world.

ZION CHOIR:

Zion's choir will be resuming rehearsals on Wednesday, Sept. 9 at 7:00 pm. Practices usually last until 8:15. We are very interested in having our current members join again for the upcoming academic year. We are also interested in new members joining. If you enjoy singing, please give us a try. No audition needed and you do not have to be able to sight read. Praising God through singing is a blessing and we also enjoy great fellowship!

SUNDAY SCHOOL HELPER SIGN UP:

Please volunteer to HELP (no lesson planning) in the younger children's Sunday School class. Try it one or more times as your schedule allows. Use the Sign Up Genius QR code or call the church office at (701)772-1893 to sign up. The children thank you for your help!



RALLY SUNDAY

Fall is coming! Our hours are about to adjust back to their regular schedule. Mark your calendars for September 13 as we celebrate Rally Sunday! Sunday School for all ages kicks off at 9:15 a.m., coffee fellowship will be at 10:00 a.m. and worship will be at 10:30 a.m. on that Sunday and all Sundays going forward. After worship stick around for a potluck lunch! Everyone is invited to bring a salad or a dessert to share. All are welcome!

POP-UP GARDEN

Our Pop-Up Garden is in full swing. Thank you to all our gardeners. We will continue every other Wednesday (9/9, 9/23) 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



Legacy presents our first autumn quilt measuring 54" x 78" with a large panel of cascading leaves bordered on each side with 8" coordinating squares. We call it "Autumn's Falling Leaves". Be sure to check it out in the upper west wing any time until we change it on Wednesday..

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

ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR AUGUST 30TH, 2026
Sunday Worship – 64 Online - 31

FINANCIAL REPORT AUGUST 30TH, 2026

WORSHIP SERVICE.....	\$ 4,007.00
NARTHEX LOAN FUND.....	\$10,000.00
APPORTIONMENTS.....	\$ 0.00

JULY FINANCIAL REPORT	
TOTAL FUNDS COMING IN	\$ 25,795.95
TOTAL FUNDS GOING OUT	\$ 20,896.80
CHURCH APPORTIONMENT PAST DUE	\$ 9,888.18

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 SEPTEMBER 6TH - SEPTEMBER 12TH 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
The Family of Marlin Flint
Todd Daniels

BIRTHDAYS

09/10 Dustin Martin
09/10 Simon Lundberg
09/11 Lois Parkinson

JOYS

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

ANNIVERSARIES

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