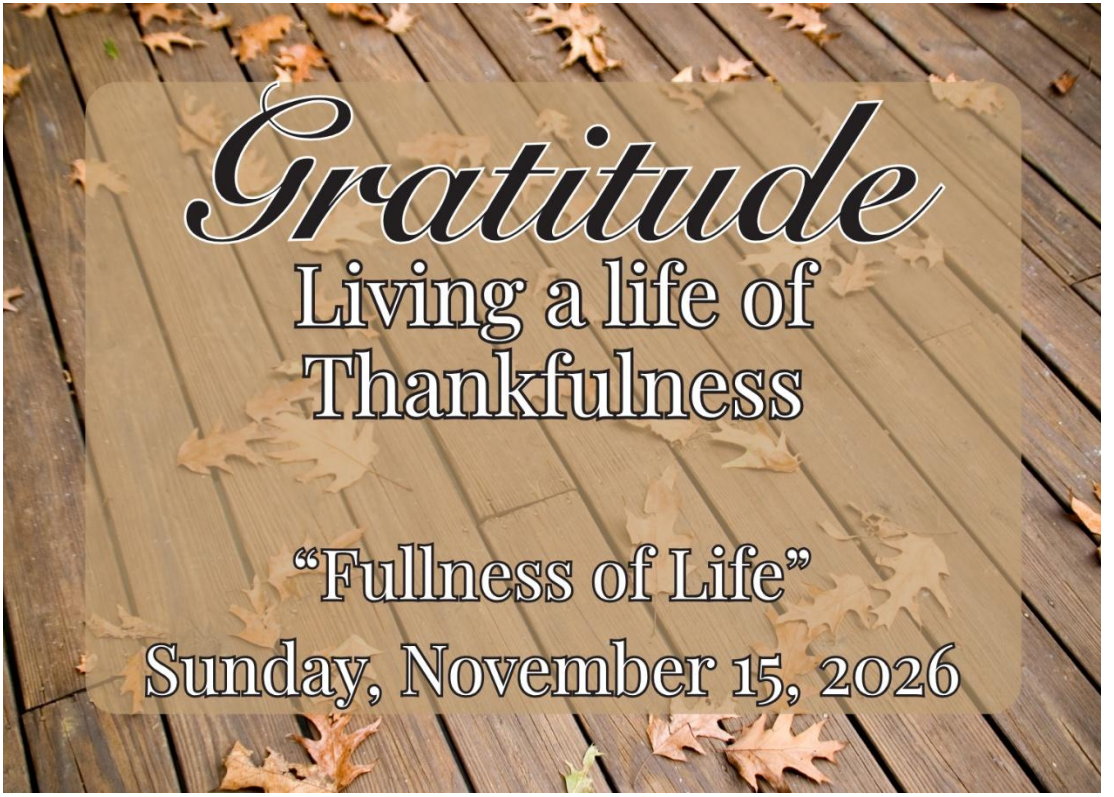


Twenty Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

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 *"Sing a Song," "Christ Be Magnified"*

*CALL TO WORSHIP
For your goodness to us always, we praise you.
How great is our God!
For your kindness to us that is so undeserved, we praise you.
How great is our God!
For your sovereignty over all the earth, we praise you.
How great is our God!
You alone are great and greatly to be praised!
How great is our God!

HYMN OF PRAISE *"And Are We Yet Alive" vs. 1,2,5,6* *UMH 553*

OPENING PRAYER
Gracious and loving God, we gather today as people who have received your grace in ways we sometimes recognize and in ways we sometimes overlook. Open our eyes to see your goodness. Open our hearts to receive your grace. And teach us, like the one who turned back to Jesus, to respond with gratitude and praise. May our thanksgiving become an expression of our faith and a reminder of the fullness of life we have received through you. In the name of Jesus Christ, Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC *"Sing to the Lord a New Song"* *by Antonin Dvorak*
Soloist: John Shabb

JOYS AND CONCERNS
SILENT PRAYER & REFLECTION
PASTORAL PRAYER
THE LORD'S PRAYER IN UNISON

The People of God Hear the Word

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE Luke 17:11-19
MESSAGE *"Fullness of Life"* *Rev. Clay Lundberg*

The People of God Respond

HYMN OF RESPONSE *"Now Thank We All Our God" vs. 1 & 3* *UMH 102*

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 *"O Zion Haste" vs 1 & 3* *UMH 573*
*SENDING FORTH

*STAND IF COMFORTABLE | UMH: UNITED METHODIST HYMNAL (RED)| TFWS: THE FAITH WE SING (BLACK)

This Week at Zion

SUNDAY, November 15th
9:15 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. – Coffee Fellowship
10:30 a.m. – Worship Service
Noisy Church
Potluck Fellowship

TUESDAY, November 17th
9:00 a.m. - UM Men's group at Perkins
12:30 p.m. – Ladies Book Club/Scheels

WEDNESDAY, November 18th
8:15 p.m. – Waffle Wednesday
1:30 p.m. - Legacy Quilters
7:00 p.m. – Choir Practice

THURSDAY, November 19th
9:00 a.m. – Pastor Clay's Coffee Shop
6:00 p.m. – Stewardship and Finance
7:00 p.m. – Ad Council

Upcoming Events

SUNDAY, November 22nd
9:15 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. – Coffee Fellowship
10:30 a.m. – Worship Service

TUESDAY, November 24th
9:00 a.m. - UM Men's group at Perkins
5:30 p.m. – Love Feast
7:00 p.m. – Thanksgiving Service

WEDNESDAY, November 25th
8:15 p.m. – Waffle Wednesday
7:00 p.m. – Choir Practice

THURSDAY, November 26th
Church office closed

Advent Readers

Advent starts on Sunday, November 29, 2026. Each week during worship, we will be lighting an Advent candle on our wreath accompanied by a short reading that can be read by one person or a small group of individuals. If you're interested in helping with that, please contact Pastor Clay via email revclaylundberg@gmail.com or calling the church office.

Thanksgiving Service

Mark your calendar for our Thanksgiving Service on Tuesday, November 24th at 7:00 p.m.

Hanging of the Greens

Mark your calendar for the Hanging of the Greens on November 29th after the service.

Christmas Market

Christmas Market will be on December 12 so mark your calendars. Be sure to invite all of your friends on social media as well as you neighborhood.

The Quilt of the Week



"My Little Chickadee and Cardinals" is the Quilt of the Week measuring 79.5" x 62.5". It has four small bird panesl surrounded by 4" cream strips with two different striped blue fabrics accessorizing the panels. Come up to the upper west wing to view the quilt on the rack.

**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..	Cynthia Shabb
Lay Leader	Deb Glennen/Cynthia Shabb
Congregational Care Coordinator	Connie Sherwood
Church Secretary	Gail Sherwood

ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR NOVEMBER 8TH, 2026

Sunday Worship – 79 Sunday School - 21 Online - 35

FINANCIAL REPORT NOVEMBER 8TH, 2026

WORSHIP SERVICE	$ 3,626.00
NARTHEX LOAN FUND	$ 100.00
APPORTIONMENTS	$ 0.00

OCTOBER FINANCIAL REPORT

TOTAL FUNDS COMING IN	$ 30,301.88
TOTAL FUNDS GOING OUT	$ 65,163.97
CHURCH APPORTIONMENT PAST DUE	$ 13,161.18

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 NOVEMBER 15TH - NOVEMBER 21ST 2026

LIFT IN PRAYER

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

BIRTHDAYS

11/15 Hayley Stevens
11/16 Cody Griffin
11/17 Lindsey Potratz
11/19 Amanda Loiland
11/21 Pat Henry

JOYS

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