Announcements for February 6, 2022

Leading Worship Today (8:30 AM):

Preaching: Ann Fortin

Worship Assistant: Mike Brumbaugh

Sound: Steve Ottenbacher **PowerPoint:** Wanda Wagemann

Organist: Sonya Kempf **Lector:** Monica Tietz

Deacon: Saundra Anderson & Monica Tietz **Ushers:** Lenny & Monica Tietz; Joel & Jane

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Zion's Radio Broadcast is heard each week at 8:30 am on **KSDN radio (930 AM & 102.1 FM)**. Today's broadcast is sponsored by Gladys Melcher in celebration of her February birthday and many years of memories and good health.

Zion Worship Opportunities

Worship in the Sanctuary: Traditional worship is available on Sundays at 8:30 a.m. Praise Bandled worship is at 10:45 a.m.

Livestreaming of all worship services can be found on our Facebook page, website, and YouTube channel.

Kids' Time will be available during both of the Sunday morning worship services.

ZION'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Jena German – 216-3708 Sharon Paranto - 216-7814 Nancy Schmidt – 216-6880 Ed Suchomel – 380-6375

Ways to Give

Zion radio broadcast - Generous sponsors provide for each Sunday's radio broadcast. Would you consider donating either the whole cost or half the cost of a Sunday broadcast? A whole Sunday service is \$110.00 and one half is

Leading Worship Today (10:45 AM):

Preaching: Ann Fortin

Worship Assistant: Monica Tietz

Sound: Saundra Anderson **PowerPoint:** Shelley Fischbach **Ushers:** Deb & Harvey Hardy **Lector:** Kathy Brumbaugh

Deacon: Monica Tietz & Chastity Madsen

Praise Band: Stephanie Hawkinson, Stacy Geffre, Garry Johnson, Phyllis Gab, Vicki Carlson, Mike

German, Cadynce German, Kara Pies

\$55.00. You are welcome to donate in remembrance of a loved one or in celebration of a special occasion to support this ministry. To sign up as a sponsor, contact the church office at 225-6755.

Electronic Giving - If you have a smart phone, you can simply scan the code you see here and it will take you directly to our "Giving" page on the Zion website. This allows you to easily give

online while sitting in the pew or later at home or when travelling. You can also take advantage of the GivePlus mobile app for your smart phone to make giving even



more convenient. Just download the GivePlus app, find Zion Lutheran Church, and give!

Do you need an easy, convenient way to contribute to the church? Text giving is a powerful way to give in a matter of seconds.

Send a text with your offering amount to (844-

771-9058). It's simple and secure.

FEBRUARY SPECIAL OFFERING is Habitat for

Humanity - Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit organization that helps families build and improve places to call home. We believe

affordable housing plays a critical role in strong and stable communities. We build strength, stability and self-reliance through shelter. Your donations will help us help them.

NOISY OFFERING will be collected during each service on the second Sunday of the month. Don't forget your coins! A bucket will remain on the offering table at the back of the sanctuary for you to use to donate noisy (or quiet) offering on the other Sundays of the month.

FREEZER MEALS are available in the Zion freezer if you know of anyone in need of a meal. Come to the church office to pick one up.

SUNDAY VAN RIDES AVAILABLE—Our van ride service is available on Sunday mornings for the 8:30 am traditional worship service. If you would like a ride to worship, or are willing to drive, please call the church office @225-6755.

MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP is available every Sunday from 9:45-10:30 AM in the youth room. Join us for a time of faith and fun and to check out the new space!

COOKBOOKS FOR SALE – The Zion cookbooks are done and they are here! Cost is \$20 and the proceeds support our youth programming. Pick yours up anytime throughout the week in the church office or from the table in the Narthex on Sunday mornings.

KESSLER'S & KEN'S RECEIPTS – Our preschool will be collecting grocery receipts from August 15th-May 31st, 2022. Please bring your receipts and place them in the marked box in the Fellowship Hall. Thanks for your receipts.

sheets for Quilts – Our quilters are in need new or gently used sheets—for making quilts. Making quilts is a tangible way to express love to our neighbors in need around the world, each one reflecting God's presence. You can drop off any donations at the church office.

PASTOR MARK'S OFFICE HOURS -

*Monday-Thursday – office hours are 9:30 AM – 4:00 PM. For all church business, emails, meetings, scheduling appts., etc., please call the church office or email me: pastormark@nvc.net. *Monday-Thursday outside office hours for those "when-it-just-can't-wait" moments, please email me at the above address or text/call my cell 360-325-2651.

* Friday and Saturday – days off – please reserve contacts for true emergencies only.

WELCOMING NEW MEMBERS - Are you interested in becoming a member of our faith family? Or do you know someone who is? Or are you wondering what it means to be a member of Zion? Let Pastoral Assistant Saundra Anderson or Norma Nielsen, Welcome & Outreach chair know of your interest! We'd love to know if you're thinking about becoming a member. Or you can call the church at 225-6755 or by email: zion@nvc.net.

ORGAN RESTORATION GIFTS - As you remember your loved ones in this new year, please consider making a gift in their memory to our Organ Restoration fund. No gift is too small to help us complete the project, and it is a great way to honor their memory.

Organ Restoration Fund

Cash on Hand - \$74,582.79 Unpaid pledges - \$48,974.51 Total project funds - \$123,557.30 Remaining Pledges needed - \$126,442.70

ORGAN RESTORATION PURA VIDA BRACELET FUNDRAISER—Bracelets will be available for sale in the Narthex today and in the church office during the week. Bracelets are \$10 each and all proceeds go to the organ restoration. Stop and get yours today!

LAST DAY FOR SUPER BOWL SOUP ORDERS – Order your Knoephla or Turkey Noodle soup for Super Bowl Sunday. Soup is \$7.00 per guart.

Place your orders on the sign-up sheet in the Narthex. Soup can be picked up on Sat, Feb. 12th, calls will be made if soup is ready earlier. All proceeds will go to the Organ Restoration Fund. Get your orders in today!

LIFELINE SCREENING will be held at Zion on Friday, February 11th. We have been given two coupons good to use on this screening day. If interested, please call the office at 225-6755.

PRESCHOOL REGISTRATIONS are being accepted for the 2022-2023 school year. If you have a child ages 3-5, or know anyone who would like to sign up, please call the church office at 225-6755 to register.

MONTHLY DEMENTIA CAREGIVER SUPPORT

GROUP—Join us on Wednesday, February 9th from 2-3 PM on the 2nd floor of Primrose Westin Court at 1701 3rd Ave SE for a time for you to share your experiences, support each other ,as well as learning opportunities. To RSVP, or for more information, contact Jessica at 216-3596. This group meets on the 2nd Wednesday monthly.

SPRING BAZAAR – Mark your calendar. The ZLCW are making plans for the Bazaar which is scheduled for Saturday, April 23rd. Be thinking of how you can be involved & get those crafts finished. Kuchen baking will be the day before. Also, we would like to add a Kid's Corner so if you have any toys to donate, you have time to check the kid's closets.

MEN'S PANCAKE BREAKFAST – Join us today at 9:30 AM as the men of Zion prepare a breakfast of pancakes & French toast, sausage, milk, coffee and water. Come eat and enjoy some great food and fellowship. Special thanks to the men of Zion!

JOIN THE COUNCIL FOR COMMON GROUNDS -

Members of the Zion council hold a monthly open forum - "Common Grounds" to encourage discussion of recent council items and how the

congregation is carrying out our vision for mission. Common Grounds will be **today at 9:45** in the fellowship hall. Bring your coffee & snacks and spend some time with your leaders!

WELCOME Ann Fortin who is preaching this morning. Ann is the Director of Lutheran Campus Ministry at NSU.

WINGS GAME – Middle school and high school youth are invited to attend an Aberdeen Wings hockey game on Saturday, February 26th. Meet at the church at 5:15 pm. Supper will be served and then we will make our way to the game. Youth committee will cover \$5.00 of the ticket price. To sign up, please let Saundra know by Wednesday, February 23. This event will replace our February Progressive Supper.

LOCK-IN – The youth committee is currently in the process of planning a lock-in for kids in grades 6-10 on Friday, March 11th – Saturday, March 12th. Kids are welcome to invite a friend. If you are interested in helping with this event, please let Saundra know or indicate your interest on the welcome sheet found in your pew.

CARDMAKING – Come and join us in making recycled cards. We meet every other Wednesday and will be making cards this week, Feb. 9th at 1:00 PM. No creative skills are necessary. The finished cards are then sold at church on the card rack in the Narthex for .50 cents each. Many people come in and purchase their cards here. So come check out this ministry group.

Praying for One Another

As a community of faith in Christ, we are connected through joy, sorrow, worship, and prayer. Please pray for the people listed below: Harold Hoffman, Barb Gardner

For those diagnosed with cancer or other longterm illness: Duane Wagemann, Connie Sorenson, Art Heinrich

We ask for God's loving embrace to hold all those who mourn, especially:

The family of Richard Anderson at his death this past week. Richard's celebration of life service will be Saturday, February 26th at Zion in the morning.

9:45 AM MS & HS Youth Group9:45 AM Fellowship Committee mtg. A&B room10:45 AM Contemporary Worship

Zion Calendar

SUNDAY - February 6

8:30 AM Traditional Worship with H\C 9:30 AM Fellowship coffee time 9:40 AM Sunday School 9:45 AM MS & HS Youth Group 9:45 AM Common Grounds in Fellowship Hall 10:45 AM Contemporary Worship with H\C

MONDAY - February 7

1:00 PM Quilters 6:30 PM Mission Study meeting

TUESDAY - February 8

11:30 AM Book club @ Minerva's 6:00 PM Worship & Music mtg.

WEDNESDAY - February 9

1:00 PM Cardmaking2:00 PM Mission Study meeting6:30-7:30 PM 7th & 8th grade confirmation8:30 PM AA Meeting

THURSDAY - February 10

1:00 PM Quilters1:30 PM Prayer Shawl3:00 PM Mission Study meeting

FRIDAY - February 11

8:00 AM Lifeline Screening @ Zion

SATURDAY – February 12

1:00 PM Preschool Skate Away fundraiser

SUNDAY – February 13

8:30 AM Traditional Worship 9:30 AM Fellowship coffee time 9:40 AM Sunday School