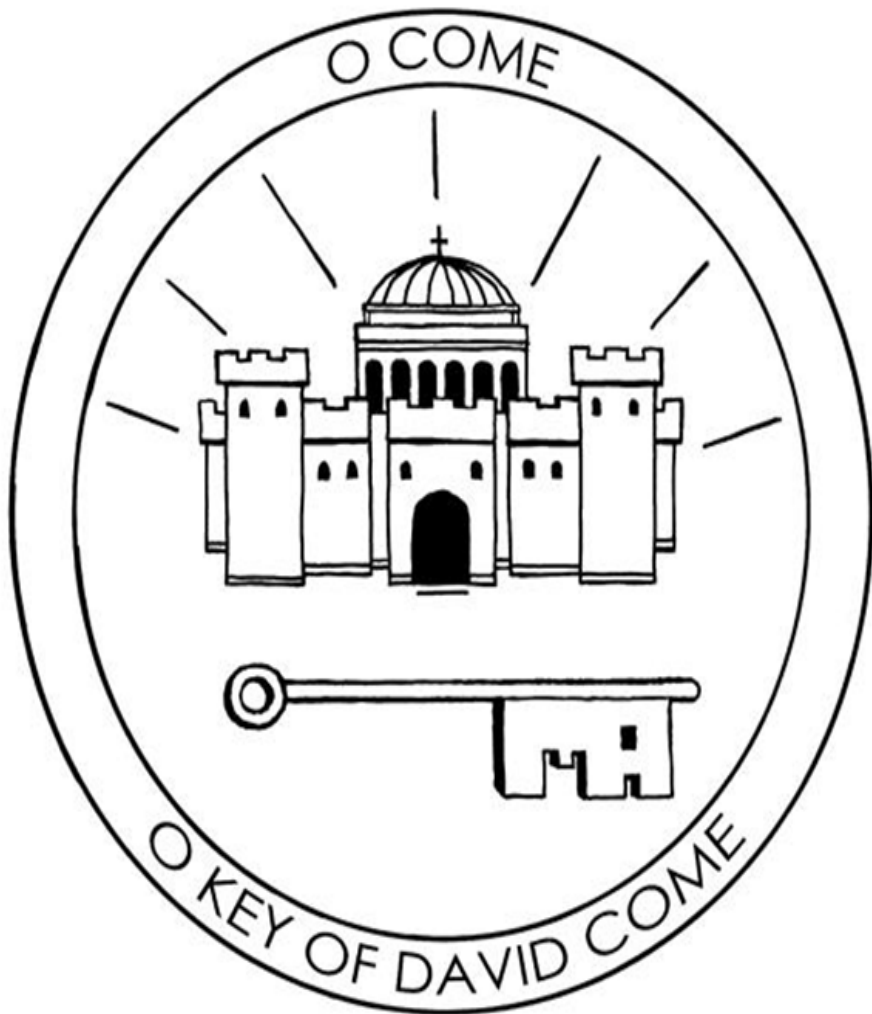


**TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
**October 20, 2024**



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**ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH**

*Cultivating communities of caring and belonging as  
champions of the gospel by being rooted in faith, growing in spirit,  
and reaching out to those in need*

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## Welcome to Zion Lutheran Church

We are grateful you chose to worship with us. Your participation is an honor to our community, and we invite you to immerse yourself into the unique expression of Lutheran flavored faith. We love Christ deeply and believe it is He alone that saves, freeing us to respond with joy for all the creator has done, guided by the Advocate to serve the neighbor.

Whether you are a visitor or a long-time member, we invite you to fill out the "Welcome to Zion" connection card, especially if you have any pastoral needs, interests in ministry, or wish to communicate with the office for support.

Small guests are invited to take and utilize the worship toolboxes and bags in the pews or immerse themselves in the Playground at the rear of the sanctuary. There is also a nursery located next to the restrooms in the hallway between the Sanctuary and the Fellowship Hall, along with changing stations in both restrooms for your convenience.

Your siblings in Christ,  
Zion Lutheran Church

## ***ORDER OF WORSHIP***

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### GATHERING

GATHERING HYMN *Hail to the Lord's Anointed* ELW #311

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS *(please stand)*

HYMN OF REFLECTION *All Glory Be to God...* ELW, pg. 159

PRAYER OF THE DAY

## WORD

KIDS' TIME (*please be seated*)

SONG OF PREPARATION (*please stand*) **Thankful...** ELW #207

GOSPEL **Luke 1:30-33** Pew Bible NT, pg. 58

PREPARING FOR THE WORD (*please be seated*)

FOCUS TEXT **2 Samuel 7:1-17** Pew Bible OT, pg. 312

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY ***If You but Trust in God...*** ELW #769  
(*please stand on last verse*)

## OFFERING

APOSTLES' CREED

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH God of Grace, **hear our prayer.**

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING (*please be seated*)

OFFERING HYMN ***Accept, O Lord, the Gifts...*** ELW #691

OFFERING PRAYER (*please stand*)

## MEAL

GREAT THANKSGIVING & LITANY

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO COMMUNION (*please be seated*)

COMMUNION HYMN ***Lamb of God*** ELW, pg. 164

***O Living Bread from Heaven*** ELW #542

BLESSING & PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

## SENDING

MINISTRY MOMENT

BENEDICTION (*please stand*)

SENDING HYMN ***All My Hope on God is ...*** ELW #757

SENDING WORDS & POSTLUDE

## ***IN OUR PRAYERS***

**As a community of faith, we are connected through joy, sorrow, and worship and called to pray without ceasing. Please pray with us for:** Joyce Mentzer, Lois Leicht, Jeff Carlson, Delila Norton, Bernice Schock, Gladys Melcher

**And for those with long-term care needs:**

Alyssa Weber, Kathy Johnson, Jerry Gab, Barb Gardner, Ken Cordingley, Esther Ottenbacher, Norma Nielsen, Joy Kusler, Sharon Wagemann, Sharon Paranto

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## ***ZIONS' RADIO BROADCAST***

Today's broadcast is sponsored by Elaine Schumacher and Norma Nielsen in memory of all our family members that have gone before us.

If you are interested in sponsoring a broadcast, please call the church office or sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex. You can listen along on KSDN radio (930 AM & 102.1 FM) at 9:00 AM each Sunday morning.

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## ***OCTOBER STEWARDSHIP LOVE OFFERINGS***

Theme for the month: Harvest Hope

*Church Ministry Focus: Mission and Outreach*

*Special Activities: Freezer Meals (Oct. 21) and Trunk or Treat (Oct. 27)*

Local Needs Focus: Zion Lutheran Freezer Meal Ministry

Global Need Focus: ELCA World Hunger

(Noisy Offering and Special Offering envelopes support Love Offerings; undesignated gifts will be split between the two organizations)

**GIVEPLUS<sup>+</sup>** For support of Zion ministries please consider electronic giving. If you have a smart phone, you can simply scan the code, and it will take you directly to our "Giving" page on the Zion website. 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 choose your amount!



**Do you need an easy 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 **(844-771-9038)**. It's simple and secure.

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## ***THIS WEEK AT ZION***

### **SUNDAY—October 20**

9:00 AM Worship  
10:15 AM Fellowship  
10:15 AM Faith Explorers  
10:30 AM Council meeting  
7:00 PM S'mores w/ Sandra

### **MONDAY—October 21**

1:00 PM Quilters  
5:30 PM Freezer Meal Prep  
7:00 PM GA meeting

### **TUESDAY—October 22**

10:00 AM Staff meeting

### **WEDNESDAY—October 23**

12:15 PM Prayer Pause  
1:00 PM Cardmakers  
6:05 PM Living Out Loud  
8:00 PM AA meeting

### **THURSDAY—October 24**

1:00 PM Quilters

### **FRIDAY—October 25**

7:30 AM Drive Up Donuts  
8:00 AM Lifeline Screening  
6:00 PM Girl Scouts

### **SUNDAY—October 27 Reformation/Confirmation**

9:00 AM Worship  
10:15 AM Fellowship  
10:15 AM Faith Explorers  
2:00 PM Trunk or Treat

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## ***SAVE THE DATE***

- Table of Plenty                      October 28 @ 5:30 PM
- Men's Fellowship                    October 30 @ 8:00 PM
- Youth Rummage Sale                November 2 @ 8:00 AM
- Mario Kart Tournament            November 3 @ 1:00 PM

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## ***OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS***

**TRUNK OR TREAT**—Our annual Trunk or Treat event will be held on Sunday, October 27 from 2-4 PM in the north parking lot (or moved indoor if there is inclement weather). **The Education committee is looking for donations of candy and bars/cookies and for vehicle hosts. If you can help in any of these areas, please sign up on the table in the narthex.**

**S'MORES WITH SAUNDRA**—will be **TODAY @ 7:00 PM** in the north parking lot for middle and high school youth. Stop by to try some delicious varieties of s'mores and enjoy some fellowship time together!

**TABLE OF PLENTY**—The October Table of Plenty meal will be held on Monday, October 28 from 5:30-7:00 PM in the fellowship hall. The meal is sponsored by Glacial Lakes Energy and will be scalloped potatoes and ham, vegetables, dinner roll, and dessert. Make plans to join us for some delicious food and fellowship!

**RUMMAGE SALE**—The Youth Committee is holding a fall freewill rummage sale to benefit youth programming & the Milwaukee Mission Trip on Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> from 8 AM-12 PM. Please no electronics or adult clothing. As you are cleaning and organizing before winter, thanks for keeping us in mind!

**FREEZER MEAL PREP**—Mission and Outreach will host a Freezer Meal Prep event **TOMORROW** at 5:30 PM in the kitchen. Ingredient cards can be found in the narthex, and volunteers are needed to help cook.

**DRIVE UP DONUTS**—will be held on Friday, October 25 from 7:30-8:00 AM. Swing through the south parking lot on the last Friday of the month for free donuts and a devotion on your way to school or work. This event is open to all.

**REFORMATION AND AFFIRMATION OF FAITH SERVICE**—will be next Sunday, October 27 @ 9:00 AM. Come celebrate with our five confirmands as they affirm their faith. Cake will be served during the fellowship time in their honor. We are also celebrating Reformation Sunday; we encourage you to wear red!

**MEN'S FELLOWSHIP**—will be held on Wednesday, October 30 @ 8:00 PM at Dempsey's. This is intended to be informal and an opportunity to get to know one another. Please invite a friend, and we will see you there!

### **THANKS AND PRAISE FOR TODAY'S SUPPORT TEAM**

**Worship Assistant:** Phyllis Gab

**Sound:** Garry Johnson

**PowerPoint:** Wanda Wagemann

**Communion:** Steve Ottenbacher; Chastity Madsen

**Ushers:** Lyle & Lois Chapin; Lenny Berger

**Greeters:** Lester Harty; Rose Wiedrich

**Pianist:** Sue Gates

**Altar Guild:** Jane Albrecht; Carmel Heyd

**Coffee Hosts:** Joel & Jane Albrecht; Moser Family

**Lector:** Kirsten Nash

**Van Driver:** Gary Omland