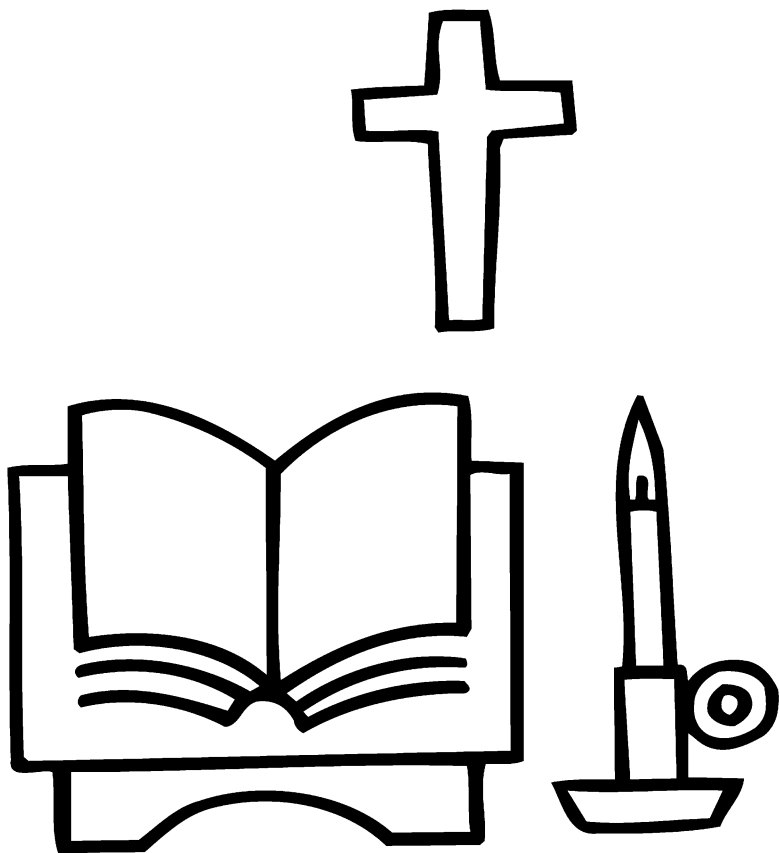


REFORMATION DAY
WITH AFFIRMATION OF FAITH
October 27, 2024



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

PROCESSIONAL SONG ***Better is One Day*** (please stand)

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

SONG OF REFLECTION ***Bornng Cry*** (please be seated)

PRAYER OF THE DAY

WORD

SONG OF PREPARATION (*please stand*) ***Hallelujah***

GOSPEL **Luke 19:45-46** Pew Bible NT, pg. 85

PREPARING FOR THE WORD (*please be seated*)

FOCUS TEXT **1 Kings 5:1-5; 8:27-30, 41-43** Pew Bible OT, pg. 342

SERMON

SONG OF THE DAY ***A Mighty Fortress is Our God***

OFFERING

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Today we celebrate with our five confirmands who are affirming their faith: Avery Efraimson, Cadynce German, Ella Kempf, Lauren Sahli, and Eli Schauer. May God bless you and keep you today and always.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING

OFFERING SONG ***Awesome God***

OFFERING PRAYER (*please stand*)

MEAL

GREAT THANKSGIVING & LITANY

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO COMMUNION (*please be seated*)

COMMUNION SON ***Amazing Grace***

BLESSING & PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING

MINISTRY MOMENT

BENEDICTION (*please stand*)

RECESSIONAL SONG ***How Great Thou Art***

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, Marcie Andersh

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

ZIONS' RADIO BROADCAST

Today's broadcast is sponsored by the Schutter family in gratitude for our Zion Lutheran Church family and in celebration of our new confirmands!

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.

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⁺ 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.

THIS WEEK AT ZION

SUNDAY—October 27 Reformation/Confirmation

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

MONDAY—October 28

1:00 PM Quilters
5:30 PM Table of Plenty
7:00 PM GA meeting

TUESDAY—October 29

10:00 AM Staff meeting

WEDNESDAY—October 30

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

THURSDAY—October 31

1:00 PM Quilters

FRIDAY—November 1

1:00 PM Rummage Sale setup

SATURDAY—November 2

8:00 AM Rummage Sale

SUNDAY—November 3 ALL SAINTS SUNDAY & TIME CHANGE

9:00 AM Worship
10:15 AM Fellowship with
Men's pancake
breakfast
10:30 AM Faith Explorers
10:30 AM Mission & Outreach
1:00 PM Mario Kart
Tournament at Good
Shepherd
7:00 PM S'mores w/ Sandra

SAVE THE DATE

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| • Kindergarten Milestone | November 10 |
| • Thankoffering | November 24 |
| • Advent decorating | November 24 @ 10:30 AM |
| • Office Closed | November 28 & 29 |

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH SERVICE—Today, we celebrate with our five young people as they affirm their faith during the Reformation service. Following worship, there will be cake during the fellowship time in their honor.

TRUNK OR TREAT—Our annual Trunk or Treat event will be held in the north parking lot **TODAY** from 2-4 PM. There will be water and desserts in addition to the trunk or treat, along with a photo area to take family pictures.

TABLE OF PLENTY—The October Table of Plenty meal will be held tomorrow (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! A reminder that the doors for the event will open at 4:30 PM.

RUMMAGE SALE—The Youth Committee is holding a fall freewill rummage sale to benefit youth programming & the Milwaukee Mission Trip on Saturday, November 2nd from 8 AM-12 PM. Items can be brought starting this week and can be left in Classroom C or in the fellowship hall on Thursday and Friday. Please no electronics (old TVs, VCRs, etc.) or adult clothing.

TIME CHANGE—Just a reminder that the time changes next Sunday. Enjoy an extra hour of sleep!

MARIO KART TOURNNEY—Join us on Sunday, November 3 at 1:00 PM for a Mario Kart tournament and game party! Card & board games will be set up along with the Mario kart tournament. Feel free to bring your own game or play the games provided!

Family and friends welcome! This event is a joint event with Good Shepherd and will be held at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in the youth room.

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!

MEN'S PANCAKES—Next Sunday will be the monthly men's pancake breakfast during fellowship. Make plans to stay and enjoy a delicious meal and fellowship!

THANKS AND PRAISE FOR TODAY'S SUPPORT TEAM

Worship Assistant: Monica Tietz

Sound: Zach Anderson

PowerPoint: Shelley Fischbach

Communion: Confirmands

Ushers: Bob & Pam Seyer; Joel & Jane Albrecht

Greeters: Lyle & Lois Chapin

Praise Band: Stephanie Hawkinson, Stacy Geffre, Phyllis Gab, Vicki Carlson, Garry Johnson, Mike German, Cadynce German, Rhonda Strouckel

Altar Guild: Jane Albrecht; Carmel Heyd

Coffee Hosts: Fellowship Committee

Lector: Judy Albl

Van Driver: Ron Kost