ZION YOUTH

September/October 2024



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PUMPKIN PAINTING EVENT

Join us on **Sunday, October 6** for a joint event with Good Shepherd! There will be a time of pumpkin painting and snacks from 1-2 PM in the Good Shepherd Fellowship Hall. All supplies and food will be provided. The event is open to preK-5 grade-bring a friend!



DRIVE UP DONUTS

The first drive up donuts event will be held on Friday, September 27 from 7:30-8:00 AM. Simply enter the south parking lot, drive up to the table, and a helper will hand you donuts and a devotion that you can enjoy on your way to school or work.

FAITH MILESTONES

If you weren't able to make it to our Fall Kickoff meeting, we talked about our updated Faith Milestones for all ages. See the attached letter for more information!

The next Faith Milestone is for 3rd graders on October 6. They will receive My Bible books and talk about using their Adventure Bibles, so be sure to bring those with you!













FAITH EXPLORERS

Join us each week following worship for faith explorers! Opening is held at 10:15 AM in the friendship room upstairs. On men's pancake Sundays, Faith Explorers start at 10:30 AM in their classrooms. There will be no Faith Explorers on Sunday, October 13.





BAND APP

We continue to use the Band App to share pictures, reminders, events, and more. Be sure to download the app to stay connected!

Scan the QR code above to join now!

ELEMENTARY ACTIVITIES



CONFIRMATION MEETINGS

We will be holding our confirmation kickoff meetings coming up in the next couple of weeks:

- 6-7-8 grade: Sunday, September 22 @ 11:00 AM in the youth room
- 9th grade: Sunday, September 29 @ 11:00 AM
- 10th grade: TBD--late Sept/early Oct

SAUNDRA'S CONTACT INFORMATION

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MILWAUKEE MISSION TRIP

Plans are in the works for an intergenerational mission trip to Milwaukee in June 2025. Please see the attached sheet for the current details.

The trip is available to ages 13 (completed 7th grade as of spring 2025) and older. **Registration deadline is the end of September.**

If you are interested in attending or need more information, please contact Saundra. Once we have a firm count on number of participants, we will have a meeting about fundraising and additional details.





SERVICE EVENT

Middle and high school youth are invited to participate in a service event on Sunday, September 29 from 10:30 AM-12:00 PM in the youth room.

We will be making three tie blankets to be donated to siblings in foster care in need of a little extra love and comfort.

Snacks will be served!



PUMPKIN DECORATING EVENT

There will be a pumpkin decorating event on Monday, October 14 from 1-2:30 PM in the fellowship hall. Youth can come and carve or paint a pumpkin while enjoying snacks.

Pumpkins will be displayed at Trunk or Treat on October 27 and voted on for best pumpkin. The winner will receive an Allevity gift card!



MIDDLE SCHOOL



BAND APP



HIGH SCHOOL

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Middle & High School MARIO KART TOURNAMENT & GAME PARTY

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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.

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This event is open to all--invite your friends! Donuts is held the last Friday of every month.

DRIVE UP DONUTS

IMPORTANT DATES

Here are some important dates coming up through the next couple of months:

- Sunday, September 22: 6-7-8 grade confirmation meeting @ 11:00 AM in youth rm
- Friday, September 27: Drive Up Donuts from 7:30-8:00 AM in south parking lot
- Sunday, September 29: Service event from 10:30 AM-12:00 PM in youth room
- Sunday, September 29: 9th grade confirmation meeting @ 11:00 AM in Saundra's office
- Monday, September 30: Registration deadline for Milwaukee Mission Trip
- Monday, October 14: Pumpkin decorating event/contest from 1:00-2:30 PM
- Sunday, November 3: Mario Kart/game event
 @ 1:00 PM at Good Shepherd



FAITH EXPLORERS

Join Saundra for a time of fellowship, service, faith, and fun!

We will meet in the youth room weekly from 10:15-11:00 AM to enjoy a time of fellowship and games and discuss the reading of the day from worship.

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES