

# ***CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY***

**November 24, 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 Prayground 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 SONG     ***All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name***

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS (*please stand*)

SONG OF REFLECTION     ***King of Kings***

PRAYER OF THE DAY

## WORD

KIDS' TIME *(please be seated)*

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

GOSPEL **Luke 22:19-20** Pew Bible NT, pg. 88

PREPARING FOR THE WORD *(please be seated)*

FOCUS TEXT **Jeremiah 33 & 36** Pew Bible OT, pg. 820

SERMON

SONG OF THE DAY **Lord, Reign in Me**

## OFFERING

THANKOFFERING Zion Women

APOSTLES' CREED *(please stand)*

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

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING *(please be seated)*

OFFERING SONG **We Bow Down**

OFFERING PRAYER *(please stand)*

## MEAL

GREAT THANKSGIVING & LITANY

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO COMMUNION *(please be seated)*

COMMUNION SONG **Majesty**

BLESSING & PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

## SENDING

MINISTRY MOMENT

BENEDICTION *(please stand)*

SENDING SONG **The Lord Almighty Reigns**

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:**

Lois Leicht, 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 Dean and Tammy Wasem in memory of Bill and Lorraine Wasem and Eldena Smith.

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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## ***NOVEMBER STEWARDSHIP LOVE OFFERINGS***

Theme for the month: Praise and Thanks

*Church Ministry Focus: Welcome and Caring*

*Special Activities: Kindergarten Blessings Bowls (Nov 10<sup>th</sup>)*

*Thankoffering (Nov 24<sup>th</sup>)*

Local Needs Focus: Safe Harbor (through Noisy Offering donations)

Global Need Focus: Women of the ELCA (Thankoffering donations)

(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—November 24**

9:00 AM Worship  
10:15 AM Fellowship  
10:15 AM Faith Explorers  
10:30 AM Advent decorating  
10:30 AM 10<sup>th</sup> grade  
confirmation mtg w/  
mentor

### **MONDAY—November 25**

1:00 PM Quilters  
5:30 PM Table of Plenty

### **TUESDAY—November 26**

10:00 AM Staff meeting

### **WEDNESDAY—Novemb. 27**

12:15 PM Prayer Pause  
1:00 PM Cardmakers  
8:00 PM AA meeting

### **THURSDAY—November 28**

Office Closed

### **FRIDAY—November 29**

Office Closed

### **SUNDAY—December 1**

9:00 AM Worship  
10:15 AM Fellowship  
10:30 AM Milwaukee trip mtg.

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## ***SAVE THE DATE***

- Special congregational mtg. Decemb. 8 following worship
- Altar Guild meeting December 8 @ 11:00 AM
- Faith Explorer program December 15 during worship
- Church Breakfast Potluck Decemb.15 following worship
- Christmas Eve services December 24 @ 4 & 7 PM

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## ***OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS***

**ADVENT DECORATING**—We will be decorating for the Advent and Christmas seasons following worship **TODAY**. We are looking for volunteers of all ages to help put up trees, nativity sets, wreathes, etc. Please meet in the sanctuary at 10:30!

**THANKOFFERING SUNDAY**—If you did not receive an envelope for the special offering, please see one of the ladies by the usher counter. This special Thankoffering will be collected in a quilt at the front of the church **immediately following the Hymn of the Day**. If you have a donation but would like to remain seated during the collection, please hand your envelope to an usher as they come up the main aisle. The money collected will be given to the Women of the ELCA.

**TABLE OF PLENTY**—The November Table of Plenty meal will be held **TOMORROW** from 5:30-7:00 PM in the fellowship hall. The meal is sponsored by Lane Construction and will be ham, potatoes, green beans, dinner roll, and dessert. Join us for some delicious food and fellowship!

**SPECIAL CONGREGATION MEETING**—There will be a special meeting of the congregation held on Sunday, December 8 immediately following worship. The reason for the meeting is to present proposed constitution and bylaw changes that will be voted on at the annual meeting. You'll have an opportunity to review the proposed changes and ask questions at the annual meeting forums held in January. Please plan to attend!

**BREAKFAST POTLUCK**— Please join in the celebration of the children of Faith Formation following their Christmas program on December 15! The potluck will be held after the service and Christmas program. Please bring breakfast items to share, such as egg bake, French toast bake, sausage, bacon, biscuits and gravy, rolls, donuts, hard-boiled eggs, fruit, etc.

**ADVENT WORSHIP**—There will be Wednesday evening worship services during the Advent season beginning on Wednesday, December 4. A meal will be served from 5:30-6:00 PM with worship beginning at 6:05 PM.

**MISSION TRIP MEETING**— There will be a meeting for all participants of the Milwaukee Mission Trip on Sunday, December 1 @ 10:30 AM in Classrooms A&B. If you're going on the trip, please plan to attend!

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

**Worship Assistant:** Brent Stanek

**Lector:** Kirsten Nash

**Sound:** Zach Anderson

**Van Driver:** Tom Bretsch

**PowerPoint:** Judy Albl

**Communion:** Jeremy Schutter; Allen/Kirsten Nash

**Ushers:** Joel and Jane Albrecht; VanderWeyst family

**Greeters:** Lavina Nelson; Aileen Kolb

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

**Altar Guild:** Rose Wiedrich; Marcie Andersh

**Coffee Hosts:** Wilma Zimmerman and Rose Wiedrich