

CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

November 23, 2025



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 & GREETING

GATHERING SONG ***All Hail the Power...*** **ELW #634** Vs. 1,2,3

A WALK THROUGH THE CHURCH YEAR

CHRIST THE KING READING **Jeremiah 23:5-6** & REFLECTION

PRAYER OF THE DAY

HYMN ***All Hail the Power...*** **ELW #634** Vs. 5

ADVENT READING **Luke 1:26-27, 30-33** & REFLECTION

HYMN ***Crown Him with Many Crowns*** **ELW #855** Vs. 1

CHRISTMAS READING **Isaiah 9:6-7** & REFLECTION

HYMN	<i>Crown Him with Many Crowns</i>	ELW #855 Vs. 2
ETIPHANY READING	Matthew 2:1-2	& REFLECTION
HYMN	<i>Songs of Thankfulness & Praise</i>	ELW #310 Vs. 1
LENT READING	John 18:33-37	& REFLECTION
HYMN	<i>Crown Him with Many Crowns</i>	ELW #855 Vs. 3
EASTER READING	Philippians 2:5-11	& REFLECTION
HYMN	<i>Crown Him with Many Crowns</i>	ELW #855 Vs. 4
PENTECOST READING	Acts 2:1-4	& REFLECTION
HYMN	<i>God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind</i>	ELW #400 Vs. 1
LIFE IN KINGDOM READING	Matthew 18:1-5	& REFLECTION
HYMN	<i>Crown Him with Many Crowns</i>	ELW #855 Vs. 5

OFFERING

APOSTLES' CREED (*please stand*)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

SHARING OF THE PEACE & OFFERING (*please be seated*)

OFFERING SONG ***Father, We Thank You*** **ELW #478**

OFFERING PRAYER (*please stand*)

MEAL

GIVING THANKS FOR THE MEAL

SONG OF THANKSGIVING ***Bread of Life from Heaven***

BLESSING OF THE MEAL & LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO COMMUNION (*please be seated*)

COMMUNION SONG ***Lamb of God*** **ELW, pg. 154**

COMMUNION SONG ***My Hope is Built...*** **ELW #597**

BLESSING & PRAYER AFTER THE MEAL

SENDING

MINISTRY MOMENT

SENDING BLESSING (*please stand*)

SENDING SONG ***Lift High the Cross*** **ELW #660**

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:
Delbert, Lois, Magdalen, Lenny, Chad, Mary Jane, Lyle

And for those with long-term care needs:

Barb, Sharon, Esther, Norma, Sharon, Susan, Alyssa, Kari, Dalvin

ZION'S RADIO BROADCAST

Today's broadcast is sponsored by Doug and Sharlene Wanttie to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving!

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.

NOVEMBER STEWARDSHIP LOVE OFFERINGS

Theme for the Month

God's Provision: Living the Promise

Special & Noisy Offering: Lutheran Disaster Response & Red Cross

Special Activities: Visit from the American Red Cross—November 16
MS/HS Service Event Cookie Ninjas — 11/16 @ 11 AM
Table of Plenty—November 24 from 5:30-7:00 PM
ELCA Worship & Pie Social—November 26 @ 6:30 PM



In 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—November 23

9:00 AM Worship
10:15 AM Fellowship Time
10:15 AM Faith Explorers
10:30 AM Faith Insights
10:30 AM Advent Decorating
11:15 AM Church Council

MONDAY—November 24

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

TUESDAY—November 25

6:00 PM MSW Meal assembly

WEDNESDAY—Novem. 26

6:30 PM Thanksgiving Eve
Worship & Pie Social
8:00 PM Men's Fellowship

THURSDAY—November 27

Office Closed



SUNDAY—November 30

9:00 AM Worship
10:15 AM Fellowship Time
10:30 AM Nashville trip mtg

SAVE THE DATE

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| • Missional Life meeting | December 1 @ 5:30 PM |
| • Advent Suppers | Dec. 3, 10, 17 @ 5:15 PM |
| • Advent Worship | Dec. 3, 10, 17 @ 6:05 PM |
| • Book Club | December 9 @ 11:30 AM |
| • Altar Guild meeting | December 14 @ 10:30 AM |
| • Education meeting | December 14 @ 11:15 AM |
| • Worship Life meeting | December 16 @ 5:30 PM |
| • Drive Up Donuts | December 19 @ 7:30 AM |
| • Christmas Program | December 21 |
| • Christmas Eve worship | December 24 @ 4 & 7 PM |

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

ELCA THANKSGIVING EVE EVENT— There will be a joint ELCA Thanksgiving Eve event to be held at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church on **Wednesday, November 26**. Worship will be held in the sanctuary at 6:30 PM with a pie social to follow. This is a perfect opportunity to get to know your brothers and sisters in Christ and enjoy a variety of homemade and classic pies. Bring your favorite dessert to share or simply come and enjoy a slice.

MSM MEAL PACKING— A group of representatives from area community churches and organizations will be meeting at Zion on Tuesday @ 6:00 PM to pack Thanksgiving meals for Midwest Street Medicine to deliver on Wednesday. If you would like to help with this meal prep event, please visit with Pastor Nicole.

ADOPT-A-GRAD—We are collecting items to make finals week care packs for our three post-secondary youth. Lists of items can be found on the table in the narthex. All items should be returned **today** so care packs can be mailed in time for finals.

ADVENT DECORATING—The Christmas season is almost upon us! We will be decorating our building in celebration of Advent and Christmas **today at 10:30 AM**. We are looking for volunteers of all ages who are willing to help put up trees, wreathes, nativity sets, etc. Enjoy some fellowship and then join us in the sanctuary!

NASHVILLE TRIP MEETING—Join us for an intergenerational trip to Nashville in June 2026! Info meeting: Sunday, November 30 at 10:30 AM in Classrooms A & B. Open to ages 13+ (completed 7th grade by Spring '26). For more information, or if you are unable to make the meeting, please see MC Sandra for details.

TABLE OF PLENTY—The November Table of Plenty meal will be **tomorrow evening from 5:30-7:00 PM** in the fellowship hall. The meal is sponsored by Lane Construction and will be German sausage, scalloped potatoes, corn, and pumpkin bars. Mark the date on your calendar, and make plans to join us for delicious food and fellowship! As always, this meal is free and open to all members of the Aberdeen community.

THANK YOU—The ZLCW held its Thankoffering service on Sunday, November 9. Total offering received was \$612.50 and was presented to the Salvation Army for their SnackPack program. Thank you to the quilters for displaying all their quilts on the pews. They sold ten quilts, totaling \$200. Thank you to everyone for contributing to the offering and for purchasing quilts!

THANKS AND PRAISE FOR TODAY'S SUPPORT TEAM

Worship Assistant: Monica Tietz

Van Driver: Lester Harty

Sound: Zach Anderson

PowerPoint: Shelley Fischbach

Communion: Andrea Morehouse; Jeremy Schutter

Ushers: Bob & Pam Seyer

Greeters: Lavina Nelson; Aileen Kolb

Organ: Sonya Kempf

Flute: Sue Gates

Coffee Hosts: Verna Schaffer; Fred & Nancy Schmidt

Altar Guild: Jane Albrecht; Carmel Heyd