



Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

Connecting with God; Connecting with Others; Connecting others with God

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WeekIE-Newsletter: February 11

COMING UP AT ZION & WITHIN THE WIDER CHURCH

Sunday, February 13

** The altar flowers are in memory of Joanne Grim.*

** The bulletins are sponsored by Randy Miller in honor of his family and in memory of Joanne Grim.*

** The communion elements are sponsored by the Wauls in honor of their children and grandchildren.*

In-Person Worship – 9:00 a.m.

Livestream/Recorded Worship – 9:00 a.m.

Link: http://bit.ly/Zion_Live

Box Office Bible Study Sunday School – 10:15 a.m. (Parlor)

Wired Word Sunday School – 10:15 a.m. (Zone/Zoom)

Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>

Monday, February 14

Comforters – 9 – 11 a.m. (Social Room)

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Property – 7 p.m. (Parlor)

Tuesday, February 15

Bible Study – 9 - 10:30 a.m. (Parlor)

Scouts – 6:30 p.m. (Sunday School Rooms)

Wednesday, February 16

Food Pantry – 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Thursday, February 17

Community Meal – 5:30 p.m.

Choir – 7:00 p.m.

Friday, February 18

Bridge – 1:00 p.m. (Zone)

Saturday, February 19

Sunday, February 20

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ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, & EVENTS

JOYFUL NOISE



Throughout February, money collected for this ongoing outreach project will go to Vision Corp. Vision Corp. is a non-profit organization that empowers individuals who are blind or vision impaired to attain independence. For more information, visit: <https://visioncorps.net/>

CARE PACKAGES – DEADLINE EXTENDED!

The collection deadline has been extended! Please continue to bring in items to include in the packages! And, of course, thank you to everyone who has already donated items that will then be sent to older members of our congregation!



COMMUNITY MEAL UPDATE

The Community Meal continues to serve about 100 meals per week. Zion will be sponsoring the meal this Thursday, February 17. Thankfully, the schedule for sponsors is fully booked until May but if you would like to be added to the email list of volunteers, please contact Mary Hetrick (717-898-3162). Thank you for supporting this ministry to our community!

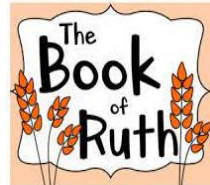
Bible Study



Throughout the month, Pastor Sell will lead a study on Tuesday mornings (9:00 a.m.) on the book of Ruth.

Upcoming Topics

- 2/15: Ruth Chapter 3 – How I Met Your Father
- 2/22: Ruth Chapter 4 – Say Yes To The Dress



ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES: 10:15 a.m.

➤ **WIRED WORD IN THE ZONE & ON ZOOM**

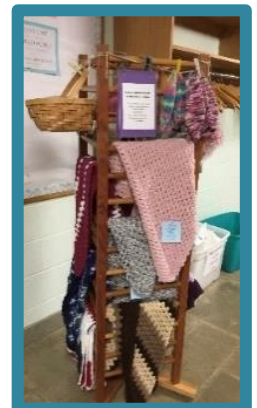
This class explores current events and other relevant topics within a biblical and Christian framework. If you are interested in participating in this class via Zoom, you can sign on anytime after 10:15 at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2283229266>

➤ **BOX OFFICE BIBLE STUDY IN THE PARLOR**

This class explores various topics throughout the year. Currently they are using the Box Office Bible Studies series on the letters to the churches in the book of Revelation

FOR COMFORT

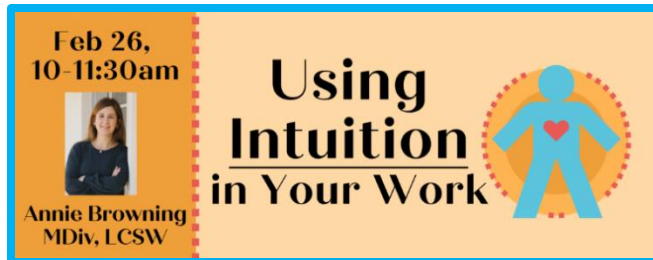
There is a collection of handmade items on display across from the mailboxes. They are available for you to give to someone who needs comfort. There are **prayer shawls** of different types, **hats** for women experiencing hair loss because of chemo treatment and **prayer squares** to be carried in a purse or pocket as a reminder of God's love. These articles have all been knit or crocheted by several Women of Zion.



UPCOMING WORKSHOPS THROUGH THE PARISH RESOURCE CENTER



For more information about this workshop, visit:
<https://parishresourcecenter.org/events/intro-to-grant-writing/>



This workshop will be on Zoom.
For more info. & to register, visit:
<https://parishresourcecenter.org/events/using-intuition-in-your-work/>



This workshop will be on Zoom.
For more info. & to register, visit:
<https://parishresourcecenter.org/events/cultural-humility/>



This workshop will be on Zoom.
For more info. & to register, visit:
<https://parishresourcecenter.org/events/compassionate-caring/>



THANK YOU FROM THELMA PEARSON

Dear Zion Church,
Thank you for the beautiful flowers that were on the altar on October 17. I did have a very happy 98th birthday! Thank you also for all the birthday cards. They all had such nice messages. I cherish them all. God bless you and keep you in His care.

ADVANCED PLANNING LUNCH & LEARN

Sheetz Funeral Home, Inc.

**“Lunch and Learn”
Seminar**

You are cordially invited to join one of our two lunch and learn seminars. A meal will be provided. We will present information on a series of topics relevant to funeral preplanning to insurance options, cremation, VA Benefits, and many more topics.

Dates: Tuesday, February 22nd at 12:00 PM
or
Wednesday, February 23rd at 5:30 PM

Location: Wallick / O'Connor Reception Center
16 E. Main St., Mount Joy, PA 17552

**Kindly RSVP to (717) 653-5441
or
sfh@sheetzfuneralhome.com**

Please feel free to contact us with any questions at
(717) 653-5441

CORRESPONDENCE FROM BRENDA ALIMO

I am so happy to take this special time to communicate to you. I feel so much happiness each time I pick up a paper to communicate to you as my beloved family. You should always know that you hold a special place in my heart and I always think about you. I hope you and your church members are fine! My family and I are fine; we are getting ready to celebrate the birth of Jesus. I am happy to inform you that my parents have received the COVID-19 vaccine! Most children will get to go back to school soon.

I am happy for the nice letter you sent me and the encouraging words. I had a discussion with the project officer and my mother. We agreed that I join a skills course after 7th grade because of my weak grades. I will enroll in a hair dressing course or fashion and design. This will help me support my family when I get done with the course.

Thank you so much for the Christmas gift of \$25 which you sent to me. I bought a dress for Christmas with the money and food to celebrate the day with my family. Thank you so much for the love and care you have shown me and my family. We love you so much and we pray that God grants you good health and bless the work of your hands. Thank you may not be enough but let God reward you back. Send greetings to all the church member of Zion.



A LETTER FOR JOANNE GRIM

To my fellow Zion members,

Upon meeting Joanne Grim when I joined Zion in 1984, I would smile when I'd see the little kids run to greet her on Sunday mornings. She would open her arms and they would enter into her loving embrace. She was their Zion Grandma. As the years passed, I realized she was a Grandma to all of us. She was usually a part of any event that required food preparation or distribution. She dispensed loving words when we shared our own trials with her. And when those little children eventually returned during their college years, she would be there to welcome them home with another warm embrace.

She reminded us that stewardship goes beyond what we place in the offering plate. It extends into helping where help is needed. She stepped up, whether she was asked to do something specific or whether she recognized a need on her own. I like to imagine that when she reached heaven's door, Jesus greeted her with "Well done, good and faithful servant."

As we, who are left behind, deal with her loss among us, she may be looking down with her arms wide open, encouraging us to remember her embrace and the embrace available to us through Jesus. Joanne Grim left a legacy of love to this church, and we are all the richer for it.

Missing you, Joanne.

Love,

Brenda Stover



EVENTS AT KIRCHENWALD, NAWAKWA, & THE WITTEL FARM

A LENTEN DAY APART at The Wittel Farm



Saturday, March 12, 2022
9am - 3pm

Begin your Lenten journey to Easter by
joining us for a day apart.



Casual, comfortable clothing will be appropriate.
A \$15 registration fee covers program and meal costs.

Register at LutheranCamping.org or
call the Camping Office at 717-677-8211 by March 4.



The Lutheran Camping Corporation of Central Pennsylvania
Kirchenwald, Nawakwa, and The Wittel Farm
PO Box 459, Arendtsville, PA 17303
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FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE
LENTEN DAY APART, VISIT:
[HTTPS://WWW.LUTHERANCAMPING.ORG/
EVENT/LENTEN-DAY-APART-2022/](https://www.lutherancamping.org/event/lenen-day-apart-2022/)



The Lutheran Camping Corporation presents...

A Spring Quilting Retreat



A gathering of women to share
fellowship and talents.

Camp Kirchenwald

Friday, March 18 - Sunday, March 20, 2022

Cost of the full weekend (Fri-Sun) is \$165.

Two days (Fri-Sat or Sat-Sun) is \$100.

One day (Sat, 9am-4pm) is \$60.

Register by March 11

Registration forms are available at
LutheranCamping.org or by calling
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Summer Camp Open House



**Summer Camp
Open House at
Kirchenwald &
Nawakwa**

Come join us!!!

- Meet some of the Summer Camp Staff
- Take a tour of camp
- \$10 gift certificate for the camp store to every brand new camper!!

Sunday, March 20

Sunday, April 10

2:00-4:30 pm

Kirchenwald is located on 340 acres of undeveloped timberland, adjacent to 4000 acres of State Game Lands, in Lebanon, Pennsylvania.

Nawakwa is located on 336 acres outside of Arendtsville, in Adams County, Pennsylvania.

For more information, visit www.LutheranCamping.org or call the Camping Office at 717-677-8211.



PRAYER LIST

FOR HEALING

Dolly Overly
Doug Grow
Marvin Ruch
Kate Donnan
Barbara Williams
Don Heartter
Joe Adams
Judie Ingersoll
Bill Grove
Kay Crawford
Holly Hoover
Sam King
Mary Zimmerman
Janet & Harry Musselman
Loma Slike (Mother of Sue Wise)
Bobbi (Friend of a member)
William Hartman (Father of Deb Grube)
Skipper Mann (Sister of Dolly Overly)
Meghan Frey (Friend of the congregation)
Ashley LaFata & Mike Walker (Bill & Julia Grove's Granddaughter & Husband)
Homer Dietz (Brother-in-law of Harry Musselman)
Mike LaFata (Son-in-law of Bill & Julia Grove)

FOR COMFORT, PEACE, STRENGTH, & SAFETY

Family & Friends of Joanne Grim as they grieve her death
Wilson Pipkin and family as they grieve the death of his step-father, Ron Carroll
Janis Swartz and family as they grieve the death of Pastor Marty Swartz
Thelma Pearson
Lucy Davis
Betty Stoner
Arlene Miller
Deb McCartney
George Potts
Richard & Marilyn Heim
Jess, Matt, & Grant Barcaro
Family & Friends of Bette Geibel
Ed & Dotty Sites (Parents of Cathy Benedict)
Arlene Wise (Sister-in-law of Dave Wise)
Vaun Hile (Father of Lynda Sherwood)
Jennifer Kready (Daughter of Dave & Donna Dumeyer)

FOR PROTECTION FOR MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS

Evan Benedict	Christopher Wright	Chris Andrew
Thom Whitesel	Ryan Stitzel	Doug Kautter
Justin Gorlaski		
Tyler Duke (Great Grandson of Jan Reeves)		
Jared Shiner (Grandson of Diane Gerlach)		
Corey Landis (Nephew of Jesse & Pat Landis)		
David Adams (Son-in-law of John & Kathleen Hay, and husband of Liz)		

IN CELEBRATION

13 th – Olivia Ramer	14 th – Mary Cupach	15 th – Ed Blough
16 th – Bill Grove	19 th – Michael Adams	20 th – Kurt Wildasin

MINISTRY LEADERS

Ministers	Members of the Congregation
Interim Pastor	Rev. Melody Sell
Music Director	John Landis
Parish Administrator	Anne Rankin
Worship Technology Assistant	David Albin
Lay Ministry Assistant	Diane Gerlach
Council President	Adele King
Council Vice President	Dave Dumeyer
Sextons	Brian Bourassa (a.m.)
	Tom Miller (p.m.)

WORSHIP, SUNDAY SCHOOL, & CONTACT INFORMATION

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