

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 13, 2016

Announcements

WELCOME VISITORS! Zion's Lay Ministry/Evangelism Board says a special welcome to you this morning and may you be fed spiritually during this time of worship.

OUR THANKS to worship assistants:

Ushers: 8:30 Jim & Darlene Hulteen, Tim & Kristi Numedahl 10:30: Clows

Greeters: 8:30 Fred & Vi Grant

Organist/ Pianist: Phyllis Dalager, Laura Rude

Reader: Sharon Wagner

Acolytes: 8:30 Aden Alby, Madelynn Dakken

Communion assistants: 10:30 Gunnar Fellman, Mason Iverson

Tech: Elise Kalsnes *Smoothies:* Andrew Selvig, JeAnna Lubitz

Nursery: Available, but not staffed

BROADCASTS TODAY are given in memory of Loved Ones by Dick & Jan Haugen.

www.ziontrf.org for November is given by Gladys Hallstrom in honor of her great-grandchildren, Evan, Annaleigh, Charlotte, Lilly, Elyse, Ellsa, Tyler, and Alex.

OUR SYMPATHY TO the family of Nellie Storhaug whose funeral was held at Zion last week.

OUR PRAYERS TO Delores Hirst and Jamiee Nelson, hospitalized at Altru, Grand Forks.

REMINDER to those hospitalized to please notify Zion as the hospital does not alert us.

BUSY BAGS for preschoolers are available from an usher at the back of the sanctuary.

LISTENING DEVICES & LARGE PRINT worship folders & bulletins are available from an usher.

PREVIOUS SUNDAY BULLETINS are available outside the church office and Sunday announcements are also posted on our website.

PLEASE REMEMBER our staff and congregational leaders in your prayers.

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JOIN THE STAFF -Tuesdays at 10:30 AM & Fridays at 9:30 AM for coffee fellowship.

THE HERALD is available online at Zion's site or by mail. Please contact the church office if you would like to receive it by mail. Extra copies are available on tables in the narthex or by the church office.

ZION WORSHIP SERVICE ONLINE—Sunday mornings you can listen to the 8:30AM service online. Go to: www.ziontrf.org. in the black banner click Listen Online, Click on the RED link to KTRF.

PARISH NURSE: *Parish Nurse hours are Mondays from 3-4:30 PM.*

Flu Season is here and we are seeing cases of the flu. Tune out that friend that says you do not need it. The CDC recommends the vaccine for every one 6 months and older.

CHURCH DIRECTORIES may be picked up in the church office.

ADULT EDUCATION The Fall Adult Education offering is a 7-session series called **Animate Faith**. Each session includes a short video and time for discussion on God, Religion, Jesus, Salvation, Cross, Bible, and Church. Thursdays at 2 PM in the Patio Room. Participant books are \$15. All are welcome.

PIE AUCTION Nov. 20 - mark your calendar now to attend this event between services on Nov. 20. Please consider making a pie (or two) to donate for this fund-raiser supporting Zion youth attending the National Youth Gathering in 2018. A sign-up form will be in the church narthex after services or call Kittie at 681-3449, Marilyn at 681-1775 or Glenice at 681-4472.

NEW MEMBER SUNDAY will be December 4th. If you are not currently a member of Zion and would like to be, please let the church office know as soon as possible.

CIRCLES:

DORCAS: will meet Tues., Nov. 15th at 9:30 AM in the church lounge, Della Burstad, hostess.

LYDIA will meet Tues., Nov., 15th at 2:30 PM in the church lounge.

ELIZABETH will meet Wed., Nov. 16th at 9:30 AM in the church lounge, Potluck.

ANNA will meet Wed., Nov. 16th at 9:30 AM at Summer field.

REBEKAH will meet Thurs., Nov. 17th at 9:30 AM at Gladys Hallstrom's, Potluck.

MINISTRY NEEDS

Attendance Sunday, Nov. 6: 141

Weekly offering/including Simply Giving Nov. 6: \$8,734.

Envelope/Simply Giving Income thru Nov. 6: \$270,776.

Budgeted income needed thru Nov. 6: \$378,900. (\$8,420./week)

2016 Budget \$437,864.



PLEDGE CARDS: Please turn in pledge cards as soon as possible. If you need a card, there are cards available on the desk by the church office. They may be put in the drop box on the wall.

SIMPLY GIVING If you would like a convenient way to make regular offerings, we encourage you to check out our electronic giving options. As the pace of life speeds up, you may find electronic giving is the way to go. It takes just a few minutes to setup a recurring giving plan. Visit the church website, www.ziontrf.org and locate the donation link or complete a paper authorization form & return it to the church office.

Donate from your smart phone! Zion Lutheran Church now offers a mobile version of our online giving page to make it easy for you to give anytime from your smart phone. Simply scan the image you see here using your phone's Quick Response (QR) code reader!



SUNDAY SERVICE RIDES Call/text Sarah Villanueva at 701-212-2637.

TAB COLLECTION Leave tabs for the Ronald McDonald House in Fargo on the table outside the church office. Thank you for sharing.

BROADCAST SPONSORSHIP SIGN UP LIST FOR 2016 IS LOCATED ON THE WALL BY THE OFFICE DOOR. Cost is \$100 *for entire broadcast*; \$50 *for half*.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY meets Thursday mornings at 10:00 in the Fellowship Hall. Nov. 17th will be the last meeting date for the year. Prayer shawl ministry will resume in January.

Zion's LWR Quilting Workshop meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month from 1-4PM. Please consider joining us. We work on quilting and /or preparing the various kits to send overseas. You don't need to know how to sew, there's plenty more to do. If anyone would be interested in sewing tops at home, let us know as we have lots of fabric to share. We pause for coffee of course. Questions? Call Carol at 681-5907 or Sharon Bergerson at 681-5445.

YOUTH NEWS

K-5 Event TODAY 3-5PM. Making table centerpieces for 70+ dinner. Please let Kelsey know if you plan to attend.

Confirmation Classes Wednesdays: Light supper served at 5:30. (\$3 for meal, \$.50 for pop) **Nov. 16:** Chili & Cheddar cheese biscuits

SR High Youth Group (Gr.9-12) meets Wednesdays from 7:30-9:00 PM. Starting "God's Not Dead 2" November 16th.

2017 CALENDARS are for sale. Large \$8.00, Pocket \$6.00, Magnet pads \$3.00 Notepads \$1.00. Makes checks payable to Zion Youth. Available in Narthex and also Youth Office.

JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH GATHERING is in Grand Forks at the Alerus Center! Dates are Friday, November 18th - Saturday, November 19th. Let Kelsey know if you are interested! Contact Kelsey at ziontrfy@mncable.net Deadline: Sunday, November 13th by Noon.

NOTE—If you are new to our Sunday School or Youth Activities, please inform the church office of your children's names, grades, contact phone number and mailing address so we can keep you informed of upcoming events.
Email to ziontrf@mncable.net or ziontrfy@mncable.net

Thank You to our Muffin Makers:

November 13: C-Jay & Francesca Wojciechowski, Chrysi Gibson, Cori Breiger, Dale & Erica Opdahl, David & Carna Von Holtum.

November 20: Dean Lubitz, Dean & Dayna Bruggeman, Deanna Alby, Delray & Tammy Sparby

November 27: Denise Johnsrud, Desiree Iverson, Elizabeth Erickson

MUFFIN MAKER SCHEDULES are available in the narthex. Please pick them up.

70+ Dinner November 20th. Please RSVP to Kelsey or call the office by November 15th.



Please drop off OCC boxes today

Confirmation Pictures are here, Please see Kelsey to pick them up.

UPCOMING EVENT:

HAPPY BIRTHDAY JESUS CELEBRATION

The Zion Lutheran Church Youth Board welcomes all kids in Little Lambs – 5th Grade along with their parents to attend our 1st annual Christmas Celebration!!! The theme of the celebration is “Happy Birthday Jesus!” We will have a birthday party themed celebration on **Sunday, December 18th, 2016** from **11:30 a.m.-1:30p.m.** It will take place in the church Fellowship Hall. There will be carnival games, prizes, a treat walk, ornament decorating and much more. We will be serving pizza, pop and birthday cupcakes for lunch. There is no charge for this event. Please encourage your child(ren) to attend. You won’t want to miss this event!!!

*****ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS*****

We need your help please! We are looking for donations of baked goods, candies, muffins, bars, donuts, breads, puppy chow, etc. for the “Treat Walk” we are having at the “Happy Birthday Jesus Party” that is taking place on December 18th in the Fellowship Hall for Little Lambs – 5th Grade. We are looking for baked goods that are packaged in groups of 3 for example: 3 cookies, 3 muffins, 3 donuts, etc. If you are able to help us please drop your items off on 12-18-16 between 8:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. There will be a table set up in the fellowship hall by the kitchen that you can place your items on. If you have any questions or please contact Becky @ 686-5563

COMMUNITY/AREA EVENTS

30 DAYS-30 WAYS TO BE A NEIGHBOR—Lutheran Social Services drive to raise awareness about our aging neighbors. Donation packets can be picked up in the church office. For each day of November a small donation can be added for the drive. Some examples: Donate .25 cents if you can do your own grocery shopping, or Donate .25 cents if you can see well enough to read a newspaper, or Donate .50 cents if you can mow your own lawn.

LSS RESPITE SERVICES is for families caring for individuals 60+ with chronic health conditions. They provide a volunteer to come into the home to assist a loved one while the Caregiver can run errands, attend appointments or just get some needed time away. Call coordinator Brandi Halland at 218-280-3773 for more info.

MARTIN LUTHER: ART AND THE REFORMATION, October 30, 2016 - January 15, 2017. Special exhibition at Minneapolis Institute of Art. The story of Martin Luther and the Reformation brought to life through astonishing artworks and historical objects, traveling outside Germany for the first time ever. Individual and group ticket packages are on sale now. Call 612-871-3000 or reserve tickets online at artsmia.org/luther.

RSVP HANDYMAN SERVICE Trained volunteers enable seniors to maintain their independence and safety by providing minor home maintenance repairs such as replace batteries, lightbulbs, install grab bars or smoke detectors, weatherization projects, etc. with no charge. Materials or supplies are paid for by the client, scholarships are available for those in need. Call RSVP at 218-281-8288.

“MORNING OUT” LSS CAREGIVER SUPPORT/ DAY RESPITE PROGRAM at Trinity Lutheran Church. Every 1st and 3rd Monday from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. This service provides a safe enjoyable environment for your loved one (age 60+) so you are able to rest, shop, take care of health needs, or run errands. Participants will enjoy activities in a safe surrounding. For more information contact Loretta Drevlow at 218-681-7454. Please bring a sack lunch. Coffee and water provided.

GROCERIES TO GO Do you need help getting your groceries? Call RSVP at 218-281-8288 or 218-281-8289 to discuss your needs or to volunteer to help people with this need.

HERITAGE COMMUNITY CENTER first Monday of the Month fundraiser supper, 5-6 PM. Minimum donation \$7; proceeds to running the Center. Open to all ages.

SUPPORT GROUPS IN THIEF RIVER FALLS

Brain Injury: Third Thursday, 7 PM at United Methodist.

Cancer: First Wednesday, 5:30-6:30 PM at Sanford Medical. Alicia at 683-4380 FMI.

Caregiver: Second Thursday, 10 AM at Heritage Center. Lori at 218-945-6808 FMI.

Dementia/Alzheimer's: Third Monday, 6:30PM at GrandStay Hotel meeting room. Kari 686-4487 FMI.

Gamblers Anonymous: Mary at 218-684-0813 FMI.

Grief: First Tuesday, 1-2:30 PM, Hospice of the RRV. Jennifer at 888-237-4629 FMI.

Overeater's Anonymous: Mondays, 6:30 PM at United Methodist.

Parkinsons: Second Thursday 4PM at Valley Home Board Room. Joannie at 681-2914 or Judy 681-6631.

Opportunities for the Week

Sunday, November 13:

8:30 Worship/ Cable 3 Broadcasts
9:30 December Sharing Servants
9:30 Education Hour
9:30 OCC Packing—Jr High
10:00 Silver Creek Worship
10:30 New Traditions Service
3-5 PM K-5 Event

Monday, November 14:

9 SAIL exercise
3-4:30 Parish Nurse Hours

Tuesday, November 15:

9:30 AM Staff Meeting
10:30 Coffee with Staff
Noon Text Study at Zion
2:30 Greenleaf Holy Communion

Wednesday, November 16:

9 AM SAIL exercise
4:30 Jubilate Campana
5:30 Confirmation supper
6-7:30 Confirmation classes
6– 6:30 PM God's Joy Choir
6:45-7:30 Senior Choir
7:30 Senior High Youth Group

Thursday, November 17:

9 AM SAIL exercise
9:30 Pastors' conference
10 Prayer Shawl Ministry
1 Quilting/ LWR Workshop
2 Animate Faith Study
6:30 Pack meeting

Friday, November 18:

NEWSLETTER ITEMS DUE

7 AM Men's Breakfast at Biff's
9 AM SAIL exercise
9:30 Coffee with Staff
2 Valley Home
3:15 Oakland Park
3:30 TRCC
5PM Wedding Rehearsal
JR HIGH YOUTH GATHERING/ ALERUS

Saturday, November 19:

JR HIGH YOUTH GATHERING/ ALERUS
4:30 Wedding of Amber Grove & Shawn Larson

Sunday, November 20:

8:30 Worship/ Cable 3 Broadcasts
9:30 PIE AUCTION
9:30 Education Hour
10:00 Silver Creek Worship
10:30 New Traditions Service
5 pm 70+ Turkey Dinner