TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

February 11, 2018

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: 8:30 Ushers: Paul & Marilyn Adams, Steve & Shaun Muzzy Greeters: Darlene Torstveit, Rick & Trudy Wold 10:30 Ushers: Josh & Angie Jensen Reader: David Lee Pianist: Laura Rude; Acolytes: Janae Erickson, Mattea Erickson 10:30 Tech Director: Dawson Brevik, Smoothie Counter: Matt Kolden 10:30 Communion Assistants: Rebeka Alemayehu, Hannah Cleven, Abby Flaagan Nursery: Available, but not staffed

BROADCASTS TODAY are given by Dorothy Jury.

Zion's Website Sponsor for February is Gladys Hallstrom, given in honor of her greatgrandchildren, Evan, Annaleigh, Charlotte, Lilly, Elyse, Ellsa, Tyler, Alex & Harald.

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

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

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: <u>www.ziontrf.org</u>. in the black banner click Listen Online, Click on the RED link to KTRF.

PLEASE REMEMBER our staff and congregational leaders in your prayers.

Ministers: Every Member of the Congregation Office Phone: 681-3296 Fax: 681-3048 John Golv, Senior Pastor 683-5181 jcgolv@mncable.net Alemayehu Tulu, Associate Pastor 681-1866 alezion@mncable.net Linda Hamrick, Office Manager ziontrf@mncable.net Sandy Knutson, Parish Nurse parishnurse21@hotmail.com Griffin Newland, Custodian

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

PLEASE TURN OFF YOUR CELL PHONE DURING SERVICES—THANK YOU!

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

- Valentine's Day is coming. Celebrate with healthy relationships and a healthy lifestyle that encourages a healthy heart. Share God's Love! Your heart will be thankful.
- Flu Season is upon us. Due to this we will not be sharing peace by handshaking during this time. Please share God's peace with a smile and genuine love, or an elbow bump. We will resume handshaking in April when the flu has lessened. Thank you for doing your part to decrease the spread of the flu and also keep members with compromised immune systems safe. *God's Peace and Smiles to all*.



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY meets on Thursday mornings at 10:00 in the Fellowship Hall. We are always looking for more crocheters and knitters! If you don't know how to knit or crochet, we will help you learn! For more information call Deb Holtan at 449-4645.

LWR WORKDAY meet on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Thursdays from 1-4 PM. Anyone interested in lending a hand is welcome. We work on Quilts, School Kits, Personal Care Kits, and Baby Care Kits. Shipments are in November and May. Everyone is welcome and no special talent is required. For more info, call Carol Waswick 681-5907 or Sharon Bergerson, 681-5445.





ATTENTION: Again, during the Lenten season we will collect items for the Personal Care Kits. Items needed for the kits are: bath towels (may be used, but clean and in good condition), nail clippers, adult-size toothbrushes, sturdy combs, and two bath-size bars of soap. A container will be available for you to collect your items.

Also, we use flannel sheets to make diapers for the Baby Care Kits. Any used sheets you no longer use are greatly appreciated.

The confirmands assist with assembling these kits and then the kits are sent to Lutheran World Relief in early May along with the quilts the ladies are making. For more info, call Sharon Wagner at 681-2473 or Sharon Jorde at 681-4739. Thank you for your donations!

<u>ZLCW Meets on Feb. 13</u> The women of Zion will hold their monthly meeting and Bible study on Tuesday, Feb. 13, 10:00 a.m.. Everyone welcome to join us for refreshments and Bible study. Duties: Program: Elizabeth, Hostess: Rebekah, Hospitality: Sarah, and Visitation: 2 women from each circle to deliver Valentine carnations to our shut-in's. Executive board meets at 9:00 a.m. prior to the meeting.

MINISTRY NEEDS

Attendance Sunday, February 4: 181 Weekly offering/Simply Giving for week of Feb. 1- Feb 4: \$5,663. Envelope/Simply Giving Income from January 1- Feb 4, 2018: \$31,186 January 1-31 total: \$25,523. 2018 Budget \$422,168. (\$8,118 needed per week to meet expenses)



Direct Thrivent Choice Dollars[®].

Eligible Thrivent Financial members: Show your appreciation for Zion Lutheran Church by directing Choice Dollars. The individual recommendations you make through Choice Dollars directions can make a profound impact.

PLEASE PICK UP YOUR 2018 OFFERING ENVELOPES. PLEASE DO NOT USE ENVELOPES FROM A PREVIOUS YEAR, NUMBERS HAVE CHANGED.

ELECTRONIC SIGN Current donations/Pledges: \$6,090.

The approximate cost is \$37,000. The properties board and the PPC will proceed with the sign if 80% of the cost is raised before the project is started. Donations or pledges toward this project are appreciated. Any questions, contact Joel Rude at <u>joelrude@mncable.net</u> or Tim Numedahl at <u>numedahl@mncable.net</u>. **Pledge cards** for the electronic sign are available on the desk outside the church office.

GIVEHub Kiosk is available in the narthex for credit/debit card dona-



tions. You can choose to set up an account with a log-in or choose a one-time donation. You are given the option to have a receipt emailed to you.

VANCO electronic withdrawal forms are available in the church office and on the desk outside the office, for those interested in automated giving.

PIES - Youth attending the NYG will be taking orders for Pies thru February 19th. Pies are made by Maggie's Bakery in Karlstad and will be delivered the week of March 19th. \$15.00 each.



Rebeka Alemayehu Joshua Berzinski Dayle Dahlen Madelynn Dakken Tristan Hanson Logan Hintz Zachary Hintz Jonah Kalsnes Trista Spears Jerica Turner

PIE ORDER FORM \$15.00 each — Contact youth above or order in the office.

Blueberry	Strawberry Rhubarb	Rhubarb
Apple	Carmel Apple	Pumpkin
French Silk	order by Feb. 19	Total amount due

Name_

Phone



YOUTH NEWS

February Noisy Offering: Pathways Bible Camp

YOUTH GROUP

WHO: ALL 6th-12th GRADERS are welcome to join Kami

WHAT: Youth Group every Wednesday during Lent for a featured movie and snacks!

WHEN: 7:30 PM Wednesdays during Lent (Begins Feb. 14th)

CONFIRMATION/LENT

Wednesday February 14th

Ash Wednesday Service 6:30 Supper at 5:30 - 5th & 6th grade clean up 6-12th grade youth group 7:30

Wednesday February 21st

Lenten Services 6:30 Supper at 5:30 - 3rd & 4th grade clean up 6-12th grade youth group 7:30

Wednesday February 28th

Lenten Services 6:30 Supper at 5:30 - K-2nd grade clean up 6-12th grade youth group 7:30

CONFIRMATION STUDENTS are required to attend Lenten Services— Remember to do Sermon Notes!

The following youth of Zion will be attending the 2018 National Youth Gathering!

Rebeka Alemayehu Joshua Berzinski Dayle Dahlen Madelynn Dakken Tristan Hanson Logan Hintz Zachary Hintz Jonah Kalsnes Trista Spears Jerica Turner



Chaperones: Roberta Kalsnes, Noah Peters

Hugo's Coupon Books

Our National Youth Gathering youth are selling Hugo Coupon books for \$10. If you are not familiar with the



coupon book, it pays for itself in just 3 coupons (\$5 off \$50 purchase, & two \$2.50 off \$25 purchase) plus many more deals!

Flap Jacks For Faith February 18th @ 9:30. A great way to support the youth going to National Youth Gathering!



PATHWAYS BIBLE CAMP SUNDAY MARCH 4, 2018

2ND ANNUAL HOTDISH COOK-OFF MARCH 25, 2018

COMMUNITY/AREA EVENTS

ST BERNARD'S LENTEN FISH FRY Every Friday from Feb. 16 thru March 23rd. \$13 for two fillets—\$11 for one. Serving from 5:30 to 7 PM. Carryout orders from 5-7PM. Delivery orders taken after 3PM. Call 681-3560. Menu includes: potato, gravy, vegetable, coleslaw and fresh bread.

Hospice of the Red River Valley offers a six-week grief support group open to any adult grieving the loss of a loved one through death. This group offers attendees a safe, supportive environment for sharing their grief and learning from others who have experienced a loss through death. This support group is free, but pre-registration is required one week prior to the first session.

Please note: Participants must be able to attend the first session to participate in the series. To register, call (800) 237-4629 and ask for the bereavement department.

East Grand Forks, Minn.

- Tuesdays, March 13, 20 and 27, and April 3, 10 and 17 from 3-4:30 p.m.
- Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 200 Third Street NW, East Grand Forks
- Pre-registration required by March 6

REBOOT LIVE with Chris Stefanick April 18th at 7PM at St Bernard's Catholic Church. Christ is an acclaimed author and speaker who inspires people to live a bold and contagious faith. His focus will be on the Gospel of John. All ages from 10-110 are welcome. Contact St Bernards for tickets \$22 each. 681-3571.

RSVP HANDY MAN 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.

STAY ACTIVE AND INDEPENDENT FOR LIFE (SAIL) Offered by the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) This is a FREE class for seniors. You will improve balance, feel stronger, remain independent, & have more energy. This is a 1 hour class 2x per week. You can stand or sit, weights are provided at no cost. Registration is required. Contact Tammy or Jennifer at RSVP or the RRV at 218-281-8289 to sign up.

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.

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 is located on the wall next to the office door. Cost is \$100 *for entire broadcast;* \$50 *for half.*

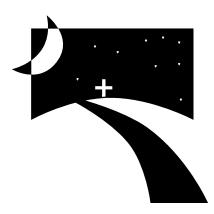
SUPPORT GROUPS IN THIEF RIVER FALLS

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.



Lent Schedule for 2018

Worship at Zion is at 6:30 PM Wednesdays Suppers served at 5:30 PM

February 14: ASH WEDNESDAY

Pastor John Golv

"Women of the Bible"

February 21: The Samaritan Woman Pastor Jonathan Dodson

February 28: Mary, mother of Jesus Pastor Carl Hansen

March 7: *Tamar*

March 14: Bathsheba, Uriah's wife Pastor Ale Tulu

March 21: Rahab

Pastor Christy Klemz

Pastor Gary Graff

Lenten Suppers

The schedule for our 2018 Lenten suppers is as follows:

- Feb. 14 Macaroni, hamburger, tomato hotdish Anna Circle
- Feb. 21 Scalloped potatoes (catered)
- Feb. 28 Chicken ala King Dorcas Circle
- Mar. 7 Tater Tot hotdish Elizabeth Circle
- Mar. 14 Beef Stew Rebekah Circle
- Mar. 21 Chili Sarah Circle
- Mar. 28 no supper
- Mar. 29 Seder meal for confirmands Lydia Circle

Please join us for food and fellowship before each Lenten service on Wednesday evenings.

Opportunities for the Week

Sunday, February 11: 8:30 Worship; Cable 3 Broadcasts 9:30 Education Hour; Coffee fellowship, 9:30 March Servants meeting in Lounge 10 Silver Creek Worship Holy Communion 10:30 New Traditions Worship

Monday, February 12: 9 AM SAIL exercise

3-4:30 Parish Nurse Hours

Tuesday, February 13:

9 Executive Board 10 Women of Zion 10:30 Coffee with the staff 11 Staff meeting Noon Pastors text study

Wednesday, February 14:

9 AM SAIL exercise 5:30 Lenten supper 6:30 Ash Wednesday Worship 6 God's Joy Choir Senior Choir 7:30 Youth Group

Thursday, February 15:

9 AM SAIL exercise 10 Prayer Shawl ministry 1 Quilting / LWR Workshop

Friday, February 16:

7 Men's Breakfast/ Biff's 9 AM SAIL exercise 9:30 Coffee with Staff 2 Valley Home 3:15 Oakland Park 4 TRCC Youth Ski Trip

Saturday, February 17:

Youth Ski Trip K-5 Sledding at Hartz Park

<u>Sunday, February 18:</u> 8:30 Holy Communion Worship; Cable 3 **Broadcasts** 9:30 Education Hour; Coffee fellowship, Flapjacks for Faith 10 Silver Creek Worship 10:30 New Traditions Worship /Baptism