

EASTER DAY

April 1, 2018

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:

8:30 Ushers: DelRay & Tammy Sparby, Kevin & Tanya Ek

Greeters: Laverne Hamre, Alvina Hanson, Pam Cwikla

Reader: Cathy Golv

Acolytes: Morgan Rude, Ben Nelson

Organist: Phyllis Dalager

Cross bearer: Millie Reiersen

Communion Assistants: Dick Haugen, Ginny Armstrong

10:30 Ushers: Deb Howe, Travis Mathson, Jan Upham; *Acolytes:*

Communion Assistants: Sharon Jorde, Russell Rhen

Organist: Phyllis Dalager

Nursery: Available, but not staffed

OUR PRAYERS TO Karen Johnson, hospitalized at Altru.

BROADCASTS TODAY given by Wally Sparby in memory of Ione Sparby.

ZION'S WEBSITE SPONSOR for April is Gladys Hallstrom, given in honor of her great-grandchildren, Evan, Annaleigh, Charlotte, Lilly, Elyse, Ellsa, Tyler, Alex, Harald & Corie.

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: www.ziontrf.org. 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

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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.*

- **Happy Easter! He is Risen. Share God's Love.**
- **No Blood pressure screening on Easter Sunday, April 1st.** If you have a concern, please see Sandy during her Monday office hours.

The Evangelism and Lay Ministry board is looking for volunteers to form a group to pray for our ten youth that are going to the National Youth Gathering in Houston this June. Please call Deb Holtan at 449-4645 or 686-3758.

NEW MEMBER SUNDAY will be April 15th at the 8:30 service. Please call the church office if you are interested in joining at this time. Orientation will be held Thurs. Apr. 12

Zion is in need of city garbage bags. If anyone has an abundance of extra bags and would like to donate them, please bring to the church.

****NOMINATING COMMITTEE** According to Zion's Constitution, we need at least four (4) lay members to help on a nominating committee. We need to fill President, Treasurer, 2nd/3rd Vice President positions in June. Please let Millie Reiersen know if you can help.**

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.

MINISTRY NEEDS

Attendance Sunday, March 25: 321

Weekly offering/Simply Giving for week of March 19-25: \$ 6,834.

Envelope/Simply Giving Income from January 1– March 25: \$78,410.

2018 Budget \$422,168. (\$8,118 needed per week to meet expenses)



GIVEHub Kiosk is available in the narthex for credit/debit card donations. You can set up an account with a log-in or choose a one-time donation without creating an account. A will be receipt emailed to you, if you provide an address.

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 joelrude@mncable.net or Tim Numedahl at numedahl@mncable.net. **Pledge cards** for the electronic sign are available on the desk outside the church office.

VANCO electronic withdrawal forms are available in the church office and on the desk outside the office, for those interested in automated giving. **SIGN UP IS ALSO AVAILABLE THRU THE LINK ON ZIONS WEBSITE.**

OFFERING ENVELOPES can be picked up in the church office.

Worship Cards are available in the pews. Please use as needed to let the pastors or office know of any items/ concerns listed on the back. These may be placed in the offering plate or the office drop box.

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



YOUTH NEWS

April Noisy Offering:
Water To Thrive

**CONFIRMATION CLASSES
RESUME APRIL 4TH**

***Youth Rummage
Sale April 14th
Drop off Wed—Fri,
April 11-13***

**Flap Jacks For Faith
April 15th @ 9:30.**

**A great way to support the youth
going to National Youth Gathering!**



**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!



2018 Summer Camp information is posted on the Youth Bulletin Board in the hallway.

COMMUNITY/AREA EVENTS

VALLEY HOME WELCOMES VOLUNTEERS of all ages. There are many opportunities to contribute such as: playing an instrument, singing, quilting, sewing, knitting, crocheting, gardening, reading, playing games, cards, pool, exercise, baking, visiting. If interested in volunteering, please contact Mary Klockmann at 681-3286.

HOSPICE OF THE RED RIVER VALLEY welcomes individuals to join its volunteer team as companionship volunteers. Hospice provides a flexible schedule. To apply, go to www.hrrv.org/volunteer or contact Nikki Dukart at 701-740-0370 or ndukart@hrrv.org.

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.

GROCERIES TO GO Do you need help getting your groceries? Call RSVP at 218-281-8288 or 800-862-6466 to discuss your needs or to volunteer to help people with this need.

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.

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

TODAY, Easter Sunday, April 1:

6:30 AM Sunrise Worship
7:15 AM Easter Breakfast
8:30 Holy Communion Worship,
Cable 3 Broadcasts
10 Silver Creek Holy Communion Worship
10:30 Holy Communion Worship

Monday, April 2:

Church Offices Closed

Tuesday, April 3:

10:30 Coffee with Staff
11 Staff meeting
Noon Pastors text study
4 Parish Health Committee
BOARD MEETINGS

Wednesday, April 4:

9 AM SAIL exercise
5:30 Confirmation Supper
6 Confirmation Classes
6 God's Joy Choir
6:45 Senior Choir

Thursday, April 5:

9 AM SAIL exercise
9:30 Ministerial Meeting
10 Prayer Shawl ministry
1 Quilting/ LWR Workshop
1 Skylite
2 Riverside Terrace

Friday, April 6:

7 Men's Breakfast/ Biff's
9 AM SAIL exercise
9:30 Coffee with Staff

Sunday, April 8:

8:30 Worship, Cable 3 Broadcasts
10 Silver Creek Worship/ Council meeting
10:30 New Traditions Worship
6 PM NYG Parent meeting/ fellowship hall
7PM NYG Student meeting/ fellowship hall