

WEEK OF APRIL 28, 2024

ZION ANNOUNCEMENTS

do good, lend, and
expect nothing in return
and your reward will be great

Luke 6:35



Sunday, April 21, 2024

Unified Envelopes	\$4807.00
Loose	\$10.00
Sunday School	\$14.00
Congregational Partnership Grant:	
	\$226.00
Christian Life Resources	\$39.00
Missions	\$10.00
Total:	\$5106.00

Attendance: 113

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Church Office Hours

Tuesday 7:00 a.m. - 3:30 pm

School Office Hours

Wednesday 7:30 am– 12:00pm

Sunday, April 28

Fifth Sunday after Easter

8:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion
9:15 am	Sunday School
9:25 am	Bible/Youth Class
10:30 am	Worship with Holy Communion
1:30 pm	Union Court Services
6:00 pm	Public School Catechism
6:30 pm	Pioneers at Church

Monday, April 29

Tuesday, April 30

Wednesday, May 1

Thursday, May 2

Friday, May 3

Saturday, May 4

Sunday, May 5

3:00 pm Faculty Meeting

9:00 am Confirmation Practice

Sixth Sunday after Easter

8:00 am	Worship
9:15 am	Sunday School
9:25 am	Bible/Youth Class
10:30 am	Worship

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH NEWS

Divine Call Update: Mr. Timothy Raddatz has *declined* the call extended to him to serve as our principal and upper grade teacher and will continue to serve at St. John Lutheran School in Wrightstown, WI. We pray God's blessings on his service there! Zion has requested a graduate from Martin Luther College to teach grades 5-8 for the 2024-25 school year with Pastor Tessmer continuing to serve as principal. We will find out if we have received a graduate on May 18. We would then resume calling for a principal and upper grade teacher in October. We pray God's guidance on the members of the Assignment Committee as they meet next month to assign graduates to serve as pastors, teachers, and staff ministers in our churches and schools.

Thank you to all who helped with our spring clean-up last Sunday! The church and school grounds look great!

A Free-Will Offering for the Martin Luther College

Congregational Partnership Grant will be held throughout the month of April. Martin Luther College will give a match of up to \$1,450/student to congregational scholarships for members attending Martin Luther College. Currently Ben Schoch is sophomore at Martin Luther College, studying to be a pastor. Thank you in advance for your gifts of love!

May Calendars are available on the table in the entryway.

Thank You: I would like to thank you all for your prayers, cards and well wishes. Many thanks to Pastor Tessmer for all his visits and prayers, and working with me for all my special needs. What a blessing this journey has been.

God's Blessings to all, Annette Donaldson

Home Visits: We are beginning an effort to visit Zion's members who are homebound or in a care facility. This is not to replace visits by the pastor, but to supplement them. Please see the sheet on the bulletin board in the entryway for more information and call ahead, if possible, to set up a time to visit. If you have any questions, please speak with Terry Barancik or Pastor Tessmer

Invitations from St. John Lutheran, Hemlock

Cornhole Tournament – On May 11, you are invited to join St. John, Hemlock, for a grill out lunch cornhole tournament! The lunch will begin at 12:00p and we are asking that you please bring a dish to pass. The tournament will begin at 1:00p. Grab a friend and sign up your team, no later than May 3, using this link: <https://forms.gle/vf9aDZx6diUPcCLx9>. There will also be various board and card games available for those who are not playing cornhole.

125th Anniversary Service – This year marks 125 years of ministry in God's grace for St. John, Hemlock. You are invited to join them for a special anniversary service at 10:00 am on Sunday, May 19th. Pastor Andrew Backus will preach, and Pastor Dave Naumann will conduct the service. A luncheon will follow the service.

Amazon Wish list: Did you know that Zion School has a wish list? You may purchase items starting at \$5.00 and up to hundreds of dollars. Visit the school's web site to view items needed. You can also purchase an Amazon Gift card and donate it to the school.

Contact Information: If your address or telephone number has changed, we ask that you contact the church office to update your information. You may also fill out the back of a communion card or even email the church office at churchoffice@zionchesaning. Thank you!

Counters for April: 28: J & T Barancik (*Change*)

Counters for May: 5: Mac Neill, 12: Blesiner/Deveraux, 19: Ruthig/Schoch, 26: Vacant, 28 (Tues.): T & K Palmer