

WEEK OF MAY 5, 2024

ZION ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Luke 6:35



Knowing-Jesus.com

Sunday, April 28, 2024

Unified Envelopes	\$4283.00
Loose	\$15.00
Sunday School	\$5.00
Congregational Partnership Grant:	
	\$117.00
Christian Life Resources	\$8.00
Missions	\$50.00
Confirmation Gown Rental	\$28.00
Meditations	\$27.00
Facility Improvements	\$20.00
Total:	\$4553.00

Attendance: 118

Contact Us

Zion Lutheran Church

133 Commercial Street
Chesaning, MI 48616
989-845-3006
www.ZionLutheranWELS.com
churchoffice@zionchesaning.com

Zion Lutheran School

796 Hampton Street
Chesaning, MI 48616
989-845-2377
ZionChesaning@gmail.com
[https://www.facebook.com/
ZionChesaning](https://www.facebook.com/ZionChesaning)

Staff Contact Numbers

Principal: Pastor Paul Tessmer
Cell : 507-276-8925
Secretary: Jan Rohac
Cell: 989-295-7207

Church Secretary: Jan Rohac

Office: 989-845-3006

Cell: 989-295-7207

Church Office Hours

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

School Office Hours

Wednesday 7:30 am– 12:00pm

Sunday, May 5

Sixth Sunday after Easter

8:00 am	Worship
9:15 am	Sunday School
9:25 am	Bible/Youth Class
10:30 am	Worship
1:30 pm	Union Court Services
6:00 pm	Public School Catechism
6:00 pm	Ladies Night out, Lucky's in Clio
6:00 pm	Sunday School Teachers Meeting

Monday, May 6

Tuesday, May 7

Wednesday, May 8

Thursday, May 9

Friday, May 10

Saturday, May 11

Sunday, May 12

Seventh 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

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH NEWS

Divine Call Update: 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 to assign graduates to serve as pastors, teachers, and staff ministers in our churches and schools!

Confirmation Sunday will be May 19th. The Examination of the Confirmands will take place in the 8:00 am service, with Confirmation following in the 10:30 am service. Zion's 2024 Confirmation Class includes Laila Archibald, M.J. Flowers, Emily Galloway, Landen Plowman, and Aaron Rose. We pray the Lord bless them in their confession and life of faith!

New Meditation Booklets: The new edition of the daily devotion booklets has arrived and has been put out. This edition starts on June 2nd. Pick up a copy or two today as you leave the Worship Service.

May Calendars are available on the table in the entryway.

Ladies Night Out will meet at Lucky's in Clio this Tuesday, May 7, beginning at 6 pm.

Thank you for all the cards and prayers during Larry's recent kidney transplant and recovery. We appreciate your Christian kindness and thoughtfulness! In Christ, Larry and Darlene Thiel

Zion's Weekly Announcements are now posted on our website: zionlutheranwels.com . There is a link to the announcements right on the home page.

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 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.

Ladies Night Out - The schedule for Ladies Night Out starting in September 2024 through May 2025 is printed and available for you to pickup. They are printed on lavender paper and posted in the church entry way. Pick one up today and plan to come next fall! Check the May calendar for one last dinner until we start again in September.

LWMS - Thank you to everyone who donated to Lutheran Women's Mission Society. Zion sent \$200 to LWMS at the Spring Rally which was held in Standish. Pastor Joseph Lindloff presented information on a new mission church in Marquette MI. Their name is going to be "Anchor Church." He had some very exciting information about how a mission church gets started. He said, "You know I am trained to be a Pastor and teacher, visit the sick and shut-ins. They don't train us how to start a new church at the Seminary." The information he shared was exciting and wonderful. Some of it out of the box! The fall Rally will be held on Saturday, October 19 at Bethany in Saginaw. Mark your calendars! These rallies are informative and Super Rewarding! Any questions - see Terry Barancik

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!

Prayer: A member of our Congregation wanted to share this prayer:
Dear Heavenly Father, forgive us for thinking we should be immune from suffering. As our sins bring suffering into this world we know it is your grace that sustains us. Use suffering to discipline us and to compel us to lean on you. Focus our hearts on the cross, where we see that through suffering you provided deliverance in Jesus. In his name we offer this prayer. Amen

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