

ZION ANNOUNCEMENTS

STATS

HOW GOD'S PEOPLE RESPONDED TO THE LORD'S GOODNESS

August 2, 2015

Unified Envelopes	\$4,336.77
Loose	\$79.50
Debt	\$525.00
Christian Life Resources	\$5.00
Missions	\$15.00
Christian Day School	\$45.00
Miscellaneous	\$155.00
Facility Improvements	\$10.00
TOTAL	\$5,171.27

August 3, 2015

Unified Envelopes	\$575.00
Loose	\$2.00
TOTAL	\$577.00

HOW THE LORD STRENGTHENED HIS PEOPLE THROUGH THE WORD AND SACRAMENT

Sunday, August 2, 2015

Attendance: 130

Monday, August 2015

Attendance: 21

NEXT WEEK

Why do we thank God for temporal blessings with gratitude for his spiritual blessings?

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Sunday, August 9

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:00 & 10:00 am

Worship with Holy Communion

Monday, August 10

7:00 pm

Monday Worship with Holy Communion

Tuesday, August 11

6:30 pm

Elder's, Property, and School Board Meetings
Coordinating Council Meeting

8:00 pm

Wednesday, August 12

Thursday, August 13

Friday, August 14

Saturday, August 15

Sunday, August 16

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:00 & 10:00 am

Worship

Pastor Thomford
on Vacation

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH NEWS

PASTOR ON VACATION: Pastor Thomford will be taking some time to go on vacation starting on Wednesday, August 12, 2015. He will be returning Thursday, August 20, 2015. Pastor Al Lindke from Mt. Sinai Lutheran Church in Montrose will be taking calls in Pastor Thomford's stead. If you need pastoral assistance during this time, please contact Pastor Lindke at 810.793.7657.

CHURCH CAMPOUT: There is a church campout taking place this month from August 21, 2015 to August 23, 2015. This campout is being held at Bay City State Park. There is still time to make reservations if you plan to attend. To make a reservation, please call 1.800.44.PARKS. If you have any questions, please contact Terry Barancik at 989.845.7777.



Church Campout

THANK YOU—BABY SHOWER: Thank you to everyone who organized and attended the baby shower that Women Serving Christ graciously put together for us! We were sincerely touched by all the love and support from our Zion family. God richly blesses us through you—thank you! In Christ, Matthew and Katie Augustine.

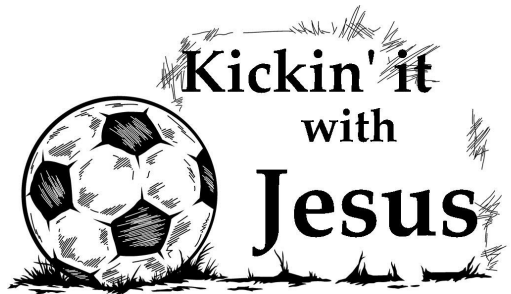
SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT INVITATION: The Tri-City WELS Men's Basketball League will be hosting its first ever softball tournament on August 22-23, 2015, and members from Zion are encouraged to participate. It is open to all WELS/ELS members, high school and up. The price is \$100/team and includes softballs, ASA umpires for the championship round, and great fellowship with many other area WELS churches! The tournament will be played at Monitor Township Park (4585 3 Mile Road, Bay City, MI 48706). Our roster and payment is due on August 8, 2015. If you are interested, please sign up on the sheet provided on the bulletin board in the lobby of church. If anyone is interested in being the contact person for this event, please let Pastor Thomford know so your name can be put in our monthly newsletter and bulletin. Thank you!

ST. LUKE'S ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH 25TH ANNIVERSARY: The members of our sister church, St. Luke's English Lutheran Church in Vassar, MI, are celebrating their school's 25th anniversary this year. They are also joining with Mrs. Cynthia Lange as she celebrates 25 years in the teaching ministry. There will be a special outdoor worship service taking place at St. Luke's Lutheran School at 4:00 pm on Sunday, September 13, 2015. An anniversary dinner and fellowship will take place after the service. If you are interested in attending the meal, please call St. Luke's church office at 989.823.7923 or email them at stlukesvassar@sbcglobal.net. We praise God for his gift of a teacher who faithfully shares God's word with so many children! We also thank him for the continued Christian education provided for the children at St. Luke's Lutheran School!

ONLINE GIVING: Zion Lutheran Church is pleased to announce that we can now accept online offerings! Just go to the church website (www.zionlutheranWELS.com) and click on the "Online Giving" button on the front of the page. You will be directed to a site that is linked to PNC bank and can make a donation there. All transactions are guaranteed and secured through PNC bank. This is an especially good option to help members give their first fruits to God when they may be vacationing during the summer and cannot attend church. We hope it will also be helpful for people who do much of their banking online already. We pray this new service will be a blessing to both you and our church! If you have any questions, please contact the church office at 989.845.3006.

ZION LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWS

ZION SOCCER CAMP: Zion's annual "Kickin' It With Jesus" soccer camp took place this past week. This year might have been the biggest group we've had yet, with over 100 children signed up! This camp has always been a great opportunity to tell Bible stories and spread God's word to the children of our community while also getting the chance to show them our school. We thank the Lord for providing such a wonderful opportunity and for giving such efficient supervisors and helpful volunteers to put together this soccer camp every year! We pray that he will continue to provide us with such opportunities as these. If you are interested in seeing pictures from this year's soccer camp, please visit the school's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/ZionChesaning.



SCHOOL REGISTRATION: While kids are still playing, goofing off and enjoying their summer vacation, school is just around the corner! If you plan to enroll your children at Zion Lutheran School for the 2015-2016 school year, please come to Zion Lutheran School on August 26, 2015 to register your children. Registration will last from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm. If you have any questions, please contact Principal Matthew Augustine at 920.327.9613. We hope to see you there!