

Zion Church Announcements April 12, 2026

Sunday, April 12

8:00 am Worship with Holy Communion
9:20 am Bible Class/Sunday School
10:30 am Worship with Holy Communion

Monday, April 13

Pastors' Conference at St. John, Hemlock
6:30 pm Pioneers

Tuesday, April 14

6:30 pm Elders Meeting
7:30 pm Coordinating Council Meeting

Wednesday, April 15

Thursday, April 16

3:15 pm Faculty Meeting
6:00 pm Public School Catechism

Friday, April 17

No School- Parent/Teacher Conferences at School

Saturday, April 18

Sunday, April 19

8:00 am Worship
9:20 am Joint Devotion Bible Class/Sunday School
10:30 am Worship

Second Sunday of Easter

Third Sunday of Easter

Thank You to Retired Pastor Randall Johnson for conducting the Worship Services and Bible Class this morning. Pastor and Deb Tessmer will be returning from the Celebration of Ministry Retreat in San Antonio later today.

Upper Grade Teacher Call: Zion has requested a graduate from Martin Luther College be assigned to Zion to serve as our upper grade teacher. We will find out on May 16th if we have been assigned a teacher. Please keep the assignment Committee in your prayers as they carry out their important work.

Pastors' Conference: Pastor Tessmer will be attending the Northern Spring Pastors' Conference at St. John, Hemlock, all day tomorrow, Monday, April 13.

Thank You to all the generous donors to the special offering to replace the education wing roof and fix the tiling for the church sewer system. We have met our goal of \$40,000! Work on these projects will proceed this spring and summer.

Spring Clean-up of our church and school grounds will take place the afternoon of Sunday, April 26, beginning at 1:00 pm. Come; join us in working together in keeping up God's gift of our church and school properties!

Easter Flowers: If you ordered flowers, please wait to take them after the late Service *this week*. Any remaining after next Sunday will be available for members to take, even if you didn't order any. Thank you!

Organist:

Jeremy Dennings

Altar Guild:

April

R. Mac Neill/L. Brown

Flower Committee:

April

P. Bleisner

Counters for April

12: Cohoon (*Change*),

19: Bleisner/Deveraux,

26: Sadilek/Brown

April Deacons

Early Service:

M. Hook, B. Rohac,
Dennis Schoch

Late Service:

J. Ruthig, D. Sadilek, K. Mac Neill

Offerings:

Thursday, April 2, 2026

Unified Envelopes	\$1493.66
Roof Fund	\$75.00
Missions	\$5.00
Total:	\$1573.66

Attendance: 57

Friday, April 3, 2026

Unified Envelopes	\$2038.00
Loose	\$58.00
Roof Fund	\$300.00
Total:	\$2396.00

Attendance: 169

Sunday, April 5, 2026

Unified Envelopes	\$9026.00
Loose	\$267.00
Roof Fund	\$10,120.00
Total:	\$19,413.00

Attendance: 199

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LWMS SPRING RALLY: Spring is here and the LWMS rally is being held on Saturday, April 25 at Emanuel First Lutheran Church, 1001 N Capitol Avenue, Lansing, MI 48906. Registration starts at 9AM with the rally starting at 9:30 AM. Missionary Keegan Dowling, formerly of One Africa Team will be the speaker. Two LWMS districts, Mid-Michigan (which is what Chesaning belongs to) and Lighthouse (from the Grand Rapids area) will also have their preliminary meeting to discuss the National LWMS Convention that will be held in Lansing in June 2027. If you would like to donate to LWMS there is a collection box on the table in the entryway. Please contact Terry Barancik for any questions you may have.

Michigan Lutheran Seminary Spring Band Concert: Join us for an evening of music at the MLS Band Concert, *Awakenings*, on April 19 at 6:30 pm in the MLS Chapel. This program explores the idea of awakening in a variety of ways. Each piece represents a different kind of beginning, whether it is the start of movement, a renewed sense of grace, or a feeling of looking ahead to something bright. We hope to see you there!

Camp Lor-Ray: Camp Lor-Ray Kids' Camp is about sneaking away from technology and stepping into God's creation in the Irish Hills to learn more about the Word in fellowship. Registration for this summer's camps is open at camlor-ray.org. Sessions are scheduled July 5-8 for 1st-3rd graders, July 12-17 for 4th-6th graders, and July 19-24 for 7th-9th graders.

Michigan Lutheran Seminary Summer Camp Registration is now open at www.mlsem.org. More information about dates and each camp is also available on the website. Camp offerings include Fine Arts, Basketball, Football, and Volleyball, with options available for a variety of age groups. Space is limited, so early registration is encouraged. The registration deadline is May 31st.

Amazon Wish List: Please visit our website and click the link to see what our teacher's need. You can purchase right from the page or as always, purchase an Amazon Gift card and donate it to the school. We appreciate all the help you've given in getting the items needed for the classrooms at Zion!