

Zion Church Announcements September 6, 2026

Sunday, September 6

9:00 am Worship (*Last of Summer Worship Schedule*)

Monday, September 7

Labor Day (*No School*)

Tuesday, September 8

First Day of Preschool

7:00 pm Worship (*Last of Summer Worship Schedule*)

Wednesday, September 9

6:30 pm Endowment Fund Committee Meeting

Thursday, September 10

3:15 pm Faculty Meeting

6:00 pm Public School Catechism

Friday, September 11

10:30 am Mornings with Mommy at School

11:00 am Principals' Conference at Good Shepherd, Burton

Saturday, September 12

Sunday, September 13

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 am Worship with Holy Communion

9:15 am *Fall Kick-Off*

10:30 am Worship with Holy Communion

Organist:

Sunday: Steve Thiesfeldt

Tuesday: Jeneane Thiesfeldt

Altar Guild:

September: P. Bates/A. Cohoon

Flower Committee:

September: P. Vincke

Counters for September:

6/8: Palmer, ***13:*** Barancik,

20: Bleisner/Devereaux,

27: Sadilek/Brown

September Deacons

Early Service: A. Cohoon,

J. Barancik

Late Service: C. Kaufmann,

Doug Schoch, J. Jensen

Offerings

Sunday August 30 & Monday August 31, 2026

Unified Envelopes \$4265.00

Loose \$91.00

To Zion School \$35.00

Catechism Workbook \$10.00

Catechism \$70.00

Missions \$45.00

Total: \$4516.00

Attendance: (Sun) 74, (Mon.) 40

The Fall Worship Schedule will begin on Sunday, September 13. Please note our worship schedule for the coming weeks:

Sunday, September 6 and Tuesday, September 8: Worship at 9 am Sunday and 7 pm Tuesday

Sunday, September 13: Fall Schedule begins. Worship with the Lord's Supper at 8:00 and 10:30 am on Sunday morning. Our Sunday School and Bible Class will meet together to kick-off the fall downstairs at 9:15 am.

A Special Offering for our Zion Lutheran School Tuition Fund will be received through the end of September. This fund helps families of our Zion Lutheran School with their tuition payments. Thank you in advance for your gifts of love!

Sunday School and Bible Class Fall Kick-Off: We will have a special Kick-Off for our Sunday School and Bible Class downstairs on Sunday, September 13, beginning at 9:15 am. All are encouraged to attend to meet your Sunday School teachers, hear a Bible lesson for all ages, and make a Bible craft. Refreshments will be served. We look forward to seeing you on September 13!

A New Session of Bible Information Class will begin Monday, September 14. Classes will be on Monday evenings from 6:30-8:00 pm. Bible Information Class is the class towards membership at Zion and also provides a good review for current members. Please contact Pastor Tessmer or the church office if you plan to attend.

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Adult Bible Class meets downstairs between the Worship Services beginning September 13. After our fall kick-off that morning, we will continue a study of Ephesians focusing on the roles and vocations God gives to us in our family and workplace. Come; join us for a cup of coffee and a donut as we study God's Word together!

New Worship Folder Format: We will begin a new format of our Worship Folder on Sunday, September 13. Hymns will not be printed in the Worship Folder but will still be projected on the monitors. This suggestion was made to encourage us to use the hymnal more and to conserve on paper.

Boy and Girl Pioneers resumes for the fall on Monday, September 14, at 6:00 pm at school for archery practice. Boy and Girl Pioneers is open to children in Kindergarten through 8th grade. Please contact Dennis Schoch for more information.

Meditations: The new edition of the Daily Devotional booklets has arrived. You may pick up a copy or two as you leave today. The suggested donation is \$4/copy. The new edition began last week.

Michigan Lutheran Seminary Junior Flag Football League: Registration is now open for the 2026 Jr. Cardinals Flag Football League, open to students in grades 1–5 from a WELS/ELS church or school. The season runs September 9–October 17, with Wednesday evening practices and Saturday morning games, coached by members of the MLS JV and Varsity teams. Cost is \$45 before August 31 and \$50 from September 1–8. Each player receives an MLS Flag Football shirt, mouth guard, and a chance to be introduced at halftime of the varsity football game on October 23. For full details and to register, visit www.mlsem.org.

Registration is open for the 2026 MLS Jr. Cardinal Volleyball Club! Students in grades 4–8 from WELS/ELS churches and schools are invited to five Sunday skill sessions from September 20 through October 25 at Michigan Lutheran Seminary. Participants will be grouped by grades 4–6 and 7–8 and coached by MLS volleyball coaches and JV and varsity players. Each participant will receive an MLS volleyball T-shirt and be invited, along with their family, to attend and be recognized at the MLS volleyball game on October 29. The registration fee is \$25 before September 4 and \$30 through September 9. The deadline to register is September 9 at midnight. Register at www.mlsem.org.

Cleaning in Church: There is a list of items on the bulletin board in the entryway of things that need to be cleaned in the church. Please check the list and help out if you can. Thank you!

