

Zion's Weekly News

Sunday | **July 27**, 2025

Calendar of Events

Monday | July 28

7:15p *Fit4Mom (Activity Center)

Tuesday | July 29

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Wednesday | July 30

9:30a Bible Class (Activity Center)

Saturday | August 2

7:45a *Fit4Mom (Activity Center)

Sunday | August 3

9:30a Divine Service in-person & livestream

*non-church event

News & Notes

No Adult Bible Class & Sunday School Today. Class will be on recess for the summer and resume September 7.

Wednesday Bible Class - Class will continue on 7/30 led by Sony Lawrence.

Piano Fundraiser Update-

As of last Sunday, we have raised *\$17,349* towards our \$25,000 goal (*60 keys*). Any amount of donation is welcome. Each of the 88 keys can be sponsored at about \$285/key. *Work on the Piano has begun!* The piano was picked up and taken to the workshop to be rebuilt. We still have a long way to go to reach our goal, so let's keep moving towards raising what we need.

Pastor Away- Pastor Birkholz will be away at the Higher Things Conference from July 29 - August 1. Please contact Pastor Hein for any pastoral needs at this time.

Voters Meeting - Our next Voters Meeting will be on Sunday, August 10 at 10:45a after the church service.

Board of Trustees Meeting - The Trustees Meeting date has changed from Thursday, 8/7 to 8/14 at 7:00p.

Church Picnic - Please join us



in the Activity Center for our Annual Summer Picnic after church.

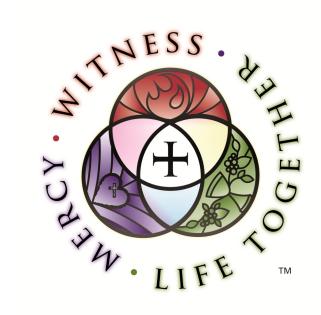
Flood Relief - Recent flooding in Texas has devastated several communities. The LCMS World Relief and Human Care is serving to provide both material and spiritual support to those affected. We will be taking a door offering on August 3 and 10 to help with this effort. If you would like to give electronically, please visit lcms.org/givenow/flood. Please give generously as you are able.

Altar Flowers - Flowers on the altar are given in praise and thanksgiving to the glory of God by Marian Strassner in memory of her husband Roy Strassner's birthday. They are also in honor of Pastor Mark & Donna Hein's birthdays.

Together in Mission Newslet-

ter - The June edition from Pastor Paul can be found on the bulletin board in the narthex. Copies to take are located outside the church office.





In Our Prayers This Week

Circuit Pastors & Synod Leaders

Friends in Christ, Morris

Rev. Dr. Mark Birkholz - Zion, Naperville

Rev. Mark Hein (emeritus) - Zion, Naperville

Rev. Matthew Blackford - Lord of Life, LaFox

Rev. Matthew Harrison, Synod President

Rev. Allan Buss, District President

Supply Preaching

Rev. Jay Klein, Peace, Lombard (Sabbatical)

Together in Mission

Rev. Dr. Michael Paul & Irene

Seminarian

Joshua Longhurst

Mothers With Child

Stacy Butkovich

Kelsey Chaidez (granddaughter of Kay Lang)

Megan Janda (granddaughter of Kay Lang) Becky Johnson (daughter-in-law of Randy &

Cindy Johnson) Rachel Elkins Klus (granddaughter of Ernie &

Fran Elkins)

Morgan Lantvit (daughter of Michele Lantvit)

Tejandra Ortiz (daughter of Amy Ortiz)

Comfort, Health, Recovery

Bethany Albrecht

Elizabeth Dykstra

Ernie Elkins

Lorraine Hacker

Esther Morley

Bradley Oberling

Luane Wilken

Linus Albach (grandson of Nancy Yendrejczyk)

Karen Birkholz (mother of Pastor Birkholz)

Nicholas Capozzello (nephew of Michele Lantvit)

Bo Clark (brother-in-law of James Feiler)

Chris Clark (friend of Bill & Lorraine Hacker)

Bryan Diemer (family of Susan Dieter)

Dorothy Elkins (sister of Ernie Elkins) Richard Elkins (brother of Ernie Elkins)

Daniel Erickson (son-in-law of Alice Ragosta)

Preparing for Next Week August 3, 2025—Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Liturgical Color: Green

Readings: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14, 2:18-26; Colossians 3:1-11; Luke 12:13-21

Hymns: 797, 782, 783, 760, 763, 924

Hymn of the Day: 782 "Gracious God, You Send Great Blessings"

Harriet Fester (mother of Tom Fester) Mary Fester (sister-in-law of Tom Fester) JoAnn Finlon (daughter of Shirley Kaczanowski) Barb Fishpaw (friend of Dawn Bodine) Fiona Gierzynski (friend of Kay Lang's daughter) Joan Horst (former member of Zion) Kenneth Kosche (brother of Alice Kosche) Gary Madgett (friend of Kay Lang) Judith Michael (mother of Michele Lantvit) Bev Mikell (friend of Kathy Muno) Debra Elkins Miller (daughter of Ernie & Fran Elkins) Linda Patten (friend of Kathy Muno) Michelle Petzolds (friend of Cindy Byers) Howard and Cindy Rein (family of Alice Ragosta) Marsha Roberts (mother of Melanie Curry) Kevin Ruff (son of Elvera Ruff) Eddie Schulz (friend of Dawn Bodine) Jim Sommerfield Sr. (father of Jim Sommerfield) Lorraine Voelker (mother of Dawn Bodine) Kelly Wilken (niece of Roy and Luane Wilken) Halas Wilson (nephew of Sean & Kathy Muno) Barb Wojnowski (sister-in-law of Cindy Byers)

In Hospice Care

Ida Ruff (sister-in-law of Elvera Ruff)

Mary Anne Schagunn

Elaine Yanosik (mother of Jan Grill)

Sunday, July 27, 2025 10:45a - 3:00p







BINGO				
15	28	37	5 1	7 3
6	17	32	45	61
9	15	*	60	70
12	26	44	52	66
7	22	34	48	72