



ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
North Wayne Street
Saint Marys, OH 45885

April 17, 2022
Contemporary Service
10:30 a.m.

We welcome you this morning in the name of Jesus Christ! "This is the day that the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it!" We hope you feel the power of God and the working of the Holy Spirit in this place this morning. Members are reminded, and visitors are asked, to please fill out the I Worship Today insert inside this bulletin. Zion offers a variety of opportunities to get involved in God's work: Bible Studies, Quilting, Worship Events, Zion Lutheran Women, Sunday School and Choir. Ask an usher about Zion and pick up a copy of our Newsletter on the table in the Narthex. Our web site is: www.zionstmarys.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS

P He is Risen!

C: He is Risen indeed!

CALL TO WORSHIP

Great Is The Lord

Great is the Lord

He is holy and just

By His power we trust in His love

Great is the Lord

He is faithful and true

By His mercy He proves He is love

Great is the Lord
And worthy of glory
Great is the Lord
And worthy of praise
Great is the Lord
Now lift up your voice
Now lift up your voice
Great is the Lord
Great is the Lord

Repeat

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We Will Glorify

We will glorify the King of kings
We will glorify the Lamb
We will glorify the Lord of lords
Who is the great I Am

Lord Jehovah reigns in majesty
We will bow before His throne
We will worship Him in righteousness
We will worship Him alone

He is Lord of heaven Lord of earth
He is Lord of all who live
He is Lord above the universe
All praise to Him we give

Hallelujah to the King of kings
Hallelujah to the Lamb
Hallelujah to the Lord of lords
Who is the great I Am

You are My Strength
(You Are My All In All)

You are my strength when I am weak
You are the treasure that I seek
You are my all in all
Seeking You as a precious jew'el
Lord to give up I'd be a fool
You are my all in all

Jesus Lamb of God
Worthy is Your name
Jesus Lamb of God
Worthy is Your name

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

- L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C: **And also with you.**
- L: Sisters and brothers, bearing with one another in love, let us confess our sins.
- C: **We confess, we have not lived our lives as you have called us to live them, O God. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves; we have rebelled against your will. Forgive us by your grace. Make us holy and blameless before you.**



ASSURANCE

L: *Hear these words:* In the mercy of Almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. You who were once far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ.

C: **Amen.**

CONTINUE SINGING...

Taking my sin , my cross, my shame,
Rising again I bless Your name
You are my all in all
When I fall down You pick me up
When I am dry You fill my cup
You are my all in all

Jesus Lamb of God
Worthy is Your name
Jesus Lamb of God
Worthy is Your name

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SIGN OF PEACE

L: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS & SPECIAL MUSIC

<u>FIRST READING</u>	Isaiah 25:6-9	Insert
<u>PSALM 16</u>		Insert
<u>SECOND READING</u>	1 Corinthians 15:1-11	Insert

GOSPEL

Matthew 28:1-10

Insert

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

THE MESSAGE

Return and See

Pastor Bill

PRAYERS

P: Lord in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

SONG OF PREPARATION

Here Is Bread

#483

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

SHARING THE MEAL

POST COMMUNION BLESSING



BENEDICTION

God be with you

God be with you.

God be with you.

In the morning when you wake,
And with every breath You take,
God be with You.

God be with you.

God be with you.

When you travel far away,
in your daily work and play,
God be with You.

God be with you.

God be with you.

And wherever you may go,
as the sprit winds will blow,
God be with You.

God be with you.

God be with you.

As you listen, teach, and learn,
and then safely home return,
God be with You.

God be with you.

God be with you.

When the moon and stars shine light
as you slumber through the night,
God be with You.

SENDING SONG

Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Wonderful merciful Savior
Precious Redeemer and Friend
Who would have thought that a Lamb
Could rescue the souls of men
Oh You rescue the souls of men

Chorus:

*You are the One that we praise
You are the One we adore
You give the healing and grace
Our hearts always hunger for
Oh our hearts always hunger for*

Counselor Comforter Keeper
Spirit we long to embrace
You offer hope when our hearts
Have hopelessly lost the way
Oh we hopelessly lost the way

Chorus

Almighty infinite Father
Faithfully loving Your own
Here in our weakness You find us
Falling before Your throne
Oh we're falling before Your throne

Chorus

SENDING

P: Go in peace. Jesus loves you!

C: Thanks be to God.



Memory Verse:

Matthew 28:10

Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee, and there they will see me."

Zion Praise Band

Piano - Debbie Brown
Guitar - Alexa Kemmann
Tambourine - Cheryl Macklem

Zion Praise Team

Deb Brown	Stan Brown	Mindy Thiebeau
Sandy Wierwille	Genevieve Brown	Alexa Kemmann
Pastor Bill	Savannah Slater	





Happy Birthday Jessica, Joni and Jocelyn!

The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God by Deb Henning in honor of her daughters', Jessica, Joni and Jocelyn, birthdays today.

*Today, April 17**

- Acolytes:** 7:00 AM:
10:30 AM: Will Ross
- Communion** 7:00 AM: Mark Torsell
Assistants: 10:30 AM: Ann Maki, Ruth Hoenie
- Crucifers:** 7:00 AM:
10:30 AM: Genevieve Brown
- Ushers:** 7:00 AM: Jeanne Wurster, Doug Stetler,
Judy Schultz, Jody Slemmons
10:30 AM: Dan Macklem, Dwayne Hoenie,
Sandy Wierwille, Darl Bishir
- Fellowship** 7:00 AM: Joyce Ross
Table: 10:30 AM: Lorra & Andrew O'Bryan
- Greeters:** 7:00 AM: John & Amy Hesse
10:30 AM: Joni Immenschuh, Cheryl Macklem
- Readers:** 7:00 AM: Linda Yahl
10:30 AM: Darl Bishir

Next Sunday, April 24*

- Acolytes:** 8:00 AM: Jake Ackroyd
10:30 AM: Calianna Bond-Awls
- Ushers:** 8:00 AM: Mark & Connie Torsell, Bob Hinschlager,
Deb Henning
10:30 AM: Dan Macklem, John & Donna Ankerman,
Dana Cook
- Fellowship Table:** 8:00 AM: Becky Harvey
10:30 AM: Jenny Eberle
- Greeters:** 8:00 AM: Judy Schultz, Vic Von Blon
10:30AM: Sandy Wierwille, Joni Immenschuh
- Readers:** 8:00 AM: Kathy Langsdon
10:30 AM: Dan Macklem

*Subject to change, correct as of time printed.

ATTENDANCELast Wednesday: 78
.....Sunday 8 a.m.: 63, 10:30 a.m.: 54, Total for the Day: 117
.....Total for the Week: 195
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Calendar for April 17—May 1, 2022

S/17	7:00 a.m.	Sunrise Easter Worship**
	8:00 a.m.	Easter Breakfast
	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Contemporary Easter Worship*
M/18		Office Closed
	1:00 p.m.	Blooming Babies
	2:00 p.m.	Movers & Bloomers
	7:00 p.m.	Boy Scout Troop #360
T/19	9:00 a.m.	Dorcas Quilting
	6:45 p.m.	Trust Fund Meeting
W/20	8:00 a.m.	Men's Workshop
	11:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting
	12:30 p.m.	Bulletin Information Deadline
	6:30 p.m.	Worship*
	7:00 p.m.	Confirmation Class
Th/21	9:00 a.m.	Workday
F/22	5:30 p.m.	Sunday School Volunteer Appreciation Dinner
S/23	7:00 p.m.	St. Marys Tri-Squares
S/24	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Sunday Worship+
	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Traditional Sunday Worship
	11:40 a.m.	Sunday School Teachers Meeting (Immediately following 10:30 service)
	1:15 p.m.	Grief & Loss Support Group
	1:30 p.m.	Craft Corner
	3:00 p.m.	Jake Sharp's Eagle Ceremony
	7:00 p.m.	Zion Men's Workshop

	7:00 p.m.	The Underground
M/25	1:00 p.m.	Blooming Babies
	2:00 p.m.	Movers & Bloomers
	7:00 p.m.	Boy Scout Troop #360
	7:00 p.m.	Women's Fellowship Group
T/26	9:00 a.m.	Dorcas Quilting
W/27	8:00 a.m.	Men's Workshop
	11:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting
	12:30 p.m.	Bulletin Information Deadline
	6:30 p.m.	Worship
	7:00 p.m.	Confirmation Class
	7:00 p.m.	Boy Scout Committee Meeting
T/28	3:30 p.m.	Council Report Deadline
S/1	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Sunday Worship**
	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School Breakfast
	10:30 a.m.	Traditional Sunday Worship*

**Holy Communion*

**Livestreamed on zionstmarys.org & broadcasted on WCSM 96.7*



We invite you to include the following people in your daily prayers: Janet Dicke, Judy Von Blon, Brent Paulus, Lindsay Stephan, Sandi Deerhake, Alma Kuffner, Caleb Yahl, Carol Bishir, Mark, Amelia Green, Michael Moore, Tom Kaster, Vicki Bishir, Kason Thobe, Ann Morris, Craig Raney, Ken Ankerman, John & Katie, Darlene Henekener, Beth Baharani, Ruth Schreffler, Linda Diers, Chuck, Mike, Andrew, Rick Broyles, Jim, Beth Olberding, Gary Kesley, Rhonda's Dad, Pastor Phil Gagnon, Gerry Cordier, Ruth Brandenburg, James Moyar, Bill Nuss, Dora McAfee, Kathy, Kristin

Hemmelgarden, Teresa Roode, Deb Ranly, Peter Ackroyd, Shelly Finke, Eileen Zimmerman, and Stephanie Tenyak.

Please pray for Sean Lawler, Andrew Johnson, Michael Carroll, Nathan Adams, Jacob Yahl, Jason Gross, Daniel C. Lukac IV, Michael Franklin and Kyle Schmehl who are in the service. Please pray for them, their family, and their safe return home.

Today, Easter Sunday our loose plate will go to Zion current expenses. Our loose offerings the other Sunday/Wednesday for the month of **April** are earmarked for the NALC Disaster Response Fund, North American Lutheran Church, 2299 Palmer Dr., Suite 220, New Brighton, MN 55112-2202.

Mary Bates, from the NALC Disaster Response team, was here on April 8 to pick up all our kits, buckets and more (This was their second pick up from Zion in 2022). The items are on their way to help fill the new warehouse in Michigan. We sent to the warehouse the following items: 5 quilts, 17 blankets, 10 packages of baby wipes, 5 baby blankets, 20 health kits, 2 packages of diapers, 1 Bible, and 27 flood buckets. Thank you to everyone who made this possible.

Congratulations to Deb Green who won the highest bid on the baby quilt. Thank you for your support.

Reminder: The Women's Lenten Fundraiser envelopes will be collected **today** at both services. They may also be dropped off at the church office. This is our only fundraiser to support our programs. If you did not get an envelope and would like to help us out, please place a donation in an envelope marked "Women's Lenten Fundraiser". Thank you to all who give! Your support is greatly appreciated.

The church office will be closed all day on the **Monday after Easter, April 18**. Regular office hours will resume on Tuesday, April 19, at 8:30 a.m.

The Women's Fellowship Group Bible Study has been **Cancelled for Monday, April 18**.

Friday, April 22, at 5:30 is the annual Sunday School Volunteer Appreciation Dinner, location TBD. Please let Mindy know if you and your spouse plan to attend.

Sunday, April 24, immediately following the late service is a short Sunday School Teachers/BPE meeting in the All Purpose Room.

April's Crafty project is Aromatherapy bracelets, hosted by Linda Yahl. The date is **Sunday, April 24, starting at 1:30 p.m., (there has been a time change)** in the All-Purpose Room. The cost will be \$10, plus a minimal charge for additional oil blends to be used on the bracelets. The oil used on the bracelet the day it is made is figured into the cost of the bracelet. There are samples of beads and spacers on the women's craft table in the narthex. When you sign up, there is a sheet that we are asking you to fill out, so the proper oils are brought to the event. Contact Linda Yahl if there are questions. 419-305-3591.

The Sharp family would like to invite you to Jacob's Eagle Scout Court of Honor. The ceremony will be **Sunday, April 24**, at 3 p.m. in the sanctuary. There will be a reception in the auditorium following the ceremony if you choose to stay. Please RSVP on your worshiped today if you plan to attend.

Sunday, May 1 is the annual End-of-the-Year Sunday School breakfast for all students and their parents.

The May, "Craft Junkie" project on Thursday, May 4, at 6 p.m. will be to make a Mother's Day tea towel set (2 piece). Choose one of three color choices for the tea towels. We invite mother's/father's and your child, grandmother/grandfather and grandchild, or for you to make a set for yourself. Registration is for the first 12 people. Sign up at the display table in the Narthex.

Flower Chart: the first 6 months of 2022 is available on the bulletin board by the alley entrance. We invite you to select the date you wish to provide flowers. On the Tuesday before the date you selected, order your arrangement from your favorite florist, and contact the church office, 419-394-3115, to let us know what information you would like included in the bulletin. Dates still available: **May 8 & 15, and June 5.**

HayDay! Growing in Friendship with Jesus is our VBS this year! HayDay! will be held at Zion on **Saturday, June 11, 9:00 - 3:00** and teen and adult volunteers are needed. Student registration is now open for ages 3 - 12 on the church website. Please contact Mindy for more information.

We have installed equipment for livestreaming of our worship services. The worship services can be found on our Facebook page. Volunteers are needed to help with recording each of the services. Please contact the church office, 419-394-3115, or Pastor Bill about this new ministry.

Our 8 a.m. worship service is broadcast live on WCSM radio 96.7 FM. Thank you to our primary sponsor of our WCSM radio broadcast—St. Marys Chrysler. Volunteers are needed to help with

the sound board. No experience needed! Anyone interested in running the sound board during worship will be trained. We would like to have more people for rotation purposes. Contact the church office, 419-394-3115, or Pastor Bill if you can help.

Weekly Needs 15 Week	Budget Y-T-D	Received 4/10/22	Offerings Y-T-D	On Hold
Current \$6,068.75	\$91,035	\$7,172	\$79,769	\$0
NALC Offering \$290	\$4,350	\$160	\$2,086	
Bank Balance as of 4/11:				
		\$78,576		

Council Installation 2022

ORGANIZATION:

- President Neal Brady*
- Vice President: Chris White*
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- Assistant Secretary: Genevieve Brown*
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- Assistant Secretary Andrew O’Bryan*

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