



Christ's Center for Excellence In Discipleship and Outreach July 27-29, 2019

Zion Lutheran Church, 510 W. Ivy, Bay City, Michigan 48706; 989-894-2611

Worship: Saturday 5:00pm; Sunday 9:30am; Monday 7:00pm

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THIS WEEKEND, we welcome Pastor Kurt Eichinger as our guest pastor.

DATES TO REMEMBER...

CAB will meet **Wednesday, August 7 at 6 p.m.** in Ministry Room A.

LADIES GUILD will meet **Thursday, August 1 at 12 p.m.** at Krzysiak's Restaurant. Contact Carol Hutter (684-3956) for more information.

SHUT-IN VISITS will be **Wednesday, August 14 and Thursday, August 15.**

TRANSITION TEAM will meet **Tuesday, August 13 at 6 p.m.** in Ministry Room A

ZION'S DAY CARE SUMMER PROGRAM "Salute to AMERICA" MUSICAL, **Tuesday, August 13 at 3 p.m.** in the church sanctuary. All are Welcome!



Here We Ride, the bike-riding event being co-hosted by Immanuel Lutheran Church and School and Zion Lutheran Church and School in Bay City right here on our campus on Saturday, August 3, 2019. Please see updated sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center for remaining volunteer opportunities. If you would like to sponsor Pastor Steve as a rider in the *Here We Ride* event a pledge form is available at the Welcome Center.

SCHOOL NEWS...

Summer time at school can be much different than the school year. Day care rooms are full of busy children playing, going on outings, and making friends. Bobbie Jo is teaching music one day a week with each group and the children are loving the time.

August is a busy back to school month. The first day of school is August 26th. The new tradition is this day is a 1/2 day of school. It is sort of an ease into school out of summer for everyone.

We are going to have a BBQ with the principal August 22nd beginning at 6? (I think). Bring a lawn chair and enjoy visiting with our school families, and of course the congregation is welcome. Make new friends, see some old ones. While our principal grills some hot dogs and brats, the new cook, Joy will be serving some side dishes and desserts from the school lunch program. After dinner, families are welcome to drop their schools supplies off in their classrooms and say hi to their teacher.

We would hope you would also join us on Saturday, August 24th during the 5 p.m. service to rededicate our teachers, students, and families for the 2019-2020 school year.

SCRIP NEWS...

Scrip orders are due weekly on Mondays by 4 p.m. at the church office.

VBS NEWS...

VBS begins NEXT Monday, August 5, through Thursday, August 9, from 9-12 p.m.! Potty-trained children through grade 5 and their families are invited to attend. Please register by filling out a form in the Great Hall or by visiting zionbaycity.org. We hope to see you there!



...Again this year, Do-All Inc. is coordinating the collection of school supplies for needy students in our community. All school items will be accepted, including: backpacks (new), washable markers, notebooks, notebook paper, binders, pencils, colored pencils, mechanical pencils, highlighters, crayons, pens, erasers, glue, glue sticks, rulers, pocket folders, scissors, and pencil cases. **Place your donations in the designated box near the Welcome Center.** Donations will be accepted through August 1. To make a monetary donation or for more information contact Lori Gainsforth at 989.254.6930.

ZION EDUCATIONAL TRUST FUND...

This scholarship is available to Zion students attending a synodical school including high school and college. Applications are available in the church office and must be returned by Wednesday, July 31.

UPCOMING AREA EVENTS...

St. John Amelith is hosting their **7th Annual Benefit Classic Car Show** to support the Firefighter's Association of Frankenlust Township. It will be held at 1664 Amelith Rd, Bay City on Thursday, August 1 from 5-8 pm. There is no registration, just show up with any classic vehicle to show. There will be door prize drawings, "Best in Show" awards, fun, food and fellowship! Come out and plan to join us. For any questions please contact Cheri Fish at 989-450-9058 or lwmlfish@att.net.

45th Annual Used Book Sale will be held at the Bay County Civic Arena on August 1-3. Hosted by Friends of the Bay County Libraries. Proceeds benefit programs and equipment not afforded by the Bay County Library System's regular budget.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS, GIFTS, AND MEMORIALS...

A gift from Doug & Deb Bolzman...\$30.00 to the VBS Fund.

In memory of Beverly McFarland, from family and friends...\$30.00 to the General Fund.

In honor of their 44th wedding anniversary (July 26), from Jim & Alana Rabedioux...\$50.00 to the VBS Fund.

In memory of Pauline Scharich, from family and friends...\$80.00 to the General Fund.

From the "One Person's Trash is Our Treasure" sale...\$1,755.38 to the reduction of our Church Extension Fund Line of Credit debt.

"On behalf of the Program Development Committee, Jim and I wish to thank Pastor Bill and Paulette Allwardt, Sharon Barry, Doug and Deb Bolzman, Ed and Alice Engelhardt, Daniel Glumm, Julie Glumm, Dawn Jurik, Brain Reinhardt, Lisa Sutton, and Bill and Carol Wright for all your help with the sale(sorry if we forgot anyone). We could not have done it without you. We would also like to thank everyone who donated items and made monetary donations. We also recognize the community that dropped tons of items all weekend long and allowed us to pick up their unwanted items that made our sale a success. From the bottom of our hearts Jim and I would like to say thank you!"

Romans 15:17: In Christ Jesus, then, I have reason to be proud of "our" work for God.

~ Jim and Kathy Pisarski

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT...

Our Christian life is one of being a steward of all of God's gifts.

"If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?" (Luke 11:13)

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

	June 2019	2019 YTD
Income	\$ 80,781	\$ 460,169
Expenses	\$ 87,868	\$ 460,640
District Missions	\$ 0	\$ 0
Local Missions	\$ 0	\$ 0
Net	\$ (7,087)	\$ (471)

Outstanding Obligations excluding payables: \$66,838.51

Church Extension Loan (paying interest only): \$40,000.00

Remaining mortgage on 1700 Raymond Street property (monthly rental income): \$26,838.51

ATTENDANCE:

Last Weekend: Saturday (81), Sunday (68), Monday (28)

This Weekend – July 27-29:

Sunday Worship Setting: Divine Setting 1

Guest pastor: Pastor Kurt Eichinger

Readings: Genesis 18:20-33; Colossians 2:6-19; Luke 11:1-13

Next Weekend – August 3-5:

Sunday Worship Setting: Less Structured

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

Luke 12:13-21

AVAILABLE AT THE WELCOME CENTER:

2018-2019 Monthly Reports

August calendar of events

LWML Quarterlies are ready for pick-up

"Our Daily Bread" devotionals for June-August

Portals of Prayer devotionals for July-September





Zion's Weekly Prayer Concerns

July 27-August 2, 2019

Those mourning the loss of loved ones...

David Bernreuter

Those ill, hospitalized (or recently hospitalized), seeking medical treatment or with long term needs...

Betty Arnold

Elizabeth Pope

Beth Rahe

Marjorie Reinhardt

Jane Royer

Laurelyn Skibin

Those with struggles who suffer silently

For those celebrating Anniversaries...

Hawley & Jeanne Alcorn - July 27 (51 year)

Benjamin & Sadie Priem - July 28 (7 years)

Randall & Pamela Bock - July 29 (41 years)

Mike & Betty Butler - July 29 (19 years)

Troy & Traci Witzke - July 31 (20 years)

Dan & Candy Ahrens - August 1 (11 years)

Dick & Nina Bauer - August 1 (36 years)

For those celebrating Birthdays...

Betty Arnold - 7/27

Kenneth Castaneda - 7/27

Jim Johnson - 7/27

Perrin Dimmitt - 7/28

James Gillespie IV - 7/28

Mary Holnagel - 7/28

Issac Reinhardt - 7/28

Betty Butler - 7/29

Lillian Clay - 7/29

Jessica Schultz-Verdusco - 7/29

Kevin Lisk - 8/1

Brian Weiss - 8/1

Rich Knoll - 8/2

Erma Thomas - 8/2

Other prayer concerns...

For our loved Zion Church & Congregation that we would be a people of Faith, Hope and Love. Faith in our Lord, Father, Son and Holy Spirit and all the blessing that brings to us. Hope in the promise that our future is secure in the message of Christ. Love for our God as He loves us and to share that love to & with others.

Use this list as a daily reminder for your personal prayer time.

If you would like a prayer noted in upcoming weeks, please call the church office at 989.894.2611 or you may email the church secretary at secretary@zionbaycity.org. Requests may be made for you, a family member, or a friend.

Those noted on the ill, hospitalized, seeking medical treatment or long-term list will remain on the insert for three weekends; after that, they or a family member may call to have them remain listed for an additional period of time.