



Christ's Center for Excellence In Discipleship and Outreach March 30-April 1, 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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LENT MID-WEEK service continues Wednesday, April 3 at 7 p.m. This week, Pastor Chris Garcia-Immanuel Bay City, will share the message "Learning to Lament" as part of the theme "Blessed Be the Name of the Lord!"

Our soup suppers continue next Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. Our PTL will be serving chicken noodle soup, chicken salad croissants, ground bologna on potato rolls and desserts in the Great Hall/Ministry Room. This is a great opportunity for all of us to come together and enjoy fellowship.

Holy Week and Easter Services



Come Worship With Us!

Palm Sunday Worship:

Saturday, April 13, 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 14, 9:30 a.m.

Monday, April 15, 7:00 p.m.

Maundy Thursday, April 18, 7:00 p.m. – Communion

Good Friday, April 19, 7:00 p.m. - Good Friday

Saturday, April 20, 5:00 p.m. – Celebration Communion

Easter Sunday, April 21:

7:00 a.m. – Sunrise Festival Communion (Traditional)

9:00 a.m. – Festival Communion (Traditional)

11:00 a.m. – Festival Communion (Contemporary)

Monday, April 22 – NO Monday evening service

DATES TO REMEMBER...

CAB will meet **Tuesday, April 2 at 6 p.m.** in Ministry Room A. The Agenda is available at the Welcome Center.

LADIES GUILD will meet **Thursday, April 4** at Zion in Ministry Room A. We will meet at **1 p.m.** for dessert and coffee. All ladies are invited to attend. For more information call Ilene Dietlein (684-4095).

TRANSITION TEAM will be meeting **Tuesday, March 26, at 6 p.m.**

YOGA FOR MS/CHAIR YOGA; Tuesday's, 1:15 p.m. in Ministry Room A.

YOUTH CONFIRMATION classes; Tuesday's, 6:30 p.m. in Ministry Room A.



\$5.00 MITE CHALLENGE UPDATE

We collected \$105.00 for the LWML mite \$5.00 fund drive!! Thank you for donating and making a difference in someone's life!!

Kay Arnold

President of Zion's LWML

This Sunday is the day! This year's CROP Walk will be held here at Zion Lutheran School, with an indoor track as well as an outdoor walk. Join us from 1:30-3:00 pm. Please make your contributions payable to Church World Services remembering that 25% of all funds raised return to our community through the ministry of the Bay County Emergency Food Pantry Network. See you there!



BULLETIN AND ALTAR FLOWER SPONSORS: Many dates are open for sponsorship of the bulletin and altar flowers. If interested in sponsorship, please contact the church office at 894.2611.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: boxed potatoes, soup, hamburger helper, jelly, pasta shells, and tuna helper

Zion's Educational Trust Fund is pleased to report that last year's interest after scholarships were awarded was \$7,459.55. Those funds have been transferred to Zion's General Fund.

"There is a great stewardship opportunity for a person gifted with the skills of communication and organization. There is a need for a coordinator to set up the schedule for our shut-in visitors to perform their visits. Please contact Brian Reinhardt (708-9705) for more information if this is an assignment you would like to assume.



Our 2019 lawn crew is filled with both old and new volunteers. We all really appreciate everyone's willingness to help. The **spring clean-up** is scheduled for **Saturday, April 13 at 10 a.m.** This clean-up is open to all congregational members. Come and help us clean up both our church and school grounds. Hope to see you there.

SCHOOL NEWS...

Academic Fair was Thursday evening. Our student's preschool to eighth grade showcased various projects. Inventions, interactive games and informational projects were spread through the gym and hallways.

Spring break begins April 1st. We return to school April 8th.

Enrollment is open for all grades. Please call for information.

SCRIP NEWS...

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

AREA ACTIVITIES:

Fish Fry - Trinity-St. James (Munger) - Friday, April 12, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.
Adults \$12; take-outs available.

Annual Easter Egg Hunt – Trinity-St. James (Munger) – Saturday, April 20, at 10 a.m.

For more area activities, please see flyers at the Welcome Center.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS, GIFTS, AND MEMORIALS...

In memory of Curtis Freudenburg, from family and friends...\$2,495 to the School Athletic Fund, \$40 to the Church Music Ministry and \$25 to Repair & Rejoice.

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT...

Our Christian life is one of being a steward of all of God's gifts.
"And you will say in that day: 'Give thanks to the LORD, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the peoples, proclaim that his name is exalted.'" (Isaiah 12:4)

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

	February 2019	2019 Year-to-Date
Income	\$ 83,056	\$ 152,122
Expenses	\$ 73,239	\$ 150,270
District Missions	0	\$ 0
Local Missions	0	\$ 0
Net	\$ 9,817	\$ 1,852

ATTENDANCE:

Last Weekend: Saturday (101), Sunday (72), Monday (36),

Last Wednesday: (48)

This Weekend – March 30-April 1:

David Paul Britton

Readings: Isaiah 12:1-2, 5-6; II Corinthians 5:16-21; Luke 15:1-3, 12-32

Wednesday, April 3:

Readings: Job 3; 2 Corinthians 4:8-12; Matthew 5:1-12

Next Weekend – April 6-8:

Sunday worship setting: Less Structured

Readings: Isaiah 43:16-21; Philippians 3:4-14; Luke 20:9-20

AVAILABLE AT THE WELCOME CENTER:

- **2018-2019 Monthly Reports**
- **Cougar Newsletter**
- **April calendar** of events
- **“Our Daily Bread”** devotionals for March-May
- **Portals of Prayer** devotionals for April-June

