



Christ's Center for Excellence in Discipleship and Outreach

June 6-7, 2020

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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Bible Study: Sunday morning Bible study in ministry A will commence next Sunday, June 14th! This will again begin at 8:30 AM before the Sunday morning worship service at 9:30.

Call Committee Update: Our Call process has culminated to have the vote to call a pastor to serve as the next pastor of Zion to take place this weekend. The voters' meeting to call the pastor will take place Sunday June 7th at the school gymnasium. We understand that some will not be able to be present. If you are not present at the meeting, you will not be able to vote, but you may still watch the meeting online and ask questions. You can email questions during the meeting to reinhardtbp@midlandps.org, which is the same address from which you would have received the link to the Youtube site on which the meeting will be live-streamed. If you no longer have that link, please email Brian and he will send another. Chairs have been set up to allow for social distancing, and we will be taking your attendance as you come in to avoid a sign in sheet. You're also encouraged to bring your own pen with which to mark a vote, and as always, masks are strongly encouraged.

Food Pantry: With the help of Zion volunteers, the food pantry will be able to be back up and running! Training will happen after the stay at home order has been lifted. We are thankful that 5 people have volunteered to help run the program, but remember, many hands make light work. A full staff is recommended to be 10 people. Can you help? What is needed is someone who can "by appointment" come to the church office and physically be there as food is disbursed. Thank you for prayerfully consider this service. It is in caring for others that we find the grace needed to survive this crisis. Please call Brian Reinhardt (989) 708-9705 if you can help.

Confirmation – You may have seen in an earlier communication that confirmation was originally planned to take place on June 14th. Pastor Steve has contacted the families of our confirmands, and our confirmation service will be held at a later date. A time that will hopefully see less restrictions to our seating capacity at church.

Children's Time: Please visit our Facebook to find Bobbie Jo's message for the week!

Collection of Cleaning Supplies: Zion is still collecting cleaning supplies to put together Flood Buckets for our neighboring counties. If you have a chance, please bring any of the following items to church or the voters' meeting, and buckets will be put together. If you cannot get everything on the list, please bring what items you can.

Items needed:

Pine Sol 48 oz, Scrub Brushes, Comet, Rubber Gloves Kitchen style
Sponges, Rags, 5 gallon bucket with lid

District News

MICHIGAN DISTRICT LWML VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

The 2020 Michigan District LWML in-person convention has been cancelled. A virtual convention will take its place on Saturday, July 11. It will include opening worship, Bible studies, mission speakers, and business. For more information, visit lwmlmichigan.org.

THANK YOU FOR PARTICIPATING IN THE MICHIGAN DISTRICT VIRTUAL PRAYER VIGIL!

Over 380 people joined together in prayer over the Memorial Weekend to give thanks and petition the Lord in support of our schools, congregations, church workers, country, state, and flood victims in Michigan. Prayers were also centered asking the Lord for an end to the Coronavirus pandemic and giving thanks for the military personnel who died while serving our country. On behalf of the entire Michigan District, we thank you and hope you will continue to lift up these petitions in the days ahead as we look to our resurrected Savior, our Hope for the future. He is faithful! (1 Thessalonians 5:24). If you wish, you can download the at michigandistrict.org/pandemic-resources/prayer-vigil.

HERE WE RIDE REGISTRATION OPEN

August 1-2, 2020

Last year, along with a great deal of organizational help from Immanuel, Zion hosted the "Here We Ride" event, which is put on by Michigan District. We had hoped to grow this event and have a larger turn-out this year. Unfortunately, this event will not be taking place like it did last year. District is still sponsoring the event, however, and we can still participate. The following is the promotional advertisement sent out by District.



Here We Ride is a FREE bike-riding event that will be held on Saturday and Sunday, August 1-2, 2020. Because of social distancing and limited gatherings, you can join *Here We Ride* right at home on your local trails and in your neighborhoods. The event is entirely FREE for ALL PARTICIPANTS. However, participants (and families) are encouraged to collect pledges for the miles they will ride that weekend; 50% of the money raised will go to the church/school/other ministry of your choice and the remaining 50% to the *Here We Stand* campaign initiatives. To make this event a little more fun, there will be prizes awarded via social media photos uploaded using hashtags #milcms and #hereweride. For more information or to register, herewestand.michigandistrict.org/hereweride.

Weekly Bible Verses: Genesis 1: 1,2, 4a; Acts 2: 14a, 22-36; Matthew 28: 16-20

**Zion's Weekly
Prayer Concerns
June 6-12, 2020**

Those mourning the loss of a loved one...
Family and friends of Eugene "Pete" Biskupski

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

Those with struggles who suffer silently

For those celebrating Anniversaries...
Mike & Lori Royer celebrating 28 yrs. on June 6th.
Wes & Cassandra Mitchell celebrating 17 yrs. on June 7th.
Richard & Kay Nagel celebrating 46 yrs. on June 7th.
Brent & Harriet Roller celebrating 47 yrs. on June 9th.

For those celebrating Birthdays...

Cameron Fryzel-6/6
Jen Wernecke-6/6
Rick Ziesemer-6/6
Em Booth-6/7
Scott Bradshaw-6/7
Sara DePeal-6/7
Cole Grimsley-6/7
Joseph Kato-6/7
Lori Bednar-6/8
Samantha Rozek-6/8
Karen White-6/8
Jamie Haggitt-6/9
Connor Schrems-6/9
Jessica Wernecke-6/9
Carrie Collier-6/10
Zachary Fisher-6/10
Susan Lang-6/10
Warren Nuffer-6/10
Verna Rahn-6/10
Brian Bowen-6/11
Birthdays continued...
Sam Goodnight-6/11
Kristi Lambert-6/11
Ron Balzer-6/12
Judy Berkompas-6/12
Ilene Dietlein-6/12
Henry Essex-6/12

Raymond Fick-6/12
Joey Gwizdala III-6/12
Selena Paiz-6/12
Kennedy Reimus-6/12

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

Cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sustain you; he will never permit the righteous
to be moved.

Psalm 55:22 ESV