



Christ's Center for Excellence In Discipleship and Outreach August 1-2, 2020

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

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

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DATES TO REMEMBER...

A VOTERS' MEETING will be held this **Sunday, August 2**, at approximately 10:30 a.m. following the worship service for the election of new board members and updates from the Board of Elders, Day School Committee, and others, if needed.



We will be having a Zion Family Picnic on September 19th outside here on the lawn between the church and school from 4-7pm.

Please **save the date** and watch for more information to come!

We are looking for a tent, if anyone has one or knows of someone who does that we can use for that day contact Kay Arnold, 989-751-0855.

We will also be looking for volunteers to help so don't be shy, if you can volunteer let us know! ~ The Committee

FOOD PANTRY...

We are in need of **mixed fruit, peas and green beans**. But as always we will take any non-perishables. Thank You!

LWML...

Thank you to all who have contributed mites to the LWML large mite box at the Welcome Center. We appreciate your support! Your contributions help with LWML mission projects both in the United States and around the world. Anything you can contribute, from pennies to paper bills, helps us reach our goal to help others. If you need a mite box for your home to deposit loose change, they are also located at the Welcome Center. "Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to all creation." Mark 16:15.

CALL COMMITTEE UPDATE...

The Call Committee met Sunday, July 19, to discuss the next steps in calling a pastor. More names to be added to the call list have been requested from District, although the men from the first call list who were interviewed will still be considered during our search. Thank you for your prayers during this process. ~ Brian Reinhardt, Call Committee Chair

SCRIP NEWS...

Even though church is not back to “normal”, Scrip cards are still available. If the store is not open after the service you attend and you want to purchase cards, look for one of the “storekeepers” and we will be glad to get you what you need. You can also drop off orders or get cards in the church office (please call ahead). If you place an order, Nancy will call and let you know when it is ready for pickup. Thanks to all who have kept this going through this difficult time.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES NEEDED

We are getting ready to open school in a few weeks and due to COVID we are in need of special supplies. We will be collecting Clorox Wipes, Paper Plates, Paper Bowls, Napkins, and Plastic Silverware. If you would like to donate items, please bring items to Ministry Room A and we will make sure it gets to the school. Thank you for your help! Alana

LOCAL HAPPENINGS...

Trinity Lutheran Church (20 E. Salzburg Rd.) **Chicken BBQ on Saturday, August 8th.** Meals will be prepackaged and take-out style and will offer curbside service as well. There will be plenty of room for social distancing in the pavilion and surrounding grounds for those that would like to stay and eat. Chicken dinners will consist of ½ chicken, baked beans, squash, cole slaw, a roll, and bottle of water. Cost will be \$10 per meal (no substitutions will be allowed) and will be served from 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. Floyd G’s Juice Machine will be in the pavilion from 6:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. playing all your favorite songs to sing along to. Bring your lawn chair, spread out, and enjoy some Christian fellowship! The concession stand will be open from 4:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. selling hot dogs, brats, fries, drinks, and ice cream. To keep everyone safe, all recommended state guidelines will be followed.

CONSIDER AN ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN VOLUNTEER TEAM

Volunteers are vitally important to process the increasing quantity of goods generously given for the mission of Orphan Grain Train. Have you thought of possibly making up a small team? Please consider the possibility from your church whether from the Thumb or wherever in the Valley region. A carload of two or three volunteers might come to Sebewaing once a month. The time involvement, whether much or little,

would be entirely up to you. The satisfaction in serving distant people whom Jesus loves is enormous. For information about volunteering contact Orphan Grain Train—Michigan branch manager, Pastor Dave Reed at 989-600-2264. No qualifications are necessary except a heart for those around the world who are impoverished, displaced, or discouraged.

DISTRICT NEWS...

LAST MINUTE ENTRIES ACCEPTED FOR HERE WE RIDE EVENT THIS WEEKEND



August 1-2, 2020 | On local trails and in your very own neighborhood

Here We Ride is a FREE bike-riding event being held this weekend and is the exercise portion of the *Here We Stand* campaign. Because of social distancing and limited gatherings, you can join *Here We*

Ride right at home on your local trails and in your neighborhoods. It is not too late to [download the information sheet](#), set your goals, and obtain pledges. Then just join in on the fun. Prizes will be awarded by age for best decorated bike and creative t-shirt designs. Be sure to post your photos to enter with the hashtags #milcms and #hereweride. Fifty percent of the pledges you receive will go towards the ministry of your choice and the other 50% to the campaign.

DISTRICT ARCHIVE ADVISORY BOARD

The Michigan District Archive exists to preserve and manage institutional, historic records about the Michigan District, LCMS, as well as its properties. The district would like to form an "Archives Advisory Board." Board members will meet once or twice each year to advise the district in preserving the story of our Lord's gracious dealings with His people in Michigan. If you are interested in the history of our Michigan District and would like to volunteer for the advisory board, or if you would like to nominate someone else, please submit name and contact information to Dr. Barbara Laughlin-Adler at archives@michigandistrict.org.

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT...

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

"Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever." (Psalm 136:1)

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS, GIFTS, AND MEMORIALS...

In memory of Virley Herbolsheimer, from family and friends...\$80 to the General Fund.

In memory of Leslie Kohn, from Kathy Metro...\$100 to Zion's Music Bags.

Loving gifts received...\$95 to Zion's Music Bags.

UPDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

	June 2020	2020 YTD
Income	\$ 110,986.55*	\$ 470,426.69
Expenses	\$ 49,276.71	\$ 402,620.12
District Missions	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Local Missions	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Net	\$ 61,709.84	67,806.57

*June COVID 19 Funds: \$62,166.06, YTD COVID 19 Funds \$103,200.21

July 25/26 Attendance: 77

Sunday's Hymns: 686, 806

This Weekend – August 1-2

Readings: Isaiah 55:1-5; Romans 9:1-13; Matthew 14:13-21

Next Weekend – August 8-9

Readings: Job 38:4-18; Romans 10:5-17; Matthew 14:22-33

AVAILABLE AT THE WELCOME CENTER:

“Our Daily Bread” devotionals for June-August

Portals of Prayer devotionals for July-September

But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me.

2 Corinthians 12:9 ESV



Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday, 12 p.m. (written, faxed or e-mailed)
The office reserves the right to edit submitted announcements.



Zion's Weekly Prayer Concerns

August 1-7, 2020

Those mourning the loss of loved ones:

Family & Friends of Leona (Marilyn Jacobson's daughter-in-law)
Family & Friends of Jerry Griffith (Doug Griffith's dad)

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

Sandy Griffith
Steve Henderson
Loretta Kohn
Monica Lebsack
Eloise Lisk
Mary Ann Reinhardt
Erma Thomas
Lane Valliere

Virginia (Joan Stout's granddaughter)
Those with struggles who suffer silently

For those celebrating Anniversaries...

Dan & Candy Ahrens celebrating 12 yrs. on August 1st
Dick & Nina Bauer celebrating 37 yrs. on August 1st
Jacob & Elizabeth Bolzman celebrating 1 yr. on August 3rd
Gary & June Feeny celebrating 44 yrs. on August 6th
John & Susan Wernecke celebrating 49 yrs. on August 7th

For those celebrating Birthdays...

Kevin Lisk - 8/1
Brian Weiss - 8/1
Rich Knoll - 8/2
Erma Thomas - 8/2
Pepper Sue Wernecke - 8/3
Tim DePeal - 8/4
Jacob Franz - 8/4
Raymond Fry - 8/4
Sara Hurley - 8/4
Jennifer Rouse - 8/4

Birthdays continued...

Benjamin Story - 8/4
Allyson Weiss - 8/4
Tristan Teeples - 8/5
Abby Johnson - 8/6
Jenna Bolzman - 8/7
Dale Gillisse - 8/7
Barb Peglow - 8/7
Mike Royer - 8/7
Ethan Sage - 8/7

Homebound/Nursing Home Patients (published once a month)...

Tilly Arnold
Frank Batschke
Ruth Batschke
Juanita Bauer
Richard Bauer
Ardythe Biskupski
Judy Buerkel
Lucille Crook
Marion DeCatur
Sue Freudenburg
Leonard Kaczorowski
Joe Kato
Patricia Keene
Betty Keith
Bruce Lockwood
Lillian Lockwood
Dorothy Loessel
Della Marotzke
Barbara Metz
Richard Nagel
Verna Rahn
Jane Royer
Mary Ann Reinhardt
Mary Riedy
Barbara Sursely
Nancy Tenny
Nancy Trueblood