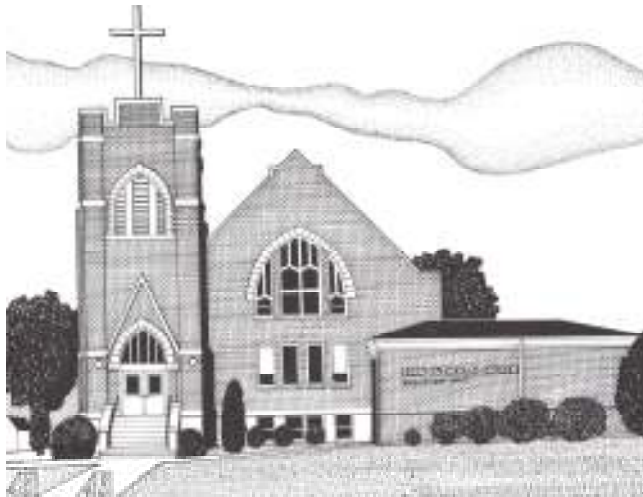


# MARCH - 2018 ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH NEWSLETTER



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## DID YOU MISS CHURCH LATELY?

You can worship with us 24 hours a day. Zion’s excellent videographers provide worship services via YouTube. Simply go to Zion’s webpage [zionlutheranwoodville.com](http://zionlutheranwoodville.com) and click on the service. ALSO... Worship services from Zion Lutheran Church are scheduled to appear on Baldwin Lightstream Cable channel 16 on Mondays at 7:00 p.m. and Tuesday mornings at 9:00. Please join us from anywhere in the world... any time of day. God bless you!

## MARCH BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Aaron Boldt, Tyler Fregine, Trisha Hojem, William Karau
- 2 Larry Albrightson, Olivia Holzman, Barb Larson, Annette Sabol
- 3 Sandy Bibeau
- 4 Mary Hanson, Stella Krager, Marshall Lofgren, Dale McKay, Joe Sell
- 5 Jordyn Iverson, Noah Lofgren, \*Sylvia Sandvig
- 6 Eric Albrightson, Avayah Anderson, Zach Nelson, Brentston Wynveen
- 7 Jamie Huenink, Carol Hurtgen, Tiffany Petersen, \*Tim Sandvig
- 8 Michele Gordon, Stephanie Lockwood
- 9 Lori Holldorf, Scott Iverson, Kevin Petersen
- 10 Brian Gedatus, \*Gordon Grinley, Tim Haller
- 11 Ed Beese, \*Celia Freiberg, Randi Hoyt, Shannon Hoyt, \*Dorene Jacobson
- 12 Tammy Bauernfeind
- 13 Ashlyn Hyland, Callie Johnson, Jamie Overby, Nancy Weikum

- 14 Karen Eicher, Emelynn Gartmann, Sarah Karau, Maria Keefer, Heather Puleo, Hunter Puleo
- 15 Travis Koenning, Hugh Lockerby, Jessica Roark, Nathan Stone
- 16 Keith McConaughey
- 17 Shawn Frye, Katelyn Gustafson, Ethan Hofland
- 18 Michelle Timmerman
- 19 Kalli Bauer, \*Art Jacobson, \*Telford Norvold, \*Jim Wickboldt
- 20 Addison Gregg, Angela Julson
- 23 McKenzie Kuehl, Hunter Nelson
- 24 \*Elaine Carlson, Allison DeMotts, Jake Keefer, Bailey Winegar, Corey Sell
- 26 Merissa Bowen, Tanner DeGross, Scott Hilmanowske, Abby Margelofsky, Reid Petersen, Jesse Rose
- 27 \*Darlene Olson, Dan Pax, \*Gladys Winberg
- 29 Eric Hillstead, Delaney Johnson, Bunny Lund
- 30 Sandy Anderson, Rose Jelen, Jon Kuhn, Max Lovestrand, Hannah Poppe, Jordan Preston, Grace Sell
- 31 Darren Dittman, Dale Nelson, \*Shirley Peterson, Susan Randall

\*Seniors of the Week

## BIBLE STUDY AT ZION

**Study next Sunday’s Bible readings.** Led by Pastor Keith in the church Library from 9:00—10:30 a.m. Wednesdays.

## MEN’S BREAKFAST AND BIBLE STUDY

Led by Ralph Bader at the Woodville Café from 6:30–7:30 a.m. the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays each month.

## JOSEPH’S SQUARE

This unique men’s ministry meets Saturday mornings and creates simple wood toys and gifts for children. Each session begins with a brief Bible Study and prayer. Contact Hugh Lockerby for details.

## WOMEN’S “CIRCLE” STUDIES

Circles 1 & 3 –Thurs., March 15<sup>th</sup> at 9 a.m.-library

Hostess: Carol Hajicek

Leader: Elizabeth Leon

Circle 2- Weds., March 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:30 am

Hostess: Judy Johnson

Leader: Sandy Olson

Circle 4- Thurs., March 15<sup>th</sup> at 1:30-Park View

Hostess: Park View

Leader: Nancy Larson

Circles 5 & 6 – Thurs., March 15<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm –Park Place

Hostess: Alice Ford

Leader: Joyce Knippenberg



## MARCH WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

### March 4, 2018

Ushers— Brian & Brenda Bergquist, David Krause, Al DeLander  
Videographer— Kyle Howard  
Reader— Gloria Bunnell  
Communion Prep/Clean Up— John & Rachel Terkelsen  
Communion Helpers— Ruth Hard, Don Johnson, Kelly DeGross  
Acolytes— Grady McAbee, Olivia Holzman

### March 11, 2018

Ushers—same as the 4<sup>th</sup>  
Videographer—same as the 4<sup>th</sup>  
Reader— Carol Hajicek  
Acolytes— Dylan Karau, Bella Schaller

### March 18, 2018

Ushers— Dave & Wendy Sander, Dan & Cheryl Slind  
Videographer— Greg Larson  
Reader— Bonnie Haas  
Communion Prep/Clean Up— Al & Barb DeLander  
Communion Helpers— Dan & Cheryl Slind, Hugh Lockerby  
Acolytes— Brianna Hanson, Klay Lorentz

### March 25, 2018

Ushers—same as the 18<sup>th</sup>  
Videographer—same as the 18<sup>th</sup>  
Reader— Sue Stene  
Acolytes— Ty Margelofsky, Morgan Margelofsky

**Altar Guild for March:** Jill Boston  
**Acolytes for Lent are posted on Pastor's door.**

11:00 a.m. – Good Friday Worship at Park View  
12:30 p.m. – Community worship (location TBA)  
8:00 p.m. – Tenebrae service of lights

Easter Sunday, April 1 – 6:30, 8:30 and 10:00 a.m.  
Worship with Holy Communion  
Coffee Fellowship served by Zion Youth 7:30 –  
9:45 a.m.

**Feel free to join us each Wednesday of Lent  
between 5:30 and 6:45 for supper.  
Menu is posted on bulletin board by office and  
in Facebook events.  
Everyone is welcome!**

## MEALS FOR LENT

March 7 – Taco Bar  
(National Youth Gathering)

March 14 – Potato Bar, Dessert  
(8<sup>th</sup> Grade Bible Camp)

March 21 –N/A  
(Senior Choir)

March 25 –Palm Sunday Brunch – Egg Bake, Muffins, Fruit  
(8<sup>th</sup> Grade Campers)

April 1 – Easter Morning – Cinnamon Rolls  
(National Youth Gathering)

## This year's Lenten journey is "Giving it Up for Lent"

### **Worship is Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.**

Feb. 14 – Giving up... CONTROL  
Feb. 21 – Giving up... EXPECTATIONS  
Feb. 28 – Giving up... SUPERIORITY  
Mar. 7 – Giving up... ENEMIES  
Mar. 14 – Giving up... OUR LIVES  
Mar. 21 – Giving up... POPULARITY

Confirmation will meet each Wednesday after  
worship  
(NOT ASH WEDNESDAY) until 8:30 p.m.

Palm Sunday, Mar. 25 – 9:00 a.m. worship  
10:15 a.m. – Family CONNECT worship  
Breakfast served by Zion Youth

Maundy Thursday, Mar. 29 - 7:00 p.m.  
Worship with Holy Communion

Good Friday, Mar. 30

## WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

World Day of Prayer is on Friday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 1:30  
pm at Gethsemane Lutheran Church in Baldwin. Snow date  
is March 9<sup>th</sup>.

Please stay after the program for fellowship, heavenly  
desserts, coffee and tea.

## FROM PASTOR KEITH

This year's Lenten theme is, "Giving it up for Lent!" We have considered giving up some things of the heart... placing our trust in God. As we do that, we grow in faith. We grow in love toward God. We grow in love toward one another.

The purpose of Holy Week, (Palm Sunday, Maundy Thursday and Good Friday) is to bring us into the final days of Christ's life on earth.

Being people who do not want to dwell too much on pain and suffering, we want to get right through it and into Easter... the day of celebration and "Halleluia's", and new life, and pastel colors... (WHAT?)

But we should never move too quickly through Holy Week.

Palm Sunday is the declaration of the new King. However... Jesus told his followers that his Kingdom was NOT of this world.

Maundy Thursday... the MANDATE... is that we love one another as Jesus loves us... and we celebrate Holy Communion. We are loved... we are forgiven.

Good Friday... this year we are doing the Tenebrae worship of Scripture and Light. It is a very solemn service... God's Word is exclusively the focus of the night.

There is a phrase in the Passion story that momentarily stops my heart... "I do not know the man!" Matthew 26:72,74.

My heart goes out to Peter. The LAST thing he ever wanted to do in life was deny knowing Jesus, but there were threats about him. He was frightened. In the moment he thought more of himself than he thought of Jesus.

We MUST always be challenged by our faith. A couple challenges I see right there...

First of all... FEAR! What seems like too many times to count... God tells us "DO NOT BE AFRAID!" Why? Because God is with us.

Secondly... I DO NOT KNOW THE MAN! The impersonal label of "the man..." is an empty, heartless phrase. I can talk about "a man..." that I might see in a photo... impersonal if I don't really know who he is... but Peter KNEW! And so do we! Jesus is not some ordinary, miscellaneous, unknown human creature! Jesus is OURS! Jesus is God. Jesus is Savior. Jesus is "the Word." Jesus is love!

And to acknowledge that we don't know him... Well... WE DO!

We honor Jesus when we read and hear God's Word. We honor Jesus when we worship and sing and praise and pray in His name. We honor Jesus when we share His life IN US with the people around us.

May we NEVER deny Him. Peter did. Jesus still loved and saved him and used Peter as a blessing for all Christendom. We will fall to temptation and weakness of faith sometimes too. We have the Biblical witness that Jesus still loves and saves and redeems us to be His servants. But to ignore and place our trust in other things is a grievous temptation that we hope to address during this Lenten season.

We hope and pray that by the time we get to Maundy Thursday, the only thing we will want to focus on is the MANDATE to love one another the way Jesus loves us.

May we live in His peace and grace and love... and we will see the world change for the better... because we have brought Jesus along with us everywhere we go... not denying... but living in and through this Lord of Life!

Blessings too all,  
Pastor Keith

## FROM PASTOR ANDY BOE

We began the Church Year Season of Lent in February. Lent will end in March. Easter will be celebrated the First Day of April! We Lutherans have adopted the ancient Christian custom of the Ashes on Ash Wednesday. We say "**Remember you are dust, and to dust you shall return.**" (From the creation of humans account in Genesis 2) We remember that we are sinful, and that we die. We are mortal. It is an important symbol and reminder! We need the Grace of God in Jesus so that we may be with God always!

However, this Lent I have been contemplating a larger Biblical meaning also. At our funeral service we will read from Romans 6 "**Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.**" Sin and Death - YES. But through Jesus' Death and Resurrection - Newness of Life - YES!

So I have been thinking ... perhaps on Ash Wednesday we might share a new, and more significant imposition of the Ashes. I believe we could say to each one, "**Remember you are dust, and to New Life you shall go forward!**" This recognition of New Life is important in two ways. First, that we have New Life on a daily basis. We are brought from death and brokenness each day to life in Christ! Second, that we are given resurrection hope for ever in the Eternal Love of God!

Let us live in Lent this March, and look forward to the Hope of New Life given in Easter Resurrection as we

start April! What a significant time and journey for all of us!

Pastor Andy Boe

## **ZION RUMMAGE SALE – MARCH 23-24 GOOD DONATIONS NEEDED**

Once again we encourage you to open a closet door that has been closed for a long time... and make some room and donate some good items to Zion's Rummage sale. Donations can be brought to the church. They will be sorted and displayed for a GREAT Rummage Sale.

Your no-longer-wanted-but-still-good stuff needed for our rummage sale: CLEAN clothing in good condition

Household items

Kitchen items, including small appliances in good working condition

Toys, books, games

Baby items

Knick-knacks and the usual garage sale items

**PLEASE NO large appliances, furniture, TVs or computers, tires, paint or the like.**

**DEADLINE** for bringing stuff in is March 18<sup>th</sup>.

We also need your grocery store bags. Thank you!

To Zion Lutheran Church,

Thank you for supporting me in pursuing my college education at the University of North Dakota. I am honored to be the recipient of the Zion Lutheran Church scholarship. I am very appreciative of this scholarship, it is helping me reach my career goals. I have had a great first semester with school and track. I am completing in my indoor season now, and can't wait for my outdoor season. Thank you for helping me achieve my goals. I am blessed to be a part of such a supportive community.

Thank you, Destinee Haas

## **WOMEN'S NEWS**

Our Zion Quilters met on February 8<sup>th</sup> and with only 4 workers they completed 11 quilts, 4 health kits, and 5 layettes. Their next time together is March 8th.

## **TUESDAY COMMUNITY SUPPER March 6, 2018**

The Tuesday Community Supper is served the first Tuesday of every month at Gethsemane Lutheran Church, 1350 Florence Street, Baldwin, Wisconsin. This is a free meal open to anyone in the community, served from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m. Area churches, businesses and organizations take turns preparing and serving good nutritious food every month.

Gethsemane Lutheran Church will be preparing and serving the meal on March 6th, 2018. The menu is BBQ's, baked beans, celery & carrot sticks and assorted dessert bars.

## **ATTENTION 2018 GRADUATING SENIORS**

The Zion Lutheran Scholarship application is now available online. We will be again giving (2) \$500 scholarships to applicants worthy of this scholarship. The committee will review the applications and this will be awarded at the Senior Appreciation Sunday at church in May. Deadline is Friday, April 13, 2018 to either Cheryl Slind or the church secretary, Jill Boston. We look forward to hearing from all of you!!

## **In Memory of.....**

### **Mary Ann Iverson**

Kitchen: Wally & Carolyn Nelson, Tom & Julie Roark, Larry Knegendorf

Debt: Janis Helgeson, Joyce Knippenberg, Les & Dorothy Holm

General: Dave & Wendy Sander, Dennis & Debbie Benson, Nancy Johnson, Walt & Dorene Jacobson, Duane & Judy Veenendaal, Christy Gregg, Carole Larson, Ai & Joan Cronk, Hugh & Diana Lockerby, Sandy Anderson, Tim & Benita Gregg, Mike & Peggy Nyhus, Mary Hanson, Harvey Halderson, Harvey Halderson, Judith Essen, Warren & Vicky Benson, Corey Sell, Ron & Jan Nelson, Evelyn Muffett, Marie Terkelsen, Tracy & Trudy Helgeson, Art & Elaine Jacobson, Martha Koller, Lorraine Achterhof, Don & Marianne Johnson, Tim & Sylvia Sandvig, Sue Burneister, Ron & Jan Anderson  
Wall: Dick & LeAnn Rademaker, Sue Stene, Darlene Olson, Ron & Marilyn Zillmer, Keith & Judy Albrightson

Cemetery: Ralph & Darlene Bader, Shirley Erickson  
Senior Choir: Jill Boston, John & Rachel Terkelsen, Al & Barb DeLander, Steve & Janet Aaby, Elizabeth Lee, Evelyn Wallesverd, LaVern & Nola Johnson, Margaret Helgeson, Wes & Karen Swanson, Ken & Marge Weiske, Friends & Family

Food Pantry: Dave & Elaine Albrightson

Maintenance & Repair: Elizabeth, Kari & David Leon, Gloria Bunnell

Building: Larry & Barb Anderson, Virginia Helgeson

Carpet: Ole Stang

Scholarship: Lucille Lund

### **Glen Boldt**

General: Duane & Judy Veenendaal, Ron & Jan Anderson, Walt & Dorene Jacobson, Nancy Johnson, Ai & Joan Cronk, John & Rachel Terkelsen, Tim & Benita Gregg, Elizabeth Lee, Keith & Mary Anderson, Pat Brenne, Scott & Brenda DeMotts, Hugh & Diana Lockerby

Kitchen: Wally & Carolyn Nelson, Larry Knegendorf

Debt: Dick & LeAnn Rademaker

Scholarship: Dan & Cheryl Slind

Wall: Steve & Janet Aaby, Keith & Judy Albrightson, Mike & Amy Albrightson

Maintenance: Virginia Helgeson

Building Fund: Laurie Anderson, Larry & Barb Anderson

Automatic Door: Chuck & Norma Jean Bentley, Al & Barb DeLander

### **Wayne Halverson**

General: Duane & Judy Veenendaal

### **Romaine Eicher (Bob Eicher's Mom)**

General: Ai & Joan Cronk, Hugh & Diana Lockerby

Debt: Joyce Knippenberg

Wall: Darlene Olson

Choir: Steve & Janet Aaby, Chuck & Norma Jean Bentley, Tom & Sandy Olson, Doug & Judy Johnson

### **Jerry Osborne**

Wall: Steve & Janet Aaby

General: Mike & Betty Jean Skelton

### **Alice Trahms**

Kitchen: Pat Brenne

### **Marlys McGalla**

General: Sandy Anderson

### **Sandi Orth**

General: Sandy Anderson

### **Art Jensen**

General: Chuck & Norma Jean Bentley, Nancy Johnson, Craig & Kelly Albrightson, Wally & Carolyn Nelson, Bonnie Haas, Tim & Sylvia Sandvig, Steve & Janet Aaby, Hugh & Diana Lockerby, Evelyn Wallesverd, Amy & Brad Boldt, Doug & Jackie Mathison, Ben & Kari Campbell, Bob & Dorothy Larson, Larry & Bev Albrightson, Art & Elaine Jacobson, Marie Terkelsen, Duane & Judy Veenendaal, Mary Hanson  
Cemetery: Ralph & Darlene Bader

Quilters: Darlene Olson

Wall: Carole Larson, Ron & Marilyn Zillmer, Keith & Judy Albrightson, Walt & Dorene Jacobson

Maintenance: Gloria Bunnell

Scholarship: Al & Barb DeLander, Larry Knegendorf

Food Pantry: Barb & Paul Ramberg, Bonnie Gunderson, Les & Dorothy Holm

Building & Repair: John & Rachel Terkelsen

Missions: Jerry & Liz Deringer

Sunday School: Lance & Angie Albrightson

Choir: Sandy & Tom Olson

### **Elwynn Lee (Victor Lee's brother)**

Automatic Door: Elizabeth Lee

### **Robert Johnston**

General: Bob & Ruth Hard, Steve & Janet Aaby

Debt: Joyce Knippenberg

### **Gordon Place**

Food Pantry: Bonnie Gunderson

### **George Peterson**

General: Mary Norton

### **Marsha Rogers (Deb Keefer's mom)**

Scholarship: Keith & Mary Anderson

General: Al & Barb DeLander

Food Pantry: Brian & Kaye Scovill

Wall: Steve & Janet Aaby

### **Galen Anderson**

Sunset Cemetery: Millie Anderson

### **Nels Bertelson**

Care Fund: Bud & Pat Mathison

### **Gave to food pantry:**

Woodville Lions Club

Immanuel Lutheran Church

Zion Lutheran Church Council Minutes  
January 16, 2018  
Minutes Approved

2017 Council Members

Randy Peterson – President, Kelly Doke – Vice President,  
Annette Sabol – Secretary  
Dick Rademaker – Treasurer, Pastor Keith Anderson,  
Associate Pastor Andy Boe\*  
Brenda Bergquist\*, Doug Jamieson\*, Dan Slind\*, Ken  
Sortedahl\*, Tim Holldorf, Karl Karau\*, Hugh Lockerby, Dale  
McKay \*Denotes absent member

President Randy Peterson opened the meeting at 7p.  
Devotions were led by Tim Holldorf from Joel Olsteen.

Guest Comments: None

Correspondence:

Secretary's Report: Motion made by Ken Sortedahl and  
seconded by Tim Holldorf and Dale McKay to accept council  
minutes for December 2017. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Motion made by Doug Jamieson and  
Seconded by Annette Sabol to approve December's  
Treasurer's Report. Motion carried.

Pastor's Report: Reclaiming the "L" Word by Kelly A. Fryer  
Chapter 4: Everyone is Welcome

Baptisms:  
Funerals:  
Transferred Out:  
New Member(s):  
Weddings:

Committees:

Resources: Meets Second Tuesday, 6:30p: Wall in  
sanctuary seems to be dry at this time. Looking at a regular  
inspection from Asher or another company to make sure  
things are checked and maintained on the outside of the  
building especially around the gutters.

Fellowship Uniting Neighbors (FUN): Meets First  
Thursday, 1:30p: February 4<sup>th</sup> confirmation will lead worship.  
Speaker who will talk about Katie Luther on April 8<sup>th</sup>.

Faith & Life: Meets Second Thursday, 9a: ZAP  
Curriculum is finished. It will be "The Armor of God". Next  
year Sunday School year will be "God's Global Garden".

Old Business:

- Annual Meeting: Jill is working on the Annual Report  
and should be ready next Sunday. Still looking for  
someone for council.
- Update on Giving Apps: Put together a sub-  
committee: Kelly Doke and Annette Sabol are willing  
to be part of this.

New Business:

- None

Agenda for February:

- Reclaiming the "L" Word Chapter 5
  
- Devotions: Kelly Doke

Motion to adjourn: No more business to discuss: Motion  
made by Annette Sabol to adjourn; Seconded by Doug  
Jamieson: Motion carried and the meeting ended with the  
Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted in Christ,  
Annette Sabol, Secretary

### ZION STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

Keith Anderson – Pastor  
Andy Boe - Part-time Associate Pastor  
Jill Boston – Administrative Assistant  
David & Elizabeth Leon – Custodial Staff  
Elizabeth Leon — Sr. Choir Director

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Kelly Doke – President  
Doug Jamieson – Vice-President  
Adam Roark – Secretary Dick Rademaker – Treasurer

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Doug Jamieson: 715-698-3663; Karl Karau: 715-381-7964;  
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