

Please take the Sunday News home with you for information and happenings during the week at Zion Church.

SUNDAY NEWS

SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

Serving This Morning

Liturgist: Lindsay Traffas

Ushers: Bill & Fern Dewert Greeter: Sandy Stierberger

Sound System Tech: Alan TenEyck Camera Tech: Dan Mossoney

(Hearing devices are available if needed. Please ask an usher for one.)

Usher Dismissal: An usher will dismiss you by row at the conclusion of the service. They will begin at the BACK and go FORWARD. Thank you for your understanding.

Coffee/Fellowship Hour will be in the lower commons each Sunday following the worship service.

Festival of Sharing – Items are being collected for the Festival of Sharing until September 29th. Booklets of items needed are on the display table in the lower commons. Book bags are also available if you would like to make a school kit. Monetary donations can also be made with the check payable to Zion UCC and in the memo portion 'Festival of Sharing'.

Strengthen the Church Offering – During September, we will be receiving gifts for the Strengthen the Church Offering of the United Church of Christ. The funds raised support leadership development, new churches, youth ministry and innovation in existing UCC churches. Offering envelopes were included in the September newsletter and extra envelopes are available by the offering plate.

"These Days" devotionals for October through December are now available in the literature rack at the top of the grand staircase.

This Afternoon – All are invited to the Missouri Mid-South Conference Eastern Association Fall Meeting this afternoon from 2-5 p.m. at Zion Church. Light refreshments will be served following the meeting.

On Our List For Prayers

Health and Healing:

David Pehle	Jim Doehring	Phyllis Olson	Donna Staten
Frank Fazzari	Charlotte Ellison	Marcia Van Leer	Myrt Dunigan
Kevin Vorderbruegge	Darlene Farrell (sister of Charlotte Ellison)	Carol Crane (recovering from broken leg)	
Louise Becker (daughter of Hettie Becker)		Sharon Waldrop (friend of Jim Doehring)	
Roger McDaniel (brother-in-law of Larry & Betty Clark)			
Mitch Angell (friend of Jerry & Charlotte Ellison)		Tammy Wettling (friend of Charlotte Ellison)	
Mike Matthews (friend of Carolyn George)		Walter & Rita Ries (cousins of Helen Schupp)	
Shirley Brand (friend of Gerry Hoelscher)		Chuck Lomas (brother in law of Jerry Ellison)	
Eric Heitman (nephew of Jim Doehring)		Heather Gooch (great niece of Charlotte Ellison)	
Josh & Tricia Pardee-Jacka (friends of Charlotte Ellison)			
Liz Klemme (daughter/sister of Armin, Norma & Phil Klemme)		Glenda Foster (friend of Charlotte Ellison)	
Cindy Roach (friend of Charlotte Ellison)		Aubrey Reed (granddaughter of Charlotte & Jerry Ellison)	
Vanessa Dobsch (niece of Charlotte Ellison)		Norma Schroeder (friend of Gerry Hoelscher)	
Mary Dobsch (sister of Charlotte Ellison)		Beverly Elliott (mother of Mike Elliott)	
Doris Feth (mother of Phyliss Fink)		Sally Becker (niece of Hettie Becker)	
A & L (CASA buddies of Karen Stafford)		John Tomlin (father of Brenda Herring)	
Bill Stolle (friend of Jim Doehring)		Wendy Wildberger (sister-in-law of Nathan Dewert)	
Linda Barnhart (sister of Fern Dewert)			
Theodore Feth (father of Phyliss Fink)			

Church Family Undergoing Cancer Treatment:

Ronald Dobsch (nephew of Charlotte Ellison)	Sarah Reed (daughter-in-law of Charlotte & Jerry Ellison)
Erin Carl (niece of Kevin Vorderbruegge)	Cynthia Johnson (friend of Karen Stafford)
Kim Gallagher (friend of Chris & Dawn Robinson)	Trish Kennedy (friend of Charlotte Ellison)
Alice Pratt (friend of Karen Stafford)	Allen Coffman (friend of David & Shawn Pehle)
Marissa Schollenberger (friend of Tom & Gayle Williams)	
Donna Eime (friend of Jim Doehring)	Marcia Herbst (friend of Colleen Simons)
Betty Meyer (friend of Colleen Simons)	Mark Stafford (brother of Gary Stafford)
Mike Meyer (friend of Mandy Frick)	Willie Beckett (nephew of Vicki Hooper)
Michael Chad Mitchell (son of Judy Petero)	

Members in Long-Term Care Facilities:

Helen Schupp (Victorian Place, Union)

Adult Education Opportunities

This Morning - *The Bible for Dummies Class* will meet in room #G12 (formerly Creation Station). All are welcome!

This Morning - *The Discussion Class* meets in the conference room following the 9 a.m. worship service. All are welcome!

Christian Education/Faith Quest/Youth News

Wednesdays - LOGOS is back! The first TWO Wednesdays of each month we will reimagine a VBS from our past! Join us from 5-7:30 p.m. for music, bible stories, games, crafts, and a family style meal.

Church Calendar – September 18, 2022 to September 25, 2022

Today -	15th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:00 a.m. Fellowship Hour (lower commons) 2:00-5:00 p.m. Eastern Association Fall Meeting
Mon., Sept. 19 -	7:00 p.m. Church Council (lower level classroom) October newsletter articles due
Wed., Sept. 21 -	12:00 noon Loops of Love (lower commons) 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
Thurs., Sept. 22 -	8:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Quilting Circle
Next Sun., Sept. 25 -	16th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:00 a.m. Fellowship Hour (lower commons)

Mon., Sept. 19 - Articles for the October 'Spirit of Zion' newsletter are due to the church office by Monday, September 19th. The newsletter will be assembled next Wednesday, September 28th at 10 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

CROP Walk/Rock-a-Thon - Sign up sheets are posted on the lower commons bulletin board for the upcoming Crop Walk/Rock-a-Thon. The Rock-A-Thon will be on Saturday, October 1st at Frick's Market in Union. Sign up to 'rock' an hour or more; the Walk will be on Sunday, October 2nd beginning at Zion Church at 1 p.m.

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"Help Thyself" Meals - Meals are now available in the freezer in the lower commons kitchen on a first come first serve basis. The mission of the Help Thyself Team is to make homemade meals available for those who might need a little help. Whether you are recovering from surgery, cooking is difficult for you, or a homemade meal would just help you out this week you are welcome to "help yourself!" These meals will be microwaveable and you are invited to take one as needed. If you are interested in more information or donating meals please get in touch with Kathy Young (314-580-3105), Carol Rohrbach (636-583-3659), Ann Hartley (636-346-5921) or Dorothy Mitana (636-239-1296). Thank you!

Little Food Pantry - Thank you for the great support in keeping the Little Food Pantry going! A list of the most needed items is posted on the bulletin board in the lower commons. Monetary donations can also be given - contact the church office.

Needed: Video Camera Techs - A team of volunteers is needed to record worship services. Training will be provided. If you are interested please sign up on the lower commons bulletin board or contact the church office. Thank you!

Communion Steward Volunteers - Communion Stewards are needed to help serve communion on the first Sunday of the month. If you would be interested in helping to be a Communion Steward, please contact the church office. Thank you!

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Minister to Youth & Families: Alysha Petry

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