



*The Lord is my shepherd;
I shall not want*

He maketh me to lie down in
green pastures

*He leadeth me beside the
still waters*

He restoreth my soul

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness

*You, though I walk through the
valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil*

for thou art with me;

Surely
goodness and mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life

*and I will dwell in the house of the
LORD for ever.*

Zion Evangelical Church

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9:00 a.m. Sunday School/Bible Study

10:15 a.m. Worship

Pastor - Darrell Weber CCLI License # 1636898 Organist – Mr. Clark Ferry

March 13th, 2022

PRELUDES

LIGHTING CANDLES / WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING BELLS

Praising FATHER, SON and HOLY SPIRIT!

- * PRAISE MEDLEY “*Come, Now Is the Time to Worship*” #30
“*Come, Christians, Join to Sing*” #32
- * CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive) selected verses from Matthew
- Pastor (Mt. 4:19) JESUS said, Follow ME,*
People and I will make you fishers of men.
- Pastor (Mt. 9:9) JESUS said, Follow ME,*
People and he rose and followed HIM.
- Pastor (Mt. 8:22) JESUS said, Follow ME,*
People and leave the dead to bury their own dead.
- Pastor (Mt. 16:24) JESUS said, Follow ME,*
People let him deny himself and take up his cross.

Confess Your Sins!

- * PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)
- Lord JESUS, forgive us for putting our own interests ahead of YOUR work of fishing for men, women and children. Forgive us for saying that we will follow YOU, but being distracted by our own desires we drag our feet. Forgive us for satisfying ourselves and bulking at taking up our cross rather than truly following YOU. And forgive us as we make a silent confession of the sin we have committed this past week.**
- (please pray in silence)*
- Lord JESUS, we thank YOU for being our Good Shepherd and bearing our sin in YOUR body upon the cross at the FATHER’s request. And thank YOU for the gift of the HOLY SPIRIT who will enable us to truly follow YOU. For we seal this prayer in YOUR saving name. Amen and Amen!**
- * ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS from John 12:26
- Jesus said, “If any one serves ME, he must follow ME; and where I am, there shall MY servant be also; if any one serves ME, the FATHER will honor him.”*

* RESPONSE

“I Will Sing of the Mercies” (Psalm 89:1)

#625

I will sing of the mercies of the LORD forever, I will sing, I will sing.

I will sing of the mercies of the LORD forever, I will sing of the mercies of the LORD.

With my mouth will I make known THY faithfulness, THY faithfulness;

With my mouth will I make known THY faithfulness to all generations.

I will sing of the mercies of the LORD forever, I will sing, I will sing.

I will sing of the mercies of the LORD forever, I will sing of the mercies of the LORD.

Listening to the LORD!

READING OF GOD'S WORD

Mark 1:14-20 (p 867)

SERMON

“JESUS said, ‘Follow ME’”

STATEMENT OF FAITH

from John 11:26b-27

Pastor JESUS said to Martha, “Do you believe this?”

People Yes, Lord; I believe that YOU are the CHRIST, the SON of GOD, HE who is coming into the world.

Praying to GOD!

JOYS/CONCERNS

We Thank YOU / Hear Our Prayer, O LORD!

INTERCESSORY / THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts and debtors)

Our FATHER who art in Heaven, Hallowed be THY Name. THY Kingdom come, THY will be done, on Earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For THINE is the Kingdom, and the Power, and the Glory, forever, Amen.

OFFERING

Mission of the Month: “Kids for Christ”. Loose cash offerings, or checks or envelopes designated “Kids for Christ” which is an after-school outreach to children at MCS. Please give generously.

* RESPONSE

“We Give THEE But THINE Own”

vs 1 #671

We give THEE but THINE own, What - e'er the gift may be;

All that we have is THINE alone, A trust, O LORD, from THEE.

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Going out to Serve GOD!

* COMMITMENT HYMN

“JESUS Calls Us O'er the Tumult”

#419

* BENEDICTION

from John 10:27

May we follow JESUS who said, “MY sheep hear MY voice, and I know them, and they follow ME.”

* SUNG BLESSING

“Go Now in Peace”

Don Besig & Nancy Price

Go now in peace. Never be afraid. GOD will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know HE will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see.

GOD will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

* POSTLUDES

Community Bulletin Board

Chair Yoga led by Joyce Herman - Fridays during February and March, Zion's Fellowship Hall, 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Zion's Trivia Night - Saturday, March 12. Doors open at 6:30, play starts at 7:00 p.m. \$15/person; 8 people max at table; See flyer for more details.

Trinity Lutheran Church Millstadt Spaghetti Dinner - Sunday, March 13, 10:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.; \$12 adult, \$5 child (ages 4-10), FREE for children ages 3 and under; meal includes spaghetti, bread sticks, salad (featuring Papa Vito's salad dressing) dessert, and beverages. Carry-outs will be available. The building is walker, wheelchair, and stroller friendly.

Rummage Sale - Saturday, April 2, 8:00 - noon, St. Paul's Lutheran, 227 Goodhaven, Columbia. Proceeds benefit their youth group to attend the National Youth Gathering this July in Houston, TX. Graciously accepting any and all donations, but no TV's, computers or clothing please. Drop off Thursday, March 31, 4:00 - 8:00 p.m. and Friday, April 1, 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Sisters in Faith annual Spring Luncheon - Thursday, May 19; stay tuned for further details.

Calendar of Events for Zion Evangelical Church

Sunday, March 13 - Daylight Savings Time

Conf/SS 9:00 a.m.
 Worship Service.....10:15 a.m.

Monday, March 14

PreSchool 8:15 a.m.
 Senior Center Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
 Council Meeting..... 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 15

Z Team8:30 a.m.
 Garden Place Bible Study1:00 p.m.

Wednesday, March 16

PreSchool 8:15 a.m.
 Lenten Meal - Z-Team - Tacos..... 6:00 p.m.
 Lenten Service 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 17

Quilting 9:00 a.m.
 Civic Club Dinner12:00 p.m.

Friday, March 18

Preschool 8:15 a.m.
 Chair Yoga in Fellowship Hall (led by Joyce Herman) 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, March 20

Conf/SS 9:00 a.m.
 Worship Service.....10:15 a.m.

FUN AND GAMES

Mark your calendar for Zion's family game night (for all ages) on the 4th Friday of the month:

March 25 and April 22 starting at 7:00 PM

Bring an appetizer to be shared by all and your game of choice.

Soda and popcorn will be provided

Can Tabs for Ronald McDonald House -- Congregation Member, Eric Wolfmeier is a Firefighter in Belleville. His Firehouse is collecting can tabs for the Ronald McDonald House. Please drop off any you collect at the Church. Amanda will have a receptacle labeled for these. Thank you for helping out.

March 2, 2022

Giving: \$471.00
 Attendance: 31

March 6, 2022

Giving: \$6,719.25
 Attendance: 75



March 13, 2022
In the Hospital

PRAYER REQUESTS

Patti Albert
Donna Altemeier
The Badger Family
Wanda Basse
Marilyn Beil
The Bender family
Cindy Berlelsmann
Roberta Billhartz
Brock Bomleny
Lindsay Bourn & Family
Baby Levi Boyle
Shirley Brandenburger
Darwin Bretsch
Carol Bueckmann
Nancy Caponi
Jesse Cook
Bob Cotter
Roger Davis
Sharon Dill
Dorene (Janice Seidlitz's Sister-in-law)
The family of Mary Eckert
Flash Farley
Ashley & Baby Fehr
Sue Flora
Mary (Boerke) Graham
Greg
Pearl Griebel
Kendra Haas
Matt Haas
Winnie Hambleton
Baby Adalyn Harres
The Harres Famly
John Harries
Mary Harries
Joe Heap
Connie Hendricks
Tracy Holmes
Pat Illert
Sarah Johnson
Wayne Jones
Melanie Keck
John Kistner
Billy Klopmeier
Scott (Barbra Knoth's Son)
Ricky Kochmann

Mary & Sonny Koehler
Jim Kostelac
Tom Krauter
Brian Kreher
Tom Kreher
Delores Lang
Andi Lanning
JoAnn Martz
Monique Masengale
Don Mehrtens
Marty Mertz
Cindy Meyer
Kenny Middendorf
Norman Mills
Helen Morgan
Helen Mueller
Jim Mueller
Ronnie Mueller
Ron Nicholls
Dean Norrenbem
Jodi Notter
Doris Obernagel
Baby Ariela Oliver
Jon Orelt
Era Osborn
Alexis Papavassilion
Janet Pauketat
Bob & Debbie Pellmann
Janice Pellmann
Vicki Pellmann
Stephanie Poletti
Layla Post
Matt Preston
Jaylynn Proctor
Rebecca
Emily Reed
Jim Reinheimer
Mark Roach
Barb Roark
Stella Savering (Bill's Mom)
The Family of Jim & Susan Savering
Jean Seymour
Nancy Smith
Shelly Smith
Sharon Stallmann
Chris Stander
Kesia Sutton

Joann Talent
Sharon Tastad
Ray Teliczan
Douglas Tendler
Angie Thomason
Rich Trent
Elizabeth Tubbs
Lacey Grace Valentine
Mark Vandermyde
Bill & Donna Ward
Scott Weber
Lauretta Werhan
Mary Weldele
Doug Whelan
Beth Windeknecht
Herb Wohlke
Marge Wohlke
Landon Woods
Bart & Kelley

JOYS



Food Pantry—Our food pantry list for the month of March is: Instant potatoes, jelly, Hamburger Helper, and jello or pudding.

SERVING OUR COUNTRY Sgt. Anthony Hanson, Jr., Kenny Wolf, Brandon Lester, Kory Klein and Michael Barnes serving overseas; Erin Green, Adam Stern, Andrew Haag, Marty Mertz and Derek Ferguson in the Middle East; Jesse Eimer, Jason Parrish, Chris Lewis, Sharon Wirth, Jimmy Combs, Joe Morris, Cameron Ahrens, Kasey Launius, Samantha Glaeser, Al Wirth, Tristen & Stefan Cashwell, and Joshua Trent serving in the States; Austin Stumpf serving in Korea. Families of Service men and women in Afghanistan who lost their lives in the terrorist attack.



It's time to order lilies for Easter! If you would like a lily, please have your order in by March 31st. The cost will be \$8.00 per plant.

From: _____

DESIGNATE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

In Honor of: _____

In Memory of: _____

Please turn your order into the church office with payment. Make checks payable to Zion Church.

Lillies will be ready for pick up after the 10:00 a.m. Easter Service