



I will lead them  
**in paths**  
*that they have not known.*

ISAIAH 42:16

# Zion Evangelical Church

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Summer Schedule (June 11<sup>th</sup> – August 27<sup>th</sup>) - 9:00 am Worship

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Church in the Park – August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023

PRELUDES / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Praising FATHER, SON and HOLY SPIRIT!

PRAISE MEDLEY

*“All Things Bright and Beautiful”*

sung by Hayley Westenra

Chorus:

All things bright and beautiful, All creatures great and small,  
All things wise and wonderful, The LORD GOD made them all.

Each little flower that opens, Each little bird that sings,  
HE made their glowing colors, HE made their tiny wings.

Chorus

The purple headed mountain, The river running by,  
The sunset and the morning, That brightens up the sky;

The cold wind in the winter, The pleasant summer sun,  
The ripe fruits in the garden, HE made them every one:

Chorus

HE gave us eyes to see them, And lips that we might tell,  
How great is GOD Almighty, Who has made all things well.

Chorus

*“I Sing the Mighty Power of GOD”*

sung by the Ball Brothers, #48

I sing the mighty pow’r of GOD, that makes the mountains rise,  
That spreads the flowing seas abroad, and built the lofty skies.

I sing the wisdom that ordained the sun to rule the day;  
The moon shines full at HIS command, and all the stars obey.

I sing the goodness of the LORD, that fills the earth with food,  
HE formed the creatures with HIS Word, and then pronounced them good.

LORD, how THY wonders are displayed, where’er I turn my eye,  
If I survey the ground I tread, or gaze upon the sky.

There’s not a plant or flow’r below, but makes THY glories known,  
Or clouds arise, and tempests blow, by order from THY throne;

While all that borrows life from THEE is ever in THY care;  
And everywhere that man can be, THOU, GOD, art present there.

Amen! Amen!

CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

from Psalm 127:1-2

*Pastor Unless the LORD builds the house,*

**People Those who labor, labor in vain.**

*Pastor Unless the LORD watches over the city,*

**People The watchman watches in vain.**

*Pastor It is in vain that you rise up early,*

**People And go late to rest,**

*Pastor Eating the bread of anxious toil;*

**People For the LORD gives to HIS beloved rest. Amen and Amen!**

Confessing Your Sins to the LORD!

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (responsive)

Dear FATHER, I confess that I often do my labor - of job, school, parenting, or chores - without being mindful of YOU. Because of this, I confess that labor, which YOU intend to be accomplishment, turns out for me to be exhausting. Hear me as I silently confess my short comings and the sins I have committed over this past week.

*(please pray in silence)*

Dear JESUS, thank YOU for joyfully bearing alone the hard labor of our salvation. Dear HOLY SPIRIT, send us forth as effective laborers for GOD'S glory. In JESUS' Name we pray. Amen!

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

1 Corinthians 15:58

*Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the LORD, knowing that in the LORD your labor is not in vain.*

RESPONSE

***"Let There Be Glory and Honor and Praises"***

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Let there be glory, and honor, and praises; Glory and honor to JESUS.

Glory and honor, glory and honor to Praise.

*(sing 2 times)*

Glory and honor, glory and honor to Praise.

Listening to the LORD!

READING OF GOD'S WORD

Psalm 128 (p 538)

SERMON

***"Rewarding Labor"***

Praying to GOD!

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

*August Mission is Millstadt's Senior Center. Envelopes or checks (with note on the memo line) designated "Senior Center", will support their work. Please give generously.*

**LORD, YOU are more precious than silver, LORD, YOU are more costly than gold;  
LORD, YOU are more beautiful than diamonds, And nothing I desire compares with YOU.**  
PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Going out to Serve GOD!

CLOSING HYMN *"LORD, Dismiss Us With THY Blessing"* St. Simon's Episcopal Church

**LORD, dismiss us with THY blessing; Fill our hearts with joy and peace;  
Let us each, THY love possessing, Triumph in redeeming grace.  
O refresh us, O refresh us, Trav'ling through this wilderness.**

**Thanks we give and adoration, For THY gospel's joyful sound:  
May the fruits of THY salvation, In our hearts and lives abound:  
Ever faithful, ever faithful, To the truth may we be found.**

**So that when THY love shall call us, Savior, from the world away,  
Fear of death shall not appall us, Glad THY summons to obey:  
May we ever, may we ever, Reign with THEE in endless day.**

BENEDICTION

from Psalm 128:5

*The LORD bless you from Zion! May you see prosperity all the days of your life!*

SUNG BLESSING

*"GOD Be With You Till We Meet Again"*

Selah

**GOD be with you till we meet again, By HIS counsels guide, uphold you,  
With HIS sheep securely fold you, GOD be with you till we meet again.**

**GOD be with you till we meet again, 'Neath HIS wings securely hide you,  
Daily manna still provide you, GOD be with you till we meet again.**

**Till we meet, till we meet, Till we meet at JESUS' feet;  
Till we meet, till we meet, GOD be with you till we meet again.**

**GOD be with you till we meet again, When life's perils thick confound you,  
Put HIS arms unailing round you, GOD be with you till we meet again.**

**Till we meet, till we meet, Till we meet at JESUS' feet;  
Till we meet, till we meet, GOD be with you,  
GOD be with you, O GOD be with you, till we meet again.**

POSTLUDES



# Calendar of Events for Zion Evangelical Church

## Sunday, August 27 - Food Pantry

Worship Service at Park ..... 9:00 a.m.

## Monday, August 28 - Pastor Vacation

Preschool Open House ..... 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

## Tuesday, August 29

Z Team ..... 8:30 a.m.

Garden Place Bible Study ..... 1:00 p.m.

## Wednesday, August 30

## Thursday, August 31

Quilting ..... 9:00 a.m.

## Friday, September 1 - Pastor Vacation

Chair Yoga ..... 10:00 a.m.

## Saturday, September 2 - Pastor Vacation

## Sunday, September 3 - Pastor Vacation, Gary Franke Preaching, Communion

Worship Service at Sanctuary ..... 9:00 a.m.

### Note:

## Sunday, September 10 - Rally Day

Sunday School at 9:00 a.m., followed by Worship at 10:15 a.m.

### Council Duties

#### Sunday, August 27

Annette Hund

Darren Doerr

#### Sunday, September 3

Betty Keller Timmer

Barb Scharf

Richard Hoffelmeyer

Kurt Pellmann

Mary Lou Peter

August 20, 2023

Giving: \$2,301.00

Attendance: 62



Food Pantry - Our food pantry list for the month of August is: instant potatoes, jelly, Hamburger Helper, and jello or pudding. The month of September is: pancake mix, syrup, jelly, and sweet potatoes.

Can Tabs for Ronald McDonald House -- Congregation Member Eric Wolfmeier is a Firefighter in Belleville. His Firehouse is collecting can tabs, keys, and money 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.



August 27, 2023  
In the Hospital

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Bruce Alberter  
Donna Altemeier  
Arik Barnes  
Family of Joseph Barnes  
Wanda Basse  
David Becherer  
Marilyn Beil  
Roche Beine  
Cindy Berlelsmann  
Roberta Billhartz  
Lindsay Bourn & Family  
Baby Levi Boyle  
Joyce Brand (Janice Seidlitz's Mother)  
Shirley Brandenburger  
Roger Davis  
Sheila Davis (Jessi Doerr's Mother)  
Wayne & Tricia DeCloux (Mark Rie-  
mann's Uncle and Aunt)  
Melissa Dietrich  
Bill Ditch  
Dorene (Janice Seidlitz's Sister-in-law)  
Annie Dulle  
Mark Eckman  
Mark Emring  
Mike French  
Fritz Fritzingler  
Lynn Gass  
Mary (Boerke) Graham  
Greg  
Pearl Griebel  
Baby Adalyn Harres  
Carol & Jim Haury  
Debbie Hoef  
Ray Hohlt  
Mary Hund  
Gary & Sharon Jones  
Judy Jones  
Steve Jones  
Joyce Kasper  
Roger Keim

Billy Klopmeier  
Scott (Barbra Knoth's Son)  
Jim Kostelac  
Elizabeth Koval  
Tom & Renee Kreher  
Kathy Kuehner  
Family of Jessica LaDuke  
Lucille Lang  
Richard Madden (Kathi Trent's Brother)  
Erin Mahoney  
Charlotte Mehrtens  
Lance Morris  
Anna Belle Muskopf  
Dean Norrenbom  
Andrea Nunnally (Bill Savering's Niece)  
Doris Obernagel  
Baby Ariela Oliver  
Pat Parrish (Wayne Jones's Sister)  
Janet Pauketat  
Stephanie Poletti  
Lois Potter  
Bruce Reese  
Lucille Reece  
Dottie Rickard (Adam Hubb's Grand-  
mother)  
Rich Riemann  
Cole Robinson & Family  
Mark Robinson  
The Family of Jim & Susan Savering  
Bob Seidlitz  
Glenn Schaeffer  
Jan & Cindy Schneider  
Toni Schneider  
Mitch Scott  
Nancy Smith  
Shelly Smith  
Mike Speichinger  
Sharon & Edgar Stallmann  
Mary Stevenson  
Lisa Taake  
Ray Teliczan

Mike Toenjes  
Rich Trent  
Elizabeth Tubbs  
Baby Ty  
Lacey Grace Valentine  
Mark Vandermyde  
Helen Vigna  
Bill & Donna Ward  
Mary Weldele  
Joan Wilkins  
Jeffrey Willey  
Crue Wilson  
Bart & Kelley

### JOYS

To add a name to our prayer list, please locate a communication card in the pews. Provide the name, address, phone, and reason for the prayer request - place the card in the offering plate or give it to an usher. You may also contact the church office. Members of our prayer team will pray daily for everyone on our list. (Contact Barbara Hohlt for more information (476-1750)). Names will be left on the list for one month unless you contact Barbara Hohlt or the church office.

**SERVING OUR COUNTRY** Sgt. Anthony Hanson, Jr., Kenny Wolf, Brandon Lester, Kory Klein and Michael Barnes serving overseas; Erin Green, Adam Stern, and Derek Ferguson in the Middle East; Jesse Eimer, Jason Parrish, Chris Lewis, Sharon Wirth, Kasey Davis, Robin Davis, Al Wirth, Tristen & Stefan Cashwell, and Joshua Trent serving in the States; Samantha Glaeser serving in Vietnam. Families of Service men and women in Afghanistan who lost their lives in the terrorist attack.



## Community Bulletin Board

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

Jam in the Park - **Sunday, September 10th**, 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Zion Park. Come and enjoy an evening of country and traditional music! Bring a lawn chair and your cooler! For more information, please contact Dale Gruenewald (618) 660-9797.

Zion BBQ - **Saturday, September 16th**, 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. More details to come!

Sisters in Faith/Creative Souls would like to challenge everyone to share one card per week with someone. The cards will be: thank you, thinking of you, praying for you, etc. This person can be part of our congregation, community, or beyond. We would like for you to prayerfully consider who could use a card to let them know that they are thought about, prayed for, cared for or you wish that they would come join us at church, bible study, etc. Other persons who could use a card, police, firefighters, and servicemen, anyone who you feel could use a card. We will provide cards with envelopes or you are more than welcome to use your own cards. If you are willing, we would also like to hear back if you receive a response from someone whom you have shared a card with that their life was impacted in some way. Please sign the cards as an individual and include - "A Member of Zion Evangelical Church".

