

FAITH

BUILDS A BRIDGE BETWEEN
TODAY'S HOPES AND TOMORROW'S
ACHIEVEMENTS.

*He which hath begun a good work in you will perform
it until the day of Jesus Christ.*

PHILIPPIANS 1:6



Zion Evangelical Church

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9:00 Sunday School/Bible Study 10:15 - Worship

Pastor: Darrell Weber CCLI License #1636898/20459364. Organist: Mrs. Mary Lu Bretsch

January 21st, 2024

PRELUDES

“O Worship the King”

arr. Albin Whitworth

LIGHTING CANDLES

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS / GREETING ONE ANOTHER / RINGING BELLS

Praising FATHER, SON and HOLY SPIRIT!

* PRAISE SONG

“I Will Follow”

by Chris Tomlin

Where YOU go, I'll go, Where YOU stay, I'll stay
When YOU move, I'll move, I will follow

All YOUR ways are good, All YOUR ways are sure, I will trust in YOU alone
Higher than my side, High above my life, I will trust in YOU alone

Chorus

Where YOU go, I'll go, Where YOU stay, I'll stay
When YOU move, I'll move, I will follow YOU
Who YOU love, I'll love, How YOU serve I'll serve
If this life I lose, I will follow YOU, I will follow YOU

Light unto the world, Light unto my life, I will live for YOU alone
YOU're the one I seek, Knowing I will find, All I need in YOU u alone, in YOU alone

Chorus

In YOU there's life everlasting, In YOU there's freedom for my soul
In YOU there's joy, unending joy, And I will follow

Chorus (2 times)

I will follow YOU, I will follow YOU

* CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive) from Psalm 16:3, 30:4, 31:23, 37:8

Pastor As for the saints in the land, they are the excellent ones, in whom is all MY delight.

People Sing praises to the LORD, O you HIS saints, and give thanks to HIS holy name.

Pastor Love the LORD, all you HIS saints! The LORD preserves the faithful

People For the LORD loves justice; HE will not forsake HIS saints.

Confessing Your Sins to the LORD!

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Heavenly FATHER, YOU call us saints, but we don't often act nor feel like saints. By YOUR HOLY SPIRIT lead us now in this time of silent confession.

(please pray in silence)

Dear FATHER, we thank YOU for YOUR plan to restore us to saints. Dear JESUS, we thank YOUR for dying on the cross in order to make us saints. Dear HOLY SPIRIT, we thank YOU for YOUR sanctifying work within us. Amen and Amen!

* ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS from Romans 8:27

The SPIRIT intercedes for the saints according to the will of GOD.

* RESPONSE "Gloria Patri" #670

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen!

Listening to the LORD!

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE"

READING OF GOD'S WORD

Ephesians 1:1-2 (p 1017)

SERMON

"The Saints"

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

"I Love to Tell the Story"

arr. Clarence Kohlmann

Loose Cash, Envelopes or checks (with note on the memo line) designated "LifeNetwork," will support Life Network of Southern Illinois, located in Waterloo.

* RESPONSE "Doxology" #668

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Going out to Serve GOD!

* COMMITMENT HYMN "For All the Saints" #595

* BENEDICTION from Daniel 7:18

But the saints of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever, forever and ever.

* SUNG BLESSING "May the LORD, Mighty GOD" to the tune "Edelweiss"

May the LORD, Mighty GOD, Bless and keep you forever.

Give you peace, perfect peace, Strength for every endeavor.

Lift your eyes and see HIS face, Feel HIS grace surround you.

May the LORD, Mighty GOD, Bless and keep you forever.

* POSTLUDES "Marching to Zion" arr. Joyce Jomnes

Calendar of Events for Zion Evangelical Church

Sunday, January 21

Sunday School/Conf 9:00 a.m.
 Worship Service.....10:15 a.m.
 Congregational Meeting11:20 a.m.

Monday, January 22

Preschool 8:15 a.m.

Tuesday, January 23

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

Wednesday, January 24

Preschool 8:15 a.m.
 Bible Study11:00 a.m.

Thursday, January 25

Friday, January 26

Preschool 8:15 a.m.
 Chair Yoga10:00 a.m.

Saturday, January 27

Sunday, January 28

Sunday School/Conf. 9:00 a.m.
 Worship Service.....10:15 a.m.
 Z-Team Chili Dinner.....11:00 a.m. till ???
 VBS Planning.....11:20 a.m.

Council Duties

Sunday, January 21

Andrew Taake
 Kurt Pellmann
 Barb Scharf
 Annette Hund

Sunday, January 28

January 14, 2024

Giving: \$2,245.00 Attendance: 47



Food Pantry - Our food pantry list for the month of January is: cake mixes/frosting, canned meat, Jello or pudding, and laundry supplies. The month of February is: pasta side dishes, canned meat, Jello or pudding, and laundry supplies.

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.



January 21, 2024
In the Hospital

PRAYER REQUESTS

Steve & Gerry Albert
Bruce Alberter
Emily Alberter
Donna Altemeier
Arik Barnes
Linda Barth
Wanda Basse
David Becherer
Marilyn Beil
Roche Beine
Trish Bell
Cindy Berlelsmann
Roberta Billhartz
Terry Boling
Lindsay Bourn & Family
Baby Levi Boyle
Joyce Brand (Janice Seidlitz's Mother)
Shirley Brandenburger
Steve Crook
Colsen Davinroy
Roger Davis
Sheila Davis (Jessi Doerr's Mother)
Family of Maria DeJesus Mejia
Ann Dietrich
Melissa Dietrich
Bill Ditch
Annie Dulle
Brad Dye
Mark Eckman
Mark Emring
Linda Eurgil
Family of Roger & Lynn Ferry
Mike French
Fritz Fritzingler
Marilyn Gallagher (Linda Hopfinger's Aunt)
Lynn Gass
Brenda Goudey
Mary (Boerke) Graham
Greg

Pearl Griebel
Baby Adalyn Harres
Carol & Jim Haury
Rich Heitz
Willie Holdener
Charlotte Hooch
Mary Hund
Gary & Sharon Jones
Judy Jones
Steve Jones
Joyce Kasper
Nick Kassebaum
Jeff Kistner
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
Jan Morrin
Lance Morris
Anna Belle Muskopf
Dean Norrenbem
Andrea Nunnally (Bill Savering's Niece)
John & Karen O'Donnell
Jim O'Saben
Doris Obernagel
Baby Ariela Oliver
Pat Parrish (Wayne Jones's Sister)
Janet Pauketat
Vicki Pellmann
Stephanie Poletti
Lois Potter
Bruce Reece
Lucille Reece
Dottie Rickard (Adam Hubb's Grand-

mother)
Rich Riemann
Donna Ritson
Family of Jim & Susan Savering
Lucille Schewe
Jan & Cindy Schneider
Mitch Scott
Janice Seidlitz
Nancy Smith
Shelly Smith
Mike Speichinger
Sharon & Edgar Stallmann
Mary Stevenson
Lisa Taake
Steve Tade
Ray Teliczan
Mike Toenjes
Rich Trent
Elizabeth Tubbs
Baby Ty
Lacey Grace Valentine
Mark Vandermyle
Bill & Donna Ward
Mary Weldele
Joan Wilkins
Jeffrey Willey
Jim Wilshire
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, Michael Barnes, Erin Green, Adam Stern, Joe Morris, Derek Ferguson, Kasey Davis, Peter Blades serving overseas; Samantha Glaeser, Jesse Eimer, Jason Parrish, Chris Lewis, Sharon Wirth, Robin Davis, Al Wirth, Tristen & Stefan Caswell, and Joshua Trent serving in the States. Families of Service men and women in Afghanistan who lost their lives in the terrorist attack.