



Blessed
IS THE NATION
WHOSE GOD
IS THE LORD.

Psalm 33:12

Zion Evangelical Church

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Worship in the Park - June 30th, 2024

PRELUDES / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Praising FATHER, SON and HOLY SPIRIT!

PRAISE

"We've a Story to Tell to the Nations"

#356

We've a story to tell to the nations, That shall turn their hearts to the right,
A story of truth and mercy, (A story of peace and light - 2 times).

Refrain:

For the darkness shall turn to dawning, And the dawning to noonday bright,
And CHRIST's great kingdom shall come on earth, The kingdom of love and light.

We've a song to be sung to the nations, That shall lift their hearts to the LORD,
A song that shall conquer evil, (And shatter the spear and sword - 2 times).

[Refrain]

We've a message to give to the nations, That the LORD who reigneth above,
Has sent us HIS SON to save us, (And show us that GOD is love – 2 times).

[Refrain]

We've a Savior to show to the nations, Who the path of sorrow has trod,
That all of the world's great peoples, (may come to the truth of GOD! – 2 times).

[Refrain]

CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

from Romans 10:13-15

Pastor Every one who calls upon the name of the LORD will be saved.

People How are men to call upon HIM in whom they have not believed?

Pastor How are they to believe in HIM of whom they have never heard?

People How are they to hear without a preacher?

Pastor How can men preach unless they are sent?

People It is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach good news!"

Confessing Your Sins to the LORD!

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Dear FATHER, forgive those of us who embrace faith in YOUR SON, JESUS, but don't share our faith with others. Forgive those of us who are afraid to talk about JESUS, and those of us who are too busy to talk about HIM. Receive our silent confession.

(please pray in silence)

Dear FATHER, SON and HOLY SPIRIT, we thank YOU for YOUR Grace which is greater than our Guilt. For we pray in JESUS' name. Amen!

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Psalm 32:5

I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," and YOU forgave the iniquity of my sin.

RESPONSE

"O Worship The King"

vs 1 #24

**O worship the KING, all glorious above, And gratefully sing HIS wonderful love;
Our Shield & Defender, the Ancient of Days, Pavilioned in splendor, & girded with praise.**

Listening to the LORD!

READING OF GOD'S WORD

John 4:27-30, 39-44 (p 925)

SERMON

"Christianity 101 - Evangelism"

Praying to GOD!

MEMORIAL

Betty D. (George) Baltz

Born January 14th, 1925

Died May 27th, 2024

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

Cash, envelopes or checks (with note on the memo line) designated "Gideons," will support the Gideons Bible Society

RESPONSE

"Doxology"

#668 - 2 times

**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!

CLOSING HYMN

"I Love to Tell the Story"

#626

**I love to tell the story of unseen things above, Of JESUS and his glory, of JESUS and his love.
I love to tell the story, because I know it's true; It satisfies my longings, as nothing else can do.**

Refrain:

**I love to tell the story; 'twill be my theme in glory To tell the old, old story, of JESUS and his love.
I love to tell the story, for those who know it best, Seem hungering and thirsting, to hear it like the rest.
And when in scenes of glory, I sing the new, new song, 'Twill be the old, old story, that I have loved so long.**

Refrain:

BENEDICTION

from Psalm 134:3

May the LORD bless you from Zion, he who made heaven and earth!

SUNG BLESSING

"Blest Be the Tie"

vs 1 & 4, #389

**Blest be the tie that binds, Our hearts in Christian love;
The fellowship of kindred minds, Is like to that above.**

**When we asunder part, It gives us inward pain;
But we shall still be joined in heart, And hope to meet again.**

Community Bulletin Board

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

Community Family Picnic - **Sunday, June 30**, 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church, Millstadt. Join us for a fun afternoon of food trucks, inflatables, a petting zoo, trolley rides, face painting and more!

Millstadt Community Choir Patriotic Concert - **Wednesday, July 3**, 7:00 p.m., Zion Evangelical Church. Join the MCC as we celebrate the birth of our nation. We will be singing many familiar patriotic tunes and as always, we will honor each branch of our military families. We hope you will be able to join us! There is no charge to attend this event.

Paderborn Parish Picnic - **Saturday, July 6**, 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m., St. Michael Catholic Church, Paderborn. Serving all you can eat fried chicken dinners in air-conditioned hall. Featuring raffles, quilt and cash bingo starting at 6:00 p.m. Mass at 5:00 p.m.

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".

Calendar of Events for Zion Evangelical Church

Sunday, June 30 - Deacon's Fund

Worship Service at Park 9:00 a.m.

Monday, July 1 - Pastor Vacation

Tuesday, July 2

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

Garden Place Bible Study 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 3

MCC Patriotic Concert 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, July 4 - 4th of July, Office Closed

Friday, July 5 - Pastor Vacation

Chair Yoga 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, July 6 - Pastor Vacation

Sunday, July 7 - Communion

Worship Service at Park 9:00 a.m.

Council Duties

Sunday, June 30

Darren Doerr

Sherry Wynn

Sunday, July 7

Kurt Tegtmeier

Josh Seidlitz

June 23, 2024

Giving: \$1,382.01

Attendance: 57



Food Pantry - Our food pantry list for the month of June is: laundry supplies, cake mixes/frosting, and Hamburger Helper. The month of July is: canned meat, pasta side dishes, pickles, and peanut butter.

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.



June 30, 2024
In the Hospital

PRAYER REQUESTS

Steve & Gerry Albert
Donna Altemeier
Brayden Baer
Arik Barnes
Linda Barth
Wanda Basse
Marilyn Beil
Roche Beine
Trish Bell
Bekah Benson
Cindy Bertelsmann
Roberta Billhartz
Lindsay Bourn & Family
Baby Levi Boyle
Joyce Brand (Janice Seidlitz's Mother)
Shirley Brandenburger
Toby Brown
Jamie Case
Steve Crook
Bob Dahm
Colsen Davinroy
Roger Davis
Family of Maria DeJesus Mejia
Ann Dietrich
Melissa Dietrich
Bill Ditch
Annie Dulle
Mark Eckman
Don Elden
Mark Emring
Linda Eurgil
Susan Fogarty (Barb & Ray Hohlt's
Daughter)
Marilyn Gallagher (Linda Hopfinger's
Aunt)
Lynn Gass
Brenda Goudey
Mary (Boerke) Graham
Pearl Griebel
Adalyn Harres
Kristin Harres & Baby
Carol & Jim Haury
Rich Heitz

Gary Helfrich
Jack Higgins
Willie Holdener
Charlotte Hoock
Mary Hund
Daryl Jones
Gary & Sharon Jones
Steve Jones
Travis Jones
Joyce Kasper
Sandy Kirkpatrick
Jeff Kistner
Scott (Barbra Knoth's Son)
Jim Kostelac
Elizabeth Koval
Tom & Renee Kreher
Kathy Kuehner
Connie Mack
Erin Mahoney
Wyatt McGraw
Diane Mehrmann
Jan Morrin
Lance Morris
Anna Belle Muskopf
Dean Norrenbem
Andrea Nunnally (Bill Savering's Niece)
Karen O'Donnell
Jim O'Saben
Jerry Obst
Loraine Obst
Baby Ariela Oliver
Pat Parrish (Wayne Jones's Sister)
Janet Pauketat
Dale Pellmann
Don Pellmann
Mari Pellmann
Stephanie Poletti
Josie Potter
Lois Potter
Bruce Reece
Lucille Reece
Dottie Rickard (Adam Hubb's Grand-
mother)
Rich Riemann

Donna Ritson
Shelby Ruckreigel
Family of Jim & Susan Savering
Family of Robert Scharf
Jeanie Schmidt
Chris Schmitz
Jan & Cindy Schneider
Ron Schroeder
Jim Scott
Mitch Scott
Sheila Seagal
Janice Seidlitz
Nancy Smith
Shelly Smith
Mike Speichinger
Edgar Stallmann
Willis & Doris Steiger
Mary Stevenson
Steve Tade
Ray Teliczan
Rhonda Thompson
Mike Toenjes
Kaleigh Trent
Elizabeth Tubbs
Baby Ty
Lacey Grace Valentine
Mark Vandermyde
Jason Walker
Bill & Donna Ward
Andi Weber
Corinne Weber
Milton Weber
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. Names will be left on the list for one month unless you contact 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, Peter Blades serving overseas; Samantha Glaeser, Jesse Eimer, Jason Parrish, Chris Lewis, Sharon Wirth, Kasey and 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.

Obituary for Betty D. Baltz

Betty D. Baltz (nee George), 99 years of Belleville, Illinois, formerly of Millstadt, Illinois, passed away on Monday, May 27, 2024, at Dammert Center of Benedictine Living Community at the Shrine in Belleville, Illinois. She was born January 14, 1925, in Berkeley, California.

Betty attended University of California, Los Angeles. During this time, she met her husband Woodrow Baltz, who was stationed in California during World War II. She and Woodrow married on April 29, 1944, and spent an amazing 59 years together before his passing on August 3, 2004. Betty dedicated her life to supporting the various activities of her three children and five grandchildren while also being a gracious host for many friends. She was an avid reader of California history and National Parks, enjoyed canning garden-grown vegetables, and was a competitive swimmer, participating in the Senior Olympics. She was also a remarkable piano player and contract bridge player. Betty was a member of Zion Evangelical Church in Millstadt.

Betty is survived by daughter Marilyn Baltz Eviatar; son John Baltz; son-in-law Robert Englebretson II; grandchildren Robert Englebretson III, Elizabeth Englebretson, Jacob (Diane) Baltz and Eric Baltz; great-grandchildren Brayden, Abiegail and Ethan Baltz, along with other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Woodrow, grandson Neal Baltz in September 2019, son-in-law Uri Eviatar in October 2022, and daughter Christine Englebretson in November 2023.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, June 27, 2024 from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at Leesman Funeral Home in Millstadt, and on Friday, June 28, 2024 from 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. at the Benedictine Living Community Chapel, 726 Community Dr, Belleville, Illinois 62223. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, June 28, 2024 at the Benedictine Chapel. Interment will follow in the Mount Evergreen Cemetery in Millstadt.

In lieu of customary remembrances, the family requests with gratitude that memorial contributions be directed to Guide Dogs for the Blind, P.O. Box 151200, San Rafael, CA 94915; Millstadt Meals on Wheels, 102 South Jefferson Street, Millstadt, Illinois, 62260; or the Neal Baltz Memorial Scholarship Yavapai College Foundation, 1000 East Sheldon Street, Prescott, Arizona 86301.

Or, please enjoy a good read of the latest National Geographic magazine or of John Muir's impact on environmental preservation in her memory.

The family extends a heartfelt thank you to the staff of the Benedictine Living Community for over 20 years of professional and loving care.