



Zion Evangelical Church

Serving in Christ's Name Since 1835

From the Desk of Pastor Darrell

Valentine's Day

Valentine's Day (February 14) is a day of love – **1 John 4:7**, “*Beloved, let us love one another; for love is of God, and he who loves is born of God and knows God.*” It is a day to tell the family and friends in your life that you love them, and for them to tell you that they love you.

It is also a day of romantic love for young and old, single and married – **Song 2:10**, “*My beloved speaks and says to me: ‘Arise, my love, my fair one, and come away’*,” and **2:16**, “*My beloved is mine and I am his.*” It is a day to refresh and renew your love for each other.

The following excerpts are from an article in **Country Living**, “The Origin of Valentine’s Day,” dated Jan. 7, 2020, by Taysha Murtaugh and Rebekah Lowin.

Valentine’s Day is named after Saint Valentine of Rome, who was martyred on February 14 in AD 269. The Feast of Saint Valentine, also known as Saint Valentine’s Day, was established in AD 496 in honor of the Christian martyr.

What’s more, it’s possible that Saint Valentine of Terni, had been secretly officiating weddings for Roman soldiers against the emperor’s wishes, making him, in some eyes, a proponent of love.

English poets Chaucer and Shakespeare popularized the amorous associations surrounding the day. Soon, people began penning and exchanging letters to celebrate Valentine’s Day. By the early 1910s, an American company that would one day become Hallmark began distributing its more official “Valentine’s Day” cards. Flowers, candy, jewelry, and more followed, and the rest, of course, is history.

So, on this Valentine’s Day express renewed love for your spouse, your boyfriend or girlfriend, and for your family and friends. Don’t let this day pass without expressing your love. May each of us say “*I love you*” from the heart each and every day to those in our lives. Let us keep our love fresh and alive.

And, remember most of all to “*love God*” (the first greatest commandment – **Matthew 22:37-38**), “*who first loved us*” (**1 John 4:19**), and to “*love our neighbor*” (the second greatest commandment – **Matthew 22:39**).

Yours in the love of Christ Jesus, our loving Savior and Lord;
Pastor Darrell Weber

February 2023

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We love because He first loved us. 1 John 4:19



Lay Liturgist Schedule for February

We have 12 liturgists who read the Scriptures: *David Harres, Tracy Holmes, Linda Hopfinger, Annette Hund, Sean Mahoney, Kay Mehrrens, Vicki Pellmann, Bill Saverling, Joyce Tastad, Richard Trent, Dave Woehlke, and Marjie Weber.*

We are looking for more volunteers to read the Scriptures during our Worship Services. If you are interested, please contact the Church Office (476-1778) to be signed up.

The Lay Liturgist schedule is given below. To make a change, contact someone listed below.

Feb. 5	Bill Saverling	618-920-9236	bsavering@yahoo.com
Feb. 12	Vicki Pellmann	618-806-8878	ydp2007@aol.com
Feb. 19	Joyce Tastad	618-660-6259	jtastad51@charter.net
Feb. 26	Marjie Weber	618-972-5532	weber_ddw@charter.net



“Oh, How HE Loves You and Me,” by Kurt Kaiser (1975)

**Oh, how HE loves you and me,
Oh, how HE loves you and me.
HE gave HIS life, what more could HE give;
Oh, how HE loves you, Oh, how HE loves me,
Oh, how HE loves you and me.**

**JESUS to Calv'ry did go,
HIS love for sinners to show.
What HE did there brought hope from despair.
Oh, how HE loves you, Oh, how HE loves me,
Oh how HE loves you and me.**

I found the following bio of this song on the web at:

<https://thescottspot.wordpress.com/2016/10/28/oh-how-he-loves-you-and-me-written-in-1975/>

Kurt Kaiser (1934 –) has many awards for composing, conducting, and arranging music... including lifetime achievement awards. He is a member of the Gospel Music Hall of Fame. He has written many tunes in several different music styles and has written more than 400 songs.

Where do his ideas come from? He says, “Through the years I have been in the habit of keeping my ears tuned to the things people say, a phrase that may give me an idea for a new song. I’ll write it down quickly... and file it away in a special place in my office. Occasionally, I will pull these things out and look at them.”

One day he came across the line, “O, how He loves you and me.” He began to think about that phrase, and in 15 minutes he had written this song. It’s a simple song, but God has used it to touch millions of hearts.

This is one of the songs we sing all throughout the Lenten Season at our Wednesday night services. This explains why Jesus bore the cross for us at Calvary. So sing this simple song and tune as an expression of “oh how” indeed “HE loves you and me.”



Weather Alerts

Church cancellations will be posted on Fox Channel 2, KMOV Channel 4, and KSDK Channel 5. In addition, those who have signed up by e-mailing or texting from their cell phone - alerts@zionmillstadt.com - will also be notified. To sign up, e-mail or text the above alerts e-mail address and include your name.

The Evangelical Catechism Traditional Orthodox Edition of 1896

I am continuing the series of articles on the 1896 edition of the Evangelical Catechism (which is in the public domain). It has been republished (in modern English), by the Evangelical Association in 2018. This article covers the 5th of 52 weeks in the catechism. This continues the explanation of "The 10 Commandments" (weeks 3 through 13).

Week 5 is composed of questions 11 through 13.

11. What is the Third Commandment?

You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain: for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that takes His name in vain.

12. What does GOD forbid in this Commandment?

God says that we will not by His name curse, swear, use witchcraft, lie or deceive, neither maliciously nor thoughtlessly. James 3:19; Lev. 19:12; Ps. 50:10-17

13. What does GOD require in this Commandment?

God requires that we call upon His holy name in all our needs, and worship Him with prayer, praise and thanksgiving. Rom. 10:13; Ps. 50:15; Matt. 10:32-33; Ps. 92:1.

May you be blessed as you examine this founding statement of our Evangelical faith and heritage.



Women's Sunday – Sunday, Feb. 12

Sunday, Feb. 12, will be our Women's Sunday at Zion. Women from Zion will participate in leading many aspects of Worship (10:15 a.m.). We intend to recognize Zion's Women: Board of Christian Education (BCE), Church Council, Creative Souls, Liturgists, Missions Committee, Musicians, Prayer Chain, Sewing Circle, Sisters-in-Faith (Women's Fellowship), Sunday School Teachers, Sunday School Christmas Program, Vacation Bible School, Youth Ministries, Zion's many fund raisers, including Trivia Night, Garage Sale, Homecoming Stand, Wurstmart, and Z-Team.



Trivia Night & Silent Auction – Saturday, March 11

Our annual Trivia Night & Silent Auction is scheduled for Saturday, March 11, at 7:00 p.m. It will be held at the Father Freund Parish Center at St. James Catholic Church (405 W. Madison in Millstadt).

We are looking for donations for the silent auction. Please bring them to the church office during business hours (M-F, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.). See the flyer in the Visitor for more details about the Trivia Night and Silent Auction.



Lenten Services Starting on Ash Wednesday,
February 22

The Lenten Season begins with Ash Wednesday on February 22. The theme for this year's Lenten Services is “**The Lord’s Prayer**,” which Jesus taught his disciples in **Matthew 6:9-13**. Through this most famous of prayers we will come to know the will of God more fully. The Lenten schedule is listed below. Evangelical Association Licensed Pastor Bill Savering and I will be giving the messages. Note: Bill and I gave these messages back in 2017.

Note: There will be a Lenten meal in the fellowship hall at 6:00 p.m., and the Lenten Worship service will be held at 7:00 p.m. Note: Some of our meals will be “Pot Bless” meals where you are invited to bring a dish to share with others.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Meal</u>	<u>Jesus’ Words</u>
2/22	Darrell	Council	“Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name.”
3/01	Bill	Z-Team	“Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.”
3/08	Darrell	SIF	“Give us this day our daily bread.”
3/15	Bill	TBD	“And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.”
3/22	Darrell	TBD	“And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.”
3/29	Bill	TBD	“For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.”
4/06		TBD	



Missions Article for February

Thank you for your generous support of our January missions - the Baby Bottle Fund Raiser and the Deacon's Fund (Jan. 29). The Baby Bottle Fund Raiser supports the unborn life-saving work that takes place through the Life Network of Southern Illinois (<https://www.mylifenet.org>, 722 N. Market St., Waterloo, IL 62298, 618-939-4224). Our Deacon's Fund supports members and non-members in times of urgent need.

Our Mission of the Month for February is African Vision of Hope (AVOH) (<https://africanvisionofhope.org>). AVOH is a Christian organization committed to bringing immediate and lasting solutions to children and families living in extreme poverty in the country of Zambia, a country where about half the population is under age 15 and millions are orphaned and homeless.

In February we also support Blanket+ Sunday (on February 12). Your contributions provide blankets to be used by Church World Service (CWS, <https://cwsblankets.org>), to provide warmth, shelter, and a means of transporting the belongings of people who may be fleeing their homes in time of natural disasters or strife. Five dollars will purchase a sturdy blanket, and we urge you to support this important mission.

Of course, we also want to thank those members who never fail to bring food and household items for the Food Pantry. Bless you for helping the less fortunate with their needs. Be sure to bring your food and household items to church and place them in the collection box. Thank you for sharing your blessings with others!



**Council Meeting
January 9, 2023**

Barb Scharf made a motion to adjourn and seconded by Rich Hoffelmeyer; motion carried. Meeting closed at 7:45 p.m. with the Lord's Prayer.

Meeting was opened with by Charlotte Mehrtens at 7 P.M. other members present were Dale Gruenwald, Kathi Trent, Darren Doerr, Mary Lou Peter, Rich Hoffelmeyer, Betty Keller Timmer, Sherry Wynn, Amanda Friedrich, Kurt Pellmann, and Barb Scharf.

Dale Gruenwald - President
Kathi Trent - Vice President
Charlotte Mehrtens - Secretary

Office Administrator Amanda Friedrich presented the **Treasurer's Report**, everything was found to be in order. Kurt Pellmann made a motion to accept treasurer report, seconded by Kathi Trent; motion carried.

BCE Report was approved as presented.

Minutes were approved as presented. Barb Scharf made the motion to accept the minutes as presented seconded by Mary Lou Peter; motion carried.

Pastor Darrell sent his **Pastors Report** for December, he was very busy getting families to do the Advent candles for Sunday worship. We had the hanging of the Greens, thanks to the Z Team members, Sisters in Faith, the Riemann and Woehlke family. Christmas Eve Prelude from Children.

He did In-Home Visits to members and Nursing Home Visits. Held a funeral service for Timothy "Tim" Mehrtens. He is Chaplain on call at Memorial Hospital on January 25. Kurt Pellmann made the motion to accept Pastors report and Barb Scharf seconded motion carried, The budget was sent out with the Annual Meeting report.

Mission and Outreach Mary Lou Peter reported that \$1167.00 was collected for our mission project for December.

Property 2/3 of the new floor at the new shed has been poured. The carpets in the Reiss Hall and offices have been cleaned and look nice. The new beams for the bridge at the park have arrived and will be put into place in the spring.

A new microphone was ordered. It will be taken out of the MFischer Fund.

Old Business:

At the Annual Meeting in January, members will be asked to vote on a new lawn mower. There is \$15,000.00 in the mower account and the Z -Team have agreed to pay anything over the price.

Millstadt Community School District #160

Kindergarten Registration

For The Upcoming School Year

(All registrations are encouraged to be done via email or by appointment.)

Kindergarten Registration for the upcoming school year has started for the Millstadt Consolidated School Primary Center. All Kindergarteners currently in the district, planning to attend in the fall should be register no later than, February 14th.

The Primary Center is located at 105 W. Parkview Drive, Millstadt, IL 62260. It is imperative you register your child at this time so school officials can plan for the number of necessary classes in the fall.

Please call Janice Seidlitz at 476-7100 Ext. 1021 to schedule to have a packet sent electronically or call and make an appointment to pick up/drop off packets to register.

Please remember...children MUST BE FIVE YEARS OF AGE BY SEPTEMBER 1st this current year. At the time of registration, the following documents will be required: A certified birth certificate from the county clerk of the county in which the child was born (a hospital record from the hospital is not a certified birth certificate); the child's Social Security number; and three proofs of the family's or legal guardian's residency as shown below:

Village of Millstadt Resident and Unincorporated St. Clair County Resident

Must have a St. Clair County Certificate of Occupancy and at least One:

- Current real estate tax bill
- Home ownership title or deed
- Lease
- One current utility bill (gas, sewer, water or electric)
- Homeowner or renter insurance bill

Also, you will need at least one:

- Driver's license with address in District
- Current paycheck stub with address in District
- Documentation of TANF or approval letter from Nutrition Program and Support Services

During registration, parents will be given physical, vision, and dental exam forms in addition to the registration paperwork which MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE the first day of school. If you would like to complete the forms ahead of time, you may go to the school's website to complete the registration paperwork and print and fill out all the forms to save you time. The Web site will also give you detailed information on what you will need to bring for us to make copies of in order to complete their registration.

The kindergarten teachers will send a note to students the first part of August to let you know which children are in their classes.

If you have any questions or we can assist you in any way, please call The Millstadt Primary Center's secretary, Janice Seidlitz at 476-7100. Thank you!

Well, party time is over. On December 20th we had the annual Christmas Party at the VFW, and on December 21st we met at Reinhardt's for breakfast. All enjoyed. Thanks to all who donated to pay for both!

After that, we were off until January 3rd (vacation). Not true, some guys helped pour concrete at the new building. The first pour was on December 17th and since then we have finished two more pours and are done. We also have been working on putting an underground service panel in the shed and revising the electric to the restrooms. Big thanks to Artie Scott for digging trenches for the electric service. Thanks!

Christmas decorations were packed away downstairs. The manger scene was taken down and put away.

Big thanks to the guys that help the concrete finishers: Mark & Mike Germann, Darrell Doerr, David Harres, Gary Helfrich, Rich Hoffelmeyer, and Les Mehrtens. Big thanks!

Gary Shondy



Valentine Wordsearch

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cupid
love
rose
flower

candy
friend
red
pink

heart
February
chocolate
mine

In case of hospitalization or surgery, please notify our church office. When being admitted to a hospital, be sure to mention that you are affiliated with this congregation. This will help us keep you in our prayers and assist you in our ministry of care.

IN THE HOSPITAL IN FEBRUARY

CURRENT PRAYER LIST

Pray for strength and healing for the following:

Donna Altemeier, Wanda Basse, Marilyn Beil, Roche Beine, Cindy Bertelsmann, Roberta Billhartz, Lindsay Bourn and Family, Baby Levi Boyle, Joyce Brand, Shirley Brandenburger, Darwin Bretsch, Bob Cotter, Roger Davis, Sheila Davis (Jessi Doerr's Mother), Andrea Dill, Bill Ditch, Dorene (Janice Seidlitz's Sister-In-Law), Mark Eckman, Annalee Fischer, Gary Franke, Fritz Fritzing, Lynn Gass, Mary (Boerke) Graham, Greg, Pearl Griebel, Baby Adalyn Harres, Bart Hood, Scott Hopfinger, Judy Jones, Joyce Kasper, Billy Klopmeier, Jerry Klotz, Scott (Barbara Knoth's Son), Jim Kostelac, Elizabeth Koval, Brian Kreher, Tom & Renee Kreher, Delores Lang, Kristen Luchash, Charlotte Mehrtens, Don Mehrtens, Lindsay Mueller, Allyne Nieberg, Dean Norrenbern, Doris Obernagel, Baby Ariela Oliver, Pat Parrish (Wayne Jones's Sister), Bruce Reese, Cole Robinson & Family, Jim Savering's Family (Bill Savering's Cousin), Bob Seidlitz, Nancy Smith, Shelly Smith, Sharon Stallmann, Bob Stumpf, Kesia Sutton, Pat Sweet, Ray Teliczan, Elaine Toenjes, Mike Toenjes, Rich Trent, Elizabeth Tubbs, Baby Ty, Lacey Grace Valentine, Mark Vandermyde, Helen Vigna, Bill & Donna Ward, Milton Weber, Scott & Julie Weber, Mary Weldele, Matt Westrich, Joan Wilkins, Jeffrey Willey, Bart & Kelley.

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, Jimmy Combs, Joe Morris, Kasey Launius, Al Wirth, Joshua Trent, and Tristen & Stefan Cashwell serving in the States; Samantha Glaeser serving in Vietnam; Austin Stumpf serving in Korea.

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 between 8:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m. weekdays or by leaving a message on our answering machine. 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.**

If you would like to receive prayer chain information via e-mail, contact Barb Hohlt at barbhohlt@aol.com

Meal-a-Month Schedule

Let us not forget those who are less fortunate. There never seems to be an end to those who are in dire need. Your help is appreciated.

February

Pasta Side Dishes
Peanut Butter
Canned Fruit
Cleaning Supplies

March

Instant Potatoes
Jelly
Hamburger Helper
Jello or Pudding

The Food Pantry is always looking for volunteers. Please consider donating your time to this worthy cause. Call Patti French at 618-660-4255 to sign up.

Treasurer's Report

2022	GENERAL FUND - Updated Version					
	2022 INCOME	2022 EXPENSE	difference	BUDGET 2022	2021 INCOME	2021 EXPENSE
January	\$ 17,103.09	\$ 21,309.34	\$ (4,206.25)	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 22,601.22	\$ 19,838.53
February	\$ 17,135.69	\$ 18,881.14	\$ (1,745.45)	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 19,854.14	\$ 18,513.90
March	\$ 26,484.04	\$ 20,985.79	\$ 5,498.25	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 21,052.20	\$ 27,802.85
April	\$ 18,035.02	\$ 23,939.45	\$ (5,904.43)	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 17,674.69	\$ 19,580.17
May	\$ 19,504.14	\$ 17,124.96	\$ 2,379.18	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 17,447.80	\$ 14,326.46
June	\$ 10,515.28	\$ 28,671.99	\$ (18,156.71)	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 13,869.48	\$ 14,433.51
July	\$ 19,274.63	\$ 16,962.38	\$ 2,312.25	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 19,945.55	\$ 17,389.06
August	\$ 13,571.24	\$ 17,480.61	\$ (3,909.37)	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 17,137.75	\$ 13,969.56
September	\$ 18,093.74	\$ 18,977.58	\$ (883.84)	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 17,260.35	\$ 18,420.48
October	\$ 19,747.35	\$ 21,492.17	\$ (1,744.82)	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 23,085.26	\$ 22,107.82
November	\$ 20,625.21	\$ 46,594.67	\$ (25,969.46)	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 18,770.63	\$ 17,812.09
December	\$ 33,857.51	\$ 38,777.17	\$ (4,919.66)	\$ 19,653.50	\$ 40,556.51	\$ 32,988.21
TOTALS	\$ 233,946.94	\$ 291,197.25	\$ (57,250.31)	\$ 235,842.00	\$ 249,255.58	\$ 237,182.64

Note: The extraordinarily high 2022 Expense amount is due to the purchase of the new park building (\$40,932.00), roof repair (\$7,392.00), two trees removed at park (\$2,747.50) and elevator repairs (\$960.00). Without these expenses, the total 2022 expense would be \$239,165.75.



ATTENDANCE - SUNDAYS

MONTH	ONLINE AVE. 2022	IN PERSON AVE. 2022
January	14	65
February	10	63
March	7	71
April	9	62
May	8	62
June	7	64
July	4	54
August	3	65
September	6	65
October	14	68
November	8	69
December	13	61
Christmas Eve	26	204
Year-to-Date	9	64

Chocolate Hazelnut Truffle Tarts

- 1 roll refrigerated chocolate chip cookie dough
- 3/4 cup hazelnut spread
- 1/2 cup sweetened condensed milk
- 1/4 cup chopped hazelnuts
- 12 maraschino cherries, halved, well drained

Heat oven to 350. Spray 24 mini muffin cups with cooking spray. Shape dough into 24 balls. Place 1 ball in each muffin cup. Bake 8 to 16 minutes or until light golden brown. Do not overbake. In medium bowl, mix hazelnut spread, condensed milk and hazelnuts until well blended. Shape into 24 balls. Remove cookie cups from oven, cool 1 minute. Place 1 hazelnut ball in each cup, press lightly. Top each with 1 cherry half. Cool completely in pan 30 minutes.



February Birthdays



Shaun Green	02/02	Lori Klotz	02/10	Eileen Brovan	02/19
Bob Seidlitz	02/03	Evan Wessel	02/11	Evan Arnold	02/22
Brady Arnold	02/04	Kelly Stedman	02/12	Tyler Wilson	02/24
Mary Lou Peter	02/04	Terry Grossmann	02/13	Emma Kuester	02/25
Garry Haas	02/05	Kasey Launius	02/14	Carol Albert	02/25
Sue Kreher	02/07	Art Wynn	02/15	Randy Stedman	02/25
Taylor Forbeck	02/07	Les Mehrtens	02/16	Pearl Griebel	02/27
Barbara Scharf	02/07	Miles Horvath	02/17	Drew Kish	02/27
Dave Fulton	02/10	Dylan Wilson	02/18	Lucille Reece	02/29



February Anniversaries (50+ years)

Wayne and Judith Jones
54 years on the 14th

Marvin and Irene Skaer
65 years on the 15th

Oak Hill Nursing Home

Pearl Griebel

Our Lady of the Snows

Betty Baltz

Garden Place at Millstadt

Marianne Baltz
Shirley Brandenburger
Delores Lang
Diane (Muskopf) Mehrmann
Dottie Rickard

The Atrium of Belleville

John Kalbfleisch

The Villas of Holly Brook

Don Mueller

Freeburg Care Center

Arlene Dohrmann



AMERICAN RED CROSS
BLOOD DRIVE
2023 SCHEDULE
WEDNESDAYS

ST. JAMES
MARCH 15, 2023
MAY 10, 2023
JULY 12, 2023
SEPTEMBER 13, 2023

VFW
NOVEMBER 29, 2023

To schedule an appointment
1-800-733-2767 or
visit RedCrossBlood.org
Bring Photo ID



MEMORIAL HOSPITAL BOOK BAZAAR 2023

Collection of books will begin Tuesday, August 16 through December 13. And then start back up for Tuesdays and Thursdays, January 10 through March 16.

Please drop off books at the Hospital Warehouse or you may bring them to church and arrangements will be made for pickup. Please, NO encyclopedias.



Thank you!

Saturday, March 11th TRIVIA NIGHT

Father Freund Parish Center
423 West Madison
Millstadt, IL



Doors open 6:30 p.m.
Play starts at 7:00 p.m.
\$15 per person (includes 10 mulligans)
6 - 8 people per table
Bring your own snacks & beverages
Soda available for purchase
(popcorn provided)



For reservations or information
Contact: Stacy Woehlke
Call/text 618-719-5512
e-mail: trivia@zionmillstadt.com



Proceeds benefit
Zion Evangelical Church

thank you

We want to thank everyone for the cards, prayers and thoughts on the passing of our son, Tim. A loss is never easy but one must cherish and embrace the memories.

Les and Kay Mehrtens



Dear Zion Church,

Thank you for remembering me at Christmas. God's blessings to you.

Shirley Brandenburger

THANK YOU! *thank you!*

Dear Zion Church,

As we reflect on 2022 and all the good things that happened at the Pantry, we want to send out heartfelt thanks for being a wonderful supporter of our mission. May God continue to bless your church as you have blessed so many.

In Christ,
The Millstadt Food Pantry

.HAPPY.
Valentine's Day

February 2023

Zion Evangelical Church

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4			1	2	3	
			8:15 AM Preschool 11:00 AM 1 John Bible Study	9:00 AM Quilting	8:15 AM Preschool 10:00 AM FH – Chair Yoga	
5	8:15 AM Preschool	8:30 AM Z-Team 1:00 PM G.P. Bible Study	8:15 AM Preschool 11:00 AM 1 John Bible Study	9:00 AM Quilting 2:00 PM G.P. Worship	8:15 AM Preschool 10:00 AM FH – Chair Yoga	11
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12	8:15 AM Preschool – Valentines Party 10:00 AM Sr Center BS 7:00 PM Council Mtg	Valentine's Day 8:30 AM Z-Team 1:00 PM G.P. Bible Study	8:15 AM Preschool	9:00 AM Quilting	8:15 AM Preschool 10:00 AM FH – Chair Yoga	18
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19	8:15 AM Preschool 10:00 AM Sr Center BS	8:30 AM Z-Team 1:00 PM G.P. Bible Study	Ash Wednesday 8:15 AM Preschool 6:00 PM Lenten Meal – Council 7:00 PM Lenten Service	9:00 AM Quilting	8:15 AM Preschool 10:00 AM FH – Chair Yoga	25
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Zion's *Visitor*
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Sisters in Faith

Meets Sept., Oct., Nov., March, April and May at 12:00 p.m.

President - Charlotte Mehrtens - 476-1267

Z Team

Meets every Tuesday morning at 8:30 a.m.

Coordinator - Gary Shondy - 618-281-6509

CHURCH COUNCIL

(Every Second Monday of the Month - 7:00 p.m.)

Darren Doerr	(26)	618-980-2851
Rich Hoffelmeyer	(24)	702-499-7371
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Sherry Wynn	(26)	618-615-7915

(00) indicates the year that the Council Member's term expires.

Worship Schedule

10:15 AM - Worship Service

9:00 AM - Adult Bible Classes/SS/Conf

Office Hours

Amanda Frierdich

Monday through Thursday

From 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Lunch 12:00 - 12:30

Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.