

The Lenten season is underway, beginning on Ash Wednesday, Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup>.

We have one Confirmand this year, Jacob Doerr. His project is a Christian and inspirational book box that will be located outside the back entrance.

The remaining plans for Lent, Confirmation, Good Friday Cross Walk and Easter are all finalized.

*Worked from home on Feb. 27 & 28, and March 3 & 6, due to refinishing our basement floor. We had 3 disasters this past year: 1) Village watermain break that flooded our basement, 2) Village sewer backup that flooded our basement, & 3) 3 cracks in the South basement wall (that was fixed when we bought the house in 2006) all failed – we had Helitech fix them. So we had our flooring ripped out (by ServPro), and instead of installing a new flooring, we are having the concrete floor refinished and epoxy coated. Afterwards we will re-drywall affected areas and repaint. Hope to be done by Easter.*

### SPECIAL SERVICES

Senior Center	1 of 2 Bible Studies in February
Garden Place	Made 3 of 4 Bible Studies (Tuesdays at 1:00 pm) – <i>Marianne Baltz, Shirley Brandenburger, Delores Lang, Diane Mehrmann, Dottie Rickard</i>
Garden Place	Made the Worship / Communion Service (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 2:00 pm)
Baptisms	2/19/23 – Oliver Stephen Pellmann – son of Alex & Paige (Krausz) Pellmann 3/26/23 – Mabry Grace Timmermann – son of Zachory & Mallory (Scharf) Timmermann
Weddings	9/14/24 – Jvon Morris* & Hannah Seidlitz
Funeral	2/09/23 – Donald “Don” Frederick Arthur Mehrtens, age 80 3/11/23 – Anna Lee (Prater) Fischer, age 83

### OTHER INVOLVEMENTS

Memorial Hospital On-Call Chaplain on February 15<sup>th</sup> (next one March 14<sup>th</sup>)

### OTHER ITEMS

1. ~~March 19<sup>th</sup>~~ Date TBD will attend the Installation of EA Pastor Jim Allen at Trinity Church in Mt. Vernon, IN. Will attend with EA National Minister Jim Barnes. Bill Savering will lead Worship that Sunday
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### VACATIONS

Note: We are renting a slip at West Access Marina in Carlyle from 5/15 thru 9/15, which is why we will be at Carlyle a lot this summer. Vacations are basically Fridays thru Mondays.

1. May 21-24: Camping and Boating at Carlyle Lake. I'll will lead Worship
2. June 16-19: Camping at Rend Lake. **Bill Savering will lead Worship**
3. June 22-25: Camping and Canoeing on the Black River – Twin Rivers. **Bill Savering will lead Worship**
4. July 14-17: Camping and Boating at Carlyle Lake. I'll will lead Worship
5. July 28-31: Camping and Boating at Carlyle Lake. I'll will lead Worship
6. Aug. 12-15: Camping and Boating at Carlyle Lake. I'll will lead Worship
7. Aug. 25-28: Camping and Boating at Carlyle Lake. I'll will lead Worship
8. Sep. 01-04: Camping and Boating at Carlyle Lake. **Gary Franke will lead Worship**

- 1. Opening Prayer (7:00 pm) Pastor Darrell Weber
- 2. Treasurer's Report Office Administrator – Amanda Frierdich
- 3. BCE Report Pastor Darrell Weber
- 4. Minutes Secretary – Charlotte Mehrtens
- 5. Pastor Report Pastor Darrell Weber
- 6. Renewing Zion Church

7. Committee Reports

- Audit & Budget Betty Keller-Timmer
- Long Range Ministry Charlotte Mehrtens
- Mission & Outreach Mary Lou Peter
- Staff / Parish Relations Darren Doerr
- Property Rich Hoffelmeyer
- Volunteer Ministries Sherry Wynn
- Worship & Music Annette Hund
- Cemetery Board (as is needed) Kurt Pellmann

8. Old Business

- A.) Baltz Cemetery
- B.) Kelly Reimann's Sound System Request
- C.) Music Director Update
- D.) Outreach Committee
- E.)
- F.)

9. New Business

- A.)
- B.)
- C.)

10. Executive Committee Meeting (if needed)

11. List of Council Action Items and Who Will Do Them

12. Closing Prayer Pastor Darrell Weber

President – Kurt Pellmann

Vice Pres – Barb Scharf

Secretary – Charlotte Mehrtens

Assistant Treasurer – Rich Hoffelmeyer