VBS was the major event in June. We held Group's Stellar VBS from June 5 thru 9. Our numbers were up from 54 children in 2021, to 37 in 2022, to 62 this year.

Of the 62, 8 were from Zion (Jocelyn Doerr, Micah Doerr, Henry Mehrtens, Oliver Mehrtens, Sadie Notter, Wyatt Notter, Tessa Pellmann and Olivia Wolfmeier).

We also had 18 youth helpers, 6 from Zion (Katelyn Allen, Caleb Doerr, Jacob Doerr, Lucy Mehrtens, Alessandra Riemann and Josephina Riemann).

And 18 adult leaders, 17 from Zion (Jeri Arnold, Ginger Bourn, Darrell Doerr, Debbie Doerr, Jessica Doerr, Sue Hoffelmeyer, Linda Hopfinger, Annette Hund, Kay Mehrtens, Elaine Morris, Jodi Notter, Vicki Pellmann, Mary Lou Peter, Kathi Trent, Marcia Twellmann, Pastor Darrell and Marjie Weber) and our Administrative Assistant, Amanda Frierdich was our other adult leader.

The theme was the Outer Space. The 2<sup>nd</sup> thru 5<sup>th</sup> graders built 30 rockets, and we flew them at the Church Park on Thursday. One landed on the roof of Mac Medical, and two got hung up high in trees. We also had telescope viewing on Thursday night at the Church Park. We had a big inflatable water slide on Friday and the closing program and lunch, that was attended by many parents.

#### **SPECIAL SERVICES**

Garden Place Made 4 of 5 Bible Studies (Tuesdays at 1:00 pm) – Marianne Baltz, Diane Mehrmann,

Dottie Rickard

Garden Place Made the Worship / Communion Service (3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 2:00 pm) Baptisms ??? – Nathan "Nate" Joseph Burk – Parents – Tyler & Amy (German) Burk

Weddings 5/04/24 – Cody Funk & Mallory Allgire \*

9/14/24 – Jvon Morris\* & Hannah Seidlitz

Funeral 6/21/23 – Delores Mina (Schuchardt) Lang – age 92

# **OTHER INVOLVEMENTS**

### **OTHER ITEMS**

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

# **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. July 28-31: Camping and Boating at Carlyle Lake. I'll will lead Worship
- 2. Aug. 12-15: Camping and Boating at Carlyle Lake. I'll will lead Worship
- 3. Aug. 25-28: Camping and Boating at Carlyle Lake. I'll will lead Worship
- 4. 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

<u>Property</u> Rich Hoffelmeyer

Volunteer Ministries Sherry Wynn

Worship & Music Annette Hund

Cemetery Board (as is needed) Kurt Pellmann

## 8. Old Business

- A.) Music Director Update
- B.) Outreach Committee
- C.) CD's Due in June and July
- D.) Al Scharf interest in a portion of Zion Church Park
- E.) Custodian
- F.)
- 9. New Business
  - A.) Recommend Ordaining our Evangelical Association Licensed Pastor Bill Savering
  - 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