

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF January 14, 2018
Please silence all cell phones and games when entering the sanctuary. Thank you!
This weekly announcement sheet is included on Mt. Zion's website.

TODAY

- ~Worship Services at 8 AM & 10:30 AM
- ~Installation of New Council Members at 10:30 AM
- ~Sacrament of Baptism at 10:30 AM
- ~Preschool-6th Children's Bell Choir Practice, 9:00-9:10 AM in the 4th-6th Grade Classroom
- ~Preschool-9th Grade Sunday School in their respective classrooms
- ~Jubilation Rehearsal, 9:10-9:50 AM in the Choir Room
- ~Incoming Council Members Orientation at 9 AM in the Conference Room
- ~WOW Kids during the 10:30 AM service
- ~Lenten Worship Team Meeting, 11:30 AM in the 4th-6th grade classroom
- ~J-Walkers, 5-7 PM in the Fellowship Hall
- ~Youth Group, 5-8 PM in the Fellowship Hall
- ~Praise Band Rehearsal, 7:45-8:45 PM in the Sanctuary

THIS WEEK

- ~Panther Packing on Wed., January 17th, 6 PM at North Hills Elementary
- ~Worship Choir Practice, Wed., January 17th, 7:30-9 PM
- ~Mt. Zion Women's Retreat, Fri., January 19th-Sunday, January 21st
- ~Youth Group Bowling at Laser Bowling Alleys, Fri., January 19th, 6-8 PM

NEXT SUNDAY

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- ~Preschool-9th Grade Sunday School in their respective classrooms
- ~WOW Kids during the 10:30 AM service
- ~Church Council, following the late service

Our *Monthly Mission* for January is the Good Samaritan Fund. The Good Samaritan Fund is Mt. Zion's fund to help local people in need. During the harsh winter, everyone's fuel and electric needs are great, especially for those who have the least among us. Throughout the year, this fund is utilized to provide food cards to those who are in need. Your gifts, once each year, help to replenish this fund. Thank you for your generosity!

Northeastern Food Pantry~ For the month of January the Northeastern Food Pantry is accepting donations of paper products. Barbara Krier will pick up the items after the early service on Sunday, January 28th. Thank you for supporting the food pantry mission!

Sponsorship Leaves ~ As a reminder, if you have not already done so, please place any sponsorship leaves you have picked up in the offering plate.

Panther Pack Ministry~ This week packers will meet on Wednesday, January 17th, at 6 PM at North Hills Elementary. If you would be interested in helping to pack bags (day and evening times available), please contact the church office.

Youth Group Bowling Night ~ THIS Friday, January 19th, the youth group will have a night out at Laser Alleys Family Fun Center, 3905 E. Market St. York. We will bowl from 8 PM-10 PM that night. Please bring \$5.00 with you, your \$5.00 will cover the cost of renting shoes as well as unlimited bowling for the two hours. *We will meet at Laser Alleys at 8 PM and the youth should be picked up at Laser Alleys at 10 PM.* For questions please contact Pastor Jeff at [pastor-jeffk@comcast.net](mailto:jeffk@comcast.net).

Penn-Central Conference Epiphany Worship Service ~ The Penn Central Conference Epiphany worship service will be hosted here at Mt. Zion on Tuesday, January 23rd. It will be a beautiful evening of worship and music. Please join us!

All Church Dinner and Game Night ~ On Friday, January 26th we will be having an all church dinner and game night from 6-9 PM in the Fellowship Hall! Dinner will be provided, but donations are welcome. There will be ice cream provided, and we are asking for people to bring ice cream toppings. There is a sign-up sheet in the side narthex for you to indicate the number of people attending and if you will be bringing an ice cream topping. We look forward to seeing you there!

Youth Group Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser ~ The annual youth group spaghetti dinner will be held on Saturday, February 10th from 5-7 PM in the Mt Zion Fellowship Hall. This year's proceeds will help our youth to attend the Mid-Atlantic Regional Youth Event held at California University of PA from July 19th-22nd. The cost for the Regional Youth Event is \$350.00 per person, so we need your help! We will also tithe 10% of our raised funds to a charity of the youth group's choosing. Tickets for the spaghetti dinner are \$7.00 and children under the age of 3 eat free. Tickets go on sale *TODAY* and will be available for sale in the narthex each week until the event, or tickets can also be purchased at the door. Thank you for all of your support, we couldn't have such a vibrant and active youth group without the love we receive from our congregation!

Considering Joining Mt. Zion?~ Have you been attending Mt. Zion as a guest and wondering how you might become a member? Mt. Zion welcomes new members throughout the year and we would love to have you join us! Our next membership Sunday is February 4th. **If you would be interested in joining (on that date or another), please contact Pastor Danielle or Pastor Jeff.**

WOW Kids Volunteers Needed ~ Our WOW Kids program is one of the essential programs that we offer for the children of our congregation. Without volunteer support, programs like WOW Kids are not possible, and we are seeking volunteers who would be willing to help as lead teachers or support teachers at WOW Kids. Anyone who would like to volunteer will need to have their proper clearances (state police criminal background check and Pennsylvania child

abuse clearance). Those who have their clearances can simply sign up using the signup sheet in the side narthex. If you have more questions about what WOW Kids is, or what is involved in becoming a volunteer, please contact Pastor Jeff at pastorjeffk@comcast.net or by calling the church office.

Messy Church ~ Messy Church returns on **Friday, February 2nd from 6-7:30 PM** in the fellowship hall & sanctuary. We welcome you to join us for an evening of story, song, crafts and general messiness! While all are welcome, please know that this service gears its activities and worship experience specifically towards the needs of children and their families - so a sense of humor, love of children, and comfort with organized chaos is a must! **Volunteers are needed for Messy Church for February, March, and May. If you would be able to assist, there is a sign up sheet in the side narthex!**

Chop & Peel~ The next chop & peel is scheduled for Monday, January 29th at 6 PM in our kitchen & fellowship hall. There is a sign-up sheet in the side narthex that has the food items we need listed on it. If you are able to donate any of the needed items, please indicate that on the sheet. Hope to see you, and thank you for your continued support of this ministry.

Shenandoah Camping Trip Information Meeting ~ If you are interested in the 20:30 Shenandoah camping trip, please join us for an information meeting on Sunday, January 28th at 9 AM in the fellowship hall. The dates for the camping trip this year will be July 26th-29th. We hope to see you there!

Compassion York Food Run~ Our next Compassion York Food Run will take place on Sunday, February 11th. There are sign-up sheets in the side narthex to volunteer to cook, to serve, or to donate food. We thank you in advance for your participation and help in serving the hungry of York!

Mt. Zion Cemetery Association Treasurer Position ~ Mt. Zion Cemetery Association is seeking a volunteer to fill its Treasurer position. The individual should have experience with general book keeping. The position requires 2-3 hours per week. Any interested parties should contact Sherry Dunbar at dunbar.sherry007@gmail.com

Consider sponsoring either an altar flower arrangement or our weekly bulletins. It's a great way to send a special message, remember a loved one or celebrate a birthday or event. Please complete the form providing the information as you would like it to appear in the bulletin upon sign-up. Flowers cost \$15.00 & bulletins cost \$15.00. Thank you!

Mt. Zion is Streaming! The 10:30 AM service is posted on the Mt. Zion website at: <http://www.mtzionucc.org/services-online.html>, with a live feed (during the service) & you can view past services for some of the last few Sundays. The streaming works on PCs, tablets, and smart phones. Comments and feedback are welcome. If you are streaming from home and experience technical difficulties, please contact mtzionuccyorkpa@comcast.net.

In the event of inclement weather, please check WGAL's (www.WGAL.com) or Mt. Zion's website (www.mtzionucc.org) for changes. WGAL may list church cancellations due to a **major snowstorm on television, but it will be at their discretion. You may also call the church. Please listen to the message to learn if we have altered our schedule for the day.**

Date	Attendance	Current Receipts	Ave. Weekly E-tithing	Total Received for Current	Weekly Budget for Current Exp
December 17 th , 2017	234 members +25 guests	\$0	\$0	\$7,589.21 to Soles4Souls	\$5,435.00
December 24 th , 2017	9 AM- 91 +2 Guests 3 PM- 172 +20 guests 7 PM- 147 +16 guests 10 PM- 72 +10 guests	\$9,697.00	\$1,954.80	\$11,642.00	\$5,435.00
December 31 st , 2017	119 members + 15 guests	\$3,025.00	\$1,954.80	\$4,970.80	\$5,435.00
January 7 th , 2017	163 members +16 guests	\$2,880.00	\$2,428.50	\$5,308.50	\$5,704.40

Special needs prayer chain - please call the church office at 755-6117.

Undergoing Treatment: Pat Cooper

Hospitalized: Jerry Hester

THIS WEEK

8 AM Welcome Team: Matt, Tami, Emerson, & Declan Grimes
8 AM Sound Tech: Jack Herlocker
8 AM Video Tech: George DeMers
8 AM Worship Tech: Jim Shiffer
10:30 AM Welcome Team: Jim Shiffer, Bill & Bonnie Murphy, Bob Katherman
10:30 AM Sound Tech: Tom Mulligan
10:30 AM Video Tech: John Schriver
10:30 AM Camera Tech: Jim Firestone
10:30 AM Worship Tech: Alan Neff
10:30 AM Nursery: Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney
10:30 AM WOW Kids: Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney

NEXT WEEK

8 AM Welcome Team: Coordinated by Jodi Graham
8 AM Sound Tech: Ron Miles
8 AM Video Tech: George DeMers
8 AM Worship Tech: Dave Strine
10:30 AM Welcome Team: Coordinated by Ivy Leach
10:30 AM Sound Tech: Ron Miles
10:30 AM Video Tech: Hunter King
10:30 AM Camera Tech: Jim Firestone
10:30 AM Worship Tech: Clyde Snyder
10:30 AM Nursery: Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney
10:30 AM WOW Kids: Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney