

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF October 11, 2015

*Please silence all cell phones and games when entering the sanctuary. Thank you!
This weekly announcement sheet will now be included on Mt. Zion's website.*

TODAY

- ~**Worship** at 8 AM and 10:30 AM
- ~**Sunday School for all Ages** at 9 AM
- ~**Praise Band** performs during 10:30 AM worship
- ~**WOW Kids** during 10:30 AM worship
- ~**Audio-Visual Training** in the Sanctuary 12-2 PM
- ~**J-Walkers (3rd-6th grade) Youth Group** in the Fellowship Hall 5-7 PM
- ~**MS/HS Youth Group** in the Fellowship Hall, 6-8 PM,

THIS WEEK

- ~**Book Discussion** at Panera Bread Wed. Oct. 14th, 11:30 AM lunch, 12 PM discussion
- ~**Children's Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal** in the Hand Bell Choir room Thur. Oct. 15th 6:30-7 PM
- ~**Adult Worship Choir** Thur. Oct. 15th 7:30-9 PM
- ~**Oktoberfest** Sat. Oct. 17th, 11 AM-3 PM

NEXT SUNDAY

- ~**Worship** at 8 AM and 10:30 AM
- ~**Sunday School for all Ages** at 9 AM
- ~**Children's Sabbath** - both services
- ~**Sacrament of Baptism** during 10:30 AM worship
- ~**Children's Hand Bell Choir** performs during 10:30 AM worship
- ~**WOW Kids** during 10:30 AM worship
- ~**Council meeting** after late worship
- ~**Audio/Visual Training Session** in the sanctuary 12-2 PM
- ~**MS/HS Youth Group** in the Fellowship Hall, 6-8 PM

Our Monthly Mission for October is the 2016 York Association First Capital Group Workcamp. Today we welcome guest speaker Steve Kern from the York Association to speak about this mission.

Northeastern Food Pantry- During the month of October, the food pantry is in need of the following items: pasta, spaghetti sauce and other canned goods. Barbara Krier will pick up all of the donations Oct. 25th after the early service. Thanks to all of you for supporting the food pantry mission!!!

Mt. Zion is Streaming! The early Sunday services are now posted on the Mt. Zion website at: <http://www.mtzionucc.org/services-online.html>, with both a live feed (but only during the actual service, of course) and past services for some of the last few Sundays. The streaming works to PCs, tablets, and smart phones. Comments and feedback are welcome.

Book Discussion Wed. Oct. 14th at Panera Bread on E. Market St. We will discuss "*Dancing on Broken Glass*" by Ka Hancock. Lunch at 11:30 am. Discussion begins at noon.

Oktoberfest is only a few days away! Please check the sign up area in the side narthex to help prepare food Oct. 15th & 16th, to help the day of the event, or to provide food for the event. We are also seeking Oktoberfest music on CD's. We are looking forward to this event on Saturday, October 17th from 11 AM-3 PM! Questions, see Carol or Tom Bair.

The program year is beginning for the **Children's Bell Choir!** Children from 2nd-6th grade are invited to join in Mt. Zion UCC's hand bell choir! Bells are a fun and exciting way to make music and to bring praise to God! We will be practicing on **Thursdays from 6:30-7:00 PM from September 17-October 15.** We will be performing next **Sunday, October 18th** at the **10:30** service.

Please plan to join us for Trick or Trunk! The event will be held Sat. Oct. 24th from 5-7 PM. Please sign up your trunk and your treaters in the side narthex. I am also looking for 1-2 adults and 2-3 youth to assist with the activities. Contact Wendy Kindig at 717-668-5002 (call or text) or wrexroth@juno.com.

Ghosting Fundraiser Send some spooky good cheer to your friends & neighbors. Mt. Zion Youth will deliver ghostly sweet treats to houses & cars for a donation to their trip to the National Youth Event next summer! More information & signup sheets are in the side narthex. Thank you!

J-Walkers Youth Group (3rd-6th grade) will meet in the fellowship hall/kitchen tonight from 5-7 PM.

MS/HS Youth Group will meet in the fellowship hall tonight from 6-8 PM.

Council Meeting will be held next Sunday, Oct. 18th after late worship.

Woven Threads will be resuming their study and discussion. The title of the study book this season is "Embracing God's Design for Your Life". If any woman in the congregation would like to join this group, please contact Paulette Smith 757-3625.

Come Sing With Us! Singers of all skill levels, including youth 7th grade and up, are encouraged to sing in Mt. Zion's two choirs. *Jubilation* rehearses Sunday mornings and sings at the early service. *Worship Choir* rehearses Thursday evenings and sings at the late service. Schedules are posted outside the choir room.

Tech Team Volunteers Needed: Training sessions offered following late worship today & Oct. 18th. Sign up in the side narthex to learn how to be a part of this meaningful ministry at Mt. Zion!

Compassion York Food Run will take place on November 1st. There is a signup sheet in the narthex. Thank you for supporting this ministry!

Mark your calendars now, the next **Cooks On the Road** will be on Sun. Nov. 15th following late worship. There will be signup sheets in the narthex at a later date.

Name Tags: The name tags will be removed for approximately two weeks while we update them. Thank you for your patience.

Are you resuming group meetings or practices? Contact the church office ! If you have schedules for your group, (bible study, choir, etc.) please submit them to : mtzionuccyorkpa@comcast.net as soon as they are available. In order to have your information printed in our weekly announcements, it needs to be received by 10 AM on the preceding Tuesday of the event start date. Schedules will also appear on our online calendar and if possible, in the ESpirit as well. Thank you!

We are seeking Acolytes! If your child (or you!) would be interested in acolyting, **please sign up on the sheet in the side narthex** and please indicate if training is needed. As a guide, children typically begin acolyting around third grade. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to be in touch with Pastor Danielle.

WOW Kids—WOW (Worship Our Way) Kids is a program for the younger children of our congregation to participate in during the 10:30 worship service. After the children's message, the kids go downstairs for a lesson and snack. There is no sign up process – simply bring your child and we'll do the rest!

The Church Office has **Weis and Giant gift cards** available in \$10, \$25, and \$50 denominations. A portion of every card purchased benefits Bell Socialization! Checks should be made out to Mt. Zion U.C.C.

Please 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. You are encouraged to take a few minutes upon sign up to complete the form providing the information as you would like it to appear in the bulletin. Flower arrangements cost \$14.75 & bulletins cost \$15.00. Thank You!

Through our new audio-visual upgrade we now have a new hearing assistance system called **Listen Technologies**. If you would like to use a receiver, please check with the volunteers at the sound booth at the rear of the sanctuary.

Cards and well wishes to Carol & Leon Hartman's grandson, Aiden, can be sent to:
Aiden Fowler : 970 Park Ave., Woolrich, PA 17779

Shaelynn Bailey has started her basic training in Illinois. Please consider sending her letters and cards of support to:
SR Bailey, Shaelynn, M.: Ship 03, USS Hopper, Div. 341; 3600 Ohio Street, Great Lakes, IL 60088-3156

Date	Attendance	Current Receipts	Ave. Weekly E-tithing	Total Received for Current	Weekly Budget for Current Exp
Sept. 13, 2015	186 members +10 guests	\$2,101.00	\$1,938.94	\$4,039.94	\$4,765.08
Sept. 20, 2015	137 members +11 guests	\$1,957.00	\$1,938.94	\$3,895.94	\$4,765.08
Sept. 27, 2015	145 members + 12 guests	\$1,925.00	\$1,938.94	\$3,863.94	\$4,765.08
Oct. 4, 2015	151 members + 12 guests	\$2,812.00	\$1,938.94	\$4,750.94	\$4,765.08

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

Hospitalized:

Undergoing Treatment/Therapy: Leon Hartman, Glenda Chilcote, Fran Spangler

Recuperating: Ken Barshinger

THIS WEEK:

8 AM Worship Tech: Jim Shiffer

8 AM Welcome Team: Barry & Nancy Schwartz, Bob & Holly Bievenour

10:30 AM Welcome Team: Nancy & Jeff Sleeper, Dave & Stephanie Beyer

10:30 AM Nursery: Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney

WOW Kids: Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney

NEXT WEEK:

8 AM Worship Tech: Jack Herlocker

8 AM Welcome Team: Coordinated by Melissa Shindler

8 AM Acolyte: Holt Dallam

10:30 AM Worship Tech: Clyde Snyder

10:30 AM Welcome Team: Coordinated by Melissa Shindler

10:30 AM Acolyte: Joey Bevivino

10:30 AM Nursery: Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney

WOW Kids: Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney