

## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF May 21st, 2017

*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 and 10:30 AM
- ~Sunday School for PreK-12<sup>th</sup> grade 9 AM in their respective rooms
- ~Outreach Core Meeting at 9 AM in the conference room
- ~Worship Choir participates in the 10:30 AM service
- ~Children's Vocal and Bell Choir participates in the 10:30 AM service
- ~WOW Kids during the 10:30 AM service
- ~Church Council following the late service
- ~Youth Group 6-8PM in the Fellowship Hall

### THIS WEEK

- ~Woven Threads, Tues., May 23rd, 6:30 PM

### NEXT SUNDAY

- ~Worship Services at 8 and 10:30 AM
- ~WOW Kids during the 10:30 AM service

**Our Monthly Mission for May is Mt. Zion food ministries.** This fund helps to supplement our Compassion York Food Run, Chop & Peel Ministry, and Cooks on the Road to Ronald McDonald House. Through your gifts in the past, we have purchased our own warming containers to serve food, tables, and any remaining food items that were not received via donation. Thank you for your ongoing support!

**Northeastern Food Pantry**~ For the month of May the Northeastern Food Pantry is accepting donations of peanut butter, cups of fruit, and jelly (all flavors except for grape). Barbara Krier will pick the items up after the late service on Sunday, May 28th. Also, any donations of reusable shopping bags would be appreciated. Thank you for supporting the food pantry mission!

**Last Day for regular Sunday school** ~ The last day of Sunday school for this program year will be TODAY, May 21<sup>st</sup>. Thank you to all of our teachers and other volunteers for a great year of classes and spiritual growth. *Summer Sunday school with Kathy Sweeney will begin on Sunday June 11<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM.* For the summer we will be exploring the wacky world of Dr. Seuss! Please join us and thank you again to all who have participated in our Sunday school program this year.

**Pentecost Flower Sale**~ Forms are now available in the rear narthex. Red geraniums can be ordered for a donation of \$4.50 in celebration of Pentecost. The flowers will decorate the sanctuary on Pentecost Sunday, June 4, 2017. Please hand in all order forms TODAY, Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>.

**Summer Special Music**~ The sign-up sheet for special music for the summer can be found in the side narthex. All who would like to share their talents are welcome to sign up! Please write your name under the date you would like to participate and indicate if you're able to provide special music for one or both services. Thank you for your willingness to share your time and talents! If you have any questions, please contact Travis Pinci at 717-372-2561.

**Attention 2017 Graduates:** There will be a breakfast honoring graduating high school seniors on Sunday, June 11th at 9 AM, please RSVP to the church office by June 4th if you plan on attending. During worship that day, we will be honoring all graduates (high school and beyond).

**Chop & Peel**~ The next chop & peel is scheduled for Monday, May 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 on the 29th, and thank you for your continued support of this ministry. ~Nancy Sleeper

**RIDGERUNNERS**~ We will meet at Rudy Park on Wednesday June 7th at noon for a picnic. We will have hot dogs and a covered dish. If you've forgotten what you signed up for call Nancy Sleeper at 515-4790. Hope to see you there.

**Trip to Lake Tobias**-- 20:30 is planning a trip to Lake Tobias on Sunday, June 11th after the late service. We plan to share a quick lunch together before caravanning up to Lake Tobias to experience the animals! There is a sign up sheet in the side narthex so that we know how many to expect. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Danielle ([pastordani@comcast.net](mailto:pastordani@comcast.net)).

**Summer Fest 2017** ~ It's time to start thinking about summer fun! Our annual Summer Fest activities will begin on June 24<sup>th</sup> with our cook out & camp out on our beautiful Mt Zion grounds. The cook out will begin at 5 PM on June 24<sup>th</sup> and anyone who would like to camp out, back yard style, is welcome to bring a tent and set it up to stay the night. We will have a light breakfast on the morning of June 25<sup>th</sup> for those who camp that night. *Signup sheets will be found in the side narthex starting next week, May 28<sup>th</sup>!* Please save the date as this will surely be a great opportunity for fellowship and fun!

**UCC General Synod**~ This year, the national gathering of the United Church of Christ, General Synod, will be held in Baltimore, MD, June 30-July 4. General Synod is a time when as a denomination we worship together, learn together, and vote on policy and procedure. It is a tremendous experience to worship with the wider church. Every association sends delegates, but there are also opportunities for the general public and guests to participate. The Penn Central Conference is coordinating buses to transport anyone who would like to attend Synod for worship on Sunday, July 2nd.

Buses are departing from both Harrisburg and Lancaster. Information is available in the side narthex and/or by communicating with Pastor Jeff or Pastor Danielle. Reservations are due by June 4<sup>th</sup>.

**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! **If you would be interested in joining, please contact Pastor Danielle or Pastor Jeff.**

**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 \$14.75 & bulletins cost \$15.00. Thank you!

**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 Mt. Zion Outreach Team** is pleased to share Mt. Zion travel mugs and tumblers are available for purchase! They cost \$5.00 each, with all proceeds going to the purchase of gift cards for Central York and York City school guidance counselors to help students in need. They are in the narthex along with a box for payment. **Also, if you received a Mt. Zion magnet and it is peeling, we received replacement magnets, please feel free to take another one.**

**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 [mtzionuccyork-pa@comcast.net](mailto:mtzionuccyork-pa@comcast.net).

Date	Attendance	Current Receipts	Ave. Weekly E-tithing	Total Received for Current	Weekly Budget for Current Exp
April 23rd, 2017	149 members +12 guests	\$2,535.00	\$1,733.80	\$4,268.80	\$5,435.00
April 30th, 2017	151 members +10 guests	\$2,757.00	\$1,733.80	\$4,490.80	\$5,435.00
May 7th, 2017	192 members +20 guests	\$3,083.00	\$2,167.25	\$5,250.25	\$5,435.00
May 14th, 2017	223 members +15 guests	\$2,722.00	\$2,167.25	\$4,889.25	\$5,435.00

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

**Hospitalized:** Lonny Gordon

**Recuperating:** Les Loucks, Norman Leach

**THIS WEEK:**

**8 AM Welcome Team:** John and Connie Wolfe; Jack and Deb Herlocker

**8 AM Sound Tech:** Ivy Leach

**8 AM Video Tech:** Coordinated by Denny Daugherty

**8 AM Acolyte:** Hayden Dallam

**8 AM Worship Tech:** Dave Strine

**10:30 AM Welcome Team:** Team Gyenes

**10:30 AM Sound Tech:** Elaine Bevivino

**10:30 AM Video Tech:** John Schriver

**10:30 AM Camera Tech:** Mason DeMers

**10:30 AM Worship Tech:** Clyde Snyder

**10:30 AM Nursery:** Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney

**10:30 AM WOW Kids:** Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney

**NEXT WEEK:**

**8 AM Welcome Team:** Lynwood Schleeter and Barb Krier; Tom and Carol Bair

**8 AM Sound Tech:** Jack Herlocker

**8 AM Video Tech:** Ken Dunbar

**8 AM Worship Tech:** Ken Dunbar

**10:30 AM Welcome Team:** Robin and Emily Schriver; Jill and Emily Miller

**10:30 AM Sound Tech:** Ron Miles

**10:30 AM Video Tech:** John Schriver

**10:30 AM Camera Tech:** Emily Merritt

**10:30 AM Worship Tech:** Bonnie Dull

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