

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF April 15, 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**

- ~Warm-up for the "Holy Dingalings" at 7:30 AM in the choir room
- ~Worship Services at 8 AM & 10:30 AM
- ~Children's Vocal Choir Practice, 9-9:10 AM in the Bell Choir Room (across from the 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade classroom)
- ~Congregational Meeting, 9 AM in the Sanctuary
- ~Preschool-9<sup>th</sup> Grade Sunday School, 9 AM in their respective classrooms
- ~Adult Bell Choir, "The Holy Dingalings," participates in both services
- ~Praise Band Participates in the 10:30 AM service
- ~WOW Kids during the 10:30 AM service
- ~Church Council after the late service
- ~Lunch and Learn (Sound Board Tips), 11:45 AM-1:15 PM in the Sanctuary
- ~Youth Group, 6-8 PM in the fellowship hall

### **THIS WEEK**

- ~Panther Pack Ministry, Wed., April 18<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 PM at North Hills Elementary
- ~Care Discipleship Training, Wed., April 18<sup>th</sup>, 6:30-8:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall
- ~NAMI Family to Family Class, Thurs., April 19<sup>th</sup>, 6:30-9:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall
- ~Worship Choir Practice, Thurs., April 19<sup>th</sup>, 7:30-9:00 PM in the Choir Room
- ~Sound System Training, Sat. April 21<sup>st</sup>, 9-10:30 AM in the Sanctuary

### **NEXT SUNDAY**

- ~Worship Services at 8 AM & 10:30 AM
- ~Jubilation Participates during the 8 AM service
- ~Children's Vocal Choir Practice, 9-9:10 AM in the Bell Choir Room (across from the 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade classroom)
- ~Jubilation Rehearsal, 9:10-9:50 AM in the Choir Room
- ~Preschool-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Sunday School, 9 AM in their respective classrooms
- ~Children's Choir Participates in the 10:30 AM service
- ~WOW Kids during the 10:30 AM service
- ~Youth Group, 6-8 PM in the fellowship hall

*Travis will now be in the office on **Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays** from 8:30 AM-4:00 PM and on **Tuesdays** from 8:30 AM-12:30 PM. He will no longer be in the office on **Fridays**, so if you plan to visit the church on a Friday, please call ahead to make sure someone is there to let you in. Thank you!*

*We celebrate with Pastor Jeff and his wife Dani, as we welcome Baby Ivyn to the world (born March 20<sup>th</sup>). Pastor Jeff will be working a reduced schedule through the end of April. His work schedule will be Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Sunday. In May, he will return to a full time schedule until the end of August, when he will take the remainder of his parental leave to be with Baby Ivyn. We thank you for your love and support during this time of transition.*

**Our Monthly Mission for April is the Conservation Society of York.** This organization was selected by the mission team in honor of Earth Day. The Conservation Society of York is a non-profit organization aimed at preserving York county's natural, prehistoric, and historic landscapes. Your donations will go towards their mission of conserving the beauty of these historic sites.

**Northeastern Food Pantry**~ For the month of April the Northeastern Food Pantry is accepting donations of juice boxes and snack-size fruit cups. Barbara Krier will pick up the items after the early service on Sunday, April 29<sup>th</sup>. We are also in need of donations of reusable grocery bags. Thank you for supporting the food pantry mission!

**Congregational Meeting**—There will be a congregational meeting TODAY Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM in the sanctuary. At this meeting, we will discuss and vote on the upgrade to the air conditioning in the sanctuary and narthex. Please plan to attend.

**Pictorial Directory Coming!** The long requested updated pictorial directory is now underway! With the approval of Church Council, a team of Mt. Zion members (Danika Dallam, Joe Vacante, Carrah Wagaman, and Brenda Beyer) are spearheading the efforts for our next pictorial directory. This directory will be online, with a printable option of course, and will include an app that church members will have access to. Your family may sign up for a portrait sitting with our Mt. Zion photographers (sign up sheets are in the side narthex) or you may submit a (non-copyrighted) photo of your family to [mtzionuccyorkpa@comcast.net](mailto:mtzionuccyorkpa@comcast.net). Please submit all photos by Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup>. For those who have their pictures taken at Mt. Zion, there is no sitting fee, and your family will be given a digital copy of your image for you to print at your convenience. Once again, sign ups are in the side narthex.

**Panther Pack Ministry**~ This week packers will meet on Wednesday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 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. We are also in need of donations of grocery bags, preferably Weis or Target, in bundles of 25.

**Compassion York Food Run**~ Our next Compassion York Food Run will take place on Sunday, April 29<sup>th</sup>. 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.

**Our annual Mt. Zion Spring Cleanup** is scheduled for Saturday, May the 5<sup>th</sup>. We begin around 7:30 am, and are typically finished by 11:00 am. If you can stay only a little while, no worries. We would love to have you. Please bring your favorite gardening tools as we will pull some weeds, prune a few bushes, and spread a ton of good smelling mulch. Everyone is welcome. There is a sign-up sheet in the side narthex if you are planning to help!

**Mt. Zion Youth Group Car Wash Fundraiser** ~ On May 20<sup>th</sup> the youth of Mt. Zion will hold a car wash fund raiser at the Commonwealth Fire Co No. 1 Station 893 in Springettsbury township to raise money for the regional youth event. The youth will be washing car exteriors for \$10.00 – 10% of the money raised from our fundraising will go to Bell Shelter of York and the rest will help to pay for our trip to the regional youth event. The address for the fire company is 2045 N Sherman St, York PA. We are also looking for donated supplies such as sponges, hoses, step ladders, towels, buckets, and more! Please see the signup sheet in the side narthex for a complete list, and to sign up to donate. If you have questions please contact pastor Jeff at [pastorjeffk@comcast.net](mailto:pastorjeffk@comcast.net). We hope you'll join us on May 20<sup>th</sup> to get a clean car for the warmer weather, but also to support this great cause!

**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 beside the date you would like to participate on 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.

**Join the Tech Team!** We are looking for volunteers to help serve on the tech team. The next training session is THIS Saturday, April 21st. A sign-up sheet is available in the side narthex.

**Updated Church Directories** can be found in the back and the side narthexes. Please feel free to take one!

**March E-Spirit**~ There are a few printed copies available in the side narthex, along with a sign-up sheet to have your email address included on the distribution list. If you have a submission for our newsletter, please email it to us at: [mtzionuccyorkpa@comcast.net](mailto:mtzionuccyorkpa@comcast.net).

**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 \$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](mailto:mtzionuccyorkpa@comcast.net).

**In the event of inclement weather, please check WGAL's ([www.WGAL.com](http://www.WGAL.com)) or Mt. Zion's website ([www.mtzionucc.org](http://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
March 18 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	172 members +16 guests	\$2,302.00	\$2,346.00	\$4,648.00	\$5,704.00
March 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	210 members +24 guests	\$3,002.00	\$2,346.00	\$5,348.00	\$5,704.00
April 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2018	343 members +36 guests	\$3,484.50	\$1,900.80	\$5,385.30	\$5,704.00
April 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	148 members +12 guests	\$3,038.00	\$1,900.80	\$4,938.80	\$5,704.00

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

**Undergoing Treatment:** Shirley Messinger

**Deployed:** JR Hogentogler

**THIS WEEK**

**8 AM Welcome Team:** Terry & Deb Barnes; Mary Jane Snyder, & Tim Snyder  
**8 AM Sound Tech:** Denny Daugherty  
**8 AM Video Tech:** Jack Herlocker  
**8 AM Worship Tech:** Dave Strine  
**10:30 AM Welcome Team:** Nancy & Jeff Sleeper; Red & Ellie Arnold  
**10:30 AM Sound Tech:** Ron Miles  
**10:30 AM Video Tech:** Joey Bevivino  
**10:30 AM Camera Tech:** Jim Firestone  
**10:30 AM Worship Tech:** Barb Stebbins  
**10:30 AM Nursery:** Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney  
**10:30 AM WOW Kids:** Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney

**NEXT WEEK**

**8 AM Welcome Team:** John & Connie Wolfe; Rick & Cindy Hogentogler  
**8 AM Sound Tech:** Ryan Neal  
**8 AM Video Tech:** George DeMers  
**8 AM Worship Tech:** Ken Dunbar  
**10:30 AM Welcome Team:** Andy & Kristen Mekulsia; Barb Stebbins, & Tori Everhart  
**10:30 AM Sound Tech:** Tom Mulligan  
**10:30 AM Video Tech:** Coordinated by Denny Daugherty  
**10:30 AM Camera Tech:** Coordinated by Denny Daugherty  
**10:30 AM Worship Tech:** Lana Fritz  
**10:30 AM Nursery:** Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney  
**10:30 AM WOW Kids:** Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney