

**ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF November 4, 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**

- ~**Sunday Worship Services** at 8 AM & 10:30 AM
- ~**All Saints Day**
- ~**Preschool-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Sunday School**, 9 AM in their respective classrooms
- ~**Preschool-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Children's Bell Choir Practice**, 9:00 AM in the Bell Choir Room (across from 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade)
- ~**Worship Choir** participates in the 10:30 AM service
- ~**WOW Kids** during the 10:30 AM service
- ~**Safety Preparedness Team Meeting Training**, 11:30 AM in the 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade classroom
- ~**Single's Lunch**, 12 PM at Applebee's
- ~**Youth Group**, 12-2 PM in the Fellowship Hall

**THIS WEEK**

- ~**Worship Choir Practice**, **Mon.**, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 7-9:00 PM in the choir room
- ~**Ridgerunners**, **Wed.**, November 7<sup>th</sup>, 12:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall
- ~**Panther Pack Ministry**, 2:30 PM at North Hills Elementary

**NEXT SUNDAY**

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- ~**WOW Kids** during the 10:30 AM service
- ~**Cooks on the Road to Ronald McDonald House**
- ~**J-Walkers**, 5-7 PM in the Fellowship Hall

**Our Monthly Mission for November is the Central Penn Food Bank.** The Central Penn Food Bank distributes food and grocery products to soup kitchens, shelters, and food pantries throughout the state of Pennsylvania. Your donations will go towards this worthy cause.

**Northeastern Food Pantry**~ For the month of November the Northeastern Food Pantry is accepting donations of paper products (toilet paper, napkins, paper towels, and tissues). Barbara Krier will pick up the items after the late service on Sunday, November 25<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for supporting the food pantry mission!

**Congregational Meeting**~ Our annual congregational meeting to approve the budget for the coming 2019 year will be held on Sunday, November 18<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM in the sanctuary. Please plan to attend! 2019 budgets and the meeting agenda are available in the narthex for your review.

**Faithful Finance Seminar** ~ On behalf of the Investment Advisory Board and representatives from Church Council, we are pleased to offer *Faithful Finance: A Seminar on Living and Giving*. This seminar will be offered at two different times – on January 16<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 PM, and on February 10<sup>th</sup> from noon-2 PM. Please mark your calendars for these dates. Free food and free childcare will also be provided at both sessions! We have a wide range of topics for breakout groups, and so there will be something for everyone! To sign up, and to see a full description of the breakout sessions, please see the paper sign up sheets in the side narthex. A link to sign up online is also available on our Facebook page, and you can also find the full descriptions of each breakout session there as well. Please consider joining us for this incredibly important offering, *registration is open until January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019*. If you have further questions please contact Pastor Jeff.

**Thanksgiving Cards** for our home-based members can be found on a table in the back narthex. Please take a moment to sign them, as they are greatly appreciated by those who receive them!

**Cooks on the Road** will travel to the Ronald McDonald House on Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup> following late worship. Please sign up in the side narthex if you would like to help with this mission. There is only room in their kitchen to accommodate 8 volunteers. Please see Jim Shiffer with any questions.

**Homewood Homes**~Do you know what a CCRC is? It is a continuous care residential community. Homewood @ Plum Creek is one of these. It is a community sponsored by a church affiliation, UCC being the Homewood affiliate. Residents are guaranteed a quality and secure future. Please read today's bulletin insert and join the auxiliary for 2019. The cost is very reasonable (\$3/single or \$5/more than one person at same address). Our church family is very generous. Here is an opportunity to help our senior citizens within the UCC. There will be a table in the rear narthex to sign up and join. Checks should be made to Homewood Auxiliary or Paulette Smith will convert cash donations into check form.

**Card Shower**~ Henrietta Chronister's 99<sup>th</sup> birthday will be TOMORROW, **November 5<sup>th</sup>**. For this special occasion, we'd like to shower her with cards wishing her a Happy Birthday! Please send all cards to Henrietta Chronister at Lutheran Nursing & Rehab Center, 1801 Folkemer Circle, Room 215B, York, PA 17404. Thank you!

**Panther Pack** is underway! This week daytime packers will start packing for the month of November! Packers will meet at 2:30 PM at North Hills. If you would be interested in helping to pack bags (day or evening times available)- please contact the church office for more information on the steps to becoming involved with this important ministry!

**Messy Church** ~ Mark your calendars for our first Messy Church event of the year which will take place on **Friday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00-7:30 PM**. As it has always been with Messy Church, dinner will be provided for the whole family, as well as a story time and lots of messy fun! Our activities that night will focus on the seasons of Advent and Christmas, and they will also be designed for the entire family to be involved. Please join us in ushering in the holiday season with Messy Church! We are also in need of volunteers for this event, so please see the sign-up sheet in the side narthex.

**Church Photo Directory Update~** Our online app for our photo directory has launched! There are instructions on how to download the app or access the directory on the computer in the side and back narthexes! The printed directory will be made available with your offering envelopes towards the end of November. In the meantime, you can submit the payment of \$3 in a red box marked "Printed Church Directory Payment" in the back narthex. Thank you!

**The Safety Preparedness team** of Mt Zion is looking for people to serve as hall monitors during our worship services, in order to assist people with entering the building once worship has started and to generally observe the doors while the rest of our brothers and sisters are in worship. If you are interested in serving in this way, there will be a training held TODAY, November 4<sup>th</sup> immediately following the late service. The training will be held in the 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade Sunday school room and should last about an hour. If you have any questions please contact Bob Katherman, Pam Minnich, or Pastor Jeff for more details.

**Hospitality Table ~** Beginning in November, a hospitality table will be set up in the back narthex. The Community Life Team is looking for volunteers to serve on a rotation to host the hospitality table. Duties will include arriving about 15 minutes before the beginning of the service to start the pot of coffee, and to do any clean-up needed afterwards. There is a sign-up sheet in the side narthex where you can sign up if you are available to help! Please contact Carol Bair at 717-845-9963 with any questions. Thank you!

**Worship Choir ~** Worship choir rehearsal will be this **Monday**, November 5<sup>th</sup>, from 7:00-9:00 PM. The next Jubilation Rehearsal will be on Thursday, November 15<sup>th</sup> from 8:30-9:00 PM.

**Worship Ministry Teams** are being formed for the season of Advent. We need 4-5 individuals to serve on this team. A sign-up sheet can be found in the side narthex. Thank you for sharing your time and talents!

**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.

**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).

Date	Attendance	Current Receipts	Ave. Weekly E-tithing	Total Received for Current	Weekly Budget for Current Exp
October 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	137 members +10 guests	\$3,377.00	\$2,177.50	\$5,554.50	\$5,704.00
October 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	150 members +12 Guests	\$3,922.00	\$2,177.50	\$6,099.50	\$5,704.00
October 21 <sup>st</sup> , 2018	148 members +20 Guests	\$1,588.00	\$2,177.50	\$3,765.50	\$5,704.00
October 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	135 members +15 Guests	\$1,779.00	\$2,177.50	\$3,956.50	\$5,704.00

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

**Deployed:** JR Hogentogler

**Recuperating:** Les Loucks

**THIS WEEK**

**8 AM Welcome Team:** Terry Barnes, Barb & Jon Waltemyer, Becky or Jerry Hester  
**8 AM Sound Tech:** John Kollasch  
**8 AM Video Tech:** George DeMers  
**8 AM Worship Tech:** Mary Jane Snyder  
**8 AM Hall Monitor:** Pam Minnich  
**10:30 AM Welcome Team:** Tammy, Lonny, & Bronson Gordon; Lisa & George DeMers  
**10:30 AM Sound Tech:** Elaine Bevivino  
**10:30 AM Video Tech:** John Schriver  
**10:30 AM Camera Tech:** Jim Firestone  
**10:30 AM Worship Tech:** Tori Everhart  
**10:30 AM Hall Monitor:** Bob Katherman  
**10:30 AM Nursery:** Missy Kiefer & Sandy King  
**10:30 AM WOW Kids:** Alan Neff

**NEXT WEEK**

**8 AM Welcome Team:** Coordinated by JJ Rhinehart  
**8 AM Sound Tech:** Denny Daugherty  
**8 AM Video Tech:** Jack Herlocker  
**8 AM Worship Tech:** Jim Shiffer  
**8 AM Hall Monitor:** Pam Minnich  
**10:30 AM Welcome Team:** Coordinated by JJ Rhinehart  
**10:30 AM Sound Tech:** Ron Miles  
**10:30 AM Video Tech:** Hunter King  
**10:30 AM Camera Tech:** Ryan Neal  
**10:30 AM Worship Tech:** Alan Neff  
**10:30 AM Hall Monitor:** Bonnie Murphy  
**10:30 AM Nursery:** Coordinated by Pastor Jeff  
**10:30 AM WOW Kids:** Kathy Sweeney