

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF July 7, 2019

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 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM,
- ~Adult Spiritual Formation "Climate Church, Climate World," 9 AM in the Fellowship Hall
- ~Confirmation Information Session, 9 AM in the 4th-6th grade Sunday School classroom
- ~Summer Sunday School, 9 AM in the PreK/Kindergarten room
- ~WOW Kids during the 10:30 AM service
- ~Single's Lunch, 12 PM at Applebee's

THIS WEEK

NEXT SUNDAY

- ~Worship Services at 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM,
- ~Adult Spiritual Formation "Climate Church, Climate World," 9 AM in the Fellowship Hall
- ~Summer Sunday School, 9 AM in the PreK/Kindergarten room
- ~Adult Bell Choir Practice, 9:15 AM in the choir room
- ~Mr. Sandy's Food Preparation, 2-5 PM in the Kitchen
- ~Mr. Sandy's Food Transport and Serving, 4:30-7 PM, meet at Mt. Zion

Pastor Jeff will be on vacation with his family beginning July 8th. He will return to work on July 16th. Please direct all pastoral care concerns to Pastor Danielle during this time or call the church office for assistance.

Please note, the office e-mail and the pastors' emails have changed. The new office e-mail is office@mtzionucc.org. The pastors' emails are pastordani@mtzionucc.org and pastorjeffk@mtzionucc.org. Please update your address books with these new e-mails. Thank you!

The Monthly Mission for July is Central and York City School District Social Workers. Your offerings will be used to provide funds and gift cards for guidance counselors and social workers so that they can provide for children and families in crisis.

In-Kind donations for July - During the month of July, the Mission Core will be collecting school supplies for Central York School District and York City School District. There are plastic bins in the narthex to receive your donations to either district. **The supplies needed for Central are:** backpacks (ranging from small to large), i-pad chargers, locks, pencils and pens, crayons, markers, 1-2" binders, loose leaf graph paper, glue sticks, notebooks, regular loose leaf paper, and calculators. **The supplies needed for York City are:** composition books, pencils, glue sticks, pocket folders, book bags, markers, crayons, and uniform tops (polo/collared shirts, white, light blue or navy) and bottoms (khakis or navy pants). Sizes needed are size 5 through 10/12. **Thank you for your generosity!**

Our Monthly Mission for June was York Association's Micro-Lending Project. Thanks to your generosity, we were able donate \$2,769.00 to this cause, and through matching funds from the Mangold fund, we were able to give \$4,153.50.

Northeastern Food Pantry~ For the month of July the Northeastern Food Pantry is accepting donations of breakfast cereals and instant oatmeal. Barbara Krier will pick up the items after the late service on Sunday, July 28th. Thank you for supporting the food pantry mission!

Summer D.I.P. ~ Join us this summer for our new spiritual formation series, *Summer D.I.P.!* (*Discover, Investigate, Play*). All events are from 9 AM-1 PM, and you can register by visiting www.mtzionucc.org! Please sign up for as many of the events as you are able to attend. The dates are: July 27th (Rocky Ridge discover creation day), and August 17th ("mini-VBS" here at church). Contact Pastor Dani or Pastor Jeff for more details, or visit the website to register.

Panther Pack Sign-Up ~ For the 2019-2020 school year, we will once again be partnering with North Hills Elementary to provide backpacks of food to children in need who attend the school. We are looking for volunteers to help with packing food either during the daytime or the evening hours. If you would like to help with this vital ministry, please sign up in the side narthex. **If you already volunteered last year and would like to volunteer again, please sign-up in the side narthex as well** so that we know you are able to help for the 2019-2020 school year. Please note that you will need clearances to volunteer for this program, and if you need help obtaining those clearances, Travis will be more than happy to assist you in the office. Thank you for your help in providing food for the children of North Hills!

Ridgerunners ~ On August 7th Ridgerunners will have a picnic at Rudy Park. We will again attend the American Music Theater on Wednesday, December 4th, for the Christmas Show. The cost to Ridgerunner members is \$45.50. Others are invited to join us with the cost being \$55.50. Notify Becky Hester or Nancy Slegler if you plan to go. We will need the payment by August since we have to pay by September 4. That fee also includes the luncheon buffet at Deinner's Restaurant, taxes, and gratuity. Checks should be made out to Ridgerunners.

The next chop & peel is scheduled for Monday, July 29th, at 6 PM in our kitchen & fellowship hall. There is a bulletin board in the back narthex that has the food items we need listed on it. If you are able to donate any of the needed items, please take a paper from the bulletin board with the item you'd like to donate on it, and bring that item back to the church by Monday, July 29th at 10 AM. Hope to see you, and thank you for your continued support of this ministry.

Mr. Sandy's Helping Hands Sign-Ups- The sign-up board for Mr. Sandy's Helping Hands can be found in the back narthex. We are in need of food preparers and servers for August 4th. Food preparation lasts from about 2 PM – 5 PM while food transport and serving goes from 4:30-7:00 PM. You can sign up for food preparation, food transport and serving, or both. Thank you for being a part of this vital ministry!

Care Disciples Information Session ~ We would like to invite you to attend an information session on Tuesday, July 16th, at 6 PM at Mt. Zion UCC. At this meeting we will give more information on becoming a part of the care disciple program. It will last approximately one hour. Please sign up in the side narthex if you are planning on attending. We look forward to seeing you there!

Confirmation Information Session ~ Confirmation at Mt. Zion is a process where students participate in our program to explore their faith so that they can make a faithful decision about affirming their baptism, and to become a full member of the church. Students starting 7th grade in the fall are eligible to begin confirmation this year. If you are a student interested in confirmation, or if you have a child or grandchild who you think would be interested in confirmation, please join Pastor Jeff in the 4th-6th grade Sunday school room at 9 AM TODAY, Sunday, July 7th for an information session about the program. If you have any questions in the mean time please contact Pastor Jeff for more information.

The “Holy Dingalings” are back! The “Holy Dingalings” are our adult bell choir and any and all are welcome to participate! We will be practicing NEXT Sunday, July 14th and Sunday, July 21st after the early service (around 9:15 AM) and on Sunday, July 28th, we’ll have a quick warm-up at 7:30 AM. If you can only make one of the practices, that is no problem, please join us! Please sign up in the side narthex if you plan to participate. Please contact Travis Pinci at 717-324-8511 or travispinci1280@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Hospitality Table ~ The Hospitality Table has been a tremendous success, but we need your assistance to keep this welcoming ministry afloat. You can help in two ways: **1.)** supply prepackaged or homemade goodies, and/or **2.)** provide set up and clean up at the table. If you choose to do the latter, you will brew coffee, arrange baked goods, and pour juice into the pitcher before the early service and tidy up between services OR restock the supplies before the 10:30 service and clean up afterwards. A sign up sheet with each Sunday in June, July and August is conveniently housed on the end of the Hospitality Table for you to volunteer your time or supplies. Thank you! We appreciate your willingness to help in this meaningful ministry.

Summer Book Study: Climate Church, Climate World ~ The Adult Spiritual Formation summer book study continues in Room 5 each Sunday at 9 AM until Sunday, July 21st. For additional information please see Pastor Jeff.

Pictorial Directory App~ As a reminder, you can download and access the online pictorial directory for Mt. Zion UCC at anytime! The app is called “Instant Church Directory” and can be found in the Google Play store and the I-Tunes store. You can also access the directory through your internet browser. Specific instructions on how to login to the app or the website can be found in the back and side narthex.

Church Council~ This is a friendly reminder that church council meetings are open to the congregation. Generally speaking, church council occurs the 3rd Sunday of the month after the 10:30 worship service. There will be no council meeting in July, so the next meeting will occur on Sunday, August 18th, after the late service.

Considering joining Mt. Zion? Have you been attending Mt. Zion as a guest and wondering how you might become a member? If you would be interested in joining, please contact Pastor Danielle or Pastor Jeff.

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 office@mtzionucc.org.

Date	Attendance	Current Receipts	Ave. Weekly E-tithing	Total Received for Current	Weekly Budget for Current Exp
June 9 th , 2019	241 members +25 guests	\$3,923.00	\$1,761.00	\$5,684.00	\$5,770.00
June 16 th , 2019	143 members +18 Guests	\$6,820.00	\$1,761.00	\$8,581.00	\$5,770.00
June 23 rd , 2019	121 members +23 Guests	\$1,510.00	\$1,761.00	\$3,271.00	\$5,770.00
June 30 th , 2019	132 members +13 Guests	\$2,831.00	\$1,761.00	\$4,592.00	\$5,770.00

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

Receiving Treatment:

Recuperating: Belinda Harvey, Tori Everhart

Hospitalized:

THIS WEEK

8 AM Welcome Team: The Wagaman family
8 AM Sound Tech: Mary Jane Snyder
8 AM Video Tech: Coordinated by Denny Daugherty
8 AM Worship Tech: Mary Jane Snyder
8 AM Hall Monitor: Pam Minnich
10:30 AM Welcome Team: Helen Burns, Carol Hartman;
 Coordinated by David Firestone
10:30 AM Sound Tech: Ryan Neal
10:30 AM Video Tech: Elaine Bevivino
10:30 AM Camera Tech: John Schriver
10:30 AM Worship Tech: Lana Fritz
10:30 AM Hall Monitor: Coordinated by Bob Katherman
10:30 AM WOW Kids: Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney
10:30 AM Nursery: Missy Kiefer & Tammy Gordon

NEXT WEEK

8 AM Welcome Team & Communion Servers: Coordinated by Bonnie Murphy
8 AM Sound Tech: Jack Herlocker
8 AM Video Tech: Coordinated by Denny Daugherty
8 AM Worship Tech: Jim Shiffer
8 AM Hall Monitor: Pam Minnich
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10:30 AM Sound Tech: Coordinated by Denny Daugherty
10:30 AM Video Tech: John Schriver
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10:30 AM Worship Tech: Alan Neff
10:30 AM Hall Monitor: Coordinated by Bob Katherman
10:30 AM WOW Kids: Coordinated by Kathy Sweeney
10:30 AM Nursery: Katelyn & Corey McCarthy