

MT. ZION UCC ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF 11.20.22

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- Nov. 20 (Su)** **In-person worship service, 8:00 AM**
Confirmation class, 9 AM
Congregational meeting in sanctuary and on Zoom, 9:00 AM
In-person & streaming worship service, 10:30 AM
Church Council meeting in Room 5 and on Zoom, 11:45 AM
J-Walkers in the Fellowship Hall, 5:00-7:00 PM
- Nov. 22 (Tu)** **Tri-M Prayer breakfast at Stonybrook Family restaurant, 6:30 AM**
Bible Study Group in the parlor, 10:00 AM
- Nov. 24 (Th)** **Church office closed in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday**
- Nov. 27 (Su)** **First Sunday of Advent**
In-person worship service & communion, 8:00 AM
In-person & streaming worship service & communion, 10:30 AM
Mr. Sandy's food run cooking in the kitchen, 3:00-4:30 PM
Mr. Sandy's food run serving meet at the church, 4:30-6:00 PM

Dial-in Number for 10:30 AM Service:
888-719-1054

Homewood Home Auxiliary 2022 Donations

We are collecting donations (unwrapped) of:

- Signed Christmas cards in envelopes
- Unscented Kleenex
- Unscented lotion

Questions: Call Paulette Smith @
717-757-3625

December is coming nigh and as usual I am encouraging our generous church family to remember our residents at Plum Creek. Acceptable unwrapped gifts include signed Christmas cards, unscented body lotion, and unscented Kleenex which will be distributed to the residents in the skilled care and personal care areas of the community.

There will be a table in the rear narthex where these items will be collected beginning this Sunday with final pickup December 4. Thank you so much for your participation!

Hugs from Paulette Smith

Advent 2022



Advent is fast approaching! This year our theme is *Close to Home*. Together we will explore the tender stories of Advent and the concept of God being our home, our resting place. Join us at 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM beginning on Sunday, November 27th! Thank you to Norma Hull, Charlie Hull, Cindy Hogentogler, Melissa Shindler, Lana Fritz, Denny Daugherty, & Pastor Amy for planning worship for this season.

Poinsettia Sale

- \$9.25 each
- Red & white
- Order by December 4th
- Order form online or in back narthex

The Christmas Poinsettia Sale has begun! Poinsettias can be purchased for a donation of \$9.25 each. Complete the order form online or the paper form found in the back narthex

and turn in your payment in the box located in the back narthex or in the lock box outside the church. Make checks payable to Mt. Zion United Church of Christ. Orders are due by Sunday, December 4th. Thank you!



RECYCLE INFORMATION

Prior to COVID Mt. Zion had an active ECO JUSTICE group which worked diligently to focus on ways we could be better stewards of our earth. We recently discovered a relatively new organization to recycle ALL plastics.

The company is CRDC – GLOBAL. The York operation is located at 390 Eberts Lane. Go to the office and pick up green bags to fill with all things plastic. They are open from 8 AM –4 PM on weekdays.

Another recycling location is Continental Paper Grading. Which is located off Concord Road. They are open from 7 AM—4 PM on weekdays.

For more information go to their web sites or call Nancy Sleeper at 717-266-4668.

Advent kits will be available for pick-up at the church beginning Monday, November 21st, but can also be picked up on Sunday, November 27th. If they need to be delivered, please call the church office.

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PRAYER REQUESTS

Undergoing Treatment:

Jen Kerchner Ted Trout-Landen Faye Hevner
 Nancy Schwartz Robin Everhart Guy Wenck
 Monika Fauth Lina Everhart

Hospice Care

J-WALKERS FALL SCHEDULE 2022



Sunday, October 16th
 J-Walkers Halloween Party
 5-8 PM

Sunday, November 20th
 J-Walkers
 5-7 PM



Sunday, December 11th
 J-Walkers Christmas Cookie Showdown
 5-7 PM

J-Walkers continues their Fall schedule. You can sign up your child for these events using the link below!

ttsu.me/jwalkers

MARY & JOSEPH are having a **BABY BOY!** You're invited to a Sunday Funday Baby Shower. When: Sunday, December 11, 11:45-2:30. Where: Mt. Zion UCC. What: Pizza, party games, and learning about families in need like Jesus'. Bring: Gifts of diapers and wipes to donate to New Hope. Sign-up: ttsu.me/sundayfunday

The next Sunday Funday will be a Christmas party with food on December 11th from 11:45 AM - 2:30 PM. You can sign up using the link below!

ttsu.me/sundayfunday

Mt. Zion Men's Ministry

Tri-M Prayer Break-Fast

☀️ 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, prayer begins at 6:45 AM

🕒 November 8th: Round the Clock East

🏠 November 22nd: Stonybrook Family Restaurant

Questions? Contact Denny Daugherty or Scott McCracken



The next prayer breakfast for Tri-M will be on November 22nd at Stonybrook Family Restaurant. Each breakfast will have

a short prayer/discussion topic as well as time for Fellowship. Men of all ages are invited to join! If you have any questions, please contact Denny Daugherty at denny@daughertys.net or Scott

CHILDREN'S BELL CHOIR & VOCAL CHOIR



Sunday, December 18th, 10:30 AM

Practice on Saturday, December 17th at 9 AM



Sign up at: ttsu.me/cantatakids



MT. ZION MISSIONS



The Monthly Mission for November is Central Penn Food Bank specifically their military share program. Military Share is designed to provide fresh, nutritious foods for families with at least

one member who served in the armed forces. Your donations will go towards this program.

READY, SET, GO.

God calls. God equips. God sends.



We close our November series with the theme Go: God Sends. Thank you to the team members: Brenda

Beyer, Mike Gibbs, Deb Herlocker, Connie Wolfe, & Pastor Danielle.



grow IN GRACE

MT. ZION WOMEN'S RETREAT
 APRIL 21-23, 2023

The theme of our 2023 Women's Retreat is Grown in Grace! If you would be

interested in receiving more information about the retreat, please click the link in the weekly e-mails or call us and let us know. We would love to share a weekend of faith and fellowship with you!

TREASURER'S REPORT

Date	Attendance	Current Receipts	Ave. Weekly E-tithing	Total Received for Current	Weekly Budget for Current Exp
October 23, 2022	20 (8 AM in-person) 66 (10:30 AM in-person) 52 (streaming)	\$2,329.00	\$2,172.00 (based on 5 wks/month)	\$4,501.00	\$6,116.00
October 30, 2022	27 (8 AM in-person) 59 (10:30 AM in-person) 41 (streaming)	\$3,465.00	\$2,172.00 (based on 5 wks/month)	\$5,637.00	\$6,116.00
November 6, 2022	25 (8 AM in-person) 67 (10:30 AM in-person) 60 (streaming)	\$1,661.00	\$2,715.00 (based on 4 wks/month)	\$4,376.00	\$6,116.00
November 13, 2022	20 (8 AM in-person) 55 (10:30 AM in-person) 42 (streaming)	\$5,311.00	\$2,715.00 (based on 4 wks/month)	\$8,026.00	\$6,116.00