

MT. ZION UCC ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF 9.10.23

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- September 10 (Sun)** Presentation of Bibles to 3rd & 4th graders
In-person worship service, 8:00 AM
Confirmation Class in Room 5, 9:00 AM
In-person & streaming worship service, 10:30 AM
Kid's Sunday School, during worship 10:30AM
Sunday Funday in Room 5, 1:00-2:30 PM
- September 12 (Tu)** **Tri-M Prayer Breakfast at Round the Clock East, 6:45 AM**
Book Study in Room 5, 10:00 AM
Outreach core meeting in the Fellowship Hall, 7:00 PM
- September 13 (W)** **Kids playtime at John Rudy Park, 5:30 PM**
Walking Worship at John Rudy Park, 6:00 PM
Worship choir rehearsal in the choir room, 7:00 PM
- September 14 (Th)** **"Great Expectations" Bible Study in Room 5, 9:30 AM**
- September 17 (Sun)** **In-person worship service, 8:00 AM**
Adult Sunday School in Room 5, 9:00 AM
In-person & streaming worship service, 10:30 AM
Kid's Sunday School, during worship 10:30AM
Church Council Meeting in Room 5, 11:45 AM

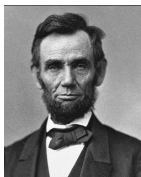
Dial-in Number for 10:30 AM Service:
888-719-1054

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER YOUTH SCHEDULE

- 03 SEP: Youth Group in the Fellowship Hall 6:00-8:00 PM
- 22 SEP: Alive! Middle School National Gathering
- 24 SEP: Brownie Making for Mr. Sandy's 9:00-10:00 AM
- 30 SEP: Maize Quest (J-Walkers & Youth Group) 1:00-7:00 PM
- 01 OCT: Youth Group in the Fellowship Hall 6:00-8:00 PM
- 20 OCT: Create Spooky Hallway/ Watch Halloween Movies 5:00-9:00 PM
- 22 OCT: Trunk-or-Treat in Church Parking Lot/ Run Haunted Hallway 4:30-7:00 PM

Youth Group's next outing is on Saturday, September 30th, where they will join the J-Walkers at MAIZE Quest from 1:00-7:00 PM. In October, they'll have their regular meeting on Sunday, October 1st from 6:00-8:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. They will set up a Haunted Hallway and watch Halloween movies on Friday, October 20th from 5:00-9:00 PM. Then they will help out with Trunk-or-Treat on Sunday, October 22nd from 4:00-5:00 PM, and then run the Haunted Hallway for the J-Walkers from 5:00-7:00 PM. As a reminder, Youth group is for anyone in 7th-12th grade. We hope you join us!

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The Ridgerunners invite you to a special program on Wednesday, October 4th, 2023 from 1-2 PM. The topic is *The Assassination & Funeral of Abraham Lincoln*. This account has all the essentials of a murder mystery. The difference is that this story is absolutely true!

To sign up, please R.S.V.P. by calling Jesse Smith at 717-873-6576 or by email at pencil-pusher6@gmail.com. Family and friends are welcome to attend!

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL
GENESIS
 9:00 AM Bring your favorite Bible or Bible App and let's start with God, in the beginning!

On Sunday, September 17th @ 9 AM, adult Sunday school will be offered with Pastor Amy downstairs in Room 5. The Adult Sunday School will start by studying Genesis. Bring your favorite Bible or Bible app and a heart and mind ready to learn together!

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER KID-MIN SCHEDULE

- 10: Presentation of Bibles to 3rd/4th graders 10:30 AM
- 10: Sunday School Kick-Off 10:30 AM
- 8: Sunday Funday in Fellowship Hall 1:00-2:30 PM
- 22: Trunk-or-Treat in Church Parking Lot 5:00-6:00 PM
- 30: Maize Quest (J-Walkers & Youth Group) 1:00-7:00 PM
- 15: Holy Dingalings 10:30 AM
- 22: J-Walkers Sardines/Hide-and-Seek 6:00-7:00 PM

Sunday, September 10th will kick-off our kid ministry program year! On that Sunday, we will be kicking off Sunday School during the service, and have Sunday Funday from 1:00—2:30 PM. Also in September—On Saturday, September 30th, the J-Walkers (2nd-6th grade) will join the Youth at Maize Quest from 1:00—7:00 PM. You can sign-up for all these events using the links below!

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ttsu.me/sundayfunday

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PRAYER REQUESTS

Undergoing Treatment:	Recuperating
Jen Kerchner	Al Fauth
Nancy Schwartz	Dennis Hartman
Ted Trout-Landen	
Robin Everhart	
Sharon Baines	

You can call the church office, e-mail the office, or text 717-408-9280 to submit prayer requests. We also have a prayer chain e-mail where we lift up prayer requests. If you'd like to be a part of that e-mail list, please contact Travis in the church office.

MT. ZION MISSIONS



Our September monthly mission is Hospice & Community Care which is dedicated to providing care and comfort to help patients and families live better at end of life. Thank you for your support!



We are in need of volunteers for Welcome Teams for the months of September and October. Anyone can be on the welcome team and no prior experience is necessary!

As a reminder, we are returning to the **8 AM and 10:30 AM** services beginning September 10th. If you are interested in helping out, simply fill out the form using the link in the weekly e-mails or calling the church office and you will be assigned your dates from there. Thanks so much!

Mr. Sandy's Helping Hands

♥ Sunday, September 24th

♥ Need Cooks (2:00-4:00 PM)
Need Servers (4:15-6 PM)

♥ Questions: Call Carol Hartman at 717-755-2588

♥ Sign up in the back narthex or by calling the church office

On Sunday, September 24th we will be cooking and serving meals for Mr. Sandy's Helping Hands for Veterans. The number of people we serve is growing so we really need your help. To sign-up there is a sign-up poster in the Narthex next to the coffee station or you can call Travis in the church office. Cooks should arrive at the church at 2:00pm, servers 4:15pm. Mission Core would like to

thank all those kind hearts and willing hands who have participated in the past.

Oktoberfest

Saturday, October 21, 2023
11 AM- 2 PM



Pulled Pork, Sauerkraut, Hot Dogs, Chicken Corn Soup, Soft Pretzels, Apple Dumplings*, Pies, Baked Goods, Book sale, Rummage Sale, Kids Crafts

Fun for the whole family!!!

Oktoberfest is back on Saturday, October 21st from 11 AM—2 PM! There will be delicious food, family activities, a book sale, & a cash and carry sale. We are in need of volunteers to help to prepare for the event and on the day of the event, as well as donations of ingredients for the food that will be prepared. All sign up sheets can be found in the side narthex. Thank you for your support of this day of fellowship and fun!

2023 FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

2023 Financial Report (Jan-August)		
Total Income	Total Expenses	Diff
\$194,516.65	\$235,285.33	\$ (-40,768.68)

Amount needed to make budget each month:	\$32,661.50
Total Income for the month of July	\$24,579.59
Total Income for the month of August	\$20,137.53

Weekly Attendance	
Date	Attendance
August 13, 2023	69 (10 AM in-person) 40 (streaming)
August 20, 2023	71 (10 AM in-person) 53 (streaming)
August 27, 2023	118 (10 AM in-person) 47 (streaming)
September 3, 2023	57 (10 AM in-person) 40 (streaming)