# April 21, 2024 – April 27, 2024

Please call the church office, 829-4317, at any time with any needs you may have. You may leave a voice mail during times the office is not staffed. We will forward your message to the appropriate person. If there is an emergency, please contact Pastor Benson, 218-821-9784, or one of the Elders. Please contact the church office if you wish to include someone on the Weekly Prayer Card. Announcements are printed on Thursday afternoon. Please have requests submitted to the office before noon on Thursday.

Those who have requested	prayers this week.
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Jeanette	Bob	Joanne
Riley	Carl	Barb
Eileen Kathy		Теуа
Derrick	Joann	CJ
Doro's son	Karey's grandmother	Pam's great nephew
Kris	Jackie	Diane
Friend of Mary	Chad's mother	Jenny's mother

## Birthdays

Apr 22	Apr 24	Apr 26	Apr 27
Jessica	Jody	Blake	Brandon

#### Anniversaries

Gerry & Tessie – April 25, 60 years Jack & Linda – April 26, 50 years Joe & Trina– April 26, 27 years Reggie & Barbara A– April 26, 27 years Jacob & Marsha – April 27, 5 years

# **Other Prayers**

- God's wisdom for President Biden, Governor Walz and all elected officials as they grapple with our community, state, nation, and world.
- Comfort for all who struggle with depression and anxiety, especially those who are contemplating suicide. Help them find their value in You.
- Comfort for those who mourn.
- Comfort and strength for those who are imprisoned or incarcerated and their families.

# Zion Members & Friends Serving in the Military

David Albertson – Air Force, McCord AFB, WA Sean Avery - Afghanistan Lt. Michaela Biegner-Wentz – Bahrain, Asia SFC Jonathan Fondow – US Army Sgt Jon Kelley – US Marines Maxim Osborne – Air Force, Lackland TX Jason Paschall – US Navy, Hawaii Tylor Snyder – US Marines

## OUR RESPONSE TO THE LORD

General	\$4,186.00	Weekly Budget Needs	\$7,123.00
Online Giving – General	\$1,316.25	<- Total General Offering	\$5,502.25

## **OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS**

Sunday School Rolls	\$60.90	Special Needs	\$5.00
Youth Activities – NYG	\$50.00	Building Fund	\$500.00

	ELDERS	RSST	ACOLYTES	READER
Sun, 9 am	Todd W	Ron N	Blake & Zackrey	Pat V
Mon, 6 pm	Rob L	Ken B		

\*\*\*Upcoming Events\*\*\*

- Tue, Apr 23 from 5 7 pm HHHH @ Poncho & Lefty's
- > Tue, Apr 23 @ 6:30 pm Special Needs Social Group
- > Wed, Apr 24 from 6:30 to 8:45 pm Confirmation & Sr. High Youth at Bay Rally
- > Thu, Apr 25 @ 10:30 am Ladies Aid Coffee Hour
- > Sun, May 19 @ 11 am Confirmation Service

	***ZION'S WEEKLY CALENDAR***		
Sun, Apr 21	9:00 am	Worship Service w/LS	
	10:20 am	Sunday School & Bible Study	
	11:30 am	Board of Ed Meeting	
Mon, April 22	6:00 pm	Worship Service w/LS	
Tue, April 23	8:30 am	LWML Zone Rally in Garrison	
	Noon	Staff Meeting	
	5:00 pm	HHHH @ Poncho & Lefty's – RSVP Minna	
	6:30 pm	Special Needs Social Group	
Wed, April 24	10:00 am	Bible Study	
	6:30 pm	Confirmation Bay Rally	
	6:30 pm	Sr. High Youth Group @ Northern Pacific Center	
Thu, April 24	10:30 am	Ladies Aid Coffee Hour w/updates	
Sun, April 28	9:00 am	Worship Service	
	10:20 am	Sunday School & Bible Study	

Do you have an old handheld calculator that you no longer use? Please bring it to church! David Benson is looking for used calculators for his classroom in Fargo. We will have a box available for you to drop them off in.

Today's Light Devotional Bible Readings: Everyone is invited to join in reading the Bible in a 2-year church plan. Each week we will list the daily passages to read. There are no readings assigned for Sunday, it is a day of rest and worship.

The next week's readings are:

Monday, April 22: Deuteronomy 27:1-26 Tuesday, April 23: Deuteronomy 28:1-68 Wednesday, April 24: Deuteronomy 29:1-29 Thursday, April 25: Deuteronomy 30:1-20 Friday, April 26: Deuteronomy 31:1-29 Saturday, April 27: Deuteronomy 31:30-32:52 Sunday Church



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- 1. Through Thrivent Choice<sup>®</sup>, clients with membership can contribute to organizations and causes they care about and influence how Thrivent distributes some of its charitable grant funding through Choice Dollars<sup>®</sup>.
- 2. Through Trivent Action Teams, clients with membership are eligible to lead up to 2 Thrivent Action teams. What this means is that you can sign up online to receive a grant of up to \$250 which can be used for outreach activities and fundraisers. In the past, we have used them to help promote and support the Polka Serivce, the Shepherds Canyon retreats and Trunk or Treat.

If you are a member of Thrivent, please contact the church office to be put on a list of Thrivent members from the congregation. When opportunities come up, we will work together to process an Action Team.