

February 9, 2024 – February 15, 2025

Please call the church office, 829-4317, at any time with any need 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.

Barb	Joanne	Tim
Judy	Duane	Walt
Carl	Jamie	Dellis
Jeanette <i>Pam's friend</i>	Mike <i>Mary's brother</i>	Beth <i>Daughter-in-law of Steve</i>
Derrick <i>Doro's son</i>	Barb <i>Cousin of Mary</i>	Charlie <i>Great-grandson of Charlie & Sharon</i>
Ryan & Molly <i>Friends of Todd</i>	Karen <i>Friend of Minna</i>	Faye <i>Ali's future grandmother</i>
Joy <i>Kenneth's mother</i>	Clayr <i>Judy's niece</i>	Lillian <i>Granddaughter of Steve & Lisa</i>
Victoria <i>Daughter of Les</i>	Kris <i>Friend of Mary</i>	Cathi <i>Niece of Barb & Carole</i>
	Laurie <i>Friend of Jim</i>	Lori <i>Friend of Pastor Steve</i>

Birthdays

Feb 9	Feb 11	Feb 12	Feb 14
Matt	Barb	Scott	Josh

Other Prayers

- God's wisdom for President Trump and his staff, 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.
- Prayers for the Lord's guidance as Pastor deliberates his call.
- Comfort for Bob and family on the passing of his brother, Vernon.
- Comfort for the family of Lori whose sister, Kerry, passed away Tuesday

Emeritus (Retired) workers of the MN North District

Rev. Delbert Meyer – New York Mills

Rev. Frank Milo – Pine River

Rev. John Moe – Emily

Rev. Thomas Mueller – Sartell

Mark Noennig – Sabin

Sheila Peterson - Cloquet

	ELDERS	RSST	ACOLYTES	READER
Sun, 9 am	Josh K & Todd W	All available	Carter & Lydia	Diane S
Mon, 6 pm	Rob L	All available		

OUR RESPONSE TO THE LORD

General	\$6,391.00	Weekly Budget Needs	\$7,107.30
Online Giving – General	\$2,225.05	<- Total General Offering	\$8,616.05

OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS

Sunday School	\$2.00	Youth Activities	\$175.00
Online Giving – Building Fund	\$5.00		

*****Upcoming Events*****

- **Fri, Feb 14 from 6 to 10 pm – Parents Night Out Babysitting for Zion members**
- **Sun, Feb 16 @ 11:30 am – Potluck & Puzzle Tournament**
- **Sun, Feb 23 @ 11:30 am – Endure Youth Manditory Meeting/Bible Study & Potluck**
- **Tue, Feb 25 @ 5:00 pm – Holy Hungry Happy Hour at Yesterday's Gone**



Would your group be willing to serve a Lenten meal?

Please consider signing up on the sheet in the Gathering Hall.

The Youth are sponsoring a Hurricane Drive. Please check out the insert. If you feel you can help out, a drop box will be located in the Lounge. Thank you for your generosity and support!

VBS Planning Meeting


February 12 at 6pm.

Please feel free to join us if you are interested in helping this year. Our theme is Hometown Nazareth. We are looking forward to another great year!

ZION'S WEEKLY CALENDAR		
Sun, Feb 9	9:00 am	<i>Worship</i>
	10:15 am	<i>Bible Study & Sunday School</i>
Mon, Feb 10	6:00 pm	<i>Worship</i>
Wed, Feb 12	10:30 am	<i>Bible Study</i>
	6:00 pm	<i>VBS planning meeting</i>
	6:30 pm	<i>Confirmation & SHY</i>
Thu, Feb 13	6:00 pm	<i>Board of Outreach at church</i>
Fri, Feb 14	6 – 10 pm	<i>Parents' Night Out babysitting</i>
Sun, Feb 16	9:00 am	<i>Worship w/LS</i>
	10:15 am	<i>Bible Study & Sunday School</i>
	11:30 am	<i>Potluck & Puzzle Tournament</i>



PARENTS NIGHT OUT

Planning something special for Valentine's Day? 
Our Youth will watch your youngsters here at church from 6 – 10 pm.
Please sign up either online or on the form in the Gathering Hall.

Help Thy Neighbor

Some members in our congregation are suffering health issues and could use a hand. If you're ever willing and able to help someone in need, please sign up on the list in the Gathering Hall and let us know what you're good at. There are many ways to help. You could be a blessing to someone who's struggling. 😊



Potluck
Puzzle
Tournament

Join us for potluck and puzzle tournament following Service on Sunday, February 16 from 11:30 - 2 pm.

A key was found in the parking lot, it appears to be a house key. If it is yours, please stop in the office to pick it up.



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, Feb 10: Jeremiah 15:1-17:27

Tuesday, Feb 11: Jeremiah 18:1-19:15

Wednesday, Feb 12: Jeremiah 20:1-22:30

Thursday, Feb 13: Jeremiah 23:1-40

Friday, Feb 14: Jeremiah 24:1-25:38

Saturday, Feb 15: Jeremiah 26:1-28:17

Sunday Church

Our Chili Cook Off is coming up Sunday, March 2 from 11:30 - 1 pm. Start putting your teams and recipes together.

The sign-up sheet is in the Gathering Hall.



Annual Contribution Statements have been moved to your mailbox for you to pick up. If you have requested yours to be emailed, it has been sent. If you have any questions or corrections or would like to have yours emailed in the future, please contact Colleen.