# **Announcements**

**ALL AGES YOUTH NIGHT** with St. Andrews Presbyterian, Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup> in Zion's Gym. Dinner at 5:30 pm, ice breakers, music, bible study, gym activities. Closing prayer at 8:15 pm. Call/text Martha Ferguson 306-270-2370 or Pastor Ron 306-229-5982

**WAYS TO GIVE AT ZION** – did you know there are many ways to give financially to Zion? Along with your offering envelope with cheque or cash inside, there are other ways to give at Zion. We accept e-transfer (sent to <a href="mailto:zion.office@sasktel.net">zion.office@sasktel.net</a> – it is set up for auto-deposit) and we can set up monthly withdrawals from your bank account. You can also donate to Zion through canadahelps.ca.

FINANCIAL UPDATE – July 2022

YTD Actual YTD Budget Difference Offering \$180,545 \$205,792 \$-25,247

Line of Credit balance (as of April 2022): \$16,929.39

In Our Prayers: Derwin Hall, Andrea Nostbakken, Nandari Swamy, Weldeyesus family, Mallory Jess, Cecelia Jurgens, Betty McManus, Aaron Froese, Glenn Wood, Borgny Lokken, Samhara & Saraq, Thor Kliev, Ivar Moen, Don Peterson, Louise Dahlen, Mary Kamineski, Linda and Steven, Jennifer Finstad, Bereket and family, Alice Olson, Paul Nostbakken, Gloria Hamp, Kaye Senum, Maxine Olson, Ione Tysseland, Patti Pfeifer, Phyllis and family of Bob Jenson, Keri Schaffel, Neil Shantz

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OFFICE HOURS: Mon – Fri 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

### **Zion Contact Information**

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**WELCOME VISITORS!** If you would like more information about us, please fill out a communion card (found in the pew) and give it to an usher. **We invite all who are baptized in the Christian faith to commune.** If you do not commune, we invite you to come forward to receive our Lord's Blessing from our Pastor. If you wish to receive communion in your pew, please notify your usher. White grape juice (in the middle of the tray) and red wine are available. Gluten free wafers are available upon request.

Sunday In-Person Worship – In-Person worship is welcome! Our fall schedule will begin September 11<sup>th</sup> with service being at 10:30 am.

Naomi Bible Studies will begin with our first gathering on Monday, September 12 at 1:30 pm in Heritage Hall. The study will continue to be based on the Parables. There will be no sharing of food or drinks but feel free to bring your own travel mug, etc. Masks are welcome. All are welcome – it will be good to be together again!

**SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE** – Would you be willing to help out with coffee on Sunday mornings? A sign up sheet will be located near the coffee urn every week. Please sign up as often as you like! See Alice or Andrea if you have any questions.

WELCOME BACK! Join us for a Hamburger BBQ in Heritage Hall immediately following the 10:30 am worship service today! Hamburgers, toppings, beverages and desserts will be provided.

### ORDER OF SERVICE - SETTING 6

### **GATHERING**

Prelude: "Amazing Grace" - arr. Butler

Invocation & Welcome

**Confession & Absolution** 

Gathering Hymn: "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" – ELW #834

Kyrie – ELW pg. 165

Glory to God - ELW pg. 167

Prayer of the Day: (see front of bulletin)

### WORD

First Lesson: Exodus 32:7-14

Psalm 51:1-14

**Second Lesson:** 1 Timothy 1:12-17 Gospel Acclamation – ELW pg. 171

Gospel Lesson: Luke 15:1-10

Homily

Hymn of the Day: "Amazing Grace, How Sweet the

Sound" - ELW #779 Apostles' Creed - pg. 105

**Prayers of Intercession** (P: Lord, in your mercy

C: Hear our prayer)

### MEAL

The Peace

Offering: "Create in Me"

The Great Thanksgiving – ELW pg. 172

Holy, Holy – ELW pg. 173

The Lord's Prayer (contemporary version)

Lamb of God – ELW pg. 174

Communion: "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"

- ELW #588; "Refiner's Fire"

Communion Blessing

### **SENDING**

**Blessings & Announcements** 

Sending Song: "Lord, Speak to Us, That We May Speak" – ELW #676

"Go in peace, with Christ beside you."

"Thanks be to God!"

Postlude: "Postlude" - Denis Bedard

## **Scripture Readings:**

### Exodus 32:7-14

The LORD said to Moses, 'Go down at once! Your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have acted perversely; they have been quick to turn aside from the way that I commanded them; they have cast for themselves an image of a calf, and have worshipped it and sacrificed to it, and said, "These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!" 'The LORD said to Moses, 'I have seen this people, how stiffnecked they are. Now let me alone, so that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them; and of you I will make a great nation.'

But Moses implored the LORD his God, and said, 'O LORD, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? Why should the Egyptians say, "It was with evil intent that he brought them out to kill them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth"? Turn from your fierce wrath; change your mind and do not bring disaster on your people. Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, how you swore to them by your own self, saying to them, "I will multiply your descendants like the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your descendants, and they shall inherit it for ever." ' And the LORD changed his mind about the disaster that he planned to bring on his people.

# 1 Timothy 1:12-17

I am grateful to Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because he judged me faithful and appointed me to his service, even though I was formerly a blasphemer, a persecutor, and a man of violence. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the foremost. But for that very reason I received mercy, so that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display the utmost patience, making me an example to those who would come to believe in him for eternal life. To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honour and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

### Luke 15:1-10

Now all the tax-collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to him. And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, 'This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them.'

So he told them this parable: 'Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it? When he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders and rejoices. And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbours, saying to them, "Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost." Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who need no repentance.

'Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? When she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbours, saying, "Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost." Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.'

# Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost September 11, 2022 10:00 am Evangelical Lutheran Worship

Prayer of the Day: O God, overflowing with mercy and compassion, you lead back to yourself all those who go astray. Preserve your people in your loving care, that we may reject whatever is contrary to you and may follow all things that sustain our life in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.



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