

This Week's Calendar...

Sunday, September 24, 2023

9:00am - Worship Service
10:00am - Kid Church - Welcome Back Kids!
11:00am - Rally Day! All Church Pot Luck

Monday, September 25, 2023

4:00-6:00 pm - Community Meal at Zion Lutheran Church

Tuesday, September 26, 2023

6:30pm - Torah Club

Wednesday, September 27, 2023

5:00pm - 7:00pm - Confirmation
6:00pm - Bells

Sunday, October 1, 2023

9:00am - Worship Service
10:00am - Kid Church

**T-shirts and Sweatshirts order is in process and should be arrive in approximately 2-3 weeks. Thank you for your support of our FUMC Youth!!



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Worship Service

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Prelude

Opening Hymn

On-Screen

"Awesome God"

Welcome, Greeting & Announcements

Prayer of Confession

ALL: Good Lord, we believe that you have begun a good work in each one of us. You have created us, giving us gifts that we are called to share with others. And still, so often we fail to remember your Spirit at work in our lives, let alone reflect the goodness you have created in each one of us. Forgive us, O Lord. Take away our sin. Set us on a new and right path again. Through Jesus we pray. Amen.

Leader: Hear the Good News! The Lord God of Israel has looked favorably upon his people. A mighty Savior has been raised up. He has redeemed us. Salvation has come through the forgiveness of our sins. In the name of this Holy One, you are forgiven!

Scripture Reading

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Mark 12:29-33

Gloria Patri -- Page 70

Apostles' Creed -- Page 881

Offering

Hymn

On-Screen

"Great Are You Lord"

Sermon

Communion & Lord's Prayer

Closing Hymn TFWS(black) #2190 "Bring Forth the Kingdom"

Benediction

Postlude

**Sunday
funday**



Make Sunday the best
day of the week!
Use these questions to
start your discussion.

1. When , if ever, have you tried bribing your parents for a favor? What was your offer?
2. What does it mean to "act justly" and "love mercy" and "walk humbly" with God?

MISSION FOCUS:



Zoe Empowers equips children in 8 critical areas of life to overcome extreme poverty and become entrepreneurs, providers, and leaders in their community who know their worth and abilities. Through participation in a three year program children are given education, training, security and the opportunity to experience the gospel in action. Learn more about the ministry on their website <https://zoeempowers.org/>

Support the ministry through prayer and by designating a portion of your offering to "missions" in September.

Announcements

Are you a visitor? - Welcome! We are so glad you're here! If you are looking for a church home we would be honored to have you Worship with us! Please contact Pastor Chris or the church office for more new member information. Thank you for being here!

Rally Day! - TODAY!! Sunday September 24 , 11:00am (after Sunday School) - Come hungry! It is an all Church Pot Luck. Bring a dish to share : A-H: Main Dish I -P: Salad Q-Z: dessert. We look forward to seeing everyone!

Confirmation Meals - We are in need of Volunteers to help with meals for our confirmation youth on Wednesdays. For more details please contact Pastor Chris.



Love Does study - based on the book by Bob Goff, Led by Pastor Chris. This 5-week study will engage us in discussion about what life might look like if we shamelessly show love and grace to those around us. When love does, life gets interesting. Light and fun, unique and profound, please join us for this inspiring study. Thursdays, October 5, 12, 19, 26, and November 2 at 11:00am or 7:00pm Study and discussion groups will be held at the church. Sign up in the Fellowship Hall.



KICK | Kids in Christ Kingdom - All children Grades K-5, Join us Wednesday nights 6-7pm as we embark on a deep sea adventure! Full of Crafts, Snacks and JESUS! For more information please contact Erin Thorvaldson or Tina Forcier.

How can you help? - **KICK** is in need of snack donations. Kid friendly, individual items. Examples : Juice boxes, Goldfish, Chewy Granola bars, Applesauce pouches.

"Powerful things happen when women gather!"

In our church today we have the opportunity to begin a ministry for women with the purpose of growing faith, fostering friendship, and serving others. On Thursday, September 28 at 6:00 we will gather for a discussion of next steps towards starting this ministry. Every woman is invited and encouraged to attend. If, you **will not be attending**, please contact Dorothy Lecy, Sharlene Arnold, or Barb Prindle so that we have sufficient materials ready.

Bell Choir - Meeting Wednesday evenings 6:00-7:00pm Hope Circle Room. See Patsy Berglund with any questions.



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