

Zion Lutheran Church LCMS

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THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

February 21, 2010

TODAY'S SERMON: "Stepping Out in Faith" **Luke 4:1**

Blessings and Greetings to all worshipers in Christ's Royal Name. It is the message of the cross and His redeeming love that unites us together in worship and work in this family of faith.

Pastor Kenny's Hours: Pastor's office hours are 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Monday through Thursday. You may contact Pastor Kenny directly on his cell phone (838-1296) or at his home (347-1537) if there is an illness, hospitalization, or other pastoral need. Pastor's e-mail address is: pastorkenny@att.blackberry.net

Flowers on the Altar: The flowers on the altar today are given by Tom and Dee Kiebel to the glory of God and in celebration of the birth of their grandson, Karl Thomas Kiebel, Jr.

Coffee Hour: If you are able to bring baked goods and/or host a future coffee hour, sign-up sheets are posted in the Church Narthex and the Conference Room.

Mission Trip Cancelled: The planned mission trip to Blaine, KY (May 1st-7th) has been cancelled. The required minimum number of a 12 member team could not be reached. A mission trip for this fall will again be attempted. Bob Manning - Missions Elder

Monday Night Dinners: Thank you to Spicy Bob's Italian Express for last week's entrée, the congregation for our salad, and Johan's Pastry Shop for the dessert. Please contact Sandi Ferguson, 526-0062, if you can assist.

Thank you: Mary Martha would like to extend a special thank you to everyone who made last Sunday's bake sale a big success by providing and purchasing baked goods. \$657 was raised and will be used toward the purchase of a new dishwasher.

FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE		LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE		LAST YEAR'S ATTENDANCE	
2009 Offerings	\$41,892	2010 8:00 am	64	2009 8:00 am	60
2010 Offerings to date	\$40,906	2010 10:30 am	153	2009 10:30 am	110
2010 Budget needed to date	\$45,430	2010 7:07 pm	55	2009 7:07 pm	62
		2010 Ash Wed.	91	2009 Ash Wed.	81
		2010 Attendance:	1,693	2009 Attendance	1,844

SERVING US THIS WEEK

ELDERS Ed Jacoby / Fred Geuder 8:00 am
 Richard Ferguson 10:30 am
 Carl Schneider 7:07 pm

GREETERS Jane Montgomery 8:00 am
 Gerry & Mona Mitchell 10:30 am

NURSERY Lydia Pugh 10:30 am

NEXT WEEK

Ed Jacoby / Fred Geuder 8:00 am
 Richard Ferguson 10:30 am
 Carl Schneider 7:07 pm

Al & Sandy Hansen 8:00 am
 Andy & Karen Altman 10:30 am

Lydia Pugh 10:30 am

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR AT ZION

Sunday	8:00 am	Worship w/communion	Wednesday	10:00 am	Ladies Bible Class
	9:15 am	Adult Bible Study		2:00 pm	Bortz Ministry
	10:30 am	Worship w/communion		6:00 pm	Handbells
	6:30 pm	Sr. Youth Group		7:00 pm	Worship
Monday	6:30 pm	Zion's Free Meal		7:45 pm	Choir
	7:07 pm	Worship	Thursday	-----	
	7:00 pm	AA	Friday	9:15 am	MOPS
Tuesday	6:45 am	Men's Bible Study		11:00 am	Hospital Ministry
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Children's Church: This week's session will teach our children that "Jesus is worthy of glory". Children will bring glory to Jesus through worship. We are in **need of helpers** committed to at least one of these dates, so please pick a date:

Pre-K	3/14	3/21	4/4	4/11	4/25	5/2	5/23	5/30
Elem.	3/21	4/4	4/11	5/9	5/16	5/23	5/30	

The weekly lessons are already planned and take about 20-30 minutes to facilitate each Sunday. Lesson plans can be found on Zion's website calendar under the "[children's church](#)" link. Contact Dan for more information about how you can give to the Children of God.

Youth Group: We will have our Sr. High Youth Small Group gathering tonight at 6:30 pm at the Bob-In-Again Restaurant – Dessert is on Dan. In our small group, we will be focusing on "Reaching out to our friends". Feel free to bring a friend because our theme is about reaching out to them. See you there!!!

Confirmation: To those students being confirmed this year, we will be using March 14 & 21 to design and make your stoles. Confirmation Sunday will be held at the 10:30 am service on Palm Sunday. Be sure to come early to get a good seat.

Baby Bottle Fundraiser: An informational insert is included in today's bulletin. The bottles are located on the ledge in the sanctuary. After 30 days, please bring them back and place them in Dan Longden's office. He will get them directly to the Pregnancy and Resource Center, and we will keep you updated on the amount raised.