

Zion Lutheran Church LCMS

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THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

March 14, 2010

TODAY'S SERMON: "An Older Brother, An Older Problem" **Luke 15:28-30**

WELCOME: A cordial welcome in our Savior's Name to all worshipers, especially our visitors and guests. May your worship be a blessing to you.

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 Zion's Mary Martha Society to the glory of God.

Coffee Hour: Volunteers are needed to help host future Sunday coffee hours. Please check the sign-up sheets posted in the Conference Room and on the Narthex Bulletin Board for available dates and consider signing up.

Lenten Service & Soup Supper: Join us this Wednesday, March 17, for good food and fellowship at our 5:30 pm soup supper, followed by the fifth Lenten Worship Service at 7:00 pm. This week's sermon is entitled "The Wounds of Paul".

Monday Night Dinners: Thank you to Randy's Mighty Good Pizza for last week's entrée, Roast & Toast Café for our salad, and Glen's North for the dessert. Please contact Sandi Ferguson, 526-0062, if you can assist.

Baptism: Justin, Benjamin and Lydia Pugh, children of Dave and Brenda Pugh, will be baptized into the family of God at the 10:30 am Worship Service this morning. Their sponsor is Dan Longden.

FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE		LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE		LAST YEAR'S ATTENDANCE	
2009 Offerings	\$62,769	2010 8:00 am	57	2009 8:00 am	47
2010 Offerings to date	\$59,622	2010 10:30 am	125	2009 10:30 am	115
2010 Budget needed to date	\$64,900	2010 7:07 pm	40	2009 7:07 pm	46
		2010 Lent Service	41	2009 Lent Service	56
		2010 Attendance:	2,510	2009 Attendance	2,629

SERVING US THIS WEEK

ELDERS Bob Manning/Steve Kehrer 8:00 am
 Jack George 10:30 am
 Carl Schneider 7:07 pm
GREETERS Don & Karen Jacobson 8:00 am
 Larry & Nancy Brown 10:30 am
NURSERY Lydia Pugh 10:30 am

NEXT WEEK

Bob Manning/Steve Kehrer 8:00 am
 Jack George 10:30 am
 Carl Schneider 7:07 pm
 Jim Washburn 8:00 am
 Jack & Susan George 10:30 am
 Lydia Pugh 10:30 am

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR AT ZION

Sunday	8:00 am	Worship	Tuesday	6:00 pm	Preschool Board
	9:15 am	Adult Bible Study		7:00 pm	Bd. of Trustees
	10:30 am	Worship	Wednesday	10:00 am	Ladies Bible Class
	6:30 pm	Jr. Youth Group		5:30 pm	Soup Supper
Monday	6:30 pm	Zion's Free Meal		6:00 pm	Handbells
	7:07 pm	Worship		7:00 pm	Worship
	7:00 pm	AA	Thursday	7:45 pm	Choir
Tuesday	6:45 am	Men's Bible Study	Friday	6:30 pm	Bd. of Elders
	11:00 am	Hospital Ministry		11:00 am	Hospital Ministry

Children's Church: This week's session will teach our children that "God helps us grow." Children will praise God for helping them grow in knowledge and understanding of Him. We are in **need of helpers** committed to at least one of these dates, so please pick a date:

<i>Pre-K</i>	3/21	4/4	4/11	4/18	4/25	5/2	5/23	5/30
<i>Elem.</i>	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. Contact Dan for more information about how you can give to the Children of God. ***Reminder*** *No Children's Church on Palm Sunday.*

Youth Group: We will have our Jr. High Youth Small Group tonight at 6:30 p.m. at the Bob-In Again restaurant. We will be focusing on "Growing in your faith." Feel free to bring a friend and remember...dessert is on Dan.

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.

Sader Service/Potluck Dinner is scheduled for Maundy Thursday, April 1 at 6 pm. Sign-up sheets for food and an estimate of attendance for planning and set-up purposes are posted in the Narthex. If possible, please indicate your intent to attend by Sunday, March 28, but please feel free to come even if you haven't signed up by the 28th.

