

Serving Today

Director of Music
Suzanne Galdun

Pastor
Jay Klein

Organist
Diane Grover

Greeters
Linda & Tony DeFranco

Altar Guild
Joan Gray, Sandra Timmermann

Reader
Mike Henshaw

Childcare
TBA

Acolyte
Noelle Rath

Ushers
Linda & Tony DeFranco
Mike Henshaw, Cynthia Crutchfield

Elders
Jon Sletten, Rolly Geiger

Fellowship Host
Bill & LaVonne Sell

Serving Sunday September 5

Greeters
Sue Holtz, Norm Gurgel

Altar Guild
Cynthia Crutchfield

Reader
Randy McGivney

Childcare
TBA

Acolyte
Jeff Larson

Ushers
Marion Sletten, Don Riehm
Amanda Stewart, George Zirzow

Elders
Joel Groenewold, Randy McGivney

Fellowship Host
TBA



Zion Lutheran Church

Weekly News

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August 29, 2010

Church Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:00 am to 4:30 pm

Sunday Worship is at 9:00 AM

Bible Study Opportunities

Adults

The Sunday morning Adult Bible class meets each week at 8:00 am in the fellowship hall below the sanctuary. Beginning August 29th, we'll begin to grow in the great truth that the Lord is ever present in our lives. In the church, in our families, in our very beings God Himself is present in our lives. This is just what you would expect from the living God! He's no idol, nor is He a figment of man's imagination! He is the ever present Creator, Redeemer, and the Giver of Life to us all. Realizing that He is both with us and that He loves us with a perfect love moves us to praise and worship Him and follow Him with joy!

Through September we'll see these truths and apply them to our lives as we take a close look at 1 John. Then, in October, we will look through both the Old and New Testaments to see signs of His Presence in our own lives as we live in these latter years.

May this study and sharing lead us to see better what the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit are doing in our lives! And seeing, may we be led to adore Him in joyful worship!

Men in the Morning

Come join your fellow men in the morning on Thursday's from 6:00 to 7:00 am in the gathering area of the church.



Child care is available during the service in room 12 of the Early Childhood Center. Ask an usher and they will guide you to the nursery.

WORDS OF WISDOM

Outreach

Some people are so proud of themselves and what they can accomplish that they think they can earn their way into heaven. In proper humility we know that we can never be saved by works but only by the grace of God in Jesus Christ as our one and only Savior. May we in a humble and gentle way share our faith in Jesus as the only way to heaven!

Stewardship

Hebrews 13:16 contains a great stewardship thought: *“Do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased.”* Maturing stewards seek to do those things that honor God and help our fellow man. Whether we are giving money, time and volunteer help we offer it as a sacrifice pleasing to God.

IN AND AROUND ZION

The Heart of Jesus: Women in the Gospel of Luke

The Wednesday Morning Ladies’ Bible Class is studying women in the Bible mentioned in Luke. We will see what God tells us about our lives through Jesus’ actions with these women. We will find out about the women who mourned Jesus’ death, the women who rejoiced in His resurrection, the crippled woman, the persistent widow, the poor widow, and the woman who lost her coin.

We meet the first, third and fifth Wednesdays from 9:30 to 11:15 am and have delicious treats, wonderful fellowship, and are greatly encouraged by each other and the Word. Please join us starting September 15th! Call Judy Mueller, 630-964-3376, Ruta Jensen, 630-325-1906 or the church office, 630-323-0384 if you do not already have a book, so we can obtain one for you.

Marion Verdon’s New Address

Greetings can be sent to Marion Verdon at the DuPage Convalescent Center, 400 County Farm Road, Room 2445, Wheaton, Il 60187.

HOW TO SHARE THE COMPASSION & PROCLAMATION OF JESUS CHRIST IN WAYS THAT DON’T COST MONEY

When: Wednesday, September 8
Where: St Peter, Schaumburg
Cost: Free-Free-Free

Time: 9 am to 3 pm
Address: 202 E Schaumburg Road
RSVP: 888-708-5267 ext 3105 or register online at www.ni.lcms.org

Here are some of the things you will learn:

- How to establish a climate of outreach with your members
- Engaging your community
- Ways to reach those who “like Jesus, but not the church”
- Using mission trips & service projects as opportunities for proclamation

Lunch: Lutheran Church Charities staff will serve a lunch typical of what they experienced in Haiti on their recent visit. If you have special dietary needs, please bring your own bag lunch.

This Week at Zion

Sunday August 29
 8:00 am Adult Bible Class
 9:00 am Worship with HC

Monday August 30
 Early Childhood Education Classes
 Begin

Tuesday August 31
 9:00 am Quilters



Wednesday September 1
 12:00 am Senior Fellowship

Thursday September 2
 6:00 pm Men in the Morning
 9:00 am M.O.L.’s

Sunday September 5
 8:00 am Adult Bible Class
 9:00 am Worship

Monday September 6
Labor Day
 Church & ECEC Closed

SENIOR FELLOWSHIP

Come join all your friends Wednesday, September 1st at 12:00 for lunch and

B I N G O!

We meet in the fellowship hall of the church. See you there!

Volunteers Needed

The DuPage Community Clinic is a free medical, dental, and mental health clinic serving low-income DuPage County residents who have no insurance or governmental assistance. The clinics are located in Wheaton, Carol Stream, Villa Park & Westmont. They are currently seeking volunteers for the following positions:

Doctors	Optometrists
Nurses	Registered Pharmacists
Psychologists	Medical Translators
Social workers	Office/Clerical Staff
Dentists	Receptionists
Dental Hygienists (Wheaton)	

Anyone interested in volunteering, or seeking additional information contact Yessi Cabrera at 630-682-0631 ext 19, or email ycabrere@dupagecommunityclinic.org. You may also visit their website at www.dupagecommunityclinic.org.

Physicians: They accept donations of overstock medical supplies and gently used medical equipment.

ZION'S LUTHERAN WOMEN'S MISSIONARY LEAGUE INVITES YOU TO AN

Old Fashioned Ice Cream Social

When: Tuesday, September 14, 2010 at 7:00 pm

Where: Zion Fellowship Hall

Come enjoy ice cream sundaes, homemade pies, &
Hot fudge brownie ala mode.

Pastor Carl Kay will join us and share the mission work he has been doing in Thailand this past year along with his wife Grace and son Nathanael.

Take the evening off, relax and enjoy some fellowship along with some delicious sweet treats. We'll see you there!



BOXES

We are looking for boxes heavy enough to pack books into. If you have some you would like to donate, drop them off in the fellowship hall.

Beth Moore

A group from Zion is attending the Living Proof Live Event on Saturday, September 18 at the Rosemont Horizon. Tickets are still available! If you would like to come call 1-800-254-2022 to order your own ticket. Info at www.lproof.org Click on Events. Call Ruta Jensen 630-325-1906 to car pool.

WHAT IS A SUKKAH?



Sukkah is the Hebrew word for “booth.” The Old Testament festival, *Sukkot*, or “booths” – also known as the Feast of Tabernacles was the last of the Biblically mandated observances. This was a celebration of the final harvest of the year and of God’s great provision for His people.

During Sukkot, the Israelites were required to leave the comfort of their homes and live in tabernacles, or booths – 3-sided temporary structures with leafy roofs through which the stars could be seen. In this way they would remember how their ancestors had lived in booths or tents when they were freed from slavery and came out of Egypt. In modern day commemoration of this festival, we not only remember God’s faithfulness in past generations but celebrate with joy the fulfillment of all He has delivered in Jesus Christ! While the command to honor this or any other festival is no longer demanded of Believers (Colossians 2:16-17), Christian liberty allows us the freedom to deepen our faith walk and strengthen our relationship with the Lord by commemorating festivals of our choosing. With that in mind, some members of Zion have volunteered to build a booth (sukkah) so that it can be placed in the front of our congregation beginning the week of September 21. On Sunday September 26 following worship, we will have the opportunity to gather for refreshments and “experience” the festival by entering into the sukkah. Details will be forthcoming but I wanted to let you know now so that you can invite your neighbors and friends to this unique opportunity. *Pastor Klein*

Lutheran Women's Missionary League

The Lutheran's Woman's Quarterly is available for you to pick up in the gathering area of the church. It has an interesting article about Katie Stam, Miss America 2009 in it. Envelopes are next to the magazine for donations to help defray the cost of the Quarterly.

LIFELINE SCREENING

Stroke is the third leading cause of death in the United States, and this catastrophic event can strike without warning. In fact, four out of five people who have had a stroke showed no apparent warning signs prior to their attack. Strokes can be stopped in their tracks. On Friday, September 24, 2010 here at Zion Lutheran Church there will be a Life Line Screening preventive health event to scan for the risk of stroke and other vascular conditions. Zion members can receive a \$10 discount off the package price by signing up using the sign-up sheet located in the Gathering area of the church. For more information on Life Line Screening, visit www.LifeLineScreening.com.

Monday Night Women's Bible Study

Join us for another Beth Moore DVD led Bible study: Breaking Free. This is Beth Moore's life message about freedom in Christ. She will take us through scripture to discover the transforming power of Christian freedom God intends for you to know and believe Him, glorify Him, experience His peace, and enjoy His presence. *"For Freedom Christ set us free. No longer be entangled in a yoke of bondage."* (Gal 5:1) We will learn how to remove the obstacles that keep us from being the women God created us to be and will journey through Judges and Isaiah to develop the steadfast mind of servants of God. *"...and [God will] provide for those who grieve in Zion to bestow on them a crown of beauty instead of ashes, the oil of gladness instead of mourning, and a garment of praise instead of a spirit of despair. They will be called oaks of righteousness, a planting of the Lord for the display of His splendor."* (Isaiah 61:3)

Please call Ruta Jensen (630-325-1906) or the church office (630-323-0384) by September 7 to order a study guide (\$15).

We meet from 6:45 to 8:45 pm in the gathering area of the church for 10 weeks from September 13 to November 15. We gather for refreshments at 6:45 and the class will begin at 7. Come for fellowship and to be greatly encouraged by The Word. Come to become a planting of the Lord, displaying His splendor.

Golf Tournament

You are invited to TEE OFF FOR THE STUDENTS at the Walther Tee Off for Student Scholarships on Monday, September 20, at the Royal Fox Country Club, 4405 Royal and Ancient Drive, St. Charles, IL. The tee Off is a benefit to raise money for the Grant in Aid program which provides financial support to assist students who have a financial need. To sign up as an individual golfer or foursome, attend the dinner, sponsor a hole, donate an auction item or prize, visit walther.com, call 708-344-0404 EXT 224 or see the brochure in the gathering area.

MISSIONS AND HUMAN CARE

Global Links

Zion Congregation is linked to Taiwan, where GEO missionary Mark Wolfram serves. He writes, "I have written before about my eighth grade student Jack, who started taking Baptism classes. This month I found out that he is continuing to take them and is set to be baptized in July. Since I will be in the United States, he told me that he could take some pictures for me to see. I was really excited to hear this. Also, during our conversations, Jack told me of another student who is in seventh grade, who is also in his Baptism classes. That student's name is Kevin. I teach Kevin for a small group conversation class, which rotates throughout the year. As a result I have taught him for three months worth of classes this year. Praise God that Kevin will also join Jack in the waters of Holy Baptism, and receive God's free gift of the Holy Spirit. Please pray for both of these students as they get ready to be baptized this summer."

Adventist St. Thomas Hospice

St Thomas Hospice seeks volunteers to work with Hospice patients. You do not need to be a professional to do Hospice work. The requirements are: a listening ear, a non-judgmental attitude and the desire to make a difference in the lives of terminally ill patients and their families. Classes will meet for 9 consecutive Tuesday's from 9:00 am-12:00 pm beginning Tuesday, September 21st, ending November 16th. If interested, please call Barb Zerby at 630-856-6998 to reserve your spot.

PILLARS

Buddy's Place Fall 8 Week Session begins September 14th. Buddy's Place is a family based children's grief support program for families with children ages 4-18 who have experienced the death of a parent or significant adult caregiver. The 8 week Session is a grief support group that provides education and mutual aid and support. It meets for 8 consecutive Tuesday evenings from 6:15 – 7:30 pm. Buddy's Place also offers a monthly family support group the meets on the 2nd Monday of every month and a Peer support Group on the 3rd Wednesday for children and their parent/caregiver. All groups meet from 6:15-7:30 pm. There is no cost to participate in Buddy's Place, however registration is required. Families should call Kelly Huggins at 708-995-3750 or email at buddysplace@pillarscommunity.org for more information and to register.

