# Sunday, April 7, 2024

9:00 a.m. Worship 10:00 a.m. Fellowship Time 10:15 a.m. Sunday School



## Vision Statement for Zion

Believing that all people are important to God, we at Zion Mennonite Church desire to grow by welcoming each person, valuing community and nurturing our relationship with Jesus Christ and one another.

#### **WORSHIP SERVICE**

Prelude Honor and Glory, Power and Salvation

E. Broughton

The prelude is a time to prepare for worship. Silence your cell phones & quiet your minds & voices.

Welcome & Announcements

Please sign and pass the attendance pad.

Video Greeting from Online Worshipper
Rubina & Santosh Thapa from Nepal

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

\*Songs of Praise Sing with all the Saints in Glory STS 92 Lift Your Glad Voices HWB 275

Lighting of the Peace Candle

Song of Peace O Day of Peace HWB 408

Prayer of the People

Offertory Prayer

Offertory M. Ham

Crown Him with Many Crowns and Rejoice, The Lord Is King with Clarke's Trumpet Voluntary

Children's Time

\*Preparing They Crucified My Savior (He Arose) HWB 266

Scripture Acts 1:1-3,8; 2 Corinthians 2:14-16 (NIV)

Message "Do you Smell Like Jesus?" Mike Ford

\*Responding Thine is the Glory VT 355

\*Benediction

\*Sending Give Thanks for Life STJ 108
vs 1 & 4

\*Postlude Crown Him With Many Crowns M. Hayes

# \*All who are able, please stand

VT - Voices Together (screen) HWB - Hymnal Worship Book (blue) STJ - Sing the Journey (green) STS - Sing the Story (purple)

#### CALL TO PRAYER

#### Thank God for:

Missionaries: Matthew & Toni Krabill in Ghana (MMN),
 Jayson & Julie Casper, Beirut, Lebanon (IDEAS) and the work of Gospel Growers Ministry in Haiti (Sam Rice)

## Please pray for:

Barry Murphy, Pastor Beth, Jim Delp, Rod Kratz,
Jeannette Platt, Bernice Pierce, Harold Dorn, Grace
Price, Barb Green, Gray Musselman, Elaine Metz,
Polly Moore, Dr. Richard Godshall, Mary Ziegler,
Pat Dorn, Bob & Ruth Krout, Carole Scholl, Marie Delp,
Ruth Gehman, Jim Landis, Deb Godshall, Robin Landis,
Brenda Oelschlager, Howard & Pat Peters

#### Thought for the week:

You must be the change you wish to see in the world.

Mahatma Gandhi

#### Peace Candle:

But the wisdom from above is pure, first of all; it is also peaceful, gentle, and friendly; it is full of compassion and produces a harvest of good deeds; it is free from prejudice and hypocrisy. And goodness is the harvest that is produced from the seeds the peacemakers plant in peace.

James 3:17-18

#### ARE YOU A STREAMER??

Maybe you're an on-again-off again Streamer??

We welcome those who faithfully join our Livestream site for worship.

We are one congregation, even though you are not physically here. Everyone viewing online is very important to the life of this church. We can see a significant number of "Streamers" are out there every week!

We wish to hear from you! Please take a moment to say "hello" to all of us! You may wonder how you can do that. Start by calling or emailing the church so we can communicate with you and share your message with the "in the pew" congregation. We want to know you are there, and what your favorite part of the service is. Maybe you have a special message for us. It will be wonderful to make this connection. Call 215-723-3592 or email us at contact@zionmennonite.org.

# THE UPCOMING WEEK AT ZION April 7 - April 14

Sunday	9:00 am 10:00 am 10:15 am 12:00 pm	Worship Service Fellowship Time Sunday School Iglesia Menonita Ebenezer
Monday	10:00 am 11:30 am	BBFP ~ Prep Table of Plenty
Tuesday	9:00 am 1:00 pm 2:00 pm 6:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm	BBFP ~ Packing Church Staff Meeting BBFP ~ Charter School Outreach Meeting Church Board Meeting Fellowship Committee Meeting Youth Group
Wednesday	9:00 am 11:30 am 7:00 pm	Centering Prayer Table of Plenty Adult Choir
Thursday	9:00 am 1:00 pm 6:00 pm	BBFP Delivery Grief Share Meeting Mental Health First Aid

# Important Announcement:

Please mark your calendars and attend a special meeting after church on **Sunday, April 14**. The purpose of this meeting is to hear an update on the proposed solar project for Zion Mennonite Church and to vote on proceeding. Diligent work has been underway with various committees for over a year. The link to a video presentation from August 2023 during the Sunday School hour will be posted to Zion's website or view at <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Lhw9ken-Im8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Lhw9ken-Im8</a>

Also, the slides that were used in the presentation will be posted. Final project information will be communicated prior to the meeting on **April 14**.

#### **SERVING US TODAY**

Worship Leader: Erin Saunders Children's Time: Dylan Landis Hymn Leader: Roger Kurtz

Children's Church: Pat Freed & Mary Keller Welcome Center: Bob & Terri Musselman

Ushers: Rudy Rauschenberger, Jay Clough, Ted Landis,

Scott Heckler

**Audio Visual Team:** Liam Musselman, Audio; Art Landis, Video; Dylan Landis, Projector

#### Infants & Toddlers Childcare

**Worship:** Judy Francis & Alice Green **Sunday School:** Ron & Joyce Price

The flowers are sponsored by **Dave & Bonnie Moyer**, celebrating our 37th wedding anniversary on April 10. We thank God for Zion--this beautiful building has always been our church home, and the people have always been our family.

The bulletins are sponsored for the April birthdays of **Levi and Ezra Saunders** by Rob & Erin.

# Sunday School Opportunities

Sunday School 10:15 - 11:15 a.m.

Infant	Rm 139	Seekers**	Rm 138
Toddlers	Rm 141	Footprints**	Rm 112
Preschool - 1st	Rm 142	Believers-Sojourners**	
2nd - 5th Gr.	Rm 140		Rm 151
Jr. & Sr. High (Gr. 6 -12)		** Adult Classes	
	Rm 121		

#### REMINDER

Be sure to pick up the **weekly newsletter** from the Welcome Center for all this week's announcements. This is the same newsletter that was in your email. If you would like to get our email, contact the office jenn@zionmennonite.org.

## Records for Sunday March 31, 2024

Sunrise Attendance: 17 Attendance: 176

Livestream: 29

Offering: \$ 9,631.00 March POM: \$501.52



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# Zion Staff and Leaders

Sonya Stauffer Kurtz, Lead Pastor
Beth Rauschenberger, Assoc. Pastor of Congregational Care
Mike Ford, Assoc. Pastor of Youth and Outreach
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Erin Constanzer, Children's Ministry Director
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